



# SALASPILS COUNTY



**TRAVEL GUIDE  
2020/2021**

Come and see Salaspils! The National Botanic Garden with ever changing scenery invites **friends of nature**, so does Rigava Arts and Music Garden, and the Park of Dole Manor lets to enjoy the beauty created by nature and humans. Enjoy the quiet and tranquility of Dole Nature Park, hiking or cycling around Dole Island!

Fans of **active recreation** and **families with children** will also find activities to enjoy. Cycling along the marked routes in the town and its surroundings, taking a boat ride along the rivers of Daugava and Mazā Jugla, swimming on the Salaspils beach, running along the dam of Rīga hydroelectric power plant – these are brilliant opportunities to discover Salaspils. Whereas any child will enjoy educational excursions, horse rides, playgrounds and duck feeding.

**Looking forward to see you in Salaspils – before Rīga!**



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## 1.

### NATIONAL BOTANIC GARDEN



Monthly plant fairs from April to October



- The largest plant collection in the Baltics with more than **14, 000 plant taxa**.
- Founded in **1956** in a place where the gardening company of C.W.Schoch has been located since the end of the 19th century.
- Area – **129 ha**, which could fit **28 National Library buildings placed one next to another**.
- One of the largest arboreta in the North-East of Europe.
- The evergreen oasis – multifunctional **greenhouse** – exhibits plants from every continent except the Antarctica.
- The garden with ever changing scenery and a variety of plant collections is a popular place for education and recreation **throughout the year**.
- Excursions and lectures, classes for pupils, opportunities for cyclists, Nordic walkers, and all fans of **active recreation**.
- A playground and picnic sites are available. A perfect place for **photo shoots**.
- The entry is located **facing Salaspils Railway Station** – it couldn't be any closer!

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**Open:**  
Outdoor expositions: daily 9:00 – 18:00 (01/10 – 31/03);  
9:00 – 20:00 (01/04 – 30/09);  
Conservatory: Mon, Tue – closed, Wed – Sun 10:00-18:00  
(01/10 – 31/03); 10:00 – 19:00 (01/04 – 30/09).  
Look for the current working time on the homepage!

## TOP 7 OBJECTS

2.

### SALASPILS MEMORIAL ENSEMBLE «BEYOND THESE GATES THE EARTH GROANS»



- Erected in a place where **an extended police prison and corrective labour camp** (*Erweitertes Polizeigefängnis und Arbeitserziehungslager*) of Nazi Germany operated from 1941 until 1944.
- Civil and military persons from Latvia, Lithuania and Estonia, as well as transit prisoners, among them small children from Latgale, Belarus, and Russia, were imprisoned in the camp.
- At different times during the operation of Salaspils camp more than 20 000 people were there; whereas at least 2000 – 3000 people died from hard labour, disease, starvation, inhumane treatment and punishments.
- In 1967, one of the **Europe's largest monument complexes in the memory of victims of Nazism** was unveiled in the location of the camp.
- The emotionally impressive memorial ensemble is an object of brutalist architecture of **international significance**.
- **Salaspils Memorial Ensemble is part of the Latvian Cultural Canon.**
- The memorial is comprised of a **100 m high concrete wall** that symbolizes the border between life and death **and seven giant sculptures**.
- The general mood is enhanced by **the heartbeat** of an electronic metronome, which sounds as an internal memory of the victims and the deceased.
- In early 2018, an exhibition was opened at the gate gallery devoted to the history of Salaspils camp and memorial

📍 **Salaspils memorial, Salaspils nov.**  
56.8731, 24.3028  
+371 67216367 (for booking excursions)  
[www.salaspilsmemorials.lv](http://www.salaspilsmemorials.lv)

**Exposition is open daily:**  
10:00 – 17:00 (April – October);  
10:00 – 15:00 (November – March)

3.

