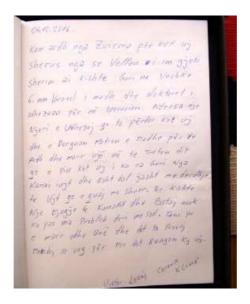


31 October 2016

Dear friends of Hotel Gracanica,

Our artesian **mineral water**, which we found in 2012 by chance when drilling for our geothermal heating and airconditioning system and which comes by itself from a depth of 120 m, has from early on become known for its **healing qualities**, and many come to fill up bottles at the fountain in our garden (for free). One neighbour has been cured from his **chronic gastritis**, three visitors told us that their **kidney stones** which, according to their doctors, had to be removed surgically, disappeared after three days to two weeks of drinking the water, one was cured from a **duodenum ulcer**, and many others found relief from **heartburn**. Some testimonials you'll find in our guestbook and on <a href="http://www.hotelgracanica.com/mineral-water">http://www.hotelgracanica.com/mineral-water</a>, together with the chemical analysis of the water.



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We've received so many positive feedbacks for the **meze** we offer on Saturdays that we now also serve a small selection **all week round**: fried farmer cheese, urnebes (spicy cheese balls), mini chicken patties (w. meat from free range chicken), macanije (yoghurt with baked peppers & garlic) and barena paprika (spicy pickled peppers). For vegetarians, the chicken patties are replaced by sataraš (bell pepper stew). For two people as a starter or one person as a main dish for  $5 \in$ . On Saturdays, we of course continue to offer our big meze selection for  $8.50 \in$  p.p. More details: http://www.hotelgracanica.com/restaurant.





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Maybe you've seen some of them? This year, we have had more than 70 photographers taking photos of **over 150 wedding couples** at the hotel. At the beginning of December, we'll open an exhibition of the best photos. You'll be impressed!



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Hotel Gracanica has, on October 13th, been featured on **ZDF**, the 2nd channel of German public television (not available anymore).



And on October 26th, Guy de Launey reported on **Monocle** radio about the hotel: https://monocle.com/radio/shows/the-entrepreneurs/263/kosovo-hospitality/.

Maybe we now hold the **world record in media coverage for a hotel?** In the 3 1/2 years since we opened the hotel, 28 media from 9 countries have reported on it and its unusual concept, including the New York Times, the Washington Post, the Neue Zürcher Zeitung, ZDF, the Süddeutsche Zeitung and la Repubblica (s. <a href="http://www.hotelgracanica.com/about-us/media-about-us">http://www.hotelgracanica.com/about-us/media-about-us</a>).

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German speakers: Neue **Geschichten aus dem Hotel** finden Sie auf http://www.hotelgracanica.com/about-us/hotel-und-andere-geschichten.

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Best regards,

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