



EUROPEAN GEOPARKS WEEK 2007

BERGSTRASSE-ODENWALD GEOPARK

EXHIBITIONS	Geopark entrance gate Buchen: exhibition concerning famous minerals and fossils of the Odenwald
ACTIVITIES	Guided walks across the entire Geopark territory in cooperation with Geopark entrance gates and Geopark information centers
EDUCATIONAL PROGRAMS	June-3-2007 and June 10-2007: adventure days around the WHS Messel pit with several geo-education programmes, a rallye through times and special kids tours
CELEBRATIONS	June-3-2007: Opening of the EGN week (WHS Messel pit) June-10-2007: Closing of the EGN week (WHS Messel pit)

PROGRAMME

Day June-03-2007	
<i>Subject World Heritage Day and Opening of the EGN week</i>	
08:00	biking tour across the Ried landscape: Geopark entrance gate Naturschutzzentrum Bergstrasse
9:30	Fieldtrip to the typical Rhine landscape: Geopark information center Kühkopf
10:00	Hiking tour around the Fischbach valley: Geopark entrance gate Schloss Lichtenberg
10:00	Hiking tour along the former border of the Imperium Romanum: Geopark post Mudau
11:00	Adventure day around Eocene times with the team of the WHS and the Geopark Rangers including a WHS biking tour and the official opening of the EGN week: Geopark entrance gate WHS Messel pit
11:00	Guided walk around the city of Obernburg: Geopark entrance gate Obernburg
11:00	Guided walk around the city of Lorsch: Geopark information center Lorsch
11:30	Guided walk around the city of Erbach: tourist information Erbach
14:00	Hiking tour around Waldstetten (orchids, rocks and wine): Geopark information center Walldürn

Day June-04-2007	
Subject <i>Several events across the Geopark territory</i>	
14:30	Family tour to the Messel pit: WHS Messel pit, Geopark entrance gate
17:00	Hiking tour around the Felsenmeer: Geopark information center Felsenmeer

Day June-05-2007	
Subject <i>Several events across the Geopark territory</i>	
14:30	Family and kids tours to the Messel pit: WHS Messel pit, Geopark entrance gate
15:00	Field trip to abandoned sandstone quarries: Geopark hiking center Abtsteinach
17:00	Hiking tour "historical mining": Geopark information center Reichelsheim

Day June-06-2007	
Subject <i>Several events across the Geopark territory</i>	
14:30	Guided walk around the historical part of the city of Mosbach: Geopark information center Mosbach
17:00	Hiking tour "flowers, rocks and wine": Geopark information center Zwingenberg
17:30	Research hiking tour to the Messel pit: Geopark entrance gate Messel pit
19:00	Guided walk around the city of Walldürn: Geopark information center Walldürn

Day June-07-2007	
Subject <i>Several events across the Geopark territory</i>	
12:00	Kids trips and short guided walks to the WHS Messel pit: Geopark entrance gate Messel pit
13:00	Guided walk around the Rodensteiner landscape: Geopark information center Reichelsheim
14:30	Guided walk around the "pilgrimage city of Walldürn": Geopark information center Walldürn
17:00	Field trip to the geo-adventure trail "historical mining landscape": Geopark information center Reichelsheim

Day	June-08-2007
Subject	<i>Several events across the Geopark territory</i>
12:00	Short guided walks to the WHS Messel pit: Geopark entrance gate Messel pit
17:00	Guided tour "trees and history of Mosbach": Geopark information center Mosbach
20:00	Oral presentation "ecology of the Ried fauna": Geopark information center Kühkopf

Day	June-09-2007
Subject	<i>Several events across the Geopark territory</i>
13:00	Hiking tour to the castle wood of Rodenstein: Geopark information center Reichelsheim
13:30	Short guided walks to the WHS Messel pit: Geopark entrance gate Messel pit
20:00	Guided evening walk to the fabulous history of Walldürn: Geopark information center Walldürn

Day	June-10-2007
Subject	<i>Several events across the Geopark territory</i>
10:00	Hiking information from expert Rainer Türk, guided walk around the city of Lorsch: Geopark information center Lorsch
11:00	Adventure day around the WHS Messel pit and Odenwald-Quelle cooperation day with guided walks, a rallye through times and geo-education with the Geopark rangers. Closing of the EGN week: Geopark entrance gate WHS Messel pit
13:00	Guided walk to the "Wildenberg castle", the former home of a Roman nobleman: Geopark post Mudau
14:30	Guided walk with a Roman woman along the Limes: Geopark information center Walldürn