



JELGAVA county

OZOLNIEKI county

Tourism opportunities

2021



Jelgava County TOP objects

1 CHRISTMAS BATTLE MUSEUM MANGAĻI



Unique World War I fortification elements; the only reconstructed German rampart in the Baltic States; an informative trail of 7 km in total has been formed. 🚻

2 LOŽMETĒJKALNS (MACHINE-GUN HILL) IN TĪREĻPURVS Memorials of World War I; a 27-metres high viewing tower.

3 NATURE PARK VILCE



Walking trails; castle mound of ancient Semigallians; a picnic place in Zaku plava (Hare Meadow); disc golf course. A game of disc golf is for a fee; beginning at Vilce Manor.

4 ELEJA MANOR PARK AND TEA HOUSE

The restored Tea House which was built in the 19th century; renewed the historic paths, bridge, stone fence; interactive environmental objects Conersation and For Love have been created. The Tea House is available during

summer according to specific open hours; during only upon prior reservation.

5 VILCE MANOR AND PARK



A visit to the Mēdemi family manor built in the 18th century; manor history exhibition, ceramics workshop. Currently, Vilce Primary School is located in the building of Vilce Manor.

6 ZAĻENIEKI (THE GREEN) MANOR



The manor castle is a unique sample of the 18th century architecture of the Kurzeme Duchy where a significant number of architecturally important elements has been preserved from the historic interior to today. Currently, Zalenieki Commercial and Crafts Secondary School is located in Zalenieki Manor. 🕜 📵

7 LIELPLATONE MANOR VEŠŪZIS

The 19th century family manor of barons Hahn; renovated authentic laundry house of the 18th/19th century; the educational programme of the ancient laundry washing traditions. Currently, Bell

Museum, the parish government, kindergarten and a library are located within the manor building.

8 LIELVIRCAVA MANOR



A visit to the manor masters house and viewing of the exhibition of the 19th century historic costumes.

9 VIRCAVA MANOR AND PARK

A visit to the manor complex and the historic baroque-style park. Currently, Vircava parish cultural house and Vircava Secondary School are located in the buildings of the former manor. 🗸 📵

10 STALGENE MANOR



Built at the end of the 18th century in the style of Classicism; the manor building houses the exhibition of Jaunsvirlauka Parish sudy of local history; the circle of Latvian annual traditions has been formed in the park.

11 ABGUNSTE MANOR

The venue for creative events; the largest ceramic furnace in Latvia has been formed here; as well as a hotel. (ii) 🕜 📵

12 BERKENE MANOR

Hotel and SPA complex has been formed in the premises of the renewed manor. (iii) 🕢 🔕

14 BRANCH OF THE RIGA HOLY TRINITY SERGIY WOMEN'S MONASTERY Operating monastery, church and chapel with a significant collection of icons.

20 FAMILY FARM BLŪDŽI

Tasting of home made cheese of various sorts, salad and other delicacies.

21 PEPPERMINT PRODUCT DEGUSTATION PIPARMĒTRU NAMIŅŠ



20 various sorts of peppermint; tasting of peppermint products; creative workshops.

22 MUSHROOM **FARM TRUBENIEKI** Growing of shiitake mushrooms; tasting of mushroom products and soup. **(**(a)

23 SEA BUCKTHORN GARDEN ZELT



A tour of the sea buckthorn garden; product tasting; familiarisation with its growing; activities and master classes in the new ZELT Sea Buckthorn House. (iii) 🕜 📵

24 BEEKEEPING FARM LĪGAS MEDUS



Beekeeping and tasting of beekeeping products. (ii) (a)

25 PRODUCTION OF ROASTED BEANS PUPUCHI



Production of healthy snacks from broad beans, tasting and practical activities.

26 DISTILLERY TĪRELU DZĪTUVE



Production and tasting of strong alcoholic beverages made of berries grown in Latvia; a tour of the factory and horse farm.

