## Geopark Harz Braunschweiger Land Ostfalen



Opening of the Information centre Goslar in April 2007

Beside our 'normal' programme in the last year the evaluation progress of the EGN and the GGN took place as the central part of our work. For this progress we visited our internal Geopark network partners (e.g. Infocentres, Infoplaces, Infopoints) to prepare the evaluation document and the evaluation visit and to discuss the further Geopark work.

## Highlights 2008 were

- the openings of the Geopark Information centres in Werna (January), Goslar (April) and Salzgitter Salder (June)
- the openings of the Geopark Information points at St. Andreasberg (June), Bad Sachsa (July) and Quedlinburg (December)
- the start of the archaeological excavation "Werla-Castle" near Schladen (March)
- the co-operation with the "German City of Science 2007 Braunschweig, e.g. a geological demo-drilling in Wolfsburg" with paleontological research of the delivered samples in cooperation with the science-centre "phaeno"
- the EGN-Geopark-week with guided walks, field trips and an EGN-Geopark-Poster-Exhibition in Königslutter (May ans June)
- an exhibition about fossil plants at the botanic garden of the University of Braunschweig (September).

Additionally new editions of the landmark leaflets (partly in English) was prepared. Until now 1.3 million leaflets of the geopark landmarks 1 to 17 were printed, reprinted and delivered.

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