

# 2016 Jelgava

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Tourism opportunities in Jelgava City, Jelgava Municipality and Ozolnieki Municipality

## Pasta Island



February 5th – 7th –  
18th International  
Ice Sculpture Festival



May 27th – 29th –  
Jelgava City Festival  
(all around the city,  
including on Pasta Island)



June 11th – 12th –  
10th International  
Sand Sculpture Festival



September 10th –  
Metal Festival



August 27th –  
XVI General Latvian Milk,  
Bread, and Honey Festival,  
XIV Milk Pack Boat Regatta

### OTHER MAJOR EVENTS IN JELGAVA IN 2016

May 7th – 8th – Latvian Plant Days



May 21st – 22nd – Health Festival



May 21st – Museum Night



May 14th – Opening of the  
Summer Tourist Season  
September 24th – World Tourism Day



June 4th – 5th –  
International Cat Show  
«Jelgava Cat 2016»



June 21st –  
Summer Solstice Celebration.  
Ceramic Sculpture Workshop



September 9th – 11th – Engineers Days,  
«ProKart» Karting Competition



November 5th – The 1st Stage of the  
Winter Swimming World Cup



January 1st –  
New Year's celebration



For more information, visit: [www.jelgava.lv](http://www.jelgava.lv)

### NOVELTY

#### Get to know Jelgava with an audio guide!

With the beginning of the tourist season starting on May 14th, the visitors of Jelgava will have an opportunity to explore the sites of interest in the city with the help of an audio guide. To go on a sightseeing tour of the city, there will be a possibility to download audio files from the website [www.visit.jelgava.lv](http://www.visit.jelgava.lv) or the app «Jelgava Guide» to your phone or to any other music playing device and use them as an audio guide to see Jelgava.

The audio files include narration about more than 20 sites of interest in Jelgava – both cultural-historical attractions – the Holy Trinity Church Tower of Jelgava, the Jelgava Palace, the Jelgava History and Art Museum named after Gederts Eliass – and a variety of urban attractions – the old gates of Jelgava, the sculpture «Jelgava Student», the Memorial Sign in honor of the singer Nora Bumbiere, and other.

Audio guide records are available in the following languages:

- Latvian
- English
- Russian
- Estonian
- Lithuanian

Use of audio files is free of charge.



GET TO KNOW HISTORY AND ART OF JELGAVA!

## Holy Trinity Church Tower of Jelgava

- The Holy Trinity Church of Jelgava was the first newly stone constructed Lutheran church in Europe.
- The church was destroyed in 1944; however, the Bell Tower retained its place.
- The sightseeing platform is located at a height of 32 meters.
- Every day, the clock of the Tower plays a melody – at 9, 12, 15, 18, and 21 o'clock.



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The Church, which was located here until 1944, was built in 1574. Only the Bell Tower of the Church has survived to the present day. It is considered as one of the oldest buildings in Jelgava. After the reconstruction, in 2010, the Tower acquired a new look – using a variety of multimedia solutions, three interactive exhibitions have been created here – a sightseeing platform, a restaurant, and the Tourist Information Center.

At the exhibitions of the Tower, visitors have an opportunity to take an active part and explore the life stories of Latvian presidents, symbols of Jelgava, the most significant historical events in Jelgava, as well as ornaments of Zemgale's national costumes. On the 9th floor of the Tower, there is a viewing platform, which opens to a panoramic view of Jelgava.

On the first floor of the Tower, there is the Tourist Information Centre, providing all the necessary information on tourism and recreation opportunities in Jelgava and its surroundings. Here you can also send an electronic postcard to your loved ones with greetings from Jelgava.

Jelgava, 1 Akadēmijas Street, +371 63005445; [www.visit.jelgava.lv](http://www.visit.jelgava.lv)



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The Jelgava Palace, the largest Baroque-style palace in the Baltic States, was built by the order of the Duke of Courland and Semigalia Ernst Johann von Biron in 1738, under the supervision of Francesco Bartolomeo Rastrelli, a famous Italian architect. On the island, between the Rivers Driksa and Lielupe, the Palace has been located since 1265, and the Baroque building, we see today, is the third building of the Palace built in this place. The Palace was a residence of the Dukes of Courland and Semigalia, later – the administrative centre of the province, but today – the home for the Latvian University of Agriculture.

In the Museum established in the Jelgava Palace, visitors can explore

## Jelgava History and Art Museum named after Gederts Eliass

- Its historical name – «Academia Petrina».
- «Academia Petrina» – the first university in the territory of Latvia – was consecrated in 1775.
- The Museum hosts the most extensive collection of the paintings by the Latvian old master Gederts Eliass.

«Academia Petrina» or Peter's Academy, a beautiful Classical-style building, was built in 1775 upon the initiative of the last Duke of Courland and Semigalia Peter von Biron in the former place of the Dukes' city palace. Today, the main Museum of Jelgava is located in the building.

By visiting the exhibitions of the Museum, visitors can explore the most important events in Jelgava, during the times of the Duchy of Courland and Semigalia, at the beginning of the 20th Century, as well as during the Soviet times. The Museum's second floor is devoted to the art, and there you can look at the greatest value of the Museum's collection – the collection of works by Gederts Elias (1887 – 1975): paintings, paintings in water-colours, pastels, drawings, photographs and documents from the artist's archive, a part of his library, furniture, and oriental art collection.