27 OSTRICH FARM MAZZARIŅ A visit to the farm with ostriches, emu and nandu from Africe, Australia and South America, alpacas and rabbits. (H) 🗸 🕡

29 FROG FIGURINE COLLECTION **VARŽU MĀJA**



A collection of approximately 2,000 frog figures from various countries across the world. (ii) 🗸 📵

RECREATION AND ENTERTAINMENT COMPLEX VIESU LĪČI



amusement park; tractor train; disc golf course; picnic loations.

Ozolnieki County TOP objects

THE HOUSE OF THE FIRST PRESIDENT OF LATVIA JĀNIS ČAKSTE



Contemporary exhibition on pers onality of Jānis Čakste and fate of his family in the context of Latvian history and democracy.

THE HOUSE OF LITERATES **EDVARTS VIRZA AND ELZA STĒRSTE BILLĪTES**



Home of writers where many poems by Mr Virza have been created and the most famous work, Straumēni, was written. 🗸 📵

7 MINI ZOO LAUKU SĒTA



A visit to see the local and exotic farm animals. During the summer season the mini zoo is available for visits during open hours, but in the winter season it is available only by prior reservation. (iii)

8 GOAT FARM LĪCĪŠI



More than 100 goats; tasting of goat milk

9 FARM HOUSE CAUNITES



Information on Latvian traditions; baking of

10 TREE NURSERY BĒTRAS



A tour of the farm; tasting of candied local fruit/berries and tasting of syrups.

11 SWEETS WORKSHOP ABRA



Production of sweets from natural ingredients fruit, berries and vegetables under a trademark ABRA, master classes; tasting.

12 CABLE AND WATER PARK 5 MASTI park course; inflatable amusement park. Water amusement items available only in the summer season in certain open hours. Restaurant is open all year long.

13 BOAT RENTAL AND TOURS OZOLAIVAS.LV



Regular boat trips along the rivers of Zemgale in the summer season; night trips. (ii) (a) 16 OZOLNIEKI FOREST PARK



A 2.5 km long lit walking trail in summer/ skiing route in winter; man-made hill for winter sports; Health Trail: a lit walking trail; gym equipment and a playground area for children. During the summer season barefoot trail is also available.

Explanations of icons:

ual visitors and families

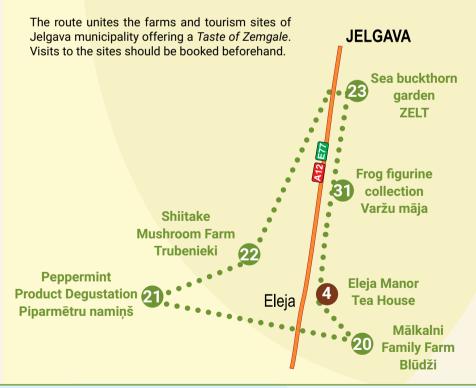
(a) – a visit to the site for a fee; more information www.visit.jelgava.lv) – the site is available also for individ-

