



THE LEGEND

Wonder about how peat can be used in art? Come and join our peat workshop in Andrejsala. After workshop we invite you to have 5km long guided tour through the Cena Mire.

THE LOCATION

Andrejsala is a district of Riga, located within the former territory of an industrial port next to the city center. It is currently developed into a significant art, culture and entertainment center featuring exhibition halls, clubs, workshops, studios, a cafe and a hotel.

The Lāči Café is located right by the Lāči Bakery, where the best masters of bread and confectionary baking gather day and night at 12 km along the highway to Liepāja. A homey atmosphere and the aroma of freshly baked bread will entice everyone driving by to stop in and taste all kinds of food prepared using real rye bread. More about Lāči bakery: <http://www.laci.lv/index.php/eng>

Cena Mire is one of 273 nature reserves of Latvia that was established in 1999. It covers 2133 ha and is one of 71 Internationally Important Bird Areas in Latvia. The main nature values are raised bog with a complex of pools and ridges, transition mires, 50 especially protected plant and animal species.

THE CONCEPT

During the creative workshop in Andrejsala you will have the chance to create your own art from peat. Discover different way how peat can be used and enjoy yourself as an artist! On the way to Cena Mire you will have a delicious lunch in the Lāči Cafe.

Cena Mire trail allows people to explore the bog environment, the existing plants and living creatures. In the path are several resting areas - the benches, as well as an observation tower. Trail is passing along lake with an interesting name - Beautiful. The total length of the trail itself is 5 km and designed in the form of a circle. Cena Mire trail is giving rare possibility to see peat extraction sites where peat is still being extracted. And just 100 m further you will have the chance to see untouched and picturesque peatland. At the end of the trail is a part of military road used in the World War I.

TOUR PRICE: EUR 50

TOUR LANGUAGE: English

MEETING PLACE AND TIME: 08:45 at Radisson Blu Hotel Latvija lobby, 9:00 bus to Andrejsala

DRESS CODE: Comfortable clothing and shoes

ESTIMATE TIME OF RETURN IN HOTEL: Around 17:30