

**SLOVAKIA HERITAGE TOURS 2020 (September 11-20, 2020)**  
**PARTICIPANT APPLICATION**

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Male \_\_\_ Female \_\_\_  
(As it appears on passport)

Preferred name \_\_\_\_\_ Traveling: alone \_\_\_ with \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone \_\_\_\_\_ Cell \_\_\_\_\_ Email \_\_\_\_\_

DOB \_\_\_\_\_ Passport # \_\_\_\_\_ Expiration date \_\_\_\_\_

Emergency contact: \_\_\_\_\_ Tel# \_\_\_\_\_

Relationship \_\_\_\_\_ Email \_\_\_\_\_

Special Medical Conditions and Accommodations: \_\_\_\_\_

Allergies: \_\_\_\_\_ Special dietary needs: \_\_\_\_\_

Room Accommodations:

- \_\_\_\_ 1) I will be sharing a room with \_\_\_\_\_.
- \_\_\_\_ 2) I am willing to share a room with another tour participant.
- \_\_\_\_ 3) I prefer a single room and will pay the \$549 single room supplement.

In planning for group and additional activities for our trip we'd like to know more about your special interests and preferences: (Please write more if you would like and attach.)

- 1) Why are you visiting Slovakia? \_\_\_\_\_
- 2) Are you of Slovak origin? \_\_\_\_\_ From where? \_\_\_\_\_ When? \_\_\_\_\_
- 3) Do you plan to connect with family or native village in Slovakia through our optional excursions? If yes, where? \_\_\_\_\_
- 4) Do you speak Slovak \_\_\_ Czech \_\_\_ Polish \_\_\_\_\_? A little \_\_\_ Fluently \_\_\_\_\_
- 5) Would you like to schedule a trip extension to: (Please indicate # of days.)  
Prague \_\_\_\_\_ Krakow \_\_\_\_\_ Budapest \_\_\_\_\_ Vienna \_\_\_\_\_ Other? \_\_\_\_\_
- 6) Would you like us to help research your family genealogy? \_\_\_\_\_

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***SPECIAL INTEREST SURVEY CONTINUES:***

7) In order to help us better personalize the tour; please rate your interest in the following activities. Give each the score of:

3 – High Interest or 2- Interest or 0- No interest

Shopping \_\_\_\_\_ Concerts/Music \_\_\_\_\_ Museums \_\_\_\_\_

Historic Sites/Castles \_\_\_\_\_ Art/Crafts \_\_\_\_\_ Caves \_\_\_\_\_

Outdoor Activities \_\_\_\_\_ Food/Cooking \_\_\_\_\_ Genealogy \_\_\_\_\_

Walking/Exploring \_\_\_\_\_ Slovak Language Lessons \_\_\_\_\_

Evening programs on history, Slovakia today, film \_\_\_\_\_

Please comment on what you would like to see and do on the tour:

8) Do you have any special talents or interests that you will be bringing to the tour? (For example: musical talent/instruments; knowledge of Slovak history; or skills in photography, technology, art/craft work.)

9) Please indicate your preferred level of physical activity:

Moderate walking \_\_\_\_\_ Hiking/ More strenuous walking \_\_\_\_\_

Prefer little or no walking \_\_\_\_\_ Limited, need assistance on tours \_\_\_\_\_

10) Do you have any physical or medical limitations that we will need to plan for?

11) What field do you work in? (or did you work in if you are retired?)

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**QUESTIONS?** Contact Judy at Slovakia Heritage Tours:

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*See RELEASE FORM on next page →*

## SLOVAKIA HERITAGE TOURS 2020 PARTICIPANT RELEASE AND AGREEMENT

As a condition of participating in a 2020 Slovakia Heritage Tour, I, the undersigned, agree to be bound by the following:

1. **Scope of Services:** I acknowledge that Judith Northup-Bennett (dba Slovakia Heritage Tours) provides travel consultant services including general travel advice and details about tours operated by Best Slovakia Tours. She facilitates the pre-trip planning and communication, connects travelers with genealogical research, and provides United States payment options. Slovakia Heritage Tours is not responsible for air fare, ground logistics or tour operations.
2. **Release of Claims:** I agree to release Slovakia Heritage Tours, and Judith Northup-Bennett from any claims, demands, liabilities or causes of action arising out of, or connected to, any personal injury, claim of negligence, illness, loss, representation, theft, delay, death, property damage or additional expense incurred or suffered while participating in any tours organized, planned or recommended by Slovakia Heritage Tours.
3. **Unforeseen Circumstances.**
  - A) I recognize the right of Slovakia Heritage Tours to make changes to itineraries, travel arrangements, hotels, excursions, and or any arrangements made necessary for the safety, comfort or convenience of tour participants, or by schedule changes beyond their control. Such changes are not ground for refund or cancellation. Slovakia Heritage Tours also reserves the right to remove a participant from the tour who is a threat to the safety and enjoyment of the rest of the tour participants, without refund and at the participant's expense.
  - B) If I lose my passport, airline tickets or other documents, luggage and other personal belongings, I accept that Slovakia Heritage Tours is not responsible for any inconvenience or expense resulting from the same.
  - C) I accept any liability for any damage I might cause or any financial obligations I may incur while on a tour organized, planned or recommended by Slovakia Heritage Tours. I accept all risks associated with tour activities.
4. **Photos:** I agree that any photos or videos taken of me on the tour, as well as any comments and statements, can be used in future Slovakia Heritage Tours promotions/materials without further approval or monetary compensation. Please initial: \_\_\_\_yes \_\_\_\_no
5. **Completeness and Choice of Law:** This agreement is a full and complete recitation of understanding not subject to any contemporaneous agreement unless the same is in writing and signed by authorized persons. This agreement will be governed by the laws of the State of Massachusetts.
6. **Venue and Arbitration Agreement:** The parties agree to resolve any and all disputes connected to any tours organized, planned or recommended by Slovakia Heritage Tours through binding arbitration in the State of Massachusetts, each side to bear its own attorney's fees and costs.

Program Participant's Printed Name \_\_\_\_\_

Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_