



ONE DAY AROUND SIGULDA AND MORE PARISH



Deer Garden "More"



Zušu Sulphur Springs

i Description. The route is suitable for active cyclists and leads to the Sigulda region, More Parish, which historically originated from the four manors in the neighbourhood. The road section is surrounded by several hills and the Sudas swamp area, making the winding gravel covered road very interesting for travellers. The route includes several attractions of cultural heritage.

☀ Best time to go. May - October. Especially in the flower blooming time in spring and during the splendour of the autumn leaves.

☰ Route: Sigulda Tourism Information Centre - P8 Jūdaži - Zušu Sulphur Springs - Brothers' Cemetery of Latvian Legionnaires - Kārtūži - Centre of More Parish - The Battles of More Memorial Park - Museum of Battles in More - Deer Garden, Safari Park More - Akenstaka - Sigulda Tourism Information Centre

⚠ Difficulty Level. Medium difficulty level, difficult. The route is based on a gravel road that makes cycling difficult in some places.

➡ Distance. ~43 km.

📍 Route Marking. The route is not marked in nature but separate parts of the route are included in the Lat-Est cycling route marked with blue indications and a bicycle symbol. Along the route you can find directions and signs leading to the main places of attraction and populated areas.

🛣 Road Pavement. Asphalt covering at the beginning of the route, mainly road with gravel covering.

🕒 Duration. One day.

📍 Starting point/ destination
57.153206, 24.853781
Sigulda Tourism Information Centre,
Ausekļa Street 6

🚌 Public Transportation
Bus route Sigulda-More-Sigulda is available, please clarify the bus arrival times in advance.

📏 Distance to Riga. 53 km.

⚠ Worth knowing! The route requires appropriate sports shoes and clothes. Please respect the informative signs placed at the objects! Each person is individually responsible for his/her safety during the trip. Emergency Services: 112.

⚠ Recommendation! Combine this route with a visit of Sigulda city route.

📱 Enter Gauja mobile application



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🏰 | Museum of Battles in More
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SIGHTSEEING OBJECTS

1 | Sigulda Tourism Information Centre, 6 Ausekļa Street, 57.153206, 24.853781

2 | Populated Area Jūdaži

3 | Zušu Sulphur Springs

57.102718, 24.979089
Zušu Sulphur Springs consist of several sulphur springs, the largest of which emits 600 000 litres of sulphur water per day; the mud of the area is also considered to have healing properties. A resort was operating in Zuši before the Second World War providing sulphur and mud baths, but it was destroyed during the times of war. Sulphur spring of Zuši is also available today, and even people with reduced mobility can access it.