The Museum offers educational programmes to visitors of all ages, where they can get acquainted with the ancient weight and length measurements and traditions, explore national signs, symbols, their meaning and use, or to observe how a painting is made from sketch to finished product.

Jelgava, 10 Akadēmijas Street, +371 63023383; [www.jvmm.lv](http://www.jvmm.lv)



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## Memorial Museum of Adolfs Alunans

- The founder of Latvian theatre Adolfs Alunans has written 22 original plays, approximately 400 satirical and humorous poems, and 1,000 articles about theater.
- The Monument, dedicated to Adolfs Alunans, is located in the Alunans Park.

The Memorial Museum is located in the house, where the father of Latvian theater Adolfs Alunans spent the last two years of his life. The special, romantic atmosphere of the 19th Century successfully coexists with the modern exhibition, which takes visitors into the past and helps to feel the presence of the father of the theatre. The Museum offers educational programmes for both children and adults. Here you can learn about the beginnings of Latvian theater, dress up in costumes of the 19th Century, learn interesting facts about A.Alunans, slip into the role of an actor, while reading anecdotes.



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Jelgava, 3 Filozofu Street, +371 63021180; [www.jvmm.lv](http://www.jvmm.lv)

## Exhibition of the Latvian Railway and History Museum in Jelgava

- The Exhibition is located in a residential house of railwaymen, built in 1904.
- The facade of the building is decorated with the two-sided clock manufactured in St.Petersburg at the turn of the 19th and 20th Centuries.

The Museum hosts a new exhibition «Small Metal Heart», dedicated to the narrow-track railways built for military purposes of the First World War. At this exhibition, with the help of passenger and former railwaymen's stories, visitors can feel what the ride in the narrow-track railway wagon was like.

The Museum offers to learn about the history of the Jelgava Railway Hub, explore the railway traffic management principles, as well as to look at the operation of the railway-related items. Whereas, during a tour in the Jelgava Train Depot, everyone can have an opportunity to learn about the history of the Depot and its operation, to see a variety of locomotives and wagons, as well as to see what the alarm devices look like in nature, which helps to better understand the workings of railways.

Jelgava, 3 Stacijas Street, +371 63096494; [www.railwaymuseum.lv](http://www.railwaymuseum.lv)



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GET TO KNOW JELGAVA BY BIKE!

Visitors can discover the city's cultural-historical and natural values, the most interesting places, and recreation areas by taking a bike trip. Visitors from Riga can come to Jelgava by train, bringing their bikes along. Bikes can be rented also in Jelgava.

Visitors will have an opportunity to get to know Jelgava, as well as go on longer journeys to Ozolnieki, the Tervete Nature Park, or the Kemeru National Park.

There are two cycling routes available in Jelgava city – Route No. 410 «Lielupe Left Bank and Svēte Floodplain» and Route No.409 «Lielupe Right Bank». The cycling routes can be combined, so that visitors can visit all sights included in the routes in the city centre – the Svēte Floodplain, Palace and Pasta Island, as well as Pārlielupe.

The cycling route guide and maps of Jelgava and the surroundings are available free of charge at the Regional Tourism Center of Jelgava (the 1st Floor of the Holy Trinity Church Tower of Jelgava) at 1 Akadēmijas Street or downloading from the website [www.visit.jelgava.lv](http://www.visit.jelgava.lv), section «Routes and Excursions».



### Bicycle Rental in Jelgava\*

- «Pepijas Velomānija» – 67 Rigas Street, +371 29733112;
- «VeloNomo» – 7 J.Čakstes Boulevard, +371 28930302;
- Hotel «Zemgale» – 2 Skautu Street, +371 63007707.

\* Book bicycles in advance by contacting the bike rental.

CHARM OF THE RIVERS OF ZEMGALE



Visitors can enjoy a trip along the calm rivers of Zemgale, by rowing a canoe. There are many surrounding rivers suitable for boating – the Rivers Lielupe, Driksa, Misa, Iecava, and Svete. Learn about boating routes and rent canoes at the boat rentals:

- «Pasta salas laivas», 3 Pasta Island, +371 26761807, 26400888; [www.pastasalaslaivas.lv](http://www.pastasalaslaivas.lv);
- «Pārlielupes pirtnieki», 13 Kukura Street, +371 22478286, 26370100; [www.parlielupespirtnieki.lv](http://www.parlielupespirtnieki.lv);
- Boat rental «Mučas», +371 20205127, 28330963; [www.laivunoma.com](http://www.laivunoma.com).

Peaceful waters of the Rivers Lielupe and Driksa are suitable for trips with water bicycles and row-boats, which can be rented at the Jelgava Yacht Club – 6 Pilssalas Street, +371 29242520, [www.jjk.ucoz.lv](http://www.jjk.ucoz.lv); water bicycle and boat rental on Pasta Island – 3 Pasta Island, +371 28379193, 27713071.

