

Press Trip

“Outdoor Living – Camping“

Friday 26th April to Sunday 28th April 2013

This press trip can be done either in your own or in a hired camper van, your private car and caravan, or staying in rented accommodation, with or without a guide (spouse, child, ... max 4 people)

You will stay in a motorhome or rented accommodation such as a cottage, mobile home, pod, ...

We offer a selection of different campsites and sightseeing attractions in the region Müllerthal - Luxembourg's Little Switzerland www.mullerthal.lu and in the Ardennes with its Natural Parks of the Upper Sûre and Our www.ardennes-lux.lu

The programme is optional.

NAME

FIRST NAME

COUNTRY

MEDIA

We shall be passengers (... adults ... children)

- with our own camper
- with our own car and caravan
- we want to rent a motorhome
- we want to stay in rented accommodation on campsites

Friday April 26, 2013

Arrival in the Grand Duchy of Luxembourg at Camping "Auf Kengert" in the morning.

The road to follow is on www.kengert.lu

Address: 1 Kengert, L-7633 Larochette. Tel. +352 83 71 86.

Welcome by Linda Gedink, secretary of "Camprilux", the Association of Private Campsites and Lodgings in the Grand Duchy www.camping.lu

Welcome by Ms. Lis Lorang, Press Service & Public Relations of the National Tourism ONT www.visitluxembourg.com Presentation of the press trip programme and information handouts.

12.00

Joint lunch at the campsite restaurant "Auf Kengert."

13.00

Explore the campsite "Auf Kengert" and discover the 745 meters "barefoot path".

Labels: ServiceQualität-Letzebuerg (Luxembourg label for Quality of Service), Bed & Bike, accessibility for disabled people, accessible accommodation for hikers of the Mullerthal Trail.

14.00

Individual start of your hike through Luxembourg.

- Camping Birkelt

1, um Birkelt, L-7633 Larochette. Tel. 352 87 90 40 www.camping-birkelt.lu

Labels: ServiceQualität-Letzebuerg, Bed & Bike, accessibility for disabled people, accessible accommodation for hikers of theMullerthal Trail

- Larochette Castle

Ruins of two partially restored 14th Century castles: House Hombourg and House Créhange (rebuilt), archaeological excavations in the yard and the main dungeon.

Château Larochette, L-7612 Larochette. Tel. +352 83 74 97 www.larochette.eu

Take the road from Larochette to Mullerthal (via Christnach and Waldbillig, about 8 km)

- Mill "Heringer Millen" – Mullerthal

This beautifully restored 17th Century mill houses a Mill Museum with an operational mill wheel, the "Best of Wandern test centre" for hiking clothes and an old wood stone oven where the bread is homemade.

Heringer Millen Tourist centre, 1 rue des Moulins, L-6245 Mullerthal. Tel. + 352 87 89 88.

www.mullerthal-millen.lu

Take the road from Mullerthal to Beaufort (about 9 km)

- Beaufort Castle

Enjoy the impressive ruins of the 12th Century castle. "Cassero" -a blackcurrant liqueur produced in the castle- is a "regional" delight, a must ...

Tasting and sale of Cassero and other alcohols at the castle entrance.

Beaufort Castle, rue du Chateau, L-6313 Beaufort. Tel. +352 83 60 02 www.beaufort.lu

- "Camping Plage"

Offers a Tipi village, hiking huts, an outdoor pool, an ice rink and a bike and mountain bike hire "Rentabike Mëllerdall" www.rentabike-mellerdall.lu

87 Grand-Rue, L-6310 Beaufort. Tel. + 352 63 99 300 www.campingplage.lu

Labels: Bed & Bike, accessible accommodation for hikers Mullerthal Trail

Take the road from Beaufort to Berdorf (about 8 km)

- "Camping Martbusch"

Rental of "pods" (various wooden chalets with heating), a bike and mountain hire station "Rentabike Mëllerdall" www.rentabike-mellerdall.lu

3 beim Maartbësch, L-6552 Berdorf. Tel. 352 79 May 45 www.camping-martbusch.lu

Labels: ServiceQualität-Letzebuerg, Bed & Bike

Take the road from Berdorf towards Echternach (about 7 km)

- Official Campsite Echternach

New: rental of 4 "Kotta's" (heated cabins).

17 route de Diekirch, L-6430 Echternach. Tel. + 352 72 02 72 www.echternach-tourist.lu/camping

Labels: Bed & Bike, access for disabled

- Echternach abbey city

The small town is home to an array of ancient architectural buildings: an impressive Roman palace, the church of Saint Peter and Paul (Merovingian, Romanesque and Gothic remains), the St. Willibrord Basilica (an 11th Century Roman style church rebuilt after the second world war), the remains of the medieval rampart with its 8 towers, the Gothic town hall situated in the impressive market square, the baroque Benedictine Abbey and the rococo pavilion in the municipal park, its five museums, the pedestrian zone, a new Youth Hostel with a climbing wall located in the recreation centre near the man-made lake and the adventure park "Adventure Island" with trampolines and finally the new "Bike Park" of 5000 square metres. www.echternach-tourist.lu www.mullerthal.lu

Take the "route d'Echternach" to Diekirch (via Wallendorf, Reisdorf and Bleesbruck, approx. 28 km)

The following campsites are located along the river Sûre next to a cycle track.