— a visit to the site only by prior reservation

JŪRMALA

Novelties

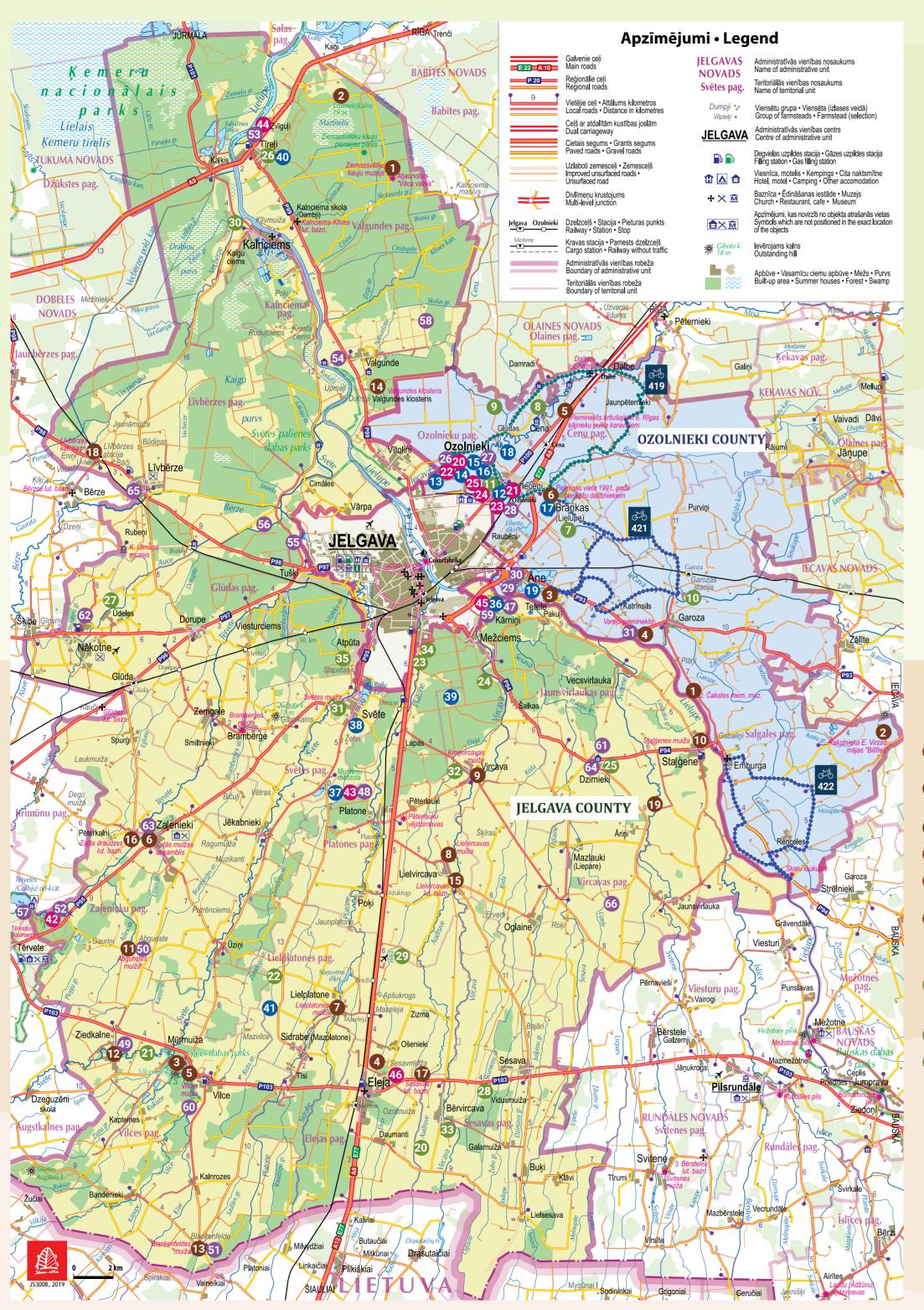
"WEAVE THE TASTE OF ZEMGALE INTO THE CENTENARY BELT!"





18 pontoon foot-bridges and information stands have been set up in the stops along the Lielupe banks Vecdaudzene,





Jelgava county

CULTURAL HISTORY AND NATURE

- Christmas Battle Museum Mangaļi Valgunde parish, "Mangaļi", +371 28349259, 67228147, www.karamuzejs.lv (GPS 56.8232005;
- 2 Ložmetējkalns (Machine-Gun Hill) in Tīreļpurvs Valgunde parish (GPS 56.8664999; 23.6606057)
- Nature Park Vilce Vilce parish, +371 26351169 (GPS 56.4205219; 23.5418293) 4 Eleja Manor Park and Tea House Eleja parish,
- +371 26128853 (GPS 56.4253852; 23.6998833) 5 Vilce Manor Vilce parish, +371 26351169,
- 28346682 (GPS 56.4206676; 23.5423063) 6 Zaļenieki (The Green) Manor Zaļenieki parish, +371 63074250, 22043531 (GPS 56.5308990; 23.5082256)
- Lielplatone Manor Lielplatone parish, +371 26611468 (GPS 56.4521918; 23.6594295)
- 8 Lielvircava Manor Platone parish, Lielvircava, +371 22024127, 28758947 (GPS 56.5214679; 23.7570932)
- 9 Vircava Manor and Park Vircava parish, +371 26856466, 26261569 (GPS 56.5591648; 23.7749299)
- Stajgene Manor and Park Jaunsvirlauka parish, Stalgene, +371 26383129, 29199324 (GPS 56.5718193; 23.9614250)
- Abgunste Manor Zalenieki parish., Abgunste, +371 29393131, 28373711, www.abgunste.lv (GPS 56.4781923; 23.4885369)
- Berkene Manor Vilce parish, Ziedkalne, +371 29252565, 29228580, www.berkenesmuiza.lv (GPS 56.4289028; 23.4800706)
- 13 Blankenfelde Manor and Park Vilce parish, Blankenfelde, +371 26490272 (GPS 56.3446532; 23.5463140)
- 14 The Branch of the Riga Holy Trinity Sergiy Women's Monastery Valgunde parish, +371 63085215. +371 63085244 (GPS 56.7336959; 23.6932123)
- Lielvircava Lutheran Church Platone parish, Lielvircava, +371 26547117, 29723404 (GPS 56.5100481; 23.7556837)
- 16 Zalenieki Lutheran Church Zalenieki parish, +371 26747240, 26836758 (GPS 56.5298682; 23.4963801
- Sesava Lutheran Church Eleja parish, +371 26523355, 29247084 (GPS 56.422020,

