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Take a Lamborghini or Ferrari for a spin



Bled, Slovenia, is on the itinerary for the Jewels of the Adriatic: Croatia & Slovenia tour. (Dusan Stojanovic, Associated Press)

By Phil Marty
Chicago Tribune

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Here are some of the more interesting deals, websites and other travel tidbits that came across our desk recently:

Scenic Rush offers you a chance to slip behind the wheel of exotic vehicles such as a Lamborghini or Ferrari and take a spin around the Vancouver or Whistler areas of British Columbia. Cheapest is the 1½-hour, 30-mile Porteau Cove Experience, which is about \$295 and includes driving two different cars. 855-926-5777, scenicrush.com

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Extraordinary Journeys has a South Africa package that includes the urban charms of Cape Town and safari time in Sabi Sands Private Game Reserve priced as low as \$2,800 per person double occupancy. That includes four nights' lodging in Cape Town, three nights at Sabi Sabi Little Bush Camp, game drives, all meals during the safari portion and internal flights. International flights are extra. 212-226-7334, tinyurl.com/llkvuah

Jewels of the Adriatic: Croatia & Slovenia from smarTours is priced from \$2,499 per person double occupancy, including round-trip air from Philadelphia. The package spends two nights each in Zagreb and Opatija, Croatia, and Bled, Slovenia; one night each in Plitvice Lakes and Split, Croatia, and four nights in Dubrovnik, Croatia. Other inclusions are internal transportation, some meals, sightseeing tours and an English-speaking tour director. 800-337-7773, tinyurl.com/mely2z8

AmaWaterways has a variety of Europe river cruises focused on wine and hosted by wine experts. Included are lectures, tastings, winery visits and more. tinyurl.com/7tkletk

The Indiana tourism folks suggest a spring break road trip through the western and southern parts of their state to visit sights such as the Tippecanoe Battlefield Museum and the Lincoln Boyhood National Memorial. tinyurl.com/nxrdgpe

The Midwest ski season is barely past, but Boyne Highlands and Boyne Mountain in Michigan are already offering passes for next season at reduced rates. With the

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easy-payment plan you can put down \$50 by April 30 and pay the balance in four installments due June 1, July 1, Aug. 1 and Sept. 1. Pricing is good through April 30. 231-549-6016, tinyurl.com/kxst79p

If unusual museums are your thing, you might want to visit the Glore Psychiatric Museum in St. Joseph, Mo. tinyurl.com/opc2g7x

The 125,000-square-foot Charles H. Wright Museum of African American History in Detroit bills itself as the largest facility in the world dedicated to the African-American experience. tinyurl.com/kg6mzlf

Arts in April includes more than 50 programs throughout the month in California's Napa Valley. tinyurl.com/kqm926y

Enter for a chance to win two round-trip tickets from Tripmasters for any Delta Airlines destination worldwide at tinyurl.com/m7dkpno.

Dollywood's DreamMore Resort in Pigeon Forge, Tenn., opens this year, and reservations may be made now for dates starting Aug. 18 at tinyurl.com/mejladj.

The St. Lucia Jazz Festival will be April 30-May 10 on the Caribbean island. stlucijazz.org

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