



Dear Guest,

We look forward to seeing you on Friday, 11<sup>th</sup> November and Saturday, 12<sup>th</sup> November evenings. Before the concert starts, at the interval and afterwards at the dinner you will have the opportunity to bid in a silent auction format for some fantastic villa rental opportunities: 4 in Romania and also 1 in Zermatt, Switzerland. On Saturday before and during the ball the bidding lists will remain open. The successful bidders will subsequently be notified by email. All proceeds from these go to Pro Patrimonio so do please have a look through the details of the offers listed below and decide which wonderful holiday in which special location will suit you – and please make a bid!

Thank you  
Nicolae Ratiu  
Pro Patrimonio

## ***SILENT AUCTION DETAILS***

### **Historic Dwelling in Viscri 18, Main Street**

#### ***Support Romanian Heritage by Using it!***

This guest house is made up of two buildings which were built in the the first half of the 19th century. It has been recently restored in good old fashioned Transylvanian countryside style and is now one of the most representative traditional houses in the village.



The left hand house has 1 large master bedroom with double bed, separate shower and toilet, a summer dining room and a simple but modern kitchen area that allows you to be self-contained if you wish. The right hand house has 1 large master bedroom (with double bed), a single bedroom and bathroom. If you wish to taste the local, rich cuisine, your host Lili will happily invite you to taste local flavors. Both houses have traditional tiled Saxon 'soba' (stoves) for heating. Wood will be provided for you when the weather turns cold and you will fall asleep listening to the relaxing, reassuring sound of the fire.

**House facilities:** three bedrooms, two bathrooms, kitchen, terrace, garden, parking space.

**On offer** is a voucher which can be used for up to 5 people/ 7 nights accommodation in the Viscri house. The offer also includes bed & breakfast. The voucher can be used from **1<sup>st</sup> June 2023 until 30 September 2023** by arrangement.

When booking **Pro Patrimonio** to be mentioned. **Minimum bid €750 for the house/ 7 nights or € 350 for double room/7 nights.** Further information from <http://propatrimonio.org/index.php/locuire-istorica/>

## Historic Dwelling in Golescu Villa, Câmpulung Muscel (Argeş County)

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Villa Golescu is tucked in an area with rolling hills, surrounded by beautiful mountains. The house was built at the beginning of the 20th century by Vasile Golescu and lies in 4 hectares of private gardens. The house retains much of the old decoration, pieces of furniture and other objects and is restored in an elegant, authentic fashion. The Villa is easy to reach from Bucharest; to travel from here to Braşov you will follow one of the most beautiful roads in Romania. **House facilities:** five bedrooms, one living room, one dining room, three bathrooms, one kitchen, parking spaces, courtyard, and Mariana's cooking is something you will want to try.



**On offer** is a voucher which can be used for up to 7 people /7 nights accommodation in the Villa Golescu, in Campulung Muscel. The offer also includes bed & breakfast. The voucher can be used from **1<sup>st</sup> July 2022 until 30 September 2023** by arrangement.

When booking **Pro Patrimonio** to be mentioned.

**Minimum bid €1400 for villa/7 nights, or €750 for double room/7 nights.**

Further information from <http://propatrimonio.org/index.php/locuire-istorica/>

**For Golescu bookings please contact Pro Patrimonio on Lucica Murariu 0759 011 164**



## A romantic retreat in a cosy Transylvanian family home

– donated by the Ratiu family

Casa Ratiu is set within the environs of a historical family home, belonging to one of the most iconic families of Romania, in Turda, Transylvania. It provides a unique setting to begin your discovery of the region. Named after the members of the Ratiu family, each of the 22 rooms (4 single and 18 double rooms, accommodating up to 40 guests) has its own personality and unique design.



All the rooms have comfortable beds, top quality pillows and bedding; their design is the result of a fusion between traditional rustic elements and a contemporary feel. In addition, surprising details can be found in each corner of the house – books, artworks, family photos, unique furniture pieces. La Papion Cultural Café is available on the premises and is the perfect venue if you are looking for a place where you can enjoy a glass of wine after a day of Transylvanian trips.

Popular local attractions of the area include the Salina Salt Mine, one of the most sought touristic sights in Transylvania, dating from Roman times, the Turda Gorge, a fantastic local nature reserve and an ideal place for walking, hiking and climbing, and the Turda History Museum, within five minutes' walk.

On offer is a voucher which can be used for up to 7 nights accommodation at Casa Ratiu, with a rich and delicious breakfast included.

The voucher can be used from **1<sup>st</sup> Dec 2022 until 30<sup>th</sup> November 2023 by arrangement.**

When booking, please mention **Pro Patrimonio**.

**Minimum bid for 7 nights voucher: €150.00 for a double room.**

Further information is available here <http://casaratiu.ro>.

**For bookings please contact Alina at Casa Ratiu on +40 732 670178 or +40 759 019823**

## **A luxurious retreat at Satul Prunilor – Plum Tree Village**

**- donated by the Ratiu family**

An elegant and luxurious retreat and restaurant, graced by the very best of personal service, blending with the beautiful landscape, surrounded by mountains, the villa (sleeps 6-8) in Satul Prunilor is set in over 6 hectares of woodland in the commune of Pietroasa – 1 ¼ hours from Bucharest. A range of outdoor activities are available and local sites include Chindiei Tower, an emblematic monument of the city of Targoviste and one of the finest examples of a castle in Europe today, Peles Castle.



On offer is a voucher which can be used for up to 7 nights accommodation in one Villa at Satul Prunilor. The offer also includes bed & breakfast.

The voucher can be used from **1<sup>st</sup> Dec 2022 until 30 November 2023 by arrangement.**

When booking **Pro Patrimonio** to be mentioned.

**Minimum bid €600 for villa, or €200 for double room.**

Further information from [www.satulprunilor.ro](http://www.satulprunilor.ro)

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## A retreat in a ski village & a summer hiking paradise in the Alps

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Offering a stunning view of the Matterhorn, cosy and comfortable Chalet Lani is located in the district of Steinmatte, in a quiet, elevated position overlooking the town of Zermatt, Switzerland.

Chalet Lani includes 4 large, beautifully furnished bedrooms and 2 smaller bunk-bed rooms – which can accommodate up to 12 persons – a spacious, fully equipped, open plan kitchen, a dining and living room with a lovely fire place. It is the perfect venue for a group or family holiday, regardless of the season, as Zermatt is wonderful all year long.

Summer activities include, among others, summer skiing (glacier), paragliding, mountain lifts, mountain hikes, mountain tours, climbing, mountain bike, tennis, or golf. The ski-region Matterhorn Ski Paradise has a total of 57 lifts, two mountain lifts, 8 cableways, 11 cable cabins, 22 chair lifts, 14 drag lifts, 2 children's ski lifts, 70 ski runs, with a total length of 350 km.

On offer is a voucher which can be used for up to 7 nights accommodation at Chalet Lani.

The voucher can be used subject to availability in the following periods: **1.12.22 to 30.11.23 by arrangement**. Book soon!

**When booking call +447860823237 and please mention Pro Patrimonio. Minimum bid: €800 for the entire chalet. Value per agency – see below - €4000+**

Further information and current availability can be checked here however booking on

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