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SUPLACU DE BARCĂU (BIHOR) AND MARCA (SĂLAJ)



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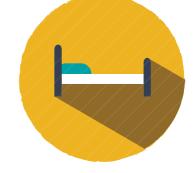


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The authors of this material tried to include all the service providers from the area who wanted to be mentioned. The companies that are not included in the catalogue and wish to be mentioned in a future edition are kindly asked to contact the Association "Centrul de Resurse al Comunității" (CERC) Suplacu de Barcău ("The Community Resource Centre" - CERC Suplacu de Barcău) at cercsuplacudebarcau@yahoo.ro, tel: 0259 368 567. At the same time, for any changes regarding the provided information, please contact CERC.

ACCOMMODATION





NAME	GUESTHOUSE BARCĂUL
ADDRESS	Calea Muncii nr. 30, Suplacu de Barcău, Bihor County
TELEPHONE	0766 360 970; 0766 360 970
E-MAIL	contact@pensiuneabarcaul.ro
LOCATION	The gueshouse is close to the Catholic Church in Suplacu de Barcău.
CAPACITY	11 rooms with 2 beds - 22 places 1 room with 3 beds - 3 places 1 room with 4 beds - 4 places
OTHER INFORMATION	Air conditioning Internet Wi-Fi TV (45 channels) Restaurant Parking

MARCA COMMUNE, PORT VILLAGE

(3 km away from Suplacu de Barcău)





BALC

(6km away from Suplacu de Barcău)





MARGHITA

(20 km away from Suplacu de Barcău)







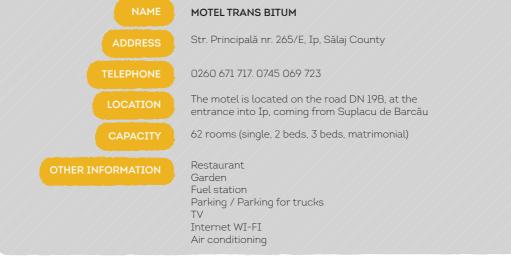






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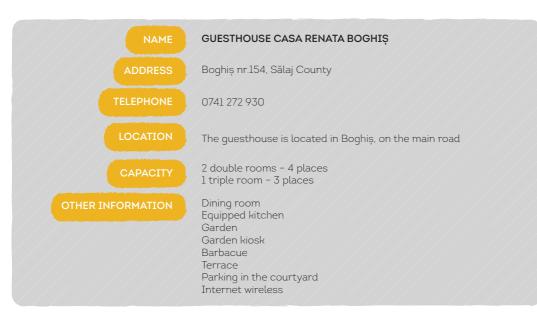


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BOGHIȘ (23 km away from Suplacu de Barcău)











ŞIMLEU SILVANIEI

(26 km away from Suplacu de Barcău)













NAME	GUESTHOUSE RANDRA
ADDRESS	Str. Corlate nr. 1, Şimleu Silvaniei, Sălaj county
TELEPHONE	0260 670 675
LOCATION	The guesthouse is located at the exit from town towards Suplacu de Barcău.
CAPACITY	9 double rooms - 18 places 4 apartments - 8 places 1 single room - 1 place
OTHER INFORMATION	2 restaurants Closed terrace Conference room Parking 3 lakes for fishing in the vicinity





RESTAURANTS







MARCA, PORȚ VILLAGE





BALC



MARGHITA











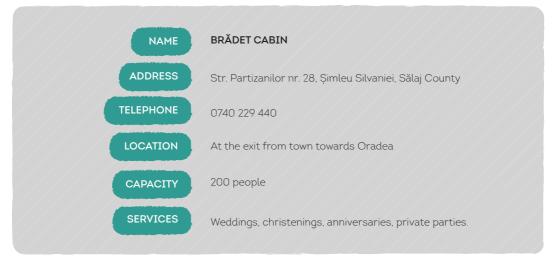
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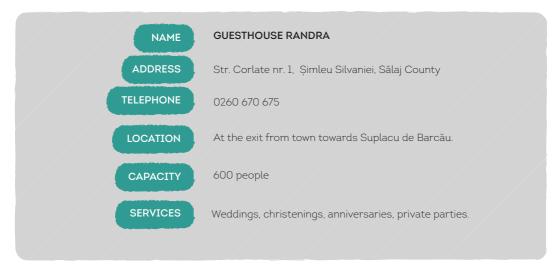
ŞIMLEU SILVANIEI













