Martindale Student Associates Program 2013:

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2013 Martindale Student Associates with His Excellency, Ambassador Roman Kirn at the Embassy of the Republic of Slovenia, Washington DC.
Martindale Center Director, Professor J. Richard Aronson, presents a personal letter from Mayor Callahan of Bethlehem to Mayor Stihec of Murksa Sobota.
Mayor Stihec presents an award to Lehigh visiting scientist Stephan Antalics, founder of the Bethlehem-Murksa Sobota Sister City Association.
The Martindale group visits the Murksa Sobota regional history museum
Professors Aronson and MacDonald chat with former Deputy Prime Minister, Davorin Kračun, after his talk at the University of Maribor.
The Martindale Student Associates visit the manufacturing plant and showrooms of the appliance manufacturer, Gorenje.
The Martindale group visits Bled Gorge
The Martindale group crosses Lake Bled in two “Pletna” boats for a visit to the historic Bled Island.
The Martindale group visit the UNESCO heritage site, Škocjan caves
The Martindale group attends a dressage demonstration at the Lipica Horse Farm.
The Martindale group visits a family-owned vineyard and wine cellars.
Martindale Student Associates prepare for a day of presentations at the Center for Experimental Mechanics / University of Ljubljana
Free time for dinner along the banks of the Ljubljanica River in the city of Ljubljana
Site visit to the Postonja Health Center
Martindale Student Associates on “Tito’s Balcony” at the University of Ljubljana University Building
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The Martindale Student Associates enjoy a guided tour of Ljubljana
The Martindale group examines prototype aircraft at Pipistrel
The Sečovlje Salt Pans – a natural sanctuary for birdlife
A guided tour of the Sečovlje Salt Pans
Free time for a leisurely dinner in the coastal town of Piran
Delo is one of Slovenia’s most widely read daily newspapers
The Slovene Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Ljubljana
The Chancery Building, now home to the US Embassy in Ljubljana
View from one of the bridges in the center of Ljubljana – with Ljubljana Castle perched high above
The funicular railway transporting visitors to Ljubljana Castle
Ljubljana Castle
The Martindale Student Associates before the traditional “Closing Banquet” at Ljubljana Castle.
Stunning views of Ljubljana and the Julian Alps beyond from Ljubljana Castle
The Martindale Student Associates begin their traditional trip “Review” during the Closing Banquet at Ljubljana Castle.