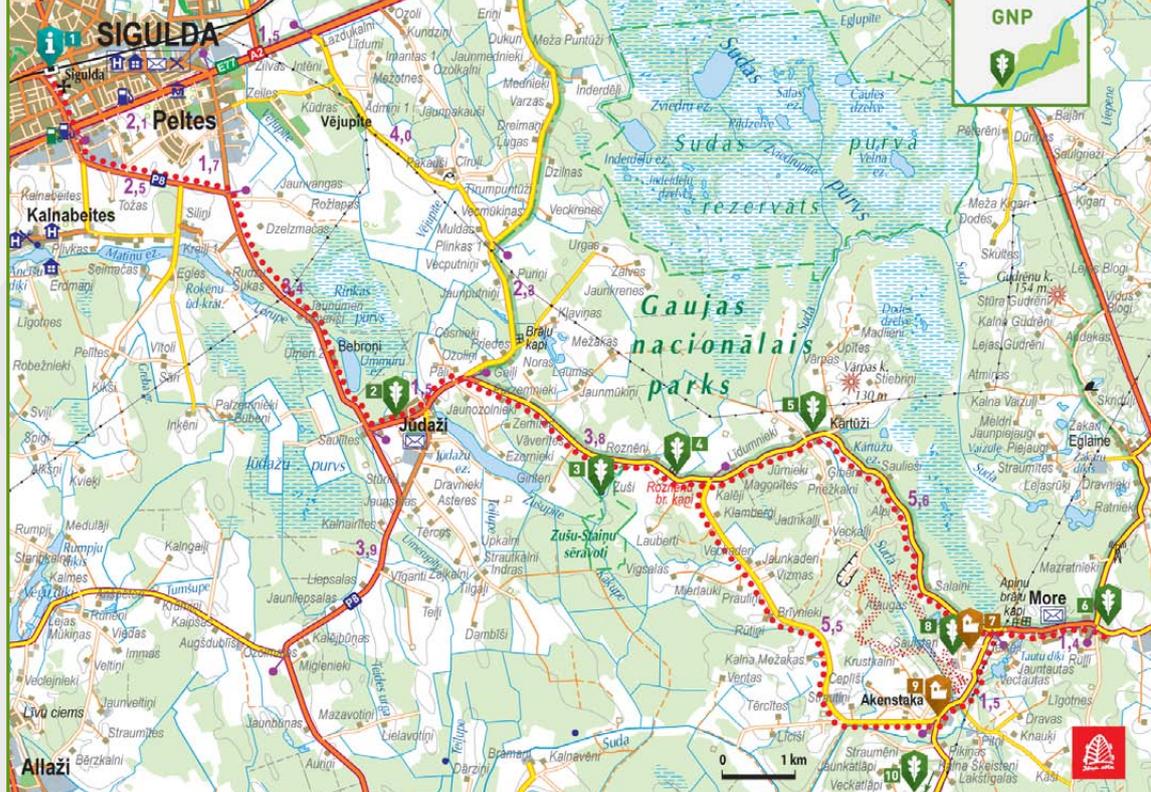
4 | Brothers' Cemetery of Latvian Legionnaires near Roznēnu Oak
57.101502, 24.993873

Brothers' Cemetery of Latvian Legionnaires of the Second World War is located on the side of Sigulda-More Road, where 117 soldiers killed during the battles of More from 25 September to 6 October, 1944, are buried. In 1991 a commemorative stone, created by the sculptor Andrejs Jansons, was placed here.

5 | Populated Area Kārtūži

6 | The Battles of More Memorial Park
57.17179, 24.83682

The park was created in the former battle place in the Centre of More Parish where during the first two weeks of 1944 in the Second World War, major battles were held, holding the strategically created defence line and preventing the Red Army from breaking through to Riga, thus affecting the further course of history. You can see fragments of wartime relics and bunker sites here. A commemorative stone created by the sculptor



H. Sprincis, as well as a Memorial Plaque with 186 soldiers' names carved into the granite, are located in the Battles of More Memorial Park.

7 | Museum of Battles in More 57.079668, 25.061761

The museum displays an open-air exhibition with its most prominent sightseeing object - the Soviet Army Tank T-34. The indoor exhibition is dedicated to the memory of the Battles in More and their role as historically important milestones during the Second World War, as well as household and craft items of the 19th and 20th century.

8 | Deer Garden, Safari Park "More"

57.079222, 25.058536

There is a 1.5 km long walking trail located in the territory of the Deer Garden where you can see red deer, fallow-deer and white deer; more than 600 animals in total. The tame deer like to approach the garden fence to receive some form of delicacy - carrots, apples or a handful of grain.

9 | Akenstaka Manor and Park 57.070733, 25.053086

The history of the manor complex dates back to the 15th century when it was one of the provinces of Vidzeme. Its Latvian name is most likely derived from the family name of the first owners Ackerstaff and this name was slightly "improved" in the Latvian language. In the 19th century the park was cultivated in Akenstaka; the mill also operated here, as well as the distillery, dairy plant, brick-kiln, sawmill and school with one class. Water was delivered to the buildings of the manor through the oak tree pipe system. Up to now, 9 out of 28 buildings of the manor complex have remained. The manor building and the park are private property.

Commemorative Sign for the Centenary of Peļņu Battle (4km from Akenstaka) 57.081865, 25.091142

The commemorative sign was placed in "Peļņi" in More Parish where the riflemen of the 5th Zemgale Regiment commanded by the Colonel Vācietis on 18 September, 1917, stopped the attack of the Imperial Germany 8th Armed Forces in the direction of Nītaure and the 2nd Latvian Riflemen Brigade started a counter attack, pressing back the German forces up to Mālpils, therefore the First World War basically ended for the Latvian riflemen.



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