- 18 Līvbērze Catholic Church Līvbērze parish,
- +371 29413174 (GPS 56.7038921; 23.4545922) 19 Stalgene St. Virgin Mary Church (the Amber Chapel) Jaunsvirlauka parish, Šauvas, +371 29199324 (GPS 56.5449864; 23.9237160)

FARMS AND DEGUSTATIONS

- 20 Mālkalni Family Farm Blūdži Sesava parish, Bēr vircava, +371 27114820, 29931416
- (GPS 56.3966397; 23.7346401) Peppermint Product Degustation Piparmētru namiņš Vilce parish, "Terēni", +371 26394062, 26199825, www.piparmetras.lv (GPS 56.4248301; 23.5073094)
- 22 Shiitake Mushroom Farm Trubenieki Lielplatone parish, +371 26135555 (GPS 56.4664074; 23.6120894)
- 23 Sea buckthorn garden ZELT Platone parish, +371 26499893, www.zelt.bio (GPS 56.6074954;
- 24 Beekeeping Farm Līgas medus Vircava parish, "Mucenieki", +371 29110940, 26189710, www. ligasmedus.lv (GPS 56.5959411; 23.7989473)
- 25 Production of Roasted Beans Pupuchi Jaunsvirlauka parish, Dzirnieki, levu iela 12, +371 29274008, www.pupuchi.lv (GPS 56.5649340; 23.8752463)
- 26 Distillery Tīreļu dzītuve Valgunde parish, Tīreļi, "Šinšilas", +371 26544243 (GPS 56.834515;
- Ostrich farm Mazzariņi Glūda parish, Nākotne, +371 29134788, www.ratites.lv (GPS 56.6369874; 23.4656221)
- 28 Woodworking Workshop Amatnieki Sesava parish, +371 26892959, www.kocinieks.lv (GPS 56.4187202; 23.7764773)
- Frog figurine collection Varžu māja Eleja parish. "Indrāni", +371 28609853, (GPS 56.4803012;
- 30 Amber production Livonijas dzintars Kalnciems parish, Kalnciems, Lielupes iela 75, +371 29436594, www.livonijasdzintars.lv (GPS 56.807275; 23.589792)
- Geramic Workshop Craft Centre at Svēte Svētes parish, Lielsvētes iela 18 k-8, +371 26003899 (GPS 56.591461; 23.664486)
- 52 Tomato growing farm Dzērves Vircava parish, "Dzērves", +371 29639942, www.dzervjutomati.id.lv (GPS 56.56388101660409; 23.76022023602104)

- Cavaco weaving workshop Smilgumi Sesava parish., Bērvircava, Liepu iela 7, +371 25943982, www.skalupinumi.weebly.com (GPS 56.399013; 23.748107)
- 34 Natural cosmetics master classes Dārziņi-2 Platone parish.. "Dārzini". +371 26445730 (GPS 56.6124201; 23.728691)
- 35 Pine cone tasting Mītavas čiekurs Svēte parish., Atpūta, Bērzu iela 2, +371 28469842, www.mitavasciekurs.lv (GPS 56.612987; 23.678327)