### DAUGAVA MUSEUM



The only museum in the Baltics dedicated to the history of a river

- Before the construction of Rīga hydroelectric power plant, while performing archaeological excavations, a rich assortment of artefacts was collected, which became the basis for the museum in **1969**.
- The museum is located in the Dole Manor complex.
- The cultural history of the Latvian «destiny river» Daugava and Salaspils Municipality.
- Unique materials on **the ancient history of Latvia**, beginning with the first settlement of the Stone Age people – «Salaspils Laukskola» settlement (9,000 BC).
- The interactive exhibition reveals what the Daugava valley looked like before the construction of the **hydroelectric power plant cascade**.
- The centenarian **fishermen farm** by the lower reaches of the Daugava and a reconstruction of **the largest fishing tools** – weirs for catching salmon and lamprey – are located in the Park.
- The museum offers thematic excursions and museum education classes for all age groups; an excursion on your wedding day.
- The **natural monument of national significance** – the dolomite outcrop – can be viewed on the bank of the Daugava.
- **Picnic sites** and sheds for events and celebration are available.
- **Annual holidays** in the Latvian traditions and open-air concerts are held here.
- **Various activities** – boat pier and boat rent; bonfire sites, shed rent, site rent, a camping ground. **Orienteering site** (a smartphone is required to complete an orienteering task).

📍 **Doles sala, Salaspils nov.**

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**Open:**

daily 10:00 – 17:00, except Tuesdays  
Manor Park: summer season – 10:00 – 20:00,  
winter season – 10:00 – 17:00

# 4.

## TOP 7 OBJECTS

### DOLE ISLAND NATURE PARK



Nature Park of «Natura 2000»

- Nature Park of «Natura 2000» with the area 1044 ha almost completely covers Dole Island.
- Created in 1987 to preserve the **special scenery** of the part of Dole Island free of floods, **historical monuments**, and to ensure optimal use of recreation resources.
- The central part of the Nature Park is covered with **pine woods**, whereas the terraces of the Daugava are covered in meadows and fields with several **protected** plant species and a variety of **bird** dwellings.
- **The largest island of the Daugava** in the ancient sources is called *insula regis*.
- **Before the creation of Rīga hydroelectric power plant** reservoir and the flooding of the top of the island, Dole Island was about **8-9 km long**, about 3.5 km wide, at present it is about 5.2 km long.
- **Dole Manor Complex** with a park, medieval Vecdole Castle ruins, and the Solāži Bastion, providing an admirable view over the Daugava, are also located in the territory.
- Brilliant recreational opportunities for **friends of nature** – boat rent, marked cycling and walking routes, picnic sites.

📍 Doles sala, Salaspils nov.  
56.8499, 24.2318

# 5.

### THE RUINS OF ST. GEORGE CHURCH



The church existed from the 14th until mid 20th century

- During the construction of Rīga hydroelectric power plant, a mistake that proved fatal to the church was made in the calculations – it was predicted that the church would be flooded and it was thus blown up, however it stayed outside the flood zone.
- The most ancient parts of the church – the altar fragments – were preserved.
- The 14th century architectural monument **closest to Rīga**, in which the features of **Romantic and Gothic style** are found (remains of Gothic window openings, niches etc.). For many centuries the church remained at **the centre of religious and social life** of Salaspils, and at the centre of warfare in different periods.
- The location of the church can be used as a landmark when looking for **flooded historical cultural monuments** of Salaspils on the map.
- **Picnic sites**, benches, children playgrounds and outdoor exercise equipment is installed in the area. A **beach** with all amenities is available.

📍 Salaspils beach, Salaspils  
56.8466, 24.3403

## 6.

## MEMORIAL STONES FOR REMEMBRANCE OF THE BATTLE OF SALASPILS IN 1605



Popular among Lithuanians and Poles

- The stone is dedicated to the brilliant victory of the Polish-Lithuanian Commonwealth and the forces of the Duchy of Kurzeme over the Swedish army on 27 September 1605 in the battle of Salaspils (Kirchholm).
- At the time, the war in the military sense was called «**the eighth wonder of the world**» – the Polish-Lithuanian forces defeated the three times larger army of Sweden.
- In the history, art and folklore of Poland and Lithuania, the name of Salaspils (Kirchholm) became the symbol of legendary heroism for many generations.
- The stone was erected in 1996, restored in 2005.

📍 56.8498, 24.3440

- The second stone was erected to honour the fact that on 27 September 1605 during the battle of Salaspils, a nobleman of Vidzeme Heinrich Vrede selflessly saved the life of the king of Sweden Charles IX.
- About 9000 troops of the Swedish army fell in the battle.
- The stone was erected in 1995.