Go on an unforgettable adventure along the river Lielupe or with a SUP board or paddle board. SUP is a new kind of active recreation, aquatic tourism, and sport, which is propelled by a rider standing up, while using a paddle. SUP board rental is located in the beach of the Lielupe Promenade, +371 25757555.



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## RECREATION BY THE WATER

### Islands in Jelgava



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Pasta Island, surrounded by the Rivers Lielupe and Driksa, has become a popular place for recreational and cultural activities. Around the island, there is a 1.5 kilometer long walking trail and bike path. In the summer season, visitors can relax in a well-maintained beach, in the winter season, in a skating rink on Pasta Island. The Island is a recreation place suitable for families with children, because there is a children's playground and Cognitive Park. The Island is a place for the largest city festivals – Ice Sculpture and Sand Sculpture Festival – as well as various concerts and open-air events.

The largest island in Jelgava is Pils Island. Its main inhabitants are more than 60 wild horses, which can be viewed by going on a walk or taking a bike trip.

On the Island, nature lovers can watch birds and observe plants, but everyone has the opportunity to learn interesting facts about the Island and the daily routine of wild horses, accompanied by an environmental tour guide.

Environmental guided tours must be booked by phone: +371 20264343.



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### Promenades in Jelgava

Promenades in Jelgava sure know how to surprise! The Boulevard promenade of Janis Cakste along the River Driksa is built on two levels – along the street and the bank of Driksa. There are two sightseeing platforms on the Promenade. They make up a three-meter high waterfall. Here you can see the sculpture-fountain «Jelgava student», as well as go over the pedestrian and cyclist bridge «Mitava» which, at night, opens up to an amazing view of the city light reflections in the River Driksa. Whereas, the established Promenade on the right bank of the River Lielupe, is a great place for leisurely walks, unusual views to the city towers, as well as for a soothing relaxation on the beach of the Promenade.



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There are two rivers flowing through Jelgava – the Rivers Lielupe and Driksa – and, during the warmest time of the year, everyone can find their favorite forms of recreation near the water.



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### Boat trips

On the bank of Driksa, by the pedestrian bridge «Mitava», there is a wharf, from where you can go on trips along the rivers. The trips last from half an hour to an hour, and during these trips, visitors have an opportunity to observe Jelgava from another perspective, go all the way around Pasta Island, and see wild horses on Pils Island, but the captain's story will present you with interesting facts about Jelgava. The following boats leave from the wharf by the bridge «Mitava»:

- ancient wooden boat «Frída» (9 seats), +371 29486086;
- Viking barge «Mitava» (40 seats), +371 29511527, 22422997;
- motor-yacht «Carpe Diem» (7 seats), +371 26434520.

Book a trip by calling the specified numbers!



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## OFFERS FOR GROUPS – TOURS IN FACTORIES

Jelgava has always been known for its manufacturing companies. Many of them have opened their doors to visitors, to present the products and to allow visitors to observe and participate themselves in the production process. Tours to factories must be arranged in advance.



• «Karamelu darbnīca» – hard candies, having different ornaments in the middle, are made, using only hands. During the tour, visitors have a possibility to observe how these hard candies are made, to make their own hard candies, as well as to taste these treats. At the company's store, visitors can purchase different types of hard candies.

Jelgava, 1a Rūpniecības Street, +371 29851426; [www.karameludarbna.lv](http://www.karameludarbna.lv)



• Metal Working Training Park – Zemgale Region Human Resource and Competences Development Centre offers pupils an opportunity to get to know the most state-of-the-art metalworking equipment in Europe and modern working conditions in this sector of industry, as well as to become a welder for a moment.

Jelgava, 40 K.Barona Street, +371 26171465



• Ceramics factory «Keramika LV» – the largest ceramics factory in the Baltic States. During the tour, visitors can get acquainted with pottery production process. At the end of the tour, visitors will be able to purchase products at manufacturer's prices.

Jelgava, 67 Rīgas Street, +371 63022868; [www.keramika.lv](http://www.keramika.lv)



• Plastic pipe factory «Evopipes» – one of the most state-of-the-art plastic pipe manufacturers in Europe and the world. During the tour, visitors will have an opportunity to learn how plastic pipes of different sizes are made from tiny plastic pieces.

Jelgava, 2a Langervaldes Street, +371 63094300; [www.evopipes.lv](http://www.evopipes.lv)



• Collection of RAF minibuses – the once famous Riga Bus Factory does not manufacture buses anymore; however, here visitors can see more than 15 different RAF bus models. In the factory office building, there is an automobile collection belonging to the motorist Andris Dambis, which can be viewed in a guided tour.

Jelgava, 18 Aviācijas Street, (book must be booked at the Regional Tourism Center of Jelgava, +371 63005447)



• Printing house «Jelgavas tipogrāfija» – a printing house specializing in short and medium-run high-quality print runs for both Latvian and foreign market. It offers an opportunity to observe the book creation process.

Jelgava, 1a Langervaldes Street, +371 63007480; [www.jt.lv](http://www.jt.lv)



• Biomass cogeneration plant «Fortum» – the largest and most state-of-the-art cogeneration plant in Latvia, which uses renewable energy sources. The tour around the plant will give an opportunity to learn about the principles of its operation and investments to save energy.