ACTIVE RECREATION

- 36 Recreation and Entertainment Complex Viesu Līči Jaunsvirlauka parish, "Līči", +371 63058443, 29204514, www.lici.lv (GPS 56.6400500;
- Recreation Complex Grantini Svēte parish, +371 28602267, "Grantini 1", www.grantinicamp.lv (GPS 56.5519957; 23.6516817)
- 38 Place for Active Leisure and Sports Līgotnes Svēte parish, +371 28660603 (GPS 56.5871806;
- Horse Riding Mītavas zirgi Vircava parish, "Daunāti", +371 28611961 (GPS 56.5945109; 23.7550350)
- 40 Horse Riding Tīreļu staļļi Valgunde parish, Tīreļi, "Šinšilas", +371 26544243 (GPS 56.834515; 23.5959223)
- 41 Horse Riding Reinas zirgi Lielplatone parish, "Dobumi", +371 26378639 (GPS 56.4543412; 23.6097088)

WHERE TO EAT?

- 42 Restaurant Pūteļkrogs Zaļenieki parish, "Pūteļu krejotava", +371 63011900, 29255010, www.puteli.lv
- 43 Restaurant Grantiņi Svēte parish, "Grantiņi 1", +371 28602267, www.grantinicamp.lv
- 44 Restaurant Aitiņlauvas Valgunde parish, Rīga -Liepāja 22. km, +371 29160393, www.aitinlauvas.lv
- 45 Restaurant Zemnieka cienasts Jaunsvirlauka parish, Rīga - Šauļi 43. km, +371 63058443, 20455402. www.lici.lv
- 46 Café Piramīda Eleja parish, Eleja, Bauskas iela 3, +371 26866206

ACCOMMODATION

47 Hotel Senlīči (34), Jaunsvirlauka parish, +371 20007065, www.senlici.lv

- 48 Recreation Complex Grantiņi (37), Svēte parish, "Grantini 1", +371 28602267,
 - www.grantinicamp.lv 49 Berķene Manor (10), Vilce parish, Ziedkalne, +371 29252565, 29228580, www.berkenesmuiza.lv
 - 50 Abgunste Manor (65), Zalenieki parish, +371 29393131, 28373711,
 - www.abgunste.lv 51 Blankenfelde Manor (8), Vilce parish, +371 26490272
 - **Guest House Pūteļkrogs** (29), Zaļenieki parish, +371 63011900, 29255010, www.puteli.lv
 - Guest House Aitinlauvas (19), Valgunde parish. Rīga – Liepāja 22. km, +371 29160393,
 - www.aitinlauvas.lv Guest House Guntmārītes (16), Valgunde parish, +371 26164173, 29444859. www.guntmarites.lv
 - 55 Guest House Upeslīči atpūtai (35), Līvbērze parish, +371 28117861, www.upesliciatputai.lv
 - 56 Guest House Zaļie atvari (60), Līvbērze parish,
 - "Atvari", +371 29488465, www.zalieatvari.lv 57 Guest House Kaupēna dzirnavas (42),
 - Zalenieki parish, +371 29263768, 26551259
 - 58 Guest House Branguļi (15), Valgunde parish, Valgunde, +371 28772324, 25918171
 - 59 Guest House Naktsmājiņa (9), Jaunsvirlauka parish, +371 20455402, 29204514, www.lici.lv
 - 60 Guest House Upmaļi (20), Vilce parish, +371 29237149, www.upmali.lv 61 Guest House Galzemji (80),
 - Jaunsvirlauka parish, +371 29188408, www.galzemji.mozello.lv
 - 62 Guest House Laukmaļi (10), Glūdas parish,
 - Ormitory of Zalenieki Commercial and Crafts School (150), Zalenieki parish, +371 63074250, 29433918. www.zav.lv
 - 64 Hostel Jaunlīdumi (42), Jaunsvirlauka parish, Dzirnieki, +371 29199324, www.lidumi.lv
 - 65 Accommodation Alberge Līvbērze (9), Līvbērze parish., Līvbērze, Bērzu iela 7 – 14, +371 29284599
 - 66 International Convention Center & Retreat Hotel Lizari (90), Vircava parish, "Lizari", +371 20375375, www.lizari-conference.com

