

LUCE Slovenia

Preservation of mountain's Heritage

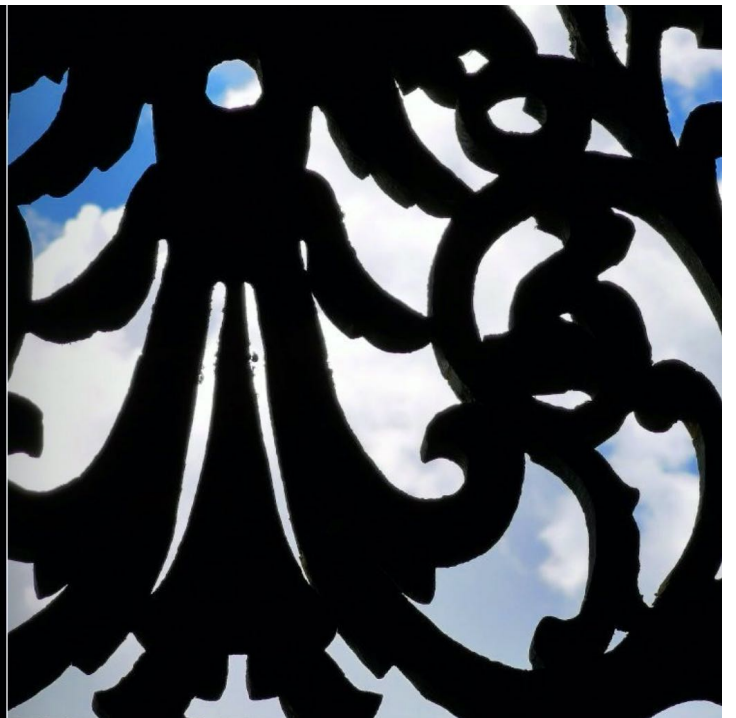
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Once upon a time, in the heart of the mountains of Slovenia, there was a family from Luce who had undertaken a mission to safeguard and restore the regional heritage.

They lived in a farm perched on a grassy hillock, overlooking the valley. The dad was behind the project, now seconded by his daughter, Ana, who got caught up in the "game".

Little by little, with patience and thoroughness, they had recovered old buildings, had restored them or, with noble materials, had given life to small houses gathered in a pretty ethnographic museum located in a meadow, along the river, near from the village center ... It brings together a dozen of small houses, each dedicated to an old trade, blacksmith, tailor, woodworker... or family home, all of them furnished with an authentic setting to present various tools and common utensils from that time. Ana also collects and write testimonies from the elders ...

And I, traveler, photographer, I met these enthusiasts and offered to humbly testify to their work, still in progress, by images sharing my feelings of their passion and all their efforts to keep alive this culture deeply rooted in the Slovenian mountains.





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The farm of the family

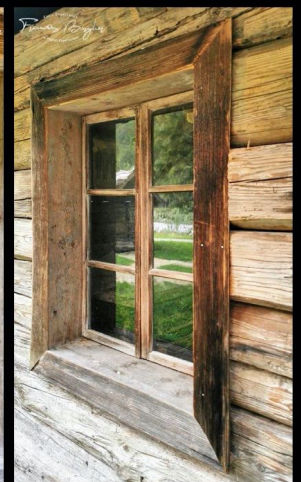


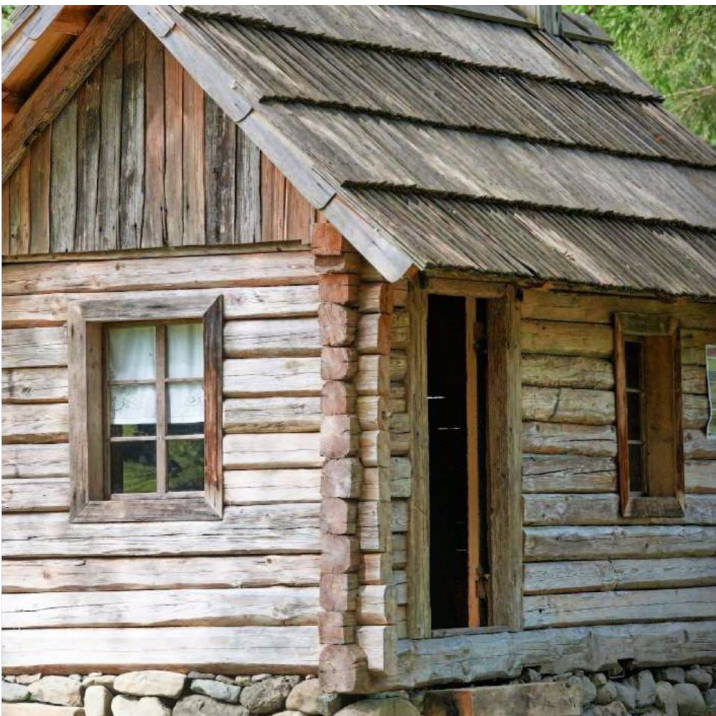
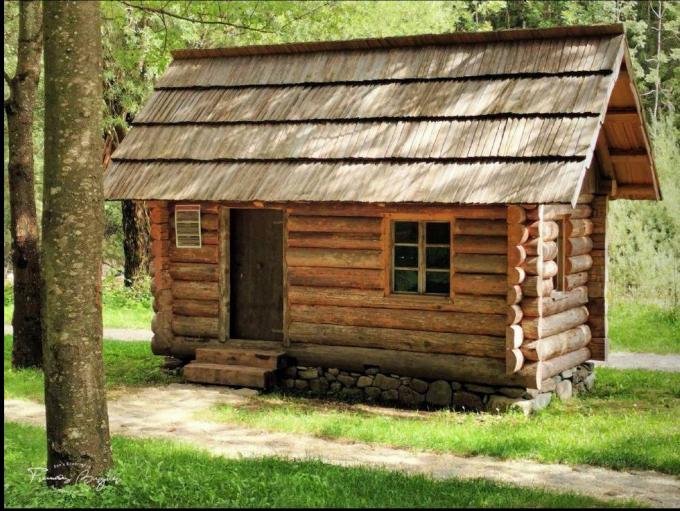