Jelgava, 73a Rūpniecības Street, +371 29338491; [www.fortum.lv](http://www.fortum.lv)



## FOR ADMIRERS OF EXTREME FEELINGS



Those, who appreciate a little more extreme water sports, be sure to try a flight with FlyBoard. With the help of the water motorcycle power, you can fly up to 12 meters above the River Lielupe and dive under water, enjoying complete freedom of flight and unprecedented emotions. Fly with FlyBoard at the Jelgava Yacht Club, Jelgava, 4 Pilssalas Street, +371 20690659.

Sports and Recreation Complex «Rullītis» offers an active recreation near the water – visitors can enjoy the water pleasures and take a break from the daily haste near Rulli reservoir. The Complex has a wakepark, where everyone can try a ride on a wakeboard. The wakepark is located in Jelgava, 1 Aku Road, +371 28285633.



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## SPECIAL OFFER FOR GOURMETS



• «Duke's Sail» is a main course, made from special oven-baked, marinated pork, which is served with caramelized sauerkraut, various fried vegetables and roots, and lingonberries, as well as with sea buckthorn and apple juice sauce.

• Layered dessert «Charlotte's Kiss» is prepared from egg-curd cream mousse and two kinds of juice jellies, and the delicate taste of the dessert is refreshed with fruit-berry sauce. The dessert was named in honour of the Duke's wife.

• One of the main components of the refreshing drink «Jelgava's Bellini» is sea buckthorn juice, used also in «Duke's Sail» and «Charlotte's Kiss».

Jelgava has its own special dishes and a drink that help recalling the history of the once-mighty Courland's capital.



## Greetings from Jelgava!

At the Tourist Information Center of the Holy Trinity Church Tower of Jelgava, visitors have an opportunity to send a virtual greeting – an electronic postcard from Jelgava. The addressee will receive the card with views of Jelgava and your special greeting in his/her e-mail box. It is an opportunity to tell friends and relatives about your visit to Jelgava and to share your impressions.

There are available cards with different views of Jelgava. The service of sending an electronic postcard is free of charge.



## G THE TOUR GUIDES OF JELGAVA INVITE YOU TO EXPLORE THE CITY AND ITS SURROUNDINGS

Since the city has undergone significant changes over the centuries, visitors are invited to get to know Jelgava and to visit the city together with a local tour guide. Stories about the lost Jelgava, important events, major personalities, and interesting occurrences will surprise everyone. The tour guides of Jelgava have prepared special tour routes, which can be adapted to suit different tourist groups and interests:

- «JELGAVA – CITY OF STUDENTS, PRESIDENTS, AND DUKES»;
- «HERITAGE OF MITAVA»;
- «ROAD OF THE MOST POPULAR LATVIAN GROUP «BRAINSTORM» FROM SCHOOL HALL TO ARENA»;
- «IN WANDERING STUDENT'S FOOTSTEPS»;
- «SOVIET JELGAVA»;
- «UNKNOWN JELGAVA».

For information on tours and tour guides visit [www.visit.jelgava.lv](http://www.visit.jelgava.lv), section «Routes and Excursions», or contact the Regional Tourism Center of Jelgava by phone +371 63005447.

### Tourist services in Jelgava City, Jelgava County and Ozolnieki County

## N ACCOMODATION

Name	Address	Phone (+371)	Number of places	Offer
«Jelgava»	Jelgava, 6 Liela Street; <a href="http://www.hoteljelgava.lv">www.hoteljelgava.lv</a>	63026193, 63023349	70	Café, banquet hall, conference rooms, sauna, steam-Turkish bath
«Zemgale»***	Jelgava, 11 Rīgas Street; <a href="http://www.skzemgale.lv">www.skzemgale.lv</a>	63007707	78	Café, conference rooms, bowling, tennis, skate park, sports fields, ice hall
«Dianda»	Jelgava, 9 Atmodas Street	63082979	20	Café, sauna, pool, seminar hall, tent sites
«Akva»	Jelgava, 49 Birzes Street	63023444	54	Banquet hall, conference room, gym, cafe, parking, swimming area, two cottages for events for 10 – 15 persons
«Agate Hotel»	Ozolnieki County, Ozolnieki, 16 Skolas Street; <a href="http://www.agatehotel.lv">www.agatehotel.lv</a>	63013527, 28684473	50	Catering services, banquet room for 40 persons, terrace free parking
Ozolnieku Sports Centre	Ozolnieki County, Ozolnieki, 5 Stadionā Street	63050516, 26440373	30	Gym, hair-dresser, sports hall, stadium, table tennis, novus, sauna, swimming pool, room for celebrations for up to 50 persons
«Senliči»	Jelgava County Jaunsvirlauka Parish, «Senliči»; <a href="http://www.senlici.lv">www.senlici.lv</a>	20007065	20	Café (100 m) «Zemnieka cienasts», children's playground, rides with boat «Frida»
Blankenfelde Manor	Jelgava County Vilce Parish, Blankenfelde Manor; <a href="http://www.blankenfelde.muiza.lv">www.blankenfelde.muiza.lv</a>	27810348	8	Breakfast, Manor Park, Bell Museum, tastings

