## CALENDAR



1st Day: Arrival & 20:30 Dinner



**2<sup>nd</sup> Day**: Breakfast / Hiking in Tsagarada old routes (kalderimia) 3,5 hours explaining the history of the village & 20:30 Dinner



3rd Day: Breakfast / Visit the local production of traditional sweets & 20:30 Dinner

4th Day: Breakfast / Free day & 20:30 Dinner

5<sup>th</sup> Day: Breakfast / Visit the famous old little train of Pelion and & 20.30 Dinner



 $\pmb{\delta^{\text{th}}}$  Day: Breakfast / Visit the main churches in the area and explain their history & 20:30 Dinner

7<sup>th</sup> Day: Breakfast & Departure

## \*NOTES\*

Please note that individual reservations will be transferred by their own car. / Groups more than 5 rooms will be transferred by agency's mini bus.

## Transfer from/to airport is not included in the package price.

<u>1st</u> **Day:** Arrival and check in at our hotel. Rest of the day free for a first acquaintance & 20:30 Dinner at hotel's restaurant.

<u>2nd Day:</u> Breakfast / Hiking in Tsagarada old routes (kalderimia) 3,5 hours .Tsagarada and the wider area of East Pelion is the ideal place for hiking the network of traditional kalderimia that connect the old villages to one another. The footpaths take you through lush vegetation, chestnut and beech forests while the bright blue of the Aegean catches your eye through the trees. A unique experience getting to know the flora and the fauna of Pelion, while learning about the history and tradition of the region. Return to the hotel for rest & 20:30 Dinner at hotel's restaurant.

<u>**3**rd Day:</u> Breakfast / Visiting the Agricultural Cooperation of Women in village Anilio , that was established in the winter of 2000 by a group of local women with particular emphasis on quality and fresh ingredients . They created a traditional laboratory with traditional sweets, drinks and dishes, all handmade with great care. In the lab, the visitor has the opportunity to see the product process and taste the exquisite flavors. Return to the hotel for rest & 20:30 Dinner at hotel's restaurant.

<u>4<sup>th</sup> Day:</u> Breakfast / Free day. We highly recommend sea activities such as canyoning or kayaking in the wonderful mountain of Centaurs, Pelion! Canyoning combines hiking in a wild landscape, swimming in a river or descending waterfall cliffs (rappel), with the use of special equipment, jump off cliffs, dive and slide in a magnificent environment. You can also do guided kayak & SUP day-trips to nearby small and beautiful beaches along the coastline of East Pelion, one of the best paddling destinations of Greece. Return to the hotel for rest & 20:30 Dinner at hotel's restaurant. (\*canyoning or kayaking with an extra cost p/p)

<u>5<sup>th</sup> Day:</u> Breakfast / This day trip offers the chance to experience a ride on the famous little train of Pelion, known as **Moutzouris**, which was built in 1895 and in 1985 was declared as a historical monument. In this itinerary you can learn about the one of the most characteristic railway lines in the world to know (60 cm wide narrow gauge railway), a work by **Evaristo de Chirico.** The duration of the journey is 1 hour 30 minutes, it departs from railway station of Ano Lechonia and the terminal train station is in Milies. The train station of Milies is an attraction surrounded by lush vegetation with huge plane trees dominating the scene. Start from the station's buildings and walk alone the narrow rail tracks (60cm width, regarded as one of the narrowest tracks in Europe) you will find on an elevated area the WWII memorial dedicated to the 33 villagers who were executed by the Nazis on 4/10/1943. Right after, you will come across a stone arched

bridge above a ravine that forms a waterfall along large rocks creating a magical scenery.

Return to the hotel for rest & 20:30 Dinner at hotel's restaurant.

<u>6<sup>th</sup> Day:</u> Breakfast / Visit the main churches in the area and explain their history. In our tour we will visit some of the most distinctive and separate samples of Greek tradition.

First we visit the church of the Holy Archangels in Tsagarada which is located in the homonymous square.

The church was built in 1746 and inside stands the gilded iconostasis carved from ash wood, crafted by Epirus craftsmen.

Our tour will end with our visit to the village of Kissos ,to the church of Saint Marina , one of the most outstanding churches of Pelion , built in 1650, renovated in 1745 and it is a Byzantine three aisled basilica.

The distinctive gilt carved iconostasis, the display of God's face in one of the domes and frescoes displaying scenes from the Bible created by the famous folk painter, loannis Pagonis while on the exterior watch the imposing bell tower and the beautiful fountain. Finally, the church has two small museums displaying religious items and items of historical importance. One hosts a large collection of religious icons while the other has various historical and religious relics. Return to the hotel for rest & 20:30 Dinner at hotel's restaurant.

7<sup>th</sup> Day: Breakfast & Departure.

## **DESCRIPTION**

**Room description**: in all of the apartments you will find air condition, central floor heating, LCD television, sound system, shower with hydro massage, hairdryer, safe box and fire safety.

Comfort Double Room: Spacious two-bed room which includes a whirlpool shower, safe box, wi-fi

internet, mini bar, flat screen TV and a blow dryer. This room gives the opportunity to choose between a

mountain or a sea view as well as the chance to have a fire place.

Capacity: 2 Adults

Number of rooms: 2 Square area: 27m<sup>2</sup>

<u>Junior Suite</u>: One-space double bed apartment which includes a living room (1 sofa bed), whirlpool shower, safe box, wi-fi internet, mini bar, flat screen TV, blow dryer and the opportunity to choose between a mountain or a sea view.

Capacity: 2 Adults + 2 children or 3 Adults

Number of rooms: 3 Square area: 35m<sup>2</sup>