📍 56.8507, 24.3344



## 7.

## MEMORIAL PLAQUE TO THE LIVS OF THE DAUGAVA REGION AND THEIR LEADER AKO



- Dedicated to remembrance of the **war of independence** of the indigenous population – **the Livs** – of the lower reaches of the Daugava from the 10th to 13th century, as well as the uprising led by Ako, the leader of the Livs of Mārtiņšala Island (1206) against the Crusaders.
- At the time **Mārtiņšala** was a prominent Liv centre for a wider territory.
- Ako fell in the battle but his head as a symbol of victory was sent to Bishop Albert.
- At present Mārtiņšala is located below the level of the hydroelectric power plant reservoir.
- In the vicinity of the memorial plaque is the place where **the oldest settlement of the Stone Age people known in Latvia** – the settlement of reindeer hunters – was discovered (Salaspils Laukskola).
- Ako memorial plaque was unveiled in **1994**, restored and supplemented in 2013. Author: Ģ. Burvis.
- The territory is equipped with amenities, with a place for launching a boat, as well as **picnic sites and a nature trail**.

📍 56.8435, 24.3876

## 8. Salaspils Culture House

You are invited to attend theatrical performances, concerts, events for children, movie evenings. Many events are supported by Salaspils municipality and are free of charge, for example, Salaspils municipality celebration, which yearly gathers thousands of visitors from all over Latvia at the end of May. Whereas Salaspils Culture House successfully hosts the activity of amateur artists.

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## 9. Rīgava Music and Art Garden

Here you can attend summer open-air movie evenings, concerts and theatrical performances, art exhibitions. The garden has children's **play equipment - musical instruments**. The paths are made as a labyrinth, so everyone can find a remote corner to spend time in silence and piece. On the painted garden wall, everyone can try to find the most popular objects of Salaspils. Landscape architect: D. Veinberga.



📍 Līvzemes iela 7, Salaspils

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List of events:

[Fb.me/salaspilskultura](http://Fb.me/salaspilskultura)

**Opening hours:** April – August: 9:00 – 22:00;  
September – October: 9:00 – 20:00;  
November – March: 10:00 – 16:00.

## 10. The Mosaic of the Salaspils Music and Art School

The mosaic can be found on the external wall of the Salaspils Music and Art School. **This is a unique project of 2010 school graduates made from tile fragments:** on the one side of the entrance door there are musicians, on the other there are artists. **This is a tribute to the legendary drawing teacher O. Bērziņš.**

📍 Līvzemes iela 9, Salaspils

56.8582, 24.3502

## 11. Memorial Stone for the 800th Anniversary of Salaspils

Laid near the Town Council to remember the 800th anniversary since the first mention of contemporary Salaspils in the *Chronicles of Heinrich Livonian* – a castle was built on a little island on the Daugava called Mārtiņasa (Holme) in 1186.

📍 Līvzemes iela, Salaspils

56.8583, 24.3483

## 12. A Memorial Stone for Latvia's Centenary

The memorial stone for Latvia's centenary was cut and presented to the district by a district man Ēvalds Lipinieks. It weighs 5.6 tons. The bottom part of the stone has a sentiment engraved: «May you always be free, Latvia».

📍 Salaspils, by the Līvzemes iela and Gaismas iela roundabout

56.8562, 24.3521

## 13. Martin Luther Evangelical Lutheran Church

Salaspils Evangelical Lutheran parish was officially restored on 15 April 1991. In 2008 the parish started building a new church; its foundation-stone was consecrated by Archbishop J. Vanags. The architect of the church is G. Graudupe. The building was commissioned in 2015.

📍 Rīgas iela 49/1, Salaspils

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## 14. Roman Catholic Church of the Our Lady of the Rosary

Built in the 1990s and consecrated in 1996. The skilfully made altars, Stations of the Cross, cardinal's chair, confessional, God's table, and Ambon were gifted to the church from the Riga School of Arts and Craft. The altar and chandelier were designed by sculptor G. Burvis. The altarpiece was painted by K. Teivāne.

📍 Rīgas iela 26, Salaspils

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The first major contemporary Roman Catholic church in Latvia

## 15. Orthodox Churches in Salaspils

The Icon of the Holy Mother of Jesus «Consolation of All Sorrows» Church devoted to the Icon of Mary, built in 1996, received a lot of attention from believers when **in 2009, an unusual image of the Holy Mother of Jesus appeared on the glass of the icon cabinet in the church**. Next to the small church, there is the Church of Holy Great Martyr St. George the Conqueror.