## C COUNTRYSIDE GUEST HOUSES

Name	Address	Phone (+371)	Number of places	Offer
«Kaupēna dzirnavas»	Jelgava County Zālenieki Parish	29263768, 26551259	15	Guest house near the lake, not far from Tervete Natural Park, room for celebrations for 30 persons, sauna, camping houses, paintball, horseback riding
«Guntmārites»	Jelgava County Valgunde Parish; <a href="http://www.guntmarites.lv">www.guntmarites.lv</a>	26164173, 29444859	15	Sauna, room for celebrations for up to 30 persons, accommodation, tent sites, picnic area, swimming, playground, fireplace
«Āitiņlauvas»	Jelgava County Valgunde Parish; <a href="http://www.aitinlauvas.lv">www.aitinlauvas.lv</a>	29160393	19	Seminar room for up to 50 persons, bistro, restaurant, sauna, children's playground and wildlife garden
«Upmali»	Jelgava County Vilce Parish; <a href="http://www.upmali.lv">www.upmali.lv</a>	63061044, 29237149	20	Banquet hall for 30 persons, Russian sauna, catering facilities, billiard, tent sites, boating, commercial fishing
«Viesu Līči»	Jelgava County Jaunsvirlauka Parish; <a href="http://www.lici.lv">www.lici.lv</a>	63058443, 29204514	20	Children's amusement park, café, bakery, room for celebrations for up to 150 persons, tent sites, country sauna, trailers sites with an electricity outlet
«Pūtelkrogs»	Jelgava County Zālenieki Parish; <a href="http://www.puteli.lv">www.puteli.lv</a>	63011900, 29255010	20	Café, banquet room for 40 and 70 persons, sauna, children's playground
«Upenieku muīža»	Jelgava County Livbērze Parish; <a href="http://www.upenieku.muiza.precos.lv">www.upenieku.muiza.precos.lv</a>	63086344, 26590664	80	Room for celebrations for up to 100 persons, sauna, swimming pool, catering services
«Gošivs»	Jelgava County Valgunde Parish; <a href="http://www.gosivs.lv">www.gosivs.lv</a>	28763700, 29255931	35	Accommodation, rooms for celebrations for 25 and 100 persons, Russian sauna, swimming pool, gym and children's playgrounds, barbecue and tent sites, fishing, quad rental
«Zāļie atvari»	Jelgava County Livbērze Parish; <a href="http://www.zaljeatvari.lv">www.zaljeatvari.lv</a>	29488465, 29353208	60	Rooms for celebrations for 30 and 120 persons, sauna with pool, camping houses, sports field, tent site, swimming area
«Jaundobeļi»	Jelgava County Livbērze Parish; <a href="http://www.jaundobeļi.lv">www.jaundobeļi.lv</a>	29157311, 29521421	60	Banquet rooms for up to 120 persons, kitchen, grill, Russian sauna, swimming pool
«Skalbes»	Ozolnieki County Cenu Parish; <a href="http://www.bbbeat.lv">www.bbbeat.lv</a>	29103477	12	Room for celebrations for up to 25 persons, sauna steam bath, jacuzzi
«Ānes muīža»	Ozolnieki County Cenu Parish, Āne; <a href="http://www.anesmuiza.lv">www.anesmuiza.lv</a>	26483712	70	Guesthouse, bath house, rooms for celebrations for 60 and 100 persons, swimming area, picnic area, tennis court, beach volleyball and football field, streetball facilities, table tennis, novus, boats
«Galzemji»	Jelgava County Jaunsvirlauka Parish, «Galzemji»	29188408	80	Guest halls for 50 and 30 persons, sauna, pool, outdoor fireplace, tent sites, fireplace, pond

## S Where to purchase our SOUVENIRS?

### JELGAVA HOLY TRINITY CHURCH TOWER –

souvenirs with symbols of Jelgava and Latvia.  
1 Akadēmijas Street; [www.tomis.jelgava.lv](http://www.tomis.jelgava.lv), +371 63005447, 63005445

### GEDERTS ELIAS JELGAVA HISTORY AND ART MUSEUM –

souvenirs with symbols of Jelgava.  
10 Akadēmijas Street; [www.jvmm.lv](http://www.jvmm.lv), +371 63023383

### ECO SHOP «DBDABA» –

best things created in Latvia. 17 Raiņa Street; [www.dbdaba.lv](http://www.dbdaba.lv), +371 63084395

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handicraft works made by local artists.  
4 Akadēmijas Street, +371 63082728

### SHOPPING CENTRE «KANCLERA NAMS» –

souvenirs with symbols of Jelgava and Latvia.  
7 Katolu Street and 51/7 Pasta Street; [www.kanclers.lv](http://www.kanclers.lv), +371 63011444

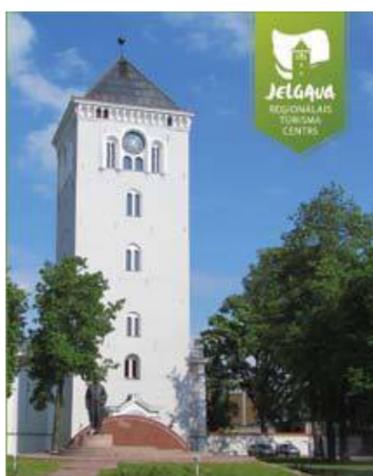


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locally produced ceramics. 67 Rīgas Street; [www.keramika.lv](http://www.keramika.lv), +371 63007438

