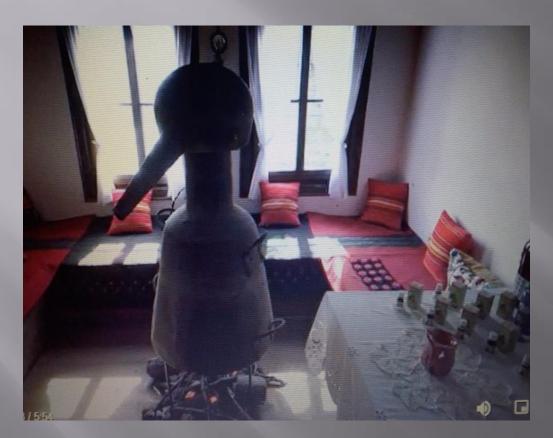


The Pate House, built in 1848, is among the restored five landmark buildings of the town of Karlovo, included in the tourist complex "Ancient Karlovo". Here every visitor has the opportunity to learn interesting and curious facts and details about rose production and the medicinal qualities of the herbs collected from the slopes of the Central Balkan National Park. That is why the Pate House is also known as the house of Karlovo flowers and herbs.

A minidistillery in the house shows practically how essential oils are extracted from various herbs. For example, it takes 2 and a half hours to extract the entire amount from the herb geranium.





- On the first floor you can see an old system for boiling roses and extracting rose oil, called gulpana.
- About 3 tons of rose blossoms are needed for 1 kg of rose oil.

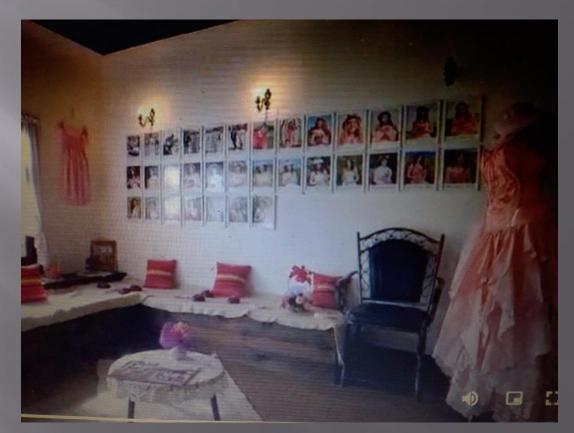
The room with herbs collected in the Central Balkan National Park.





This is a room with ointments made from various herbs according to ancient recipes - with rose, lavender, geranium, calendula. These ointments have an extremely beneficial effect on the skin. There are preserved recipes from 100 years.

Room - the Queen Rose's chambers, which is chosen each year with a competition, photos of winners over the years,dresses, crown and throne.



## **Duck House offers the following attractions:**

- Demonstration of extracting essential oils from a mini distillery with different herbs according to the season.
- Demonstration and making of healing herbal ointments with different essential oils.
- Tasting of herbal brandy, authentic Balkan tea, rose and lavender tea.
- Each visitor can take a photo with folk costumes from the region, with the dresses of Queen Rose, the Lavender Fairy and the little roses.
- Workshops / workshop for:- Making soaps in the color and scent of your choice