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Visitor information

H55 Balatonlelle

## Dear Guest!

We warmly welcome you to **H55 Balatonlelle Pension!**

Balatonlelle has become increasingly popular, not only for its excellent location by Lake Balaton and its easy accessibility, but also for its growing variety of events, its winter experiences, popular wineries, restaurants and cafés that are open all year round. Whether this is your first visit with us or you are one of our returning guests, we thank you for choosing H55 Balatonlelle.

This guide is designed to introduce you to, the services available in our pension. Should you have any questions about these, or require additional information not mentioned here, please do not hesitate to contact our colleagues at the reception.

The staff of H55 Balatonlelle is always at your service, and we will do our best to make your stay as pleasant and memorable as possible. We are also happy to provide information about various programs and attractions in the pension and its surroundings.

We wish you a relaxing and enjoyable stay!

Respectfully,

Attila Sággy

Director



## About Lake Balaton

Lake Balaton is the largest lake in Central Europe and Hungary, and one of the country's most important tourist destinations. Its main attraction is the waterfront, offering countless opportunities for swimming, surfing, and sailing, while also serving as a hub for horseback riding, hang-gliding, and cycling.

On the **southern shore**, visitors can find many attractions. A must-see is **Somogyvár**, with its famous Benedictine monastery.

While the **northern shore** of the lake deepens quickly, the southern side offers shallow, slowly deepening waters, making it ideal for families with children. Many of its popular and internationally recognized beaches have been awarded the **Blue Wave Flag** distinction.

But Lake Balaton is not just for swimming enthusiasts — there are many other activities around the lake: water parks, boat excursions, adventure parks (e.g., in Zánka, Zamárdi, Balatonfüred), and hiking trails. Countless open-air events and concerts are held around the lake, especially appealing to young people. Boat trips are a must, with regular scheduled ferries and evening party boats departing from ports such as Badacsony and Tihany.

For animal lovers, the **Africa Museum in Balatonederics** and the **Buffalo Reserve in Kápolnapuszta** provide close-to-nature experiences.

Those who enjoy vibrant nightlife will find **Siófok and Balatonfüred** the most popular, but many other towns also offer excellent spots for entertainment, with beautiful night views across the lake.

Health tourism is also a hallmark of the region, with numerous spas, such as the world-famous **Hévíz Lake**.

## Balatonlelle

The town of Balatonlelle is one of the settlements on the southern shore of Lake Balaton with the most outstanding tourist facilities. Its location is favorable, as it can be reached by motorway, railway, small aircraft, and boat.

Balatonlelle is one of the oldest settlements on the southern shore of the lake. It is already mentioned in Hungary's oldest surviving Hungarian-language record, the founding charter of the Tihany Abbey from 1055, which refers to the Basilica of Saint Clement located in Lelle, along the Great Military Road. Due to its central location, the town suffered from Tatar and Ottoman invasions, but was repopulated again and again.

In the **Millennium year of 1896**, people from Budapest began to discover the beneficial effects of Lake Balaton. By 1904, a bathing association had been established, which played a decisive role in the development of the settlement, transforming it into a cultural landscape. In **1928**, Lelle received the status of a "spa resort" in recognition of its beautiful "Villa Row" and was granted the name Balatonlelle. Afterwards, many scientists and artists chose it as a place of rest and creativity – a tradition that continues to this day.

Between **1946 and 1948**, the residence of the President of the Hungarian Republic was also located here, in the center of Villa Row. In **1979**, Balatonboglár and Balatonlelle were united under the name "Boglárlelle", and in **1986** the settlement received the rank of town. Since 1991, Balatonlelle has once again been an independent town. Known as the "flowering Lelle", the settlement preserves its bathing traditions, while its inhabitants continue to welcome visitors with their long-famous hospitality.

The vibrant Mediterranean-style summer center of Balatonlelle is **St. Stephen Square (Szent István tér)**. Every evening, thousands of people gather here to listen to concerts by amateur bands around the fountain, to shop in the surrounding streets, or to enjoy portraits drawn by artists.

For children's delight, a **circus and amusement park** operate throughout the summer, offering entertainment for young and old alike. Cultural programs are also plentiful: lovers of classical music can enjoy weekly organ concerts in the Roman Catholic church, while those who prefer lighter genres can attend concerts and performances on the outdoor stage of the cultural center.