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Organization of excursions • Rent of premises

Jelgava Regional Tourism Centre  
[www.visit.jelgava.lv](http://www.visit.jelgava.lv)  
+371 63005447  
Akadēmijas iela 1, Jelgava

Jelgava Holy Trinity Church Tower – 1st floor

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## Y YOUTH TOURIST ACCOMMODATION PLACES

Name	Address	Phone (+371)	Number of places	Offer
«Universitāte»	Jelgava, 7 Pumpura Street; <a href="http://www.hostel.llu.lv">www.hostel.llu.lv</a>	63024689	60	Sauna, room for celebrations for up to 40 persons
Dormitory No.8	Jelgava, 19 Liela Street	63028534, 29174995	112	Kitchen
Āne Youth Initiative Centre Hostel	Ozolnieki County Cenu Parish, Āne, 12 Celta Street	29409478	21	Seminar room for up to 30 persons, fitness room, kitchen, shower room
Latvian Rural Counselling and Education Centre, Service Dormitory Culture and Sports Centre «Jaunlidumi»	Ozolnieki County Ozolnieki, 34 Rīgas Street; <a href="http://www.llkc.lv">www.llkc.lv</a>	22018583, 63050220	50	Seminar rooms, café, kitchen
Jelgava County Jaunsvirlauka Parish, Dzirnēki	Jelgava County Jaunsvirlauka Parish, Dzirnēki	29199324	50	Seminar rooms, fitness and sports gym
Zālenieki Commercial and Crafts Secondary School Service Hotel	Jelgava County Zālenieki Parish; <a href="http://www.zav.lv">www.zav.lv</a>	63074250, 29433918	150	Seminar and conference rooms, «Green Manor», excursions

## C CAMPING, TENT SITE

Name	Address	Phone (+371)	Offer
Camping «Grantiņi»	Jelgava County Svēte Parish; <a href="http://www.granticamp.lv">www.granticamp.lv</a>	28602267	Café, room for celebrations for up to 50 persons, boat and catamaran rental, camping houses, picnic and tent sites, sports and children's playgrounds, territory under protection, comfortable parking
«Viesu Līči»	Jelgava County Jaunsvirlauka Parish; <a href="http://www.lici.lv">www.lici.lv</a>	63058443, 29204514	Trailer sites with electricity outlets, tent site, country sauna, children's amusement park, café
Zaķu pļava	Jelgava County Vilce Parish	26517125	Landscaped garden at Vilce mound, nature trails, swings, bunny sculpture
«Kaijas»	Jelgava County Platone Parish	26010089	Boat rental, fishing, sauna, fireplace
«Smiltiņi»	Jelgava County Valgunde Parish, Tīreji	29189509	Fishing, bird watching, fire places
«Šalkoņi»	Ozolnieki County, Salgale Parish, «Šalkoņi»	29477317	Camping, swimming area, electrical outlets

## C CAFES AND RESTAURANTS

### JELGAVA

- Restaurant «La Tour de Marie», 1 Akadēmijas Street, +371 63081392, 28837731; [www.bccconsulting.lv](http://www.bccconsulting.lv)
- Family restaurant «Hercogs», 3 K.Barona Street, +371 63024188, 26134333; [www.hercogs.lv](http://www.hercogs.lv)
- Bistro «Silva», 7/9 Driksas Street, +371 63084899, 29266586; [www.bistrosilva.lv](http://www.bistrosilva.lv)
- Tea house «Silva», 2a Pilssalas Street, +371 22119119
- Pub «Staba», 7 J.Calstes Boulevard, +371 63025909, 29507108
- Bar-restaurant «Plate», 6 Liela Street, +371 63029748, 29225918; [www.hoteljelgava.lv](http://www.hoteljelgava.lv)
- Pizzeria-restaurant «Tami-Tami», 19a Liela Street, +371 26633433, 29283252; [www.tamitami.lv](http://www.tamitami.lv)
- Café, cocktail bar «Chocolate & Pepper», 6 K.Barona Street, +371 63010220; [www.choco-pepper.lv](http://www.choco-pepper.lv)
- Restaurant «Madara», 22 Liela Street, +371 63027012
- Café «Pie mednieka», 19 Vecpilsētas Street, +371 63028528
- Café «Ceplis», 49 Liela Street, +371 63024726
- «Coffee & Wine gallery», 14 Liela Street, +371 26633703, 29320268
- Café «COP – čop», 4 Akadēmijas Street, +371 22088552
- Café «Gustus», 1 Driksas Street, +371 26691239; [www.gustus.lv](http://www.gustus.lv)
- Bistro «Otto», 17 Liela Street, +371 26661151; [www.saltums.lv](http://www.saltums.lv)
- Bar «Sauls krogs», 6 K.Barona Street, +371 29224155, 29740454
- Restaurant-pizzeria «Čili Pica», 7 Katolu Street, shopping centre «KanderaNAMS», +371 63025511; 11a Rīgas Street, shopping centre «Valdeka», +371 63045555; [www.cilipica.lv](http://www.cilipica.lv)
- Restaurant-pizzeria «CanCan Pizza», 4 Driksas Street, +371 29501882, 22066666; [www.cancan.lv](http://www.cancan.lv)
- Café «Caif Café», 4 Driksas Street, +371 26 008 732
- «Picu darbnīca», 1 Rīgas Street, +371 20003993; [www.picudarbnica.lv](http://www.picudarbnica.lv)
- «Fontaine Delisnack», 45 Pasta Street, +371 20004466; [www.fontaineriga.lv](http://www.fontaineriga.lv)
- Restaurant «McDonald's», 1 Brīvības Boulevard, +371 63020166, 26468158; [www.mcdonalds.lv](http://www.mcdonalds.lv)
- Restaurant «Hesburger», 10B Katolu Street, +371 25911221; 2a Loka Magistral, +371 26480302; [www.hesburger.lv](http://www.hesburger.lv)