📍 Skolas iela 19, Salaspils

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## 16. The Site of the Underground Radio Studio

During the Soviet putsch in August 19-21st, 1991, when the OMON and Soviet Army troops captured the strategically broadcasting centre in Riga, **the hidden studio of independent Latvian Radio was located in Salaspils**. Journalists informed the country of the latest news right from Gaismas Street here. A memorial desk was unveiled at the building in 2006. Currently the building is a private property and it may only be seen from the outside.

📍 Gaismas iela 20c, Salaspils  
56.8549, 24.3728

## 17. Salaspils Railway Station

There has been a railway station in Salaspils for more than 150 years now – since the opening of the Riga-Daugavpils railway line in 1861. It is one of the few stations on this line that **has kept its original exterior after two World Wars**. The station has been known by different names: Kurtenhof in the beginning, then Stopini (1919 – 1925), and since 1925 – Salaspils.

📍 56.8606, 24.3527



## 18. «Ezerkauliņi» Water Pump

It was given to Salaspils municipality by the Brunovski family and their company – **vegetable growers «Ezerkauliņi» farm** famous in Latvia. The restored and modern pump provides everyone with fresh drinking water from the city water main.

📍 Salaspils Station square  
56.8608, 24.3525



## 19. Latvian Design Store «Magone»

A large selection of household articles, decorations, clothes, accessories, gifts, and helium balloons. Andrito coffee is also available!

**Opening hours:**  
Mon – Fri 11:30 – 19:30, Sat 11:00 – 18:00, Sun – closed.

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Facebook: @MagoneSalaspils



## 20. Railroad Bridge over the River Mazā Jugla

The only preserved metal framework bridge over the River Mazā Jugla on the border of Salaspils and Stopini Counties (between Avoti and Upeslejas) is a former part of the **railroad line Riga – Ērgļi**. The bridge **was opened in 1933**; however, train traffic was ceased there in 2007. It is still used by pedestrians from the nearby villages. It is a significant example of engineering of that time, located in a peculiar landscape.

📍 Salaspils nov.  
56.9192, 24.3894

## 21. The Complex of Dole Manor

This state protected architectural heritage site is located in a very scenic site of Dole Island. Dole Manor (*Dahlen*) was established in 1631. The so-called steward's house – a two storey block building with a steep tile roof – has remained from its very beginnings (currently a private property). The place where the predecessor to the manor – the Jaundole Castle (14th – 17th century) – was located near the entry of Lebjavas Creek into the Daugava, is also a part of the preserved complex. The new dwelling house of Dole Manor (nowadays Daugava Museum) was built in 1898 in the eclectic, the so-called brick style, popular around the turn of the 20th century. The park of Dole Manor is an example of landscaping art during the turn of the 18th and 19th centuries.

📍 56.8480, 24.2284

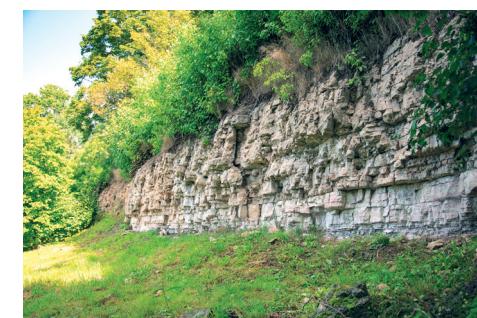


The idea for bike ride!

## 22. Dolomite Crag near Daugava Museum

Nature heritage site and biotope of European significance – geological and geomorphologic object located on the steep bank of the Dry Daugava branch. You can see the might of the natural processes: a 12 m tall Devonian deposit, the layers of which **have been forming for 350 million years**.

📍 Daugava Museum territory  
Doles sala, Salaspils nov.  
56.8476, 24.2275



## 23. Memorial Ensemble to the Flooded Houses of the Dole Island

During the construction of the Riga Hydroelectric Power Plant, in 1966-1974, **approx. 180 private houses were demolished and flooded**. After the construction of the hydroelectric power plant, water covered a large part of the Dole Island, Mārtiņsalā Island, Nolpe Island, Daugava River banks in Kekava, Salaspils, Ikšķile, Daugmale. The sculptural ensemble has been created to preserve in memory the former houses, farms and lives that used to be where the Rīga Hydroelectric Power Plant reservoir is located now.

