

MEETING ANNOUNCEMENT FOR CELEBRATING THE 50TH JUBILEE OF THE TIHANY GEOPHYSICAL OBSERVATORY

Invitation

We are pleased to announce that the Tihany Geophysical Observatory of Eötvös Loránd Geophysical Institute is celebrating the 50th anniversary of its foundation, this year. On the occasion of this jubilee we are organizing an informal meeting in Tihany.

You are cordially invited to participate in our celebration.

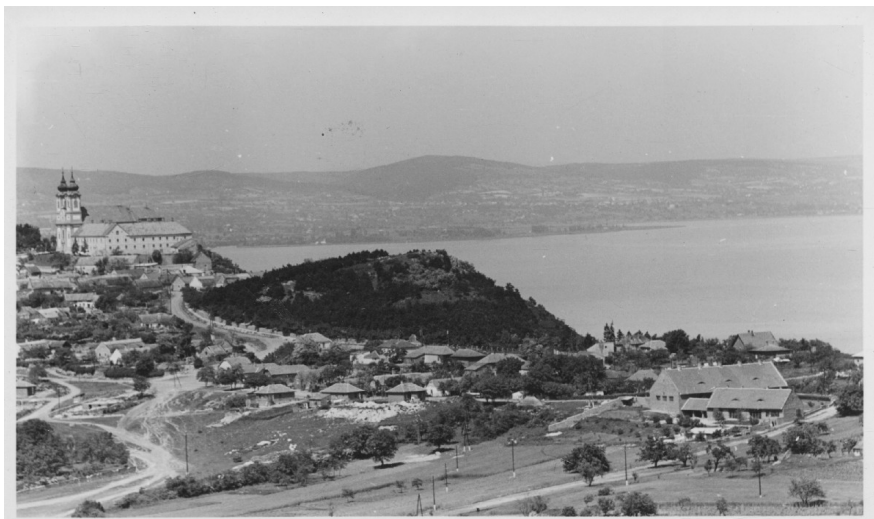
DATE OF THE MEETING: 16th of June, 2006.

Program of the meeting

08:00 – 10:00	Bus transport from Budapest to Tihany for the Hungarian and foreign guests.
10:00 – 10:20	Greetings, short opening ceremony
10:20 – 11:20	Presentations about the past, and current activities of the Tihany Observatory, overview of the future plans
11:20 – 12:20	Informal conversation about the history of the observatory, for which every Tihany related memories, experiences, photos possessed by the participants would be welcome.
12:30 – 13:30	Lunch
14:00 – 15:30	Introduction and visit of the observatory on ‘Cser-hegy’
15:30 – 17:30	Free program combined with a small walk in Tihany, sightseeing
17:30 – 21:00	Evening party on Cser-hegy
21:00	Return to Budapest by bus for the guests who do not want to stay overnight in Tihany

The morning program is held in the Balaton Limnological Institute (www.blki.hu), in the same building where the hotel rooms are located (see below).

The participation on the programs is free of charge!!



Accommodation

Guests who are going to stay in Tihany for the night of 17th of June will be accommodated in the Guesthouse of the Balaton Limnological Institute (www.blki.hu) located directly on the coast of lake Balaton. The room prices are indicated in the following table.

orientation of rooms	2 bed	3 bed	3+1 bed	Appartman
Lakeside (view to Balaton)	10.000,-Ft (~ 40 EUR)	13.900,-Ft (~ 56 EUR)	16.400,-Ft (~ 66 EUR)	23.400,-Ft (~ 94 EUR)
streetside	9.300,-Ft (~ 37 EUR)	12.500,-Ft (~ 50 EUR)	-----	-----

Note, that the rooms are available for more than one night, too, i.e. there is the possibility to stay longer in Tihany.

Special program for 17th of June

Sailing on lake Balaton, bathing, sight-seeing.



Foto: Beliczay Péter
<http://sailing.hu>

Deadline for the registration to the event

31st of March, 2006.

Organizing Committee (OC)

The members of the organizing committee are:

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Remark

The celebration will be held just before the XIIth IAGA workshop at Belsk Observatory that is located only about 650 km apart from Tihany. We hope that the temporal and spatial closeness of the two events can contribute to the participation on both of them for many of our colleagues, especially for those who are arriving from the overseas region. For limited number of colleagues (3 – 6 persons) we can offer a free car transport on 18th of June from Budapest (or Tihany) to Belsk and back after the workshop. Alternatively, we can advice to use one of the economic flights between Budapest and Warsaw (see e.g. www.wizzair.com).

Registered participants will get more detailed information about the transportation from Budapest to Tihany at the latest of the beginning of June.

To receive further information, please contact the members of the Organizing Committee.

Waiting for your registration.

Yours Sincerely,

Organizing Committee



If you are intended to participate on our meeting, please email the following information to one of the members of OC:

Title and name:

Institute:

Mailing address:

Fax:

Email address:

Please indicate what kind of lunch you prefer: normal vegetarian

Do you want to stay overnight in Tihany?

- What kind of room you are intended to book?
- For which date (please indicate by crosses)?

Night of 14/15 th of June	Night of 15/16 th of June	Night of 16/17 th of June	Night of 17/18 th of June	Night of 18/19 th of June	Night of 19/20 th of June