Ozolnieki county

CULTURAL HISTORY

- The House of the First President of Latvia Jānis Čakste Salgale parish, "Auči", +371 26392154
- (GPS 56.5946764; 23.9575775) 2 The House of Literates Edvarts Virza and Elza Stērste Billītes Salgale parish, +371 29299790 (GPS 56.5750280; 24.1092300)
- Tetele (Tetelminde) Tower and Park Cena parish, Tetele (GPS 56.6370692; 23.8392445)
- 4 Vareļi Monument Salgale parish (GPS 56.6240561;
- Monument to the Fallen Soldiers of Riga 6th **Infantry Regimen** Cena parish, Skuju Elementary
- School (GPS 56.7261722; 23.8501107) 6 Memorial Site Brīvības gaisma (The Light of Freedom) Cena parish, Brankas (GPS 56.6852286)

FARMS AND DEGUSTATIONS

- Mini Zoo Lauku sēta Cena parish, Brankas, www.zoolaukuseta.lv (GPS 56.6893676; 23.8364277)
- 8 Goat Farm Līcīši Cena parish, +371 26537993, www.licisi.lv (GPS 56.7120470; 23.8179420)
- Farm House Caunītes Cena parish, +371 26352395, www.caunites.lv (GPS 56.7225176; 23.7910614)
- Tree Nursery Bētras Salgale parish, +371 26388251, www.betras.lv (GPS 56.6377002; 23.9501895)
- 11 Sweets Workshop Abra Ozolnieki, Meliorācijas iela 2, +371 29412852, 29358736 (GPS 56.688989: 23.791108)

ACTIVE RECREATION

- Cable and water park 5 masti Ozolnieki Lake, +371 28366699 (GPS 56.6884015; 23.7965089)
- Boat Rental and Tours Ozolaivas.lv Kļavu iela 6, +371 23202900, 26400888, www.ozolaivas.lv (GPS 56.6931602; 23.7530069)
- 14 Ice Arena Ozo Halle Stadiona iela 5b, +371 63050615, 26604863, www.ozohalle.lv (GPS 56.6909228; 23.7892283)

- 15 Ozolnieki Sports School Stadiona iela 5, +371 63050516, 63050526 (GPS 56.6909228; 23.7892283)
- 16 Ozolnieki Forest Park Skolas iela 20 (GPS 56.6925971; 23.7854396)
- 17 Horse Riding Princis Cena parish, Brankas, +371 26563936, 20206039 (GPS 56.6743678; 23.8475298)
- 18 Horse Riding Mazmušķu zirgi Cena parish, "Mazmušķi", +371 29140535, 29552446 (GPS 56.7064444; 23.7928824)
- 19 Fishing Sudrablīcis Cena parish, "Liegas", +371 29183711 (GPS 56.6458260; 23.8324476)

WHERE TO EAT?

- 20 Restaurant Famille Ozolnieki, Skolas iela 16, +371 25661811, www.agatehotel.lv
- Restaurant & Grill Bar Masti Grill&Chill Ozolnieki, Rīgas iela 44, +371 23884400, www.mastigrill.lv
- **Bar Meka** Ozolnieki, Stadiona iela 5a, +371 63050162 29121214 www.meka
- Lunch Restaurant Sakta Ozolnieki, Rīgas iela 34, +371 28890202 24 Kebab Café Korner Kebab Ozolnieki, Meliorācijas
- iela 2-1, +371 28122288 25 Pizzeria Picburg pica Ozolnieki, Stadiona iela 5b, +371 22330030, www.picburg.lv/ozolnieki