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- Camping du Rivage & Ronn's Bikes and Kajaks

7 Highway Echternach, L-9392 Wallendorf-Pont. Tel. +352 836516 www.wallendorf-kajaks.de

Bicycle Rental and canoe-kayak hire.

Labels: Bed & Bike

- Camping de la Rivière

21 route de la Sûre, L-9390 Reisdorf. Tel. + 352 83 63 98 www.campingreisdorf.com

- Camping Bleesbruck

Bleesbreck 1, L-9359 Bleesbruck. Tel. +352 80 31 34 www.camping-bleesbruck.lu

The campsite has a separate area for naturist camping, hiking huts.

Labels: Bed & Bike, access for disabled persons, ServiceQualität-Letzebuerg

- Camping de la Sûre

34 road Gilsdorf, Diekirch L-9234. Tel. +352 80 94 25 www.camping.diekirch.lu

Camper van pitches in front of the gate.

Take the road from Diekirch to Nommern (direction Larochette, Stegen, approximately 13 km)

Arrival and check-in to Europacamping Nommerlayen in Nommern

rue Nommerlayen, L-7465 Nommern. Tel. 352 87 80 78 www.nommerlayen-ec.lu

Camping Nommerlayen celebrates its 40th anniversary in 2013.

ANWB Award 2013 "Campsite of the Year 2013 – Best Family Campsite"

Infrastructure: heated swimming pool, wading pool, swimming pool with rapids (now covered with a completely removable roof), restaurant, snack bar, bar, shop, bowling bar, Youth space with disco, table tennis, billiards, snooker, petanque, ...

Labels: ServiceQualität-Letzebuerg

19.30

communal dinner at Camping Nommerlayen (with barbecue and log fire, weather permitting).

Saturday April 27, 2013

Breakfast at the campsite.

09.00

Start your individual trip around Luxembourg.

Take the road from Diekirch to Vianden (via Fouhren, approximately 23 km)

Vianden campsites are located along the Our River, near the town centre.

- Camping de l'Our

3 route Bettel, L-9415 Vianden. Tel. +352 83 45 05 www.camping-our-vianden.lu

- Camping du Moulin

Bettel Street, L-9415 Vianden. Tel. +352 83 45 01 www.vianden-moulin.com

- Camping op dem Deich

Neugarten Street, L-9422 Vianden. Tel. +352 83 43 75 www.vianden-deich.com

- Medieval town and castle of Vianden

Extremely picturesque site on both banks of the Our river set amidst magnificent scenery. Its great feudal manor - home of the counts of Vianden- is a remarkable building of the Middle Ages, a true architectural gem that is unparalleled in the Ardennes and Eifel and has been recently restored. A surrounding rampart with guard towers encircles the city.

Other attractions: Old church with Trinitarian cloister, various museums (History, Literary Victor Hugo, Caricature and Cartoon), chairlift (rising up to 450 m with stunning views), Adventure Park "Indian Forest" ...

www.castle-vianden.lu www.vianden-info.lu

12.00 - 13.00

Vianden lunch (provided by the ONT).

Take the road towards Kautenbach (via Bivels, Stolzembourg, Consthum, approximately 24 km)

- Camping Kautenbach

An der Weierbaach, L-9663 Kautenbach. Tel. + 352 95 03 03 www.campingkautenbach.lu

Unique location on the banks of the river Clerve, surrounded by nature and fitted with modern equipment. Rental of new "pod" cabins.

Labels: Bed & Bike, accessibility for disabled persons, EcoLabel

Take the road towards Enscherange (via Wilwerwiltz, approximately 10 km)

- Camping Val d'Or

2 um Gaertchen, L-9747 Enscherange. Tel. 352 92 June 91 www.valdor.lu

Quiet campsite, recognized by ANWB, hiking huts.

Labels: Bed & Bike, EcoLabel (gold grade)

Take the road towards Clervaux (approximately 10 km)

- Camping Officiel Clervaux

33 Klatzewee, L-9714 Clervaux. Tel. +352 92 00 42 www.camping-clervaux.lu

Situated on the banks of the river, with heated swimming pool, 400 m from the town centre.

Labels: EcoLabel

- Town and Castle of Clervaux

The town of Clervaux is located in a deep and narrow valley along the river Clerve in the centre of the Ardennes. The Benedictine Abbey of St. Maurice and St. Maur, built in 1910 in the Romanesque-Burgundy style, dominates the valley.