COFFEE SHOPS / BARS











NAME	SC MINSO-ANIMAR SRL
ADDRESS	Str. Republicii nr. 1/A, Suplacu de Barcău
TELEPHONE	0744 582 174
LOCATION	Close to the Technological Highschool No 1 and close to Suplacu de Barcău Village Hall. At the same address there is a warehouse for building materials.
SERVICES	Coffee shop



NAME	SC SORIN & VIO CAFE SRL
ADDRESS	Str. Crinului nr. 72, ap. 44, ground floor, Suplacu de Barcău
TELEPHONE	0749 939 919
SERVICES	Bar, coffee shop











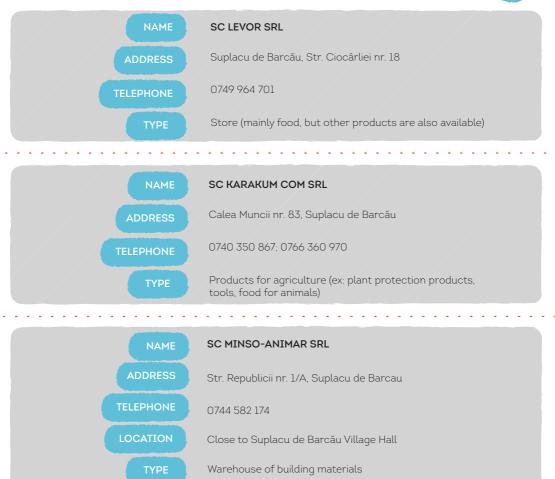














MARCA







PHARMACIES













MEDICAL CARE











VETERINARY CARE



SUPLACU DE BARCĂU



MARCA





TRANSPORT COMPANIES



SUPLACU DE BARCĂU



Str. Minerilor nr. 34, Suplacu de Barcău

Transportation of goods (sand, pebbles) by road.

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0751 897 920























CONSTRUCTION COMPANIES















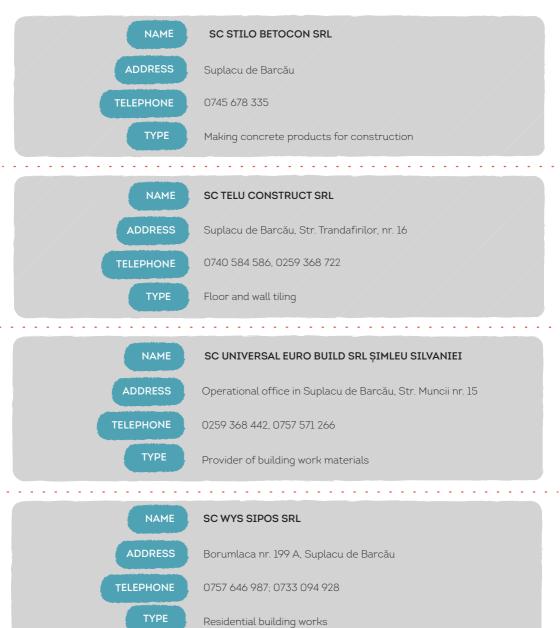


























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HAIRDRESSERS / BEAUTICIANS

SUPLACU DE BARCĂU

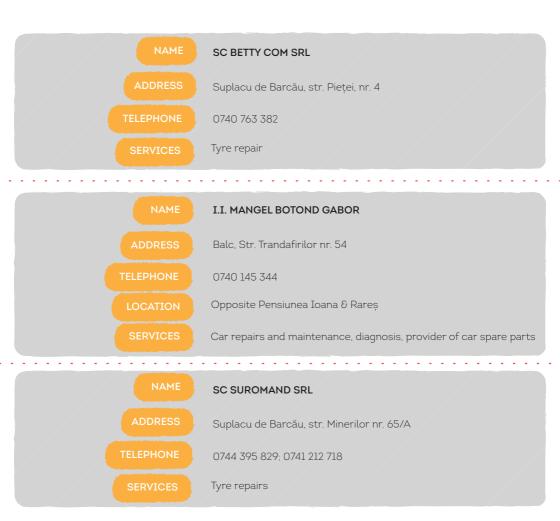






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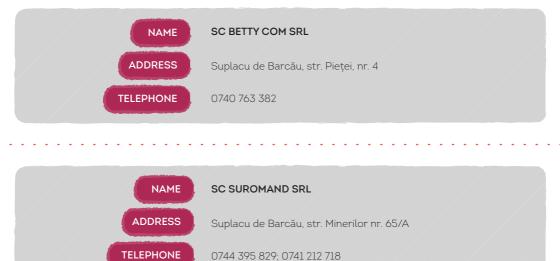
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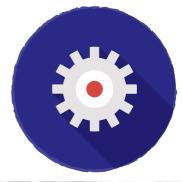
CAR WASH

