

European Geoparks Week in Sitia Geopark GREECE– CRETE 2017

Dates of geoparks week: **26th May to 11th June 2017**

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Category	Date dd.mm.	Activity / Event
1. Geo & Geo	28.05	2^o Feast of the earth Event for the dissemination of local seed varieties in order to preserve the special varieties of vegetables available in Geopark to manufacture products friendly to the environment free from agrochemicals.
	04.06	Geo- actions for everyone in the Sitia UNESCO Global Geopark . In collaboration with the Naturalist Sitia Mountaineering Association will be organized various games in nature. The aim is the promotion of sustainable and alternatively tourism.
	10. – 11.06	Actions weekend in the "Geopark of Sitia" Speleological explorations and games to rock. In climbing Kato Zakros at the entrance to the Canyon of the Dead for climbing and actions in the rock. The events will include musical performances and events.
2. Geo & Culture/Music/ Literature/Arts	26.05. – 11.06	2^o Photography contest in Sitia Geopark . The aim is the acquaintance of the geopark and the view through the artistic look of amateur and professional photographers but also of students will participate. The photos will be exhibited in a photo exhibition
	26.05. – 11.06	Painting - photography and documentaries exhibition of students who participated in the action "I live and I discover my place, my landscapes: The Geopark Sitia"
	10.06	The concert of the Earth. Every year in an important Geosite organized a concert with music by local tradition and modern musical ensembles
3. Geo & Education	09.06	Meeting on the subject the role of UNESCO Global Geoparks in the development of sustainable tourism and their contribution to the economy of local communities
	06.06	Educational activities with elementary school students on the geology, caving and biodiversity in the Sitia Geopark