ACCOMMODATION

+371 26573272

- 26 Agate Hotel (48), Ozolnieki, Skolas iela 16, +371 28684473, 63013527, www.agatehotel.lv
- 27 Hotel of Ozolnieki Sports Centre (40), Ozolnieki, Stadiona iela 5, +371 63050516, 63050526, www. ozolnieki.lv
- 28 Dormitory of Latvijas Lauku konsultāciju un izglītības centrs (50), Ozolnieki, Rīgas iela 34, +371 22018583, 63050220, www.llkc.lv
- 29 Holiday House Ānes muiža (16), Cena parish, Āne, +371 26483712, www.anesmuiza.lv
- 30 Ānes Youth Initiative Centre Hostel (21), Cena parish, Āne, Celtnieku iela 12, +371 25996199
- 31 Camp Place Cīzeri (tent places), Salgale parish,

Cycling routes



419 Route No. 419

ALONG THE BANKS OF IECAVA, MISA AND THROUGH THE DALBE FORESTS Ozolnieki-Dalbe-Brankas-Ozolnieki

The starting and ending point of the route is in Ozolnieki, near the Ozolnieki County Council, Stadiona iela 10. Since the route is circular, you can start it from Ozolnieki railway station or any other point convenient for you. The route is marked, with a total length of about 28 km and is suitable for cyclists interested in relatively short sports rides, as well as for families with children. It can be combined with Route No. 420 Ozolnieki.

420 Route No. 420

OZOLNIEKI

Circular route returning to the starting point -Ozolnieki railway station. Ozolnieki can be easily reached by train from Riga and Jelgava. Private transport can be used to transport the bicycle to the starting point. From Ozolnieki, you can take the bike path to the remote centre of Jelgava located 6 km away. The route is suitable for cyclists who are interested in short recreational rides in the urban environment, getting to know Ozolnieki - former village for land improvement specialists. The total length of the route is 7 km, along pedestrian and

Can be combined with Route No. 419 Along the Banks of lecava, Misa and Through the Dalbe Forests.

421 Route No. 421

VISITING GAROZA AND TETELE

interesting cultural and historical objects.

Ozolnieki-Brankas-Garoza-Tetele-Ozolnieki The route is circular, with Ozolnieki railway station being the starting and ending point of the route. The route is marked, and the total length of the route is 34 km. It is suitable for cyclists who are interested in relatively short sports rides oriented at studying the local history, since the route includes

422 Route No. 422

VISITING EMBURGA

Emburga-Renceles-Emburga

The circular route starts and ends in the centre of Emburga, at the Salgale Parish Administration, and is suitable for cyclists who are interested in relatively short sports rides oriented at studying the local history and seeing interesting cultural and historical objects. The route is marked, with the total length of 19 km, and it leads mainly through agricultural landscapes characteristic of the Zemgale Plain. It starts in the centre of Emburga, and for a short time leads along the right bank of the Lielupe River. Then it turns "inland", winding through Renceles and passing many farmsteads of Zemgale before returning to the starting point.

Events

2021



LARGEST EVENTS AND FESTIVALS IN JELGAVA COUNTY AND OZOLNIEKI COUNTY

JANUARY

9 Commemoration Events of the Christmas Battles in Jelgava County (Jelgava county, Valgunde parish)

APRIL

4 - 5 Easter Celebrations (Ozolnieki County)

MAY

- 15 Museum Night (Jelgava county)
- 22 Jelgava County Festival (Jelgava county, Eleja parish)

JUNE

12 Ozolnieki County Festival (Ozolnieki County)

JULY

- 3 4 The Historic Garden Days: Lielplatone, Eleja, Vilce, Staļģene and Zaļenieki Manor parks (Jelgava county)
- 24 Tea Festival at the Tea House of Eleja Manor (Jelgava county, Eleja parish)

AUGUST

- 7 Staļģene Manor Festival (Jelgava county, Jaunsvirlauka parish)
- 14 Sea Buckthorn
 Garden Festival ZELT
 (Jelgava county, "Zeltlejas")
- 14 Lielvircava Manor Festival (Jelgava county, Platone parish)
- 21 Lielplatone Manor Festival (Jelgava county, Lielplatone parish)

SEPTEMBER

25 Harvest Festival in Jelgava County

OCTOBER

30 The Night of Legends in the Manors of Jelgava County







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