

Description of the Trips:

Time: *all year round*

Distance from Riga: *55-110 km*

Stopovers: *Dunte, Jelgavkrasti, Salacgrīva, Ainaži.*

Distance: *90 km*

Approximate duration: *3 days*

Type of transport: *motorised vehicle, bicycle*

Notes: *Departure at 09:00.*

Day 1:

- **Ingrīda Žagata ceramics workshop „Cepli”** will always welcome children and adults warmly and tell how a lump of clay is turned into beautiful tableware and household items. It is recommended to register for the excursion in advance by calling +371 29234867 or sending an e-mail to: cepli@cepli.lv GPS: N=36°19'72"; E=52°60'60'
- **Dunte Manor House and Minhauzens Museum** is just within the distance of a round trip from Riga (55 km). The museum has been set up in the renewed Lords' Building of Dunte Manor House. Phone: +371 26576065 minhauzens@minhauzens.lv www.minhauzens.lv GPS: N=36°25'26"; E=52°55'25'
- **Liepupe (Pernigale) Church** is situated at Jelgavkrasti in Salacgrīva Region and was built between 1777 and 1783. The church is special for its peculiar arrangement of the bell towers (on sides). For this reason, the altar is not on the side of the church, but in the middle. Phone: +371 28671264 GPS: N=39°95'32"; E=52°61'51'
- **For meal options, please, refer to** <http://tourism.salacgriva.lv/lv/edinasana>
- **The stony seaside of Vidzeme and Vecemji (Mantiņi) rocks** stretch 12 kilometres along the seashore between „Dzeņi” and Tūja. It is included in the EU Natura 2000 network of protected nature territories. It is the only place on the shores of the Baltic Sea with sandstone outcrops. GPS: N=38°21'03"; E=52°18'55'
- **Creative workshop** in baking parboiled rye flour bread at Liene Bakery at Salacgrīva, Ostas iela 2, LVL 1.50 per person. Advance registration at: +371 26600114 kalnina.liene@inbox.lv
- **Zvejnieku parks (Fishermen's Park) at Salacgrīva** GPS: N=40°28'36"; E=52°09'33'
- **For meal options, please, refer to** <http://tourism.salacgriva.lv/lv/edinasana>
- **For night-stay options, please, refer to** <http://tourism.salacgriva.lv/lv/naktsmitnes>

Day 2:

- **Lamprey fishing trade and lamprey weirs** – the lamprey is a delicacy for many people, but lamprey-fishing is rather rare in the world. Only at Salacgrīva, an authentic creel weir is still used to catch lamprey. This is a centuries-old method of catching fish. Fee: LVL 2.00 per person, including degustation. Phone: +371 29268299 ; GPS: N=40°13'62"; E=52°23'09'
- **Liiv Sacrifice Cave at the Svētupe.** It is located at Kuiķuli Farmstead on the

right bank of the Svētupe, 10 km to the East of Salacgrīva. It is one of the longest Mid-Devonian Era sandstone caves in Latvia. The first signs engraved in sandstone in Latvia have been found here. GPS: N=39°71'70"; E=52°93'05'

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- **Salacgrīva Museum** was established in 1998 and offers its visitors a new permanent exhibition „Zutiņš murdā” which tells about the unique method of catching lamprey in the Salaca using weirs. It includes interactive methods which make the material attractive to children and adults. Address: Salacgrīva, Sila iela 2, phone: +37164071981 muzejs@salacgriva.lv GPS: N=40°11'17"; E=52°11'72'
- **Port, light-house and the promenade at Salacgrīva.** GPS: N=40°16'07"; E=52°13'21'
- **Randu Meadow Path, the bird-watching tower.** These are the only seaside meadows in Latvia with a unique diversity of bird species. The Randu Meadows are an internationally recognised place of bird migration and nesting. GPS: N=40°02'41"; E=52°04'70'
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Day 3: (AINAŽI)

- **The White Sun** invites everyone to stop at the seashore for a while to set new targets while taking strength from the past. GPS: N=41°31'67"; E=52°06'55'
- **Ainaži Museum of Sea Navigation** is a place where one can find out about how the ancient sailors were built and launched in the ancient fishermen villages and how our sailors went to far-off seas and oceans of the world in them. GPS: N=41°37'80"; E=52°14'13'
- **For meal options, please, refer to** <http://tourism.salacgriva.lv/lv/edinasana>
- **Ainaži Museum of Fire-fighting** opened its doors on 14 December 1991. In the year of its 20th anniversary, the museum has acquired a new visual profile and invites its visitors to offer a new exhibition „Spožas pogas un ķiveres” (Bright Buttons and Helmets). GPS: N=41°34'33"; E=52°12'62'
- **Ainaži Northern Jetty and the Estonian Border.** An opportunity to cross the border between Latvian and Estonia on foot. GPS: N=41°46'85"; E=52°12'28'