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Stolac je mali grad, ali historijski
i kulturno jako važan za BiH
Stolac is a small town, but
historically and culturally very
important for B&H



Najljepši pogled
na kanjon Neretve
The most beautiful view
of the Neretva canyon



Kračić, ali ljepši
put ka moru
A shorter, but more beautiful
road to the sea



Otvoren najveći
Carpisa MEGA STORE
The biggest Carpisa
MEGA STORE opened

Održan Međunarodni sajam ekologije EKOBIS 2022
The International Ecology Fair EKOBIS 2022 was held

Konjic, mali grad velikih ljudi
Konjic, a small town of great people

SEMIR OSMANAGIĆ, DIREKTOR FONDACIJE ARHEOLOŠKI PARK:
BOSANSKA PIRAMIDA SUNCA

Izuzetno uspješna turistička sezona u Bosanskoj dolini piramida

Turistička sezona u Arheološkom parku: Bosanska piramida sunca bila je izuzetno uspješna, i to ne samo s arheološkog i naučnog, već i kulturnog, sportskog i muzičkog aspekta. Kazao je ovo Semir Osmanagić, direktor Fondacije Arheološki park: Bosanska piramida sunca, za magazin *Visit BiH*. -Ove godine imali smo do sada najveću posjetu našim festivalima, posebno u junu. Bile su hiljade i hiljade posjetitelja. Park Ravne 2 postao je kulturna oaza čitavog Balkana, ljudi nas podržavaju, dolaze u posjete i to po nekoliko puta u sezoni - kazao je Osmanagić.

SVJETSKA ATRAKCIJA

Prema njegovim riječima, u arheološkom smislu, radili su iskopavanja, posebno u podzemnim tunelima Ravne 3, Ravne 4 i Ravne 5. Trenutno rade georadarska ispitivanja gdje

pokušavaju utvrditi ulaze u piramidu i nove prahistorijske tunele koji su postali svjetska atrakcija.

-Volonterska sezona trajala je od početka juna do kraja oktobra i imali smo više od 100 volontera iz 20 zemalja svijeta. Održali smo tu tradiciju i nadamo se da ćemo se vratiti one brojke koje su bile do 2019. godine, odnosno na oko 500 volontera godišnje. Što se tiče broja turista, posjeta je bila na nivou prošle godine, što znači oko 150.000. Politička situacija u BiH i svijetu bila je delikatna i da nije tako imali bismo dodatnih 100.000 posjetitelja - istakao je Osmanagić. Bosanska dolina piramida u Visokom zaista je postala svjetska atrakcija koja privlači turiste iz cijelog svijeta. Turistički potencijal izuzetno je veliki i zahtijeva značajnu podršku svih nivoa vlasti. →

Kada je u pitanju saradnja s vlastima u BiH, Osmanagić je posebno naglasio podršku Vlade Zeničko-dobojskog kantona

When it comes to cooperation with authorities in Bosnia and Herzegovina, Osmanagić particularly emphasized the support of the Government of Zenica-Doboj Canton

SEMIR OSMANAGIĆ, DIRECTOR OF THE ARCHAEOLOGICAL PARK
FOUNDATION: BOSNIAN PYRAMID OF THE SUN

Extremely successful tourist season in the Bosnian Valley of the Pyramids

The tourist season in the Archaeological Park: The Bosnian Pyramid of the Sun was extremely successful, not only from an archaeological and scientific point of view, but also from a cultural, sports and musical point of view. Semir Osmanagić, director of the Archaeological Park Foundation: Bosnian Pyramid of the Sun, said this for *Visit BiH* magazine. - This year we had the largest number of visitors to our festivals so far, especially in June. There were thousands and thousands of visitors. Park Ravne 2 has become a cultural oasis for the entire Balkans, people support us, they come to visit several times a season - said Osmanagić.

WORLD ATTRACTION

According to him, in the archaeological sense, they were doing excavations, especially in the underground tunnels Ravne 3, Ravne 4 and Ravne 5. They are currently doing georadar tests where they are trying to determine the entrances to the pyramid and the new prehistoric tunnels that have become a world attraction.

- The volunteer season lasted from the beginning of June to the end of

October and we had more than 100 volunteers from 20 countries around the world. We have maintained that tradition and hope to return to the numbers we had by 2019, i.e. around 500 volunteers per year. As for the number of tourists, the visit was at the level of last year, which means around 150,000. The political situation in Bosnia and Herzegovina and the world was delicate, and if it wasn't like that, we would have had an additional 100,000 visitors - said Osmanagić.

The Bosnian Valley of the Pyramids in Visoko has truly become a world attraction that attracts tourists from all over the world. The tourism potential is extremely large and requires significant support from all levels of government. The Archaeological Park Foundation: The Bosnian Pyramid of the Sun has been operating for 17 years and during this period, according to Osmanagić, they had significant cooperation with all levels of government.