SUPLACU DE BARCĂU



OTHER SERVICES / COMPANIES

SUPLACU DE BARCĂU























NAME	SC STILO MONITORING SRL
TELEPHONE	0751 889 104
ACTIVITY	Testing and technical analysis

NAME	SC VIF SAB SRL
ADDRESS	Str. Crinului nr. 72, Suplacu de Barcău
TELEPHONE	0724 213 769
ACTIVITY	Services regarding labour issues and the relation with the labour authorities (Inspectoratul Teritorial de Muncii - ITM)













LEISURE ACTIVITIES AND HOTSPOTS

THERMAL BATHS:

BĂILE FELIX AND BĂILE 1 MAI RESORTS

Băile Felix spa resort, situated close to Oradea, is one of the most renowned in the country and enjoys a good reputation internationally. The resort is open throughout the entire year, providing various services for recovery and relaxation in a modern treatment centre and in open-air and indoor swimming pools. The treatment centre offers warm baths, warm mud therapy, medical gym programmes, hydrotherapy, electotherapy, sauna.

Băile 1 Mai spa resort is located only 2 km away from Băile Felix and 4 km from Oradea. It is popular for its mineral waters and the sapropelic mud extracted from the lake nearby, used to treat certain rheumatic conditions, disorders of the central and peripheral nervous system and gynecological disorders.

BĂILE TĂȘNAD

Swimming pool with thermal water located 27 km from Marghita.

The thermal waters in Băile Tăşnad are recommended for the external treatment of the following disorders: degenerative or abarticular rheumatisms, chronic peripheral neurologic disorders; chronic gynecologic disorders (aside from inflammatory flares); post-traumatic disorders; professional, endocrine and metabolic diseases, and also as baths beneficial for enhancing tonus and wellness.

SĂCUENI

Thermal pool

MARGHITA

Four thermal pools (two covered, two open-air, at Hotel Ștrand Termal)

BĂILE BOGHIȘ

Two outdoor swimming pools and one covered pool, located in a quiet area of Sălaj County. Modernization works are expected to be completed in 2014 and turn Băile Boghiş into a very attractive destination for tourists.

FISHING: (ponds intended for persons with a fishing license)



20 km away from Marghita, towards Oradea

On the road from Marghita to Săcueni, 6 km after Marghita

On the road Oradea-Marghita, after Sălard turn left

On the road from Șimleu Silvaniei to Sărmășag

HORSE RIDING:



SIGHTSEEING:

For details on the tourist sites in Bihor and Sălaj counties, please refer to the websites of the County Councils.

County Council of Bihor

County Council of Sălaj

CITADELS/VESTIGES/ ARCHITECTURE/MUSEUMS:

ORADEA CITADEL

In its current pentagon shape, with defense towers at the corners and a water moat, Oradea Citadel dates back from the 17th century and was built by Italian architects, in the Renaissance style. It is one of the best preserved citadels of this sort in Central Europe. Previously, until the 13th century, it played the role of a clay fortress with a wooden palisade, and until the 16th century it was a round citadel made of stone.

In the City of Oradea, visitors can admire buildings in a wide variety of architectural styles: baroque, secession, classic, eclectic, romantic and neo-Romanian. The city has over 70 buildings registered on the lists of the National Committee for Historical Monuments.

BATHORY CITADEL

Bathory Citadel and the locality of Şimleu are related through one of the many branches of the Bathory family, which gave several historic personalities in the 16th and 17th centuries. Among them, we could mention Stephen I Bathory of Şimleu who was a voivode of Transylvania and his son, Stephen II Bathory who was a prince of Transylvania and king of Poland. The castle and the citadel still preserve two corner towers, one defense tower and several walls.