### JELGAVA COUNTY

- Café «Zemnieka cienasts», Jaunsvirlauka Parish, +371 63058443, 20455402; [www.lici.lv](http://www.lici.lv)
- Café «Grantiņi» (open from 01.05. – 31.08.), Svēte Parish, «Grantiņi», +371 26446422, 26537571; [www.granticamp.lv](http://www.granticamp.lv)
- Restaurant-bistro «Āitiņlauvas», Valgunde Parish, +371 29160393; [www.aitinlauvas.lv](http://www.aitinlauvas.lv)
- Café «Sapnis», Jaunsvirlauka Parish, Staļģene, +371 29165412, 26637101; [www.satevi.lv](http://www.satevi.lv)
- Café «Pūtelkrogs», Zālenieki Parish, +371 63011900, 29255010; [www.puteli.lv](http://www.puteli.lv)
- Café «Piramida», 3 Bauskas Street, Eleja, +371 26866206

### OZOLNIEKI COUNTY

- Restaurant «Agate Hotel», 16 Skolas Street, Ozolnieki, +371 25661811; [www.agatehotel.lv](http://www.agatehotel.lv)
- Café «Centrs», 34 Rīgas Street, Ozolnieki, +371 63020070, 26532338
- Restaurant-bar «Meka», 5a Stadionā Street, Ozolnieki, +371 63050162, 29121214; [www.meka.lv](http://www.meka.lv)
- Café-shashlik house «Talisman», 20 Rīgas Street, Ozolnieki, +371 27873733
- «Ozo bārs», 5b Stadionā Street, Ozolnieki, +371 26234881, 63050615

## I USEFUL INFORMATION

- Jelgava Regional Tourism Centre: +371 63005447
- Jelgava City Municipality Operational Information Centre: +371 8787
- Jelgava City Municipal Police: +371 63028550
- Jelgava City Hospital Emergency Department: +371 63021802
- Emergency Medical Service: +371 113
- Jelgava Out-patient Clinic: +371 63022101
- Taxi: +371 63083200, 80008066, 80008044
- Jelgava Bus Terminal: +371 63022639
- Jelgava Railway Station: +371 63096114
- Jelgava County Municipal Police: +371 63012254

- Ozolnieki County Council: +371 63050241
- Ozolnieki County Municipal Police: +371 63050102

- Car rental: +371 63022275, 28664551 («Auto Fans», 36 Atmodas Street); +371 20101020 («Rentmotors», 2 Skautu Street)

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# EXPLORE JELGAVA AND RECEIVE A SOUVENIR!

### What to do?

Until 1 December 2016, visit the Holy Trinity Church Tower of Jelgava, the Jelgava History and Art Museum named after G.Eliass, and the Memorial Museum of A.Alunans, receive a tick in the contest inquiry form for visiting an object, answer to two questions, and get a souvenir from Jelgava.

You can get a souvenir at the Holy Trinity Church Tower of Jelgava, 1 Academy Street, by presenting the completed inquiry form. For more information, call +371 63005445.

Holy Trinity Church Tower of Jelgava, 1 Akadēmijas Street

Jelgava History and Art Museum named after G.Eliass, 10 Akadēmijas Street

Memorial Museum of A.Alunans, 3 Filozofu Street

In what year did the IV General Latvian Song and Music Festival in Jelgava take place?

In what year was «Academia Petrina» – the first university in the territory of Latvia – established in Jelgava?