Osmanagić especially emphasizes cooperation with the Government of Zenica-Doboj Canton, which was the first to grant research permits in

2006, and later with the Ministry of Spatial Planning, which approved archaeological, geological and geodetic, geothermal, satellite and other research. He says that they have been cooperating very well with the Ministry of Economy for years, and that they support all projects, especially the construction of tourist infrastructure. How significant this cooperation is, is also shown by the fact that the total approved and paid funds for improvement of tourist infrastructure and offers at the Park Ravne site in the period from 2018 to 2022 are 338,848 BAM.

- In 2018, the Foundation Archaeological Park: Bosnian Pyramid of the Sun was granted the amount of 150,000 BAM for the project improving the tourist infrastructure of the Ravne tourist complex. Moreover, Visoko Municipality was granted the amount of 140,000 BAM for reconstruction of the Ravne road. In 2019, the Foundation was granted 28,848 for the project of installing LED lighting in Ravne Park. This year BOSANSKE PIRAMIDE Ltd. Visoko received 20,000 for the project of building tennis courts in Park Ravne





Fondacija Arheološki park: Bosanska piramida sunca djeluje već 17 godina i u ovom periodu, prema riječima Osmanagića, imali su značajnu saradnju sa svim nivoima vlasti.

Osmanagić posebno naglašava saradnju s Vladom Zeničko-dobojskog kantona koja je prva dala dozvole za istraživanja još 2006. godine, a kasnije i Ministarstvo za prostorno uređenje koje je odobrilo arheološka, geološka i geodetska, geotermalna, sate-litska i druga istraživanja. Poručuje da s Ministarstvom za privredu već godinama jako dobro sarađuju, te da

podržavaju sve projekte, naročito u izgradnji turističke infrastrukture. A koliko je ta saradnja značajna, govori i podatak da su ukupna odobrena i uplaćena sredstva za unaprijeđenje turističke infrastrukture i ponude na lokalitetu Park Ravne u periodu od 2018. do 2022. godine 338.848 KM. -U 2018. godini Fondaciji Arheološki park: Bosanska piramida Sunca odobren je iznos od 150.000 KM za projekat Unaprijeđenje turističke infrastrukture turističkog kompleksa Ravne. Također, Općini Visoko je odobren iznos od 140.000 KM za

rekonstrukciju puta Ravne. U 2019. Fondaciji je odobreno 28.848 KM za projekat postavljanja LED rasvjete u Parku Ravne. U ovoj godini BOSANSKE PIRAMIDE d.o.o. Visoko dobile su 20.000 KM za projekat izgradnje teniskih terena u Parku Ravne - kazali su nam iz Vlade Zeničko-dobojskog kantona.

VELIKI PLANOVI

Osmanagić je naglasio da je ova podrška od izuzetnog značaja i ovom prilikom zahvalio kantonalnoj Vladi koja prepoznaje turistički značaj ovog lokaliteta.

-Može li se uraditi više? Naravno da može, jer je ovo projekat od globalnog značaja koji će u narednim godinama privlačiti stotine hiljada posjetitelja. Kroz dodatne aktivnosti kao što su teniski i turniri u drugim sportovima nadamo se saradnji i s Ministarstvom za obrazovanje, nauku, kulturu i sport Zeničko-dobojskog kantona - istakao je Osmanagić. Pitali smo ga i kakvi su planovi Fondacije za narednu turističku sezonu. Kaže da imaju velike planove.

-Naša manifestacija „NBA zvijezde za djecu bez roditelja“ prerast će u nešto više, u „Sportske zvijezde za djecu bez roditelja“. Imat ćemo ponovo košarku u parku Ravne 2, ali i turnire u drugim sportovima tako da ćemo za oko 500 djece bez roditelja pripremiti nezaboravne događaje. Na ovaj način Fondacija nastavlja biti društveno odgovorna. Idemo i u organizaciju teniskog turnira s nekoliko svjetskih teniskih zvijezda. To će se dešavati u julu, odmah nakon turnira u Wimbledonu. Već dogovaramo brojne koncerte i festivale i vjerujemo da će naredna godina u turističkom smislu biti još uspješnija - kazao je Osmanagić na kraju. ●



- they told us from the Government of Zenica-Doboj Canton.

BIG PLANS

Osmanagić emphasized that this support is extremely important, and on this occasion he thanked the cantonal

government, which recognizes the touristic importance of this locality.

- Can more be done? Of course it can, because this is a project of global importance that will attract hundreds of thousands of visitors in the coming years. Through additional activities

such as tennis and tournaments in other sports, we hope to cooperate with the Ministry of Education, Science, Culture and Sports of Zenica-Doboj Canton - Osmanagić pointed out. We also asked him what the Foundation's plans are for the next tourist season. He says they have big plans. - Our event "NBA Stars for Orphans" will grow into something more, into "Sports Stars for Orphans". We will have basketball again in the park Ravne 2, but also tournaments in other sports, so we will prepare unforgettable events for about 500 children without parents. In this way, the Foundation continues to be socially responsible. We are also going to organize a tennis tournament with several world tennis stars. It will happen in July, right after Wimbledon. We are already arranging numerous concerts and festivals and we believe that next year will be even more successful in terms of tourism - said Osmanagić at the end. ●

