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± 63 m

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# SIGULDA – ALLAŽI – SIGULDA

Fischer Cross-Country Ski Centre – Train stop “Silciems” – Mežmuiža Springs – Karst Sinkholes of Ezernieki – Allaži Evangelical Lutheran church – Saltavots spring – Fischer Cross-Country Ski Centre



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## 1. FISCHER CROSS-COUNTRY SKI CENTRE

In the summer the track is used for rollerskating, Nordic walking, and jogging – it is possible because of a tree mulch cover band along the paved portion of the track. The equipment rental, sauna and shower is available.

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## 2. THE BRIDGE OVER THE LORUPE RIVER

Built over the Lorupe Valley in 1968 as one of the most remarkable engineering structures of road overpasses in Latvia. Lorupe River is an 11 km long Gauja River left bank tributary, where its wild banks impressive sandstone cliffs, caves and niches are hidden.



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## 3. THE RAILWAY LINE RIGA – VALKA, TRAIN STOP “SILCIEMS”

Regular train service was opened in 1889. The construction of the railway line has been one of the key factors in the development of Sigulda in the end of the 19th century and the beginning of the 20th century. The press of that time writes that the owner of the Sigulda manor, Olga Kropotkin, achieved the railway line's construction through Sigulda although initially it was planned to lead through Allaži.

## 4. MEŽMUIŽA (KAĻĶUGRAVA) SPRINGS

Depending on the amount of water, 7-14 springs start here and, merging into a single cascade, creates the small, but clear Dzirnavezeriņš Lake. A ravine, springs, a lake, the old mill and a walking trail.



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## 5. ČERNAUSKAS OAK TREE, ČERNAUSKAS CULT STONE

The most important tree in the Allaži region was included in the list of great trees in 1977. Its girth is 6,9 m. The protected bright ants live in the oak tree's hollow. On the surface of the Cult Stone there is a dint with ancient fire traces. In historical sources it is mentioned already in 1739 as the Big Stone near which peasants have placed donations for several centuries.

## 6. KARST SINKHOLES OF EZERNIEKI

A unique geological object. Due to the karst processes ravines, funneled sinkholes and two lakes have formed here. At times the Linezers Lake acts very strangely – it partially or completely goes underground.

