



*In our reception we offer exclusive handicraft and art products as well as superior services of Slovenian creativity. All the products have a functional and decorative value and the series is limited in number. Take home unique gift or souvenir from your visit to Slovenia.*

**Product**

**Price**

**Description**



**BOOK INDEX -  
SIGNPOST**

**6 €**

*This book index is created from handmade paper, with added herb seeds tarragon, majaron, oregano and basil. Let your self be guided by the contents written word, and later you can use it to improve your culinary masterpieces.*



**THE GLASS PLATE  
WITH IMAGE OF  
LJUBLJANA  
DRAGON**

**39 €**

*A handmade glass plate with an embedded metal image of a dragon. Size of the plate is 11 x 11 cm. Motif in the glass is laser cut from titanium. The myth of Ljubljana as a city with a dragon as its symbol was created in the third century B.C., when the Argonauts sailed on their ship The Argo under the command of Jason, who had stolen the Golden Fleece. The Argonauts were pursued by King Aeetes from the Black sea to the Rivers Danube and Sava. They sailed all the way to the River Ljubljanica where Jason was met by a swamp monster, the dragon, which he bravely fought and killed. That monster was the green dragon, which now lives on Ljubljana castle and has become the cit crest of Ljubljana. Even today the dragon is one of the most important symbols of Ljubljana*



**AIRBRICKS –  
CLAY MAT FOR  
HOT DISHES OR  
DECORATION**

**25 €**

*The rich diversity of artistic renditions of ventilation brickwork on the gables of buildings served to form the idea of the product presented here in its elegant wooden packaging. Traditional airbricks were made of clay, and served to circulate air through the roof space of farmsteads and work buildings where hay was stored. From the patterns of airbricks that can still be seen in the countryside, we have produced a series of clay bases for hot dishes, and they may also decorate your living space.*



**SERVING BOTTLE  
1pc**

**49 €**

*A hand-blown serving bottle with a wooden lid decorated with embedded metallic thread bobbin lace is designed for serving spices. Hand-made bobbin lace - Centuries old tradition of lace making is still alive today in Idrija.*



**KNAFELJC  
IMAGES  
1pc**

**15 €**

*Symbols from these ethnographic souvenirs are found all over Slovenia. We see them on hayracks and farmstead fences. The simple and pure lines of these cuttings, made by folk artists, speak of their awareness of beauty. Motifs are made from old panelling that has been exposed to the weather for at least several decades.*



**A LETTER OPENER  
- PROTEUS  
ANGINUS**

**69 €**

*The tradition of artistic metal forging, preserved in old Kropa, means the continuation of uniquely forged letter openers; their shape preserves the intricate details of "human fish" or proteus anginus. Interests in the human fish (Proteus anginus) reaches back at least to the 17th century, when Johann Weichard Valvasor reported on curious creatures washed up from underground caves which local folk believed to be baby dragons. Scopoli, a naturalist and doctor from Idrija, carefully studied the Proteus and correctly classified it as an amphibian. It was however the Viennese zoologist Laurenti who was the first to describe and name the animal. He named the unusual creature after Greek god Proteus, a servant of the sea. The Proteus was discovered in Slovenia and we have adopted it as the symbol of Slovene natural science.*



**A SUN VASE  
'POSOČNICA'**

**69 €**

*This wide-neck bottle with a wooden lid can be used to store foodstuffs such as sugar, coffee, salt, nuts etc or be used as a vase, with the lid removed. Hand-made bobbin lace - Centuries old tradition of lace making is still alive today in Idrija. Bottle can be filled with energised salt, made in the Sečovlje Salt Pans, one of the loveliest and best preserved parts of Slovenia. The salt is excellent for baths and personal hygiene as salt water helps cleanse the skin.*



**POTTERY PIPES**

**19 €**

*The pottery tradition in certain places has been carried on to this day by a few pottery families. They have preserved locally specific and distinctive products, marked by singular ornamentation, colours and even figural solutions. These include pipes made by the Bojc family from Dolenja vas near Ribnica.*