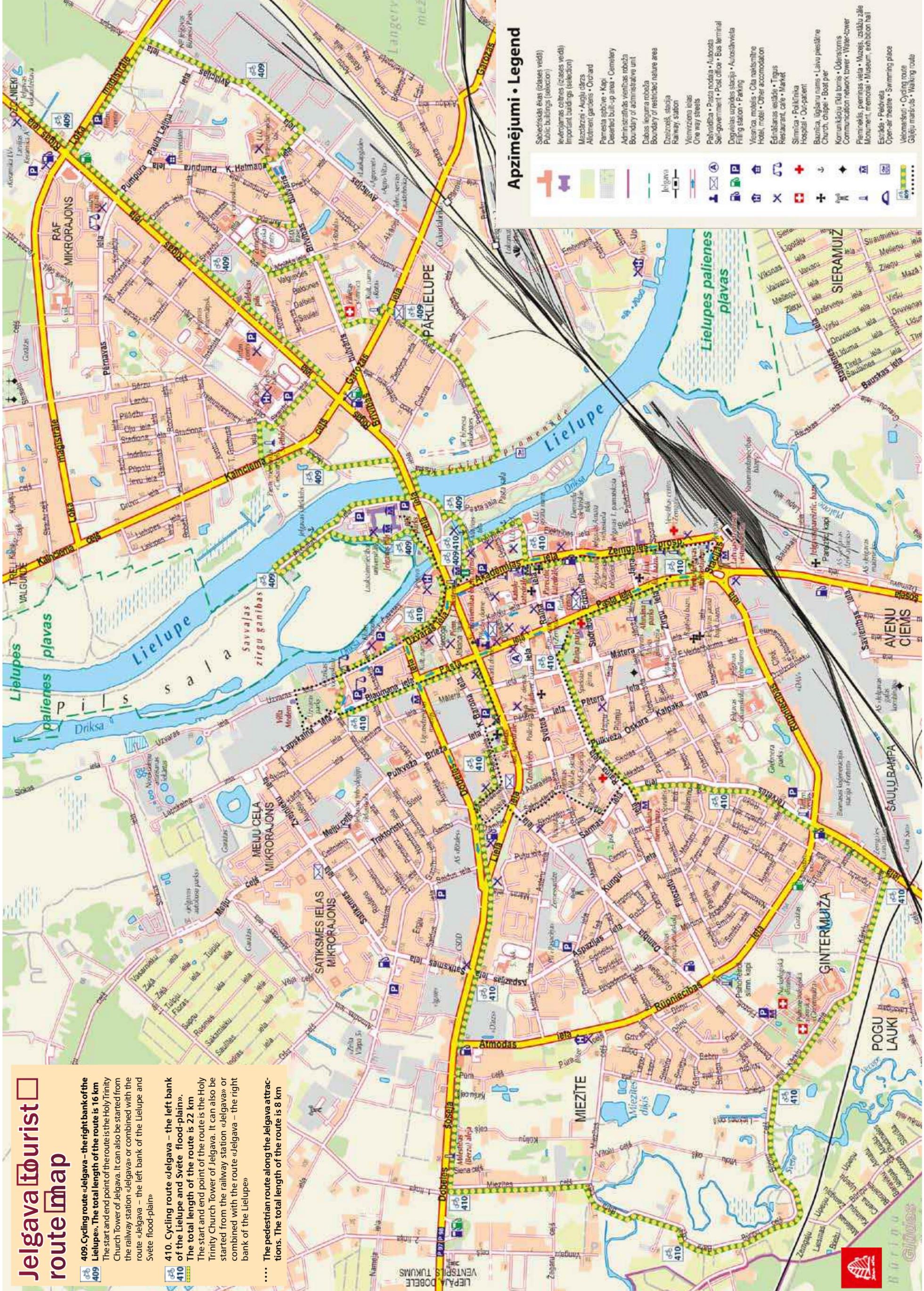


# Jelgava Tourist route map

**409.** Cycling route «Jelgava – the right bank of the Lielupe». The total length of the route is 16 km  
 The start and end point of the route is the Holy Trinity Church Tower of Jelgava. It can also be started from the railway station «Jelgava» or combined with the route «Jelgava – the left bank of the Lielupe and Svēte flood-plain»

**410.** Cycling route «Jelgava – the left bank of the Lielupe and Svēte flood-plain». The total length of the route is 22 km  
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..... The pedestrian route along the Jelgava attractions. The total length of the route is 8 km



## Apzīmējumi • Legend

- Sabiedrības ēdas (izlases veids) • Public buildings (selection)
- Ievērojamas celtnes (cietas veids) • Important buildings (selection)
- Aludzirnis • Augļu dārzs • Orchard
- Pārņemta apbūve • Kapu • Cemetery
- Administratīvās vienības robežsīka • Boundary of administrative unit
- Dabuss iegūta robežsīka • Boundary of restricted nature area
- Dzelzceļš, stacija • Railway station
- Vienveidīga iela • One way streets
- Pašvaldība • Pasta nodaļa • Autostacija • Self-government • Post office • Bus terminal
- Degvielas uzpildes stacija • Autostāvētavas • Filling station • Parking
- Viesnīca, motelis • Cita naktsmitrība • Hotel, motel • Other accommodation
- Edzināšanas iestāde • Tirdzniecības • Restaurant, cafe • Market
- Slimnīca • Poliklīnika • Hospital • Out-patient
- Baznīca, lūgšanu nams • Lauvas pēslāstīne • Church, chapel • Boat pier
- Komunikāciju tīkla tornis • Ūdensstacijas • Communication network tower • Water-tower
- Pieminekļi, piemēnas vietas • Muzeji, izstāžu zāles • Monument, memorial • Museum, exhibition hall
- Estrāde • Peldvieta • Open-air theatre • Swimming place
- Velosloksnis • Cycling route
- Gājēju maršruts • Walking route