**Annual festivals that make summers in Balatonlelle unforgettable:**

- July Festival and Fishermen's Soup Cooking Competition
- Wine Week in Balatonlelle and Miss Balaton Beauty Pageant
- 20th of August Water Parade and Fireworks
- Harvest Parade and Festivities

### Attractions in Balatonlelle:

- Sunshine Beach and Aqua Park (Napfény Strand és Élmenyfürdő)
- St. Stephen Square
- Szalay Mansion
- Roman Catholic Church
- Rádpusztá Ruins
- Kishegy Hill
- Tildy Villa
- Ferris Wheel

### Attractions in Balatonboglár

- Globe Lookout (Gömbkilátó)
- Adventure Park and Bob Track
- Historic Paddle Steamer "Csavargózös"
- Platán Beach
- Memorial Sites and Churches
- Dutra Museum

### Attractions in Fonyód

- Crypt Villa (Kripta-villa)
- Sipos Hill Lookout Tower
- Fonyód Palisade Castle
- Várhegy Panorama Point
- Fonyódi Museum
- Fonyódi Market

### Balatonföldvár látnivalói

- Shipping History Visitor Center and Lookout Tower
- Lavender Fields of Kőröshegy
- Kulipintyó Villa
- Forest Park
- Kvassay Promenade

### Services A-Z

Emergency phone number: +36 30 938 6255 (0-24)

Our reception staff are available 12 hours a day. For any questions, please contact our colleague at the reception or use the emergency phone number.

**24-hour luggage storage** – Available for arriving and departing guests. Please indicate your request at the reception.

**Beds & Mattresses** – Our rooms are equipped with 180x200 cm mattresses with protectors.

**Car Wash** – Machine car wash is available at the MOL petrol stations in Balatonlelle; hand wash at Ehrle Car Wash.

**Bed Linen Change** – Twice a week upon request, or for an additional fee on demand. Extra blankets and pillows are available at reception. Hypoallergenic bedding upon request.

**Baby / Child Equipment** – Upon request, baby bathtub, step stool, toilet seat reducer, baby monitor, and bottle warmer are available in limited quantities.

**ATM** – Available at several locations in town. Erste Bank ATM on Ady Endre Street; OTP Bank ATM on Town Hall Square.

**Check-in** – From 15:00 on the day of arrival.

**Security** – Common areas and entrance are monitored by security cameras in compliance with legal regulations.

**Shoe Care** – Shoe cleaning equipment available at reception.

**Dietary / Vegetarian Breakfast** – Buffet breakfast available for an extra fee upon request. Please note: the H55 Balatonlelle accepts no liability for food items brought in by guests.

**Smoking** – Smoking is prohibited throughout the property except in designated areas. Failure to comply will result in a penalty of **100,000 HUF**.

**Wake-up Service** – Available 24/7 via reception.

**Electricity** – Voltage 220 V / 50 Hz. Bathroom sockets only for razors and hair dryers.

**First Aid** – First aid kit available at reception.

**Highchair** – Available at reception.

**Umbrella** – Can be borrowed at reception.

**Accepted Payment Methods** – Cash (HUF), bank cards, credit cards (MasterCard, VISA, Maestro), SZÉP card (K&H, OTP, MKB).

**Hairdresser** – Multiple in Balatonlelle; e.g., Hajnalka Hair Salon, Kossuth Lajos u. 26, Tel.: +36 70 362 4974.

**Dentist** – Available in Balatonlelle and Balatonboglár:

Dr. Erzsébet Nagy, Balatonlelle, Fortuna u.

Tel: +36 85 354 483

Dr. Péter Tóth, Balatonboglár, Kodály Zoltán u. 29.

Tel: +36 20 312 6082

**Bathrobe & Towels** – Bathrobes available upon request for a fee of 10,000 HUF/person/occasion.

Towel change: 3,500 HUF / occasion.

Please ask at the Reception

**Baby Cot / Crib** – Limited number available at reception.

**Hairdryer** – Provided in every room.

**Internet / Wi-Fi** – Free of charge in all rooms and public areas. Access information is posted at reception..

**Play Corner** – A children's play area is available in the common guest space.

**Check-out** – By 11:00 on the day of departure. Late check-out is possible depending on availability and for an extra fee.

**Beauty Salon** – Hajnalka Beauty Salon, Kossuth Lajos u. 26, Tel.: +36 70 362 4974.

**Environmental Protection** – Please use water and electricity responsibly.

**Transportation** – Ask at reception for information.

**Outdoor Pool** – Heated outdoor pool available free of charge. Details at reception.

**Visitors** – Must be registered at reception in advance.

**Air Conditioning** – Individually controlled in each room. Please keep doors and windows closed when in use.

**Elevator** – One passenger lift available. Do not use in case of fire/emergency!

**Laundry Service** – Available for an additional fee. Please request at reception.

**Printing Service** – Available for a fee.

**Doctor** – Balatonboglár Health Center, Dr. Sándor Török, 8630 Balatonboglár, Vikár B. u. 4., Tel/Fax: +36 85 550 464.

**Slippers** – Available upon request.

**Complaints / Feedback** – Please report during your stay to reception so issues can be resolved quickly.

**Parking** – Guests may use the guesthouse's enclosed parking area for an additional fee / daily charge, the exact amount of which will be provided by the reception. We do not accept liability for any damage caused to cars. We kindly ask our guests not to drive vehicles onto the green areas! Parking outside the designated parking spaces on the premises (on green areas or in any other restricted/closed areas) will incur a one-time damage fee of HUF 100,000. Thank you!

