

Minnesota – Slovenia event, Podbrezje 2007
Sunday, June 3, 9.30 – 13.00, Podbrezje Village, Tabor Hill

EVENT PROGRAM:

- 9.00 Transfer from Bled to Podbrezje (approximately 20 km)
- 9.30 – 10.00 Welcome with bread and salt by “Taborska Urška” (local legend) at Tabor hill, Podbrezje
- 10.00 – Holly mass in the Tabor church (Roman Catholic)
- 11.00 – Welcome greeting in “Pirc’s house” (Tabor hill)
 - Ivan Štular, Major, Naklo Community
 - Nataša Kne Leben, Representative of Podbrezje village, President of Cultural Association Podbrezje
 - Representative from Minnesota Dr. Douglas R. Vogel, Professor, Graduate of the University of Minnesota
 - Dr. Jože Gričar, Chair, Bled eConference
- 11.15 – Paper: Podbrezje in Pirc’s time. Emigrants from Podbrezje to Minnesota by Jožef Perne
- 11.30 – Paper: “Anti-turkish fortress ‘Tabors’ in Slovenian history” by dr. Peter Fister, Professor, Faculty of Architecture, University of Ljubljana
- 11.45 – Welcome party in “Pirc’s house”
- 12.30 – Visit Pirc’s monument in Podbrezje (approximately 10 minute to walk)
- 13.00 – Leaving Podbrezje

Jožef Perne, Event Chair
Member of Cultural Association Podbrezje

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