Old machines gathered around the farm

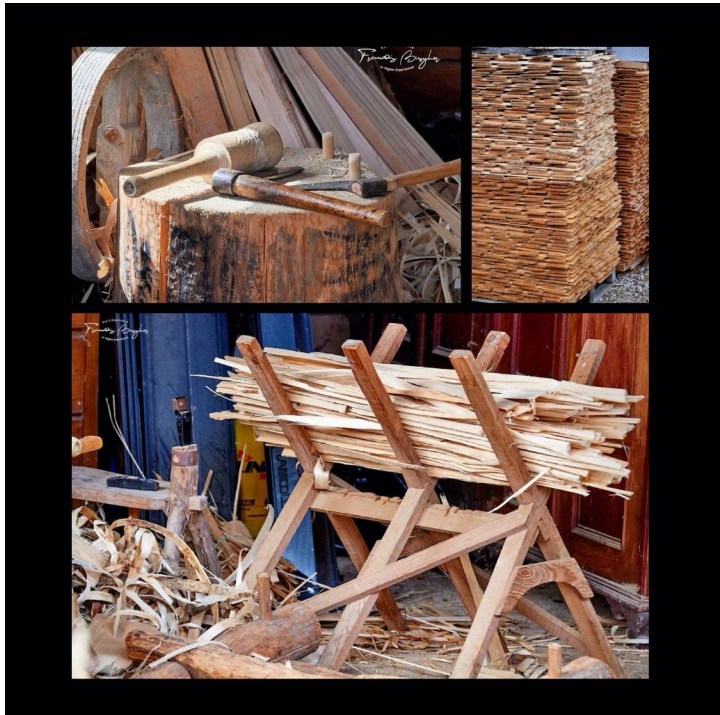


The open air ethnographic museum

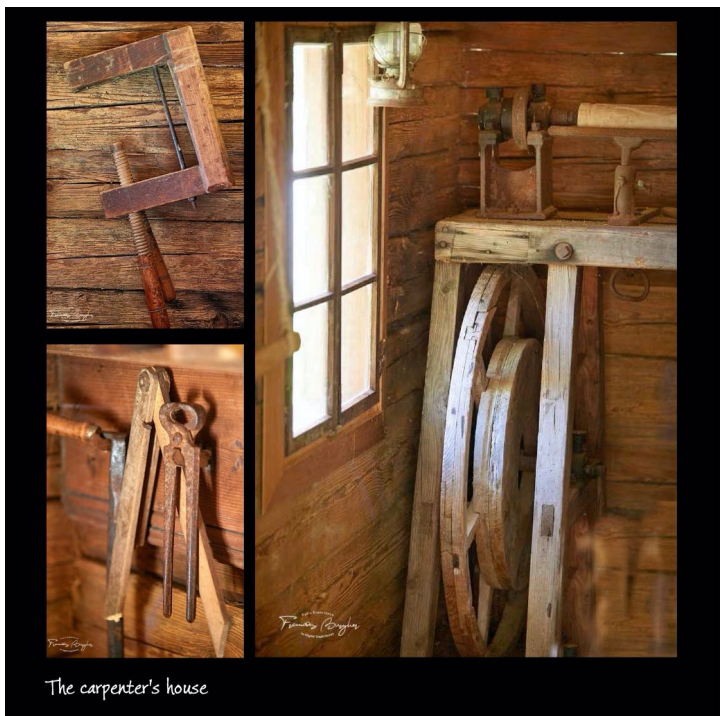








Preparation of wooden slats for roofs

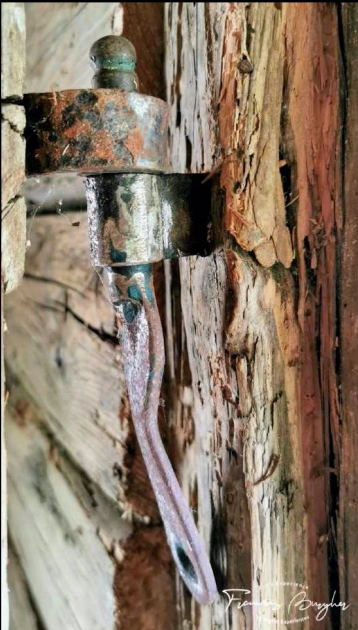


The carpenter's house



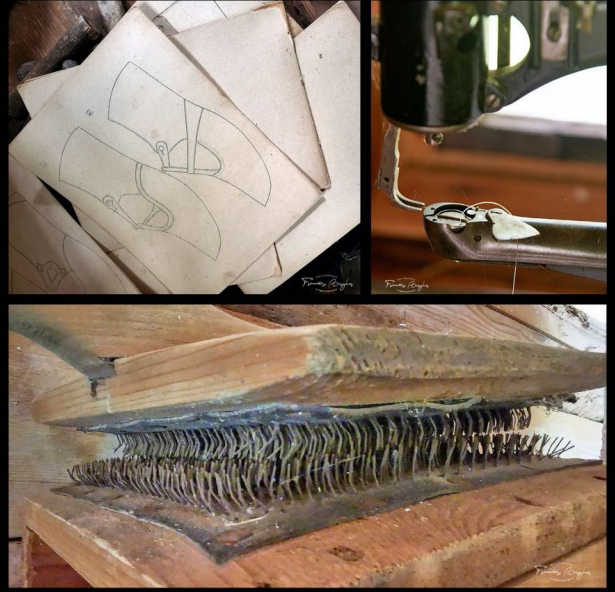


Metalwork