CETATEA PIATRA ȘOIMULUI (FALCON STONE CITADEL), PEȘTIȘ

Falcon Stone Citadel, Peştiş, is located in the vicinity of Aleşd town. It was built in the 13th century, on a steep cliff, in the middle of the woods. At the beginning of the 18th century, following the rebellion of the Magyar nobility in Transylvania against the Habsburg occupation, the citadel was destroyed by the Austrian imperial troops. Today little remains from the old citadel but the visitors are attracted by the area, as it provides the opportunity for walks in the forest. The citadel is only accessible from the Eastern side, where the defense moat used to be.

POIANA FLORILOR (FLOWER MEADOW), CASTLE AND CONVENT

The castle and the secluded convent in Poiana Florilor. Several kilometers away from Peştiş (near Aleşd), on a forest road, the visitors can find a beautiful castle, transformed into a monastery. The castle located in Poiana Florilor was built by the Magyar Count Zichy Jeno back in the 18th century. The building has 365 windows, as many as the days of a year and 12 towers, one for each month. Following the nationalization, the castle became a hotel and restaurant. Currently, it is used as a monastery. The wooden church in the castle's courtyard dates from the 18th century and was brought from Lugașu de Jos.

THE ROMAN CASTRUM POROLISSUM MOIGRAD, SĂLAJ

This is one of the largest and best-preserved archeological sites in Romania. The military center established by Emperor Trajan after conquering Dacia, in 106 A.D., Porolissum became a commercial center enabling trade between Romans and barbarians. It continued to flourish for almost one millennium after the Roman retreat from Dacia (271 A.D.) The Roman Festival Zalău Porolissum is organized here every year www.festivalulroman.ro

THE DACIAN CITADEL IN MARCA

Several kilometers away from the village of Marca, at the end of a road crossing the forest, visitors arrive at the ruins of a Dacian citadel that used to defend access from Cheile Barcăului (Barcaului Gorges). The archeological excavations carried out here revealed many ceramic fragments, including some from the Middle Ages. A silver hoard dating from the period of Burebista was found near the Dacian citadel. It is now displayed in a museum in Vienna.

ZALĂU COUNTY MUSEUM OF HISTORY AND ARTS

"TARA CRIȘURILOR" MUSEUM, ORADEA

Museum of arts and science

MEMORIAL MUSEUM OF THE HOLOCAUST IN NORTHERN TRANSYLVANIA, ŞIMLEU SILVANIEI

This was established in an old synagogue in the town, in order to commemorate the Jewish inhabitants of the area who lost their lives in the Nazi extermination camps during World War II.

CHURCHES:

THE WOODEN CHURCH OF FILDU DE SUS, SĂLAJ

Fildu de Sus takes pride in a church made of wood constructed three centuries ago. It is one of the best preserved wooden churches in Sălaj County, renowned for its sharp tower, reaching 40 meters. The church is laid on a foundation made of stone and is covered with shingles. The painting was completed in the 19th century and is extremely well preserved.

THE WOODEN CHURCH IN PESTIS

The construction date of the Wooden Church in Peştiş village remains unknown. The inscription plate above the entrance into the church mentions the year 1797, as the year of reconstruction. The painting on the altarpiece dates from 1810 and is attributed to Ioan Zugravu, a painter originating from the South of Romania.

REFORMED CHURCH OF CRASNA, SĂLAJ

The Reformed Church of Crasna is a superb building located in the center of the town. It was initially a Catholic church and was presumably built towards the end of the 14th century. Today, it preserves Gothic elements such as the arcades at the windows and the altar cover with ribs. During the 16th century, the church was reformed. The coffered ceiling, with floral or iconic motifs, is approximately 300 years old.

BIC MONASTERY (ŞIMLEU SILVANIEI), SĂLAJ

Located about 3 km away from Şimleu Silvaniei, within the premises of the Bic Monastery, travelers can admire the wooden church from Stâna. Built in 1778, the roof is covered with shingles and a porch displays arcades fixed with nails. The inner painting is preserved only in the aisle.

MĂNĂSTIREA VOIVOZI (VOIVOZI MONASTERY), BIHOR

THE WOODEN CHURCH OF PORT, MARCA

It belongs to the Greek - Catholic rite and dates from 1792.

THE MUSEUM OF TRADITIONAL ART IN MARCA, WITHIN THE ORTHODOX CHURCH, SĂLAJ

It was opened after 1989 and contains traditional items specific to the area.

MONKS MONASTERY OF STRÂMBA, SĂLAJ

This is one of the oldest Orthodox monasteries in Transylvania, dating from the 15th century. It is also the only monk monastery in Sălaj County. The old monastic complex still preserves the wooden church, under the patronage of the Assumption of Virgin Mary.