📍 Daugava Museum territory,  
Doles sala, Salaspils nov.  
56.8492, 24.2249



## 24. The Rengarten Family Cemetery

In 1839, Dole Manor was pledged to a retired woods inspector, council secretary Peter von Rengarten. The only nominal owner of Dole Manor, who was buried near the manor. Grave is marked by a stone obelisk with relief embossing of the family coat of arms.

📍 Doles sala, Salaspils novads  
56.8510, 24.2247

## 25. The Solāži Bastion

It is a tall bastion-like hill on the bank of the Daugava. According to legends, its formation is related to the invasion of Napoleon army in 1812 and their preparation for war around the area of Riga. However, there is no particular evidence of the bastion being completed and used. It provides a **wide panoramic view over the Daugava and its sandbanks**. The site is a private property.

📍 56.8610, 24.2092

## 26. The Vecdole Castle Ruins

Vecdole Castle **was built at the beginning of the 13th century** near the rapids of Rumbula with a square-shaped stone walls (remained as **one the oldest examples of stone - constructed walls in Latvia**). The castle belonged to the family of Dolen, who was a vassal for the archbishop of Riga. In 1298 the castle was destroyed by the Livonian Order; later there was a lime kiln in its ruins. Archaeological excavations were carried out here in the 1960s. The site is a private property.

📍 56.8616, 24.2514

## 27. The Jānakalns Site

Because of its original shape and location, the hill of Jānakalns is believed to be an ancient cult site. Even at the beginning of the 20th century, midsummer festivities Līgo were still celebrated here.

📍 56.8570, 24.2526



\* Advance booking required!

## 28. Home Wine Production Facility «Saules Veltes» («Sun Gifts») \*

It has a fully adjusted cellar and equipment for proceeding and storing high quality wine. Fruit and berries are put through the pre-treatment, juicing and fermentation process, after that the new wine is aged for at least for a year. The wine selection is supplemented with liquors and vodkas. Visitors can visit the home wine production facility, where wine can be tasted and purchased. Please contact in advance: +371 29262729, info@saulesveltes.lv.

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56.8603, 24.3934  
[www.saulesveltes.lv](http://www.saulesveltes.lv)  
Facebook: @saulesveltes



## 29. Riga Hydropower Station \*

The newest and second largest power plant on the Daugava, built from 1966 to 1975. It has a power of 402 MW, which is generated by 6 hydraulic aggregates. The reservoir serves for the production of green energy, as well as for the provision of Riga with technical and drinking water resources. The power plant also serves as a traffic bridge across the Daugava and to Dole Island.

Guided tours are organised each second Thursday of the month. A multimedia device is available - a stand with a TV and a hologram!

Please apply by phone:  
+371 67724359, +371 29188315  
or by e-mail:

[maija.firmane@latvenergo.lv](mailto:maija.firmane@latvenergo.lv).

You must have an identity document (an ID or passport) during the guided tour.

📍 Salaspils nov.  
56.8497, 24.2689



## 30. Joint-Stock Company Latvenergo, TEC-2 (Heat and Power Plant No. 2) \*

The most up-to-date and efficient combined cycle thermal power station in the Baltic States. The HPP is the guarantor of power system reliability on the Latvian and Baltic scale in the circumstances where demand faces a shortage of electrical power or load balancing is required. Visiting hours: Mon – Thu 9.30 – 14:30; Fri 9:30 – 13:00.

To book excursions: +371 67722354, 26303312 or [janis.mertens@latvenergo.lv](mailto:janis.mertens@latvenergo.lv).

You must have an identity document (an ID or passport) during the guided tour.

📍 Granīta iela 31, Accone, Salaspils nov.  
56.9198, 24.2731

\* Advance booking required!

## SIGN UP FOR EXCURSIONS!

### 31. Fish Hatchery «Dole» \*

Created in 1986 to compensate for the loss caused by the Rīga Hydroelectric Power Plant. Salmon, vimba, pike, whitefish, and lamprey are raised here. Tours are available to learn about raising and keeping different fish species. **An opportunity to try the fish hatchery's trade and keep an account of fish and roe.**

#### Visiting hours:

Mon - Fri 9:00 - 14:00.

