

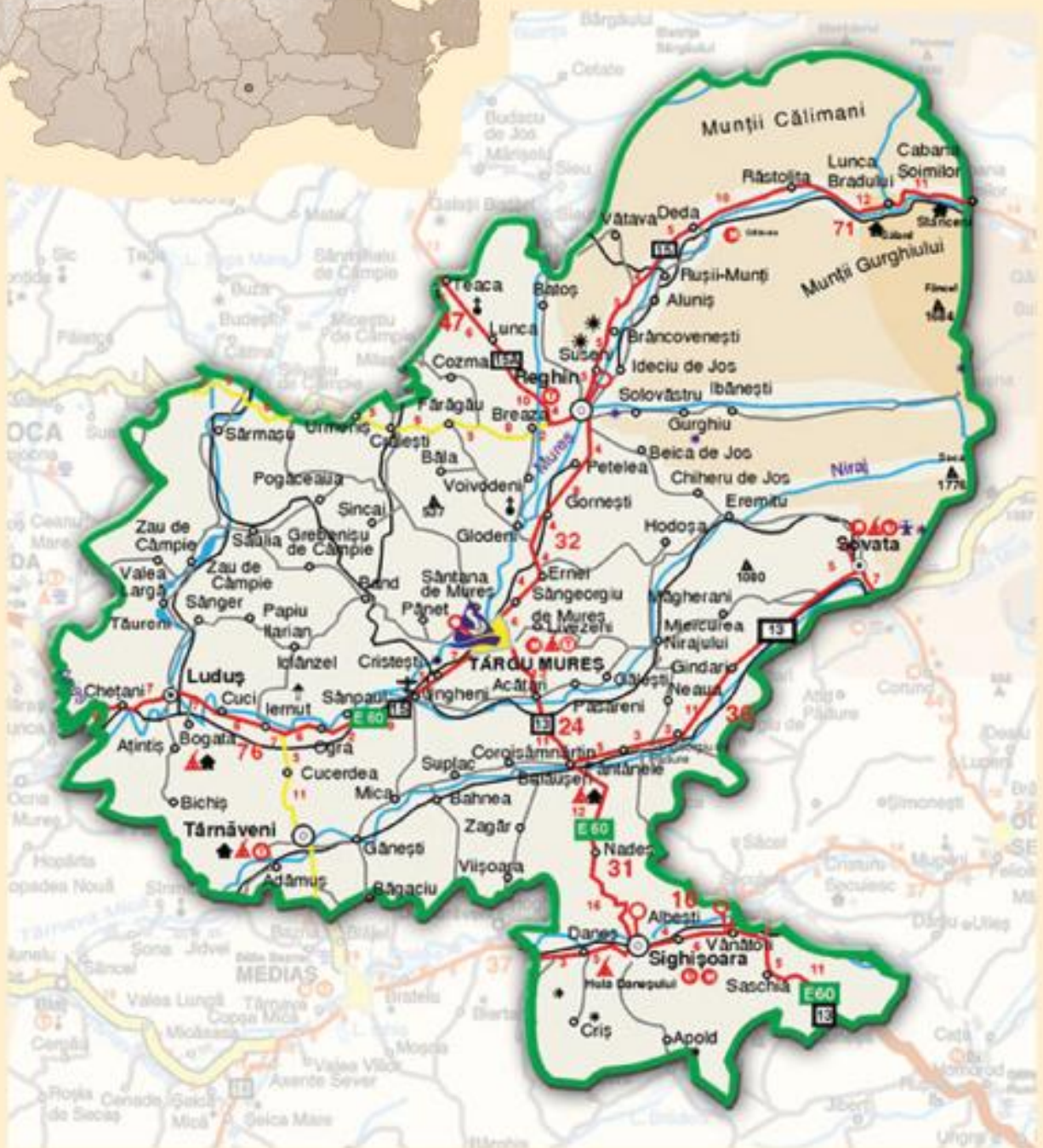
MUREȘ

Transylvania



it's time to come !

Location





You probably heard about Transylvania, a region well known for its interesting legends, deep forests, wild mountains and picturesque villages. In the heart of Transylvania there is county called Mureş, named after the river that crosses the area. It has always been a meeting place for people of different cultures – Romanians, Hungarians, Saxons, Gypsies and Jews. The main town, Tîrgu Mureş, which translated means “market on the Mureş River”, has a population of 150,000. Not only is this area blessed with a rich variety of landscapes, medieval cities, UNESCO-protected citadels and thermal lakes, but also customs, folklore and traditions proudly kept by its inhabitants. Openhearted hospitality is a tradition in Romania and nowhere stronger than here in Mureş County.

WE ARE HAPPY TO GREET YOU. It is easy to get here. Come direct by plane, train, bus or car. Superb accommodations and restaurants are available in Tîrgu Mureş, Sighişoara and Sovata. Comfortable home stays and quality bed and breakfast inns welcome you in the villages.

DID YOU KNOW THAT:

- The great great-grandmother of Queen Elizabeth II of England was born and is buried in one of our villages?
- Vlad the Impaler, the original Dracula, was born in Sighişoara?
- There is a submerged village in Mureş County?
- One of the few heliothermal spas in Europe is in Sovata?
- Four cultures live together in Mureş County: Romanian, Hungarian, Saxon, and Gypsy?
- Bela Bartok played his first big concerts here?
- The world famous Bolyai mathematicians, who invented non-Euclidian geometry, are from Tîrgu Mureş?
- AND: the first Tibetan – English dictionary was written here?

Dracula

Dracula weekends, Bal des Vampires in an authentic Transylvanian castle:

The opportunity to associate a Legend and a European region. Adventure and Romance on a mythical scale attainable at an increasingly limited number of destinations.



Enjoy what Mureș County can offer you

- Meet Dracula where he was born, in the medieval city of Sighișoara
- Organize conferences, meetings and seminars in Mureș County
- Enjoy the vibrant Gypsy music and dances
- Observe bears and wolves
- Learn our customs and traditions
- Practice hiking, cycling and horseback riding, hunting and fishing in the Carpathians
- Taste local wines and foods
- Listen to Bartok music in an atmosphere of secession
- Discover the UNESCO world heritage citadel of Sighișoara
- Pamper yourself in the thermal spa at Sovata
- Visit the many beautiful castles and citadels of the county



Food and wine



One of the great advantages of the several Transylvanian cultures living together is reflected in local gastronomy. Here you will find some dishes made differently than in other regions and with a special touch: So it's great to live together.



"God created water, but Man made wine!" These words are true in Mureș County. The golden wines of the Târnava Valley are an example of the persistent work of the people, at one with their land.

Rural tourism and folklore

Why to visit Mureş County? Because everywhere in the county you can find something of interest, and not only in our towns. A warm welcome awaits you from the village people who are proud to share their living traditions, folklore songs and dances, handicraft activities and cuisine.



They invite you to the many festivals held throughout the year: The Celebration of Wine and Must, Handicraft Arts in Tîrgu Mureş, The Fair of Cherries in Brâncoveneşti, The Medieval Festival in Sighişoara, The Fair of the Girls in Gurghiu and many other local celebrations.



Happy to meet you



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