The castle was founded in the 12th Century, holds several exhibitions, including the largest photographic exhibition of all time, "The Family of Man" created by Edward Steichen (American photographer and curator of Luxembourg origin). "Cité de l'Image", contemporary open-air photography exhibition.

www.tourisme-clervaux.lu

Take the road towards Maulusmühle (about 6 km)

- Camping Woltz dal

House 12, L-9974 Maulusmühle. Tel. +352 99 89 38 www.campingwoltz dal.com

The campsite is situated in a quiet area, in a deep valley along a stream and surrounded by hills and forests. Newly fitted sanitary units, hiking huts, award-winning "Charming ANWB Camping".

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Take the road towards Troisvierges (about 7 km)

- Camping Walensbongert

Binsfeld Street, L-9912 Troisvierges. Tel. +352 99 71 41 www.walensbongert.lu

Take the N12 road towards Wiltz to reach Heiderscheid (approximately 45 km)

Arrival and check-in at Camping Fuussekaul Heiderscheid.

4 Fuussekaul, L-9156 Heiderscheid. Tel. +352 26 88 88 www.fuussekaul.lu

Five-star campsite situated in a beautiful natural landscape at the entrance of the Parc Natural de la Haute-Sûre. RV parking reserved exclusively for motorhomes, rental of camper vans, restaurant-brasserie and snack bar, camping accessories store, supermarket, climbing park "Adventure Park", fitness, in- and outdoor playground, trampolines, sports courts, mini golf, bowling and giant chess, outdoor swimming pool with children's pool, attractive sanitary appliances for children, ...

There is also a separate naturist campsite area.

Labels: ServiceQualität-Letzebuerg, Bed & Bike

19.30

Visit of the local microbrewery.

Communal dinner at Camping Fuussekaul (pizza preparation, campfire if weather permits).

Sunday, April 28, 2013

Breakfast at the campsite. Delivery of your lunch-packets for lunch.

09.00

Start your individual trip around Luxembourg.

Take the road towards Bourscheid (8 km)

- Camping du Moulin

Buurschtermillen, L-9164 Bourscheid-Moulin. Tel. 352 99 March 31 www.camp.lu

Superb location, untouched nature, nice swimming for children in a small river below a 900-year old castle, lit up at night.

Labels: Bed & Bike

- Bourscheid

Small village located in typical Ardennes landscape of unspoilt nature in the middle of which you find the ruins of a feudal castle which stands on a rocky ridge 150 meters above the level of the river Sûre

Take the road towards Tadler (via Dirbach and Bockholtz Sûre, approximately 13 km)

- Camping Berkel

5 Op der Millen, L-9637 Bockholtz Mill. Tel. +352 839054 www.campingberkel.com

Small family campsite which also offers a "bed and breakfast". "Tipi" style tent rental.

- Camping Toodlermillen

Toodlermillen 1, L-9181 Tadler. Tel. +352 83 91 89 www.camping-toodlermillen.lu

Family campsite in the middle of the Ardennes, on the banks of the river Sûre, in a small quiet valley of the Haute-Sûre Natural Park. Environmentally considerate, recognized by ANWB, across from their organic farm, horseback riding station, unique "hay hotel" exclusive in Luxembourg ...

Labels: ServiceQualität-Letzebuerg, Ecolabel, accessible for the disabled

Take the road towards Esch-sur-Sûre (via Heiderscheidergrund, about 8 km)

- Camping Bissen

Millewee 11, L-9659 Heiderscheidergrund. Tel. +352 83 90 04 www.camping-bissen.lu

Family campsite in the Natural Park of the Haute-Sûre, on the river banks. Ideal site for fishing. Rental of new "pod" cabins.

Labels: ServiceQualität-Letzebuerg, accessible for the disabled

- Camping Im Aal

1 Am Aal, L-9650 Esch-sur-Sûre. Tel. +352 83 95 14 www.camping-im-aal.lu

Campsite on the banks of the river Sûre, 500m from the picturesque town of Esch-sur-Sûre, in the middle of the Natural Park of the Haute-Sûre.

Labels: ServiceQualität-Letzebuerg, Bed & Bike

- Picturesque town Esch-sur-Sûre

1 rue du Moulin, L-9650 Esch-sur-Sûre. Tel. +352 26 88 90 03 www.emdeseiamei.lu

Visit of the regional centre "Ëm de Séi a Méi" [transl: around the lake and more] (various shops with local products, unusual souvenirs, cafeteria with homemade pastries, ...).

- Maison du Parc Natural de la Haute-Sûre

15 route de Lultzhausen, L-9650 Esch-sur-Sûre. Tel. +352 89 93 31 200 www.naturpark-sure.lu

The centre of the park is located in a former textile factory with museum showing the process of cloth manufacturing. The visitor can have all the information to make their stay as pleasant as possible. In addition, there is a permanent exhibition showing all the attractions of the region.

Take the road towards Insenborn (via Lultzhausen, about 7 km)

- Lake of the Uper-Sûre in Lultzhausen and Insenborn.

Office National du Tourisme

du GRAND-DUCHÉ DE LUXEMBOURG

Water sports, walks, solar boat, floating bridge ...

End of the press trip and individual departure.

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