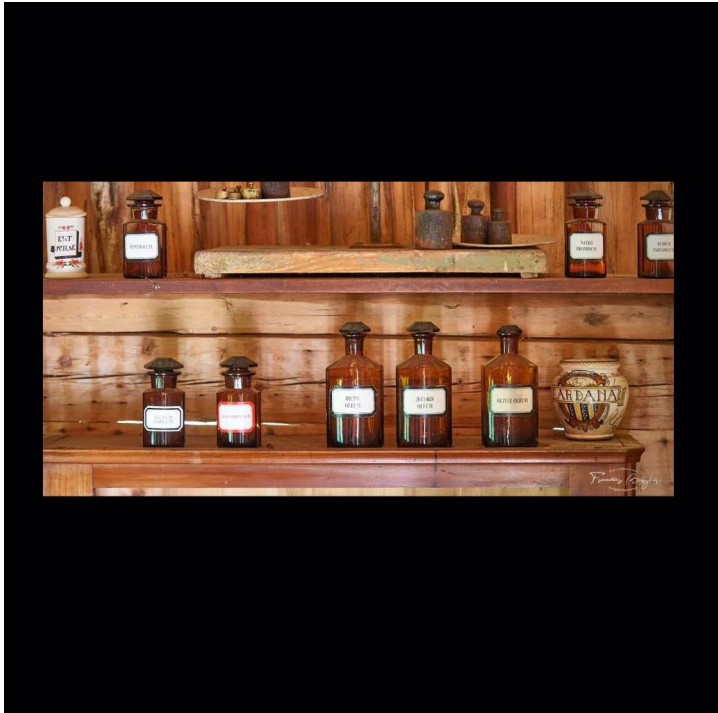
At the dressmaker



Embroidery, refinement in simplicity



In the lair of the herbalist



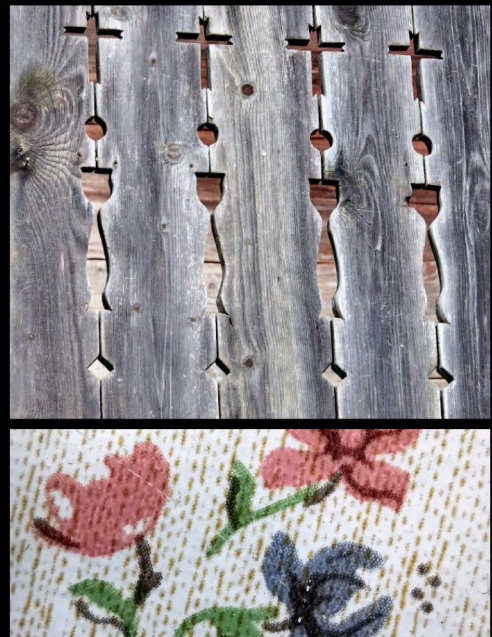


The kitchen and its hearth



Tasty products from the local economy







Laundry day!



Tear of time, look to the past



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