**A SHOT GLASS  
2pcs**

**55 €**

*Two completely different natural materials – glass and Karst stone – are combined in this shot glass, in which we serve some of the best natural products such as juniper brandy, parry, plum brandy etc...*



**A SHOT GLASS  
2pcs + JUNIPER  
BRANDY**

**79 €**

*Two completely different natural materials – glass and Karst stone – are combined in this shot glass, in which we serve some of the best natural products such as juniper brandy, parry, plum brandy etc... It can be together with juniper brandy (0,2, 0,5 or 0,7 L)*



**TERAN – GLASS  
FOR RED WINE  
2pc**

**59 €**

*Brought here by strange winds, this red wine has found its home in a hand-blown glass that comes complete with its own Karst stone mat.*



**HAYRACK**

**From  
25 €**

*A hayrack is a structure for drying certain produce that is very common in Slovenia. The homeland of hayrack is the wider area of the Alpine world, Northern Europe with Scandinavia, Northern Russia and mountainous Western China and even Japan, but nowhere else are the hayracks so densely erected, typologically diversified and developed as in Slovenia. Hay racks are made by hand, for the most demanding products also spent 30 hours, as consisting of 560 wooden parts.*



**A CUP 'VALCEN'  
PATTERN 1pc** 22 €

White ceramic cups that are adorned with exquisite patterns that, up until quite recently, wall painters used for decorating the living quarters of a house. These wall painters prepared their own colours by mixing dried earthen colours dug from mines with glue, milk and eggs. They mixed silver colour with egg white, and gold with yolk, to achieve fast colours and a shiny effect. Each wall painter honed and perfected these skills through years of experience and their own resourcefulness.



**THE GLASS  
PLATE WITH  
IMAGE OF A  
SITULA HORSE** 39 €

A handmade glass plate with an embedded metal image of a situla horse (6<sup>th</sup> century b.c.). The Vače situla - old bronze vessel is the most beautiful world-renowned archaeological find from the Iron Age period and a symbol of Slovenia. It was produced by the northern Illyrians in the site of Vače in Slovenia. Size of the plate is 11 x 11 cm. Motif in the glass is laser cut from titanium.



**A THERMOS CUP  
1pc** 22 €

A handmade ceramic cup, made from white or brown clay, wrapped in a hand-knitted jacket from Slovenian homemade wool. The knitted pattern decorates the glass, protects the hands and keeps the liquid warm.



**A BOTTLE  
OPENER IN A  
LEATHER BAG** 59 €

The hand-forged bottle opener takes the shape of forged fences in the Gorenjska region. It is presented in a leather bag.



**A BOTTLE  
OPENER WITH A  
KARST STONE  
MAT** 89 €

The hand-forged bottle opener takes the shape of forged fences in the Gorenjska region. It is presented with a Karst stone mat.



**GOLDEN FLEECE  
- HONEY LIQUEUR** 39 €

The myth of Ljubljana as a city with a dragon as its symbol was created in the third century B.C., when the Argonauts sailed on their ship The Argo under the command of Jason, who had stolen the Golden Fleece. The Argonauts were pursued by King Aetes from the Black sea to the Rivers Danube and Sava. They sailed all the way to the River Ljubljanica where Jason was met by a swamp monster, the dragon, which he bravely fought and killed. That monster was the green dragon, which now lives on Ljubljana castle and has become the city crest of Ljubljana.

The Golden Fleece (honey liqueur) we offer you in a hand-blown glass bottle.



**BLUEBERRY  
BRANDY WITH  
CERAMIC  
GLASSES** 59 €

Alcohol and distillation were known to the ancient Greeks and Egyptians. Brandy was known as a fiery drink, while today we expect the pleasant taste and special flavour of ripe healthy fruit. We have selected sweet and fine blueberries, one of nature's treasures and it is Slovene traditional brandy. The brandy comes in a hand-blown glass bottle. Ceramic glasses - creations by Aleš Gregl, from Stara vas above Izola, shows traces of man's oldest clay artefacts.

All prices include VAT and packaging.

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