RURAL CRAFTS:

If you wish to contact skillful artisans from Bihor County, please refer to <u>this website</u>.

MUSEUM OF FOLKLORE ART LIGIA BODEA - PLOPIŞ (SĂLAJ)

In the village of Iaz, Plopiş commune, Ligia Bodea began to collect traditional items that were to become part of a house-museum. At the time, she was only a child. The first items to be included in the museum collection came from her grandmother's house, and were followed by others, collected not only from Plopiş, but also from the villages nearby. The collection of the Museum of Folklore Art "Ligia Bodea" consists of household commodities, folk costumes, dowry chests, canvases, ceramic items.

NATURAL ATTRACTIONS WITHIN A 100 KM RANGE:

THE CAVE AND WATERFALL AT VADU CRIŞULUI, BIHOR

The cave located in Vadu Crişului, also known as the Zichy Cave is found deep into Pădurea Craiului Mountains, on the left bank of Crişul Repede river, 3 km away from Şuncuiuş and Vadu Crişului. At the cave outlet, the river crossing the cave forms Vadu Crişului waterfall. The cave is open for visitation.

IZVOARELE BARCĂULUI (BARCĂULUI SPRINGS) -TUSA RESERVE, SĂLAJ

Barcău river springs from the Metaliferi Mountains. The water collected on the karstic plateau of Ponor branches out into several small streams, which form small waterfalls. Downstream it forms an impressive waterfall that is over 10 meters high. The spring area was declared a natural reserve, and is also known as Tusa-Barcău Reserve. The abundant spring bed collecting the water from the karstic plateau gathers large amounts of travertine deposits.

GRĂDINA ZMEILOR (GARDEN OF THE DRAGONS), SĂLAJ

Grădina Zmeilor, a natural reserve located in the vicinity of Gălgău Almașului village, 10 km away from the town of Jibou, attracts visitors due to stone formations with unusual shapes, carved by winds, rains and snows, which became the chimerical characters in the local legends. One of these legends tells that dragons living in the area used to steal young girls from the village. A brave man succeeded to defeat the dragons which were then bewitched by a girl who turned them into stones.

THE WATER CAVE IN BULZ, BIHOR

The water cave in Bulz spreads over half a kilometer and is crossed by a water stream. At the exit, the water falls from a height of 3 meters, forming a cascade.

THE CAVE IN IGRITA, BIHOR

The cave is located approximately 5 km away from Aleşd, through Aştileu. From here, visitors have to walk one kilometer to reach the cave from Igriţa. The cave is known for the many cave bear fossils, an animal extinct 10,000 years ago.

THE BOTANICAL GARDEN IN JIBOU, SĂLAJ

This is one of the main attractions in town.

FARTHER NATURAL ATTRACTIONS:

PEȘTERA URȘILOR (BEAR CAVE), BIHOR

Peștera Urșilor, discovered in 1975, is considered to be unique in Europe. It has three galleries open for visitation. The Gallery of Bones was thus named based on the many cave bear bones found here. Emil Racoviță Gallery, honoring the greatest Romanian speleologist, contains stalactites, stalagmites and columns of various shapes and sizes, stimulating the imagination of visitors. In the Gallery of Candles, the tourists can admire candle-shaped stalactites, and also curiously-shaped calcareous formations. The cave was inhabited by cave bears. The researchers found that 17,000 years ago, most likely following a strong earthquake, the only entrance to the cave was blocked and the bears left inside remained captive and starved to death.

CETĂȚILE PONORULUI (PONORULUI CITADELS), BIHOR

Cetățile Ponorului, located in the Padiş area of the Apuseni Mountains, are considered to be the most imposing karstic formations in Romania and were thus declared a natural monument. They consist in three large rock circles (dolines or sinkholes), laid in a forested depression. Here grow plants specific to the tundra biome with a unique phenomenon that can be observed: the valleys of the mountains are covered in coniferous trees, while the peaks are covered with deciduous trees.

PEȘTERA GHEȚARUL FOCUL VIU (LIVE FIRE GLACIER CAVE), BIHOR

Peștera Ghețarul Focul Viu is located in the Bihor Mountains, Apuseni Natural Park. The cave is accessible by a wooden ladder. The cave has two halls. The Great Hall hosts the 25,000 cubic meters glacier, the third in size in the country after the glaciers in Scărișoara and Borțig. The glacier lasts throughout the entire year. Behind the Great Hall, there are groups of stalagmites, touched by the sun light, thus causing colorful reflections, hence the name of the cave. Behind the stalagmites there is a gallery leading to the Small Hall, which goes down approximately 4 meters and has no natural light.