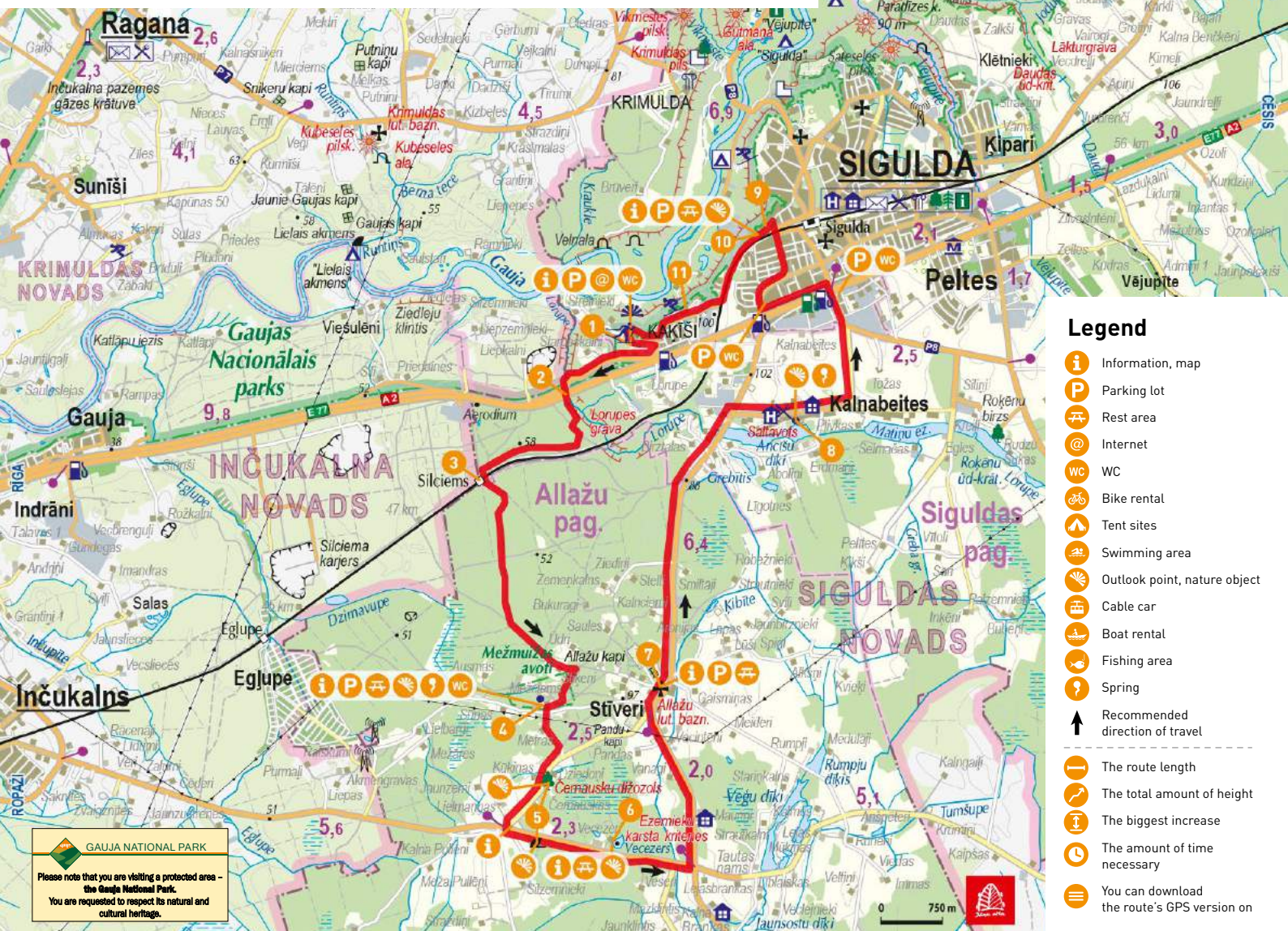
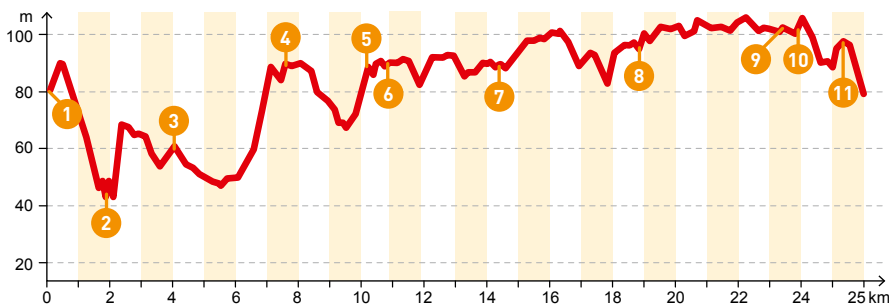
## 7. ALLAŽI EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CHURCH

Allažu Lutheran Church is a national architectural monument built in 1926. During the Soviet years a canteen was situated in the church, later on – a warehouse. The church has been fully restored.



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### 8. SALTAVOTS SPRING

One of the biggest springs in Latvia is situated right here in Sigulda county. It has gained its name (salts = frosty) of its temperature, which is same in the summer as well in winter – +5° C.

### 9. CONCERT HALL “BALTAIS FLĪĢELIS” (WHITE GRAND PIANO)

An original building built in the form of the musical instrument – the grand piano. One of the most popular concert halls in Latvia, where concerts of world-class musicians are held regularly.

Šveices iela 19, Sigulda, ph. +371 67974787, [www.baltaisfligelis.lv](http://www.baltaisfligelis.lv)

### 10. BOBSLEIGH AND LUGE TRACK “SIGULDA”

The only track in the Baltics, which allows to experience its speed and adrenaline not only to professional athletes, because rides in bobs are available to everyone.

Šveices iela 13, Sigulda, ph. +371 29185351, [www.bobtrase.lv](http://www.bobtrase.lv)

### 11. RECREATION COMPLEX “KAKĪTIS”

A ski slope, the adventure park “Mežakakis”, volleyball courts, a guest house built in Alpine style, a sauna complex, a bar, rooms for seminars.

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