**Currency Exchange** – Not available in H55 Balatonlelle. Please use banks or official exchange offices.

**Extra Bed** – Available upon request.

**Programs** – Program leaflets and information at reception.

**Reception** – Open year-round, staff speaks Hungarian and English. Reception phone number: +36309386255

**Sports / Hobby Equipment** – Rental: 6 bicycles, 4 e-bikes, 4 e-scooters. Limited storage for guests' own equipment.

**Buffet Breakfast** – Available upon request.

**Cleaning** – Please inform the reception if you require cleaning. Your room can be cleaned upon request daily between 9:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m.; please notify the reception by 9:00 a.m. each day. If you require extra cleaning, please inform the reception and inquire about the service fee.

**Taxi & Minibus** – Available 24/7 via reception.

**Lost and Found** - For any belongings left behind, please inquire at the reception. The guesthouse does not assume responsibility for lost items

**Telephone** – A mobile phone is available for rent at the reception; please contact the reception for more detailed information. In case of emergency or urgent calls, a telephone is available at the reception.

**TV / Radio** – Channel list in rooms, radios available on TV sets.

**Maps & Information Materials** – Available at reception.

**Toiletries** – In addition to the items provided in the room, toothbrushes, razors, and tissues are available at the reception for a fee upon request. Bathrobe rental and slippers are also available at the reception for an additional charge.

**Towel Exchange** – Room towels are changed every three days. Please help us operate in an environmentally friendly manner! Request a more frequent change only if absolutely necessary; this service is available for an additional fee. Please notify the reception of your request.

**Fire Safety** – Fire extinguishers and smoke detectors have been installed in accordance with fire safety regulations. Escape routes are posted on the inside of the room doors, indicating the paths to follow in case of fire.

**Public Holidays** – Official holidays in Hungary: January 1, March 15, Good Friday, Easter Monday, May 1, Pentecost Monday, August 20, October 23, November 1, December 25 and 26.

**Sewing Kit** – A sewing kit is available for guests at the reception.



**Ironing Board and Iron** – Available free of charge at the reception.

**Guestbook** – Guests are welcome to leave their comments and suggestions in the guestbook located at the reception.

**Wellness** – Our wellness area is open every day from 8:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m. for guests seeking relaxation. It is equipped with a Finnish sauna and a heated massage pool.

For more information about our services, please contact the reception.

## Emergency Instructions

### Fire Alarm / Emergency / Evacuation

H55 Balatonlelle guesthouse is equipped with a fire alarm system. All staff members have received fire safety training to respond quickly and effectively to emergencies. The buildings are equipped with smoke detectors. The electronic internal fire alarm system continuously monitors all buildings and automatically notifies the nearest fire department in case of fire.

Please familiarize yourself with the nearest escape routes, fire alarm devices, and fire extinguisher locations. Escape routes are posted on the inside of the entrance doors.

#### **If you are in your room during a fire alarm:**

Leave your room immediately!

After leaving the room, locate the nearest emergency exit and proceed as follows:

Open the door carefully and check for smoke in the corridor.

If you detect even a small amount of smoke, go immediately to the nearest emergency exit.

If visibility is completely reduced, stay close to the wall and count the doors to the exit.

Since the air is fresher near the floor, move in a crouched position.

Never attempt to go through dense smoke!

Always remain calm!

#### **If you cannot leave your room:**

Call the reception and inform them of your situation!

Stay in your room; if the exit is blocked, this is the safest place.

Place wet towels or sheets at the door threshold to prevent smoke from entering the room.

Remove curtains and flammable materials if the fire has reached your window from outside.

Empty trash bins and use them as buckets; keep towels and sheets at the threshold wet.

Make yourself visible and signal your presence to firefighters with a white sheet through the window.

Stay close to the ground.

Cover your mouth and nose with a wet cloth to facilitate breathing.

Avoid breaking the window unless absolutely necessary to prevent creating a draft that could feed the fire.

Act thoughtfully and always remain calm.

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