IZBUC (SPRING AND MONASTERY – THE OLDEST IN BIHOR COUNTY)

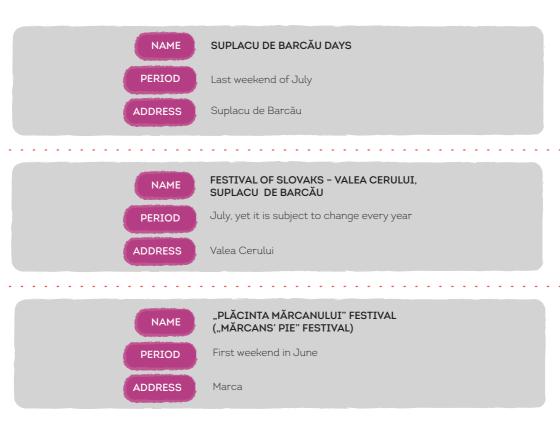
The name Izbuc refers to a spring which bursts out recurrently. This rare phenomenon was presumed to have been the source of miraculous healings. Legend has it that a blind child washed his face with water from this spring and it healed his sight. A monk monastery was built here.

STÂNA DE VALE, BIHOR

Stâna de Vale is a very picturesque area, being the departure point towards various sightseeing places: Moara Dracului Waterfall, Săritoarea Ieduţului Waterfall, Meziad Cave, Folklore Center of Budureasa (where dowry chests are made from smoked beech wood, and where tourists may visit a functioning water mill and a cloth whirlpool).

LOCAL EVENTS

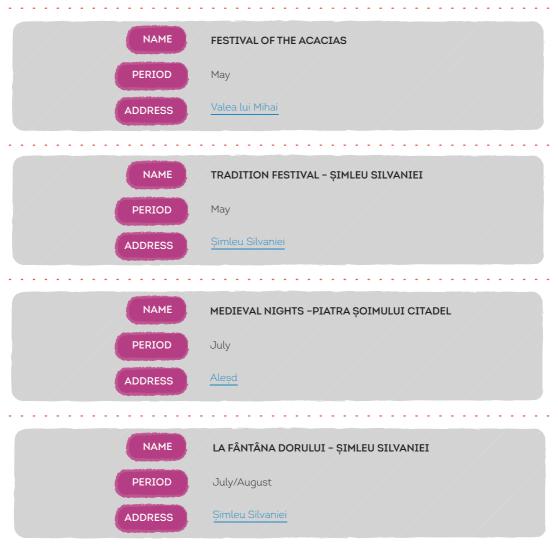
FESTIVALS



OTHER EVENTS



The dates of the events are just for guidance. They may change from one year to the other. For further information, please refer to the websites of the local authorities.



NAME VALEA FAZANILOR BATTLE PERIOD August ADDRESS NAME ROMAN FESTIVAL ZALĂU POROLISSUM September PERIOD Porolissum, Moigrad, jud. Sălaj ADDRESS NAME THE GRAPES BALL PERIOD October ADDRESS

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OTHER USEFUL INFORMATION:

LIBRARIES



COMMUNITY CENTRES







SPORT HALLS





BANKS

Although there are no branches of banks in the two communes, there are several ATM machines situated as follows:

Petrom HQ – Romexterra ATM machine **Petrom** – office of the workers' syndicate – Raiffeisen Bank ATM machine

Guesthouse Barcăul - Banca Transilvania ATM machine Fuel Station Trans Bitum (Ip) - BCR ATM machines

RAILWAY STATION

Some of the trains from Oradea and Șimleu Silvaniei stop at Suplacu de Barcău

ROMANIAN POST OFFICE

Suplacu de Barcău: Str. Minerilor nr. 2, tel. 0259 368 513, programme Monday-Friday, 09:00-17:00. **Marca:** nr. 93, Marca, tel. 0260 679 599, programme Monday-Friday, 08:00-16:00.

ROMANIAN POLICE

Suplacu de Barcău: Str. Minerilor nr. 2, tel. 0259 368 484 **Marca:** Str. Poștei, tel. 0744 708 153

Phone number for emergency calls: 112

