A dense network of marked hiking paths and nature trails criss-crosses the predominantly leafy forests of the Little Carpathians. It connects historical towns, distinctive villages, and attractive Little Carpathian vineyards with a picturesque natural landscape. Forest paths lead to two of the oldest tourist centres in Slovakia, Harmónia and Zochova chata, as well as to the outlook on the top of Veľká homoľa, from which you can see as far as the Austrian Alps. In winter the Little Carpathian forests are frequented by runners. The skiing slopes at Pezinská Baba, with artificial snowmaking facilities and three downhill runs, are a popular place for day trips, as well as being the venue for the European Championships in uphill motor racing.

Three distinctive regions come together in the south-western part of Slovakia around Bratislava to form a varied natural landscape. Záhorie with its pine forests on sand dunes, the hills of the Little Carpathians to the north east, and the Danubian lowlands with the wide River Danube in the south. The natural scenery of the Bratislava region is beautiful in every season of the year. It provides an oasis for active recreation, relaxation, sports and fun.

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Golfing grounds in Bernolákovo and Lozorno • The ferry to Austria across the River Morava, near Záhorská Ves

Svätý Jur – an ancient wine-growing town at the foot of the Little Carpathians • Cross-country skiing in the Little Carpathians • Tourist outlook on the top of Veľká homoľa

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