For excursions, please call  
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📍 Doles sala, Salaspils nov.  
**56.8450, 24.2551**  
fishdole@inbox.lv



### 32. «Doles tējas» («Dole Teas») \*

This family business invites you to get to know the diversity of natural tastes and aromas. Tours in the garden and the tea factory, tea tasting in the garden pavilion, creative workshops for children and adults.

Visits have to be booked in advance:

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📍 «Ziediņi», Doles sala, Salaspils nov.  
**56.8487, 24.2321**



### 33. «Saulesdārzi» (The Sun Gardens) \*

An exotic touch on Dole Island. Here you can learn how to turn an ordinary pine into bonsai or a Japanese style pine, as well as see them in person. We also offer visits to the grape garden. Since there is a nice and suitable climate, good grape yield is harvested every year. The owners are Krista and Aldis Apšenieki.

Visits need to be booked in advance:

+371 26436697  
tante.hortenzija@gmail.com

📍 «Saulesdārzi», Doles sala,  
Salaspils nov.  
**56.8638, 24.2060**



\* Advance booking required!

### 34. Salaspils Beach, Riga Hydroelectric Power Plant Reservoir and Dam

The beach is equipped with picnic spaces with tables and benches, campfire spaces. For active recreation, training equipment is available in the open air. Playgrounds with swings and other attractions are available for children. Changing cabins are available, and a rescue station is working during the swimming season. More than **15 km long Riga Hydroelectric Power Plant dam is a favourite place for walks and is especially suitable for cyclists.**

📍 Salaspils, Daugava banks  
**56.8466, 24.3403**

## RECREATION AND AMUSEMENT!



### 35. Salaspils Swimming Pool \*

Opened in 2017. Classes and individual visits for all ages, from infants to seniors – swimming for infants, classes for children, water gymnastics for adults, water aerobics for pregnant women. A small swimming pool, large swimming pool for families, sauna, steam room, and jacuzzi are available.

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**Opening hours:**  
Mon, Wed, Fri 8:00 - 22:00\*;  
Tue, Thu 6:00 - 22:00\*;  
Sat, Sun 8:00 - 20:00\*

\*Visitors can enter one hour before the end of the pool's working hours

### 36. Salt Room and Lymphatic Massage in Salaspils \*

During the session, visitors sit in chairs, inhale salt-enriched air, and enjoy herbal tea from a local manufacturer. Lymphatic massage is performed using a special device manufactured in Latvia. For families with multiple children, when presenting the 3+ Card, a 20% discount for a salt room visit and a 15% discount for lymphatic massage is provided. Gift cards are available for purchase.

📍 Līvzemes iela 22/4, Salaspils, 2nd floor  
**56.8555, 24.3509**  
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Fb.me/SalaspilsSalsistaba



### 37. Children's Development and Entertainment Centre «KidSpils» \*

Provides creative territory and cultural services, developmental classes, master classes for children and adults. Baby school, English language, Latvian language for school and pre-school children, preparation for school. A place for holiday celebration for children and families with children.

📍 Skolas iela 5/1, Salaspils  
**56.8534, 24.3348**  
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\* Advance booking required!

## RECREATION AND AMUSEMENT!

### 38. Archery \*

We provide custom equipment, instructions, training and 3D archery animal targets. The length of the route is 2.5 km. Please apply in advance!

#### Visiting hours:

Mon - Fri 17:00 - 20:00;  
Sat - Sun 11:00 - 20:00 (April - November)

📍 «Tulpes», Salaspils nov.

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### 39. Recreation at Camping Site «Doles sala» \*

Picnic spaces, equipped beach, children playground, fishing, availability of a plankway and a slip to launch a boat into water. Tent spaces and 2 houses are available for accommodation. Premises and a shed are available for rent (50 persons). A beach volleyball court, disc golf, SUP board hire, and water bicycle hire is available. A floating sauna is also available.

📍 Doles sala, Salaspils nov.

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### 40. «Svētku Paviljons» «Holiday Pavilion» \*

A place for celebration in a romantic rural environment with a peaceful atmosphere and the view of the River Daugava. A fully glazed garden pavilion will protect the guests from heat, wind, or precipitation while allowing them to feel like they are outside. There is a spacious paved yard by the pavilion. Parking, electricity, amenities, tables and chairs for up to 60 persons are available.

📍 «Ziediņi», Doles sala, Salaspils nov.

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### 41. Sauna «Klints» \*

A facility for celebrations, a sauna for up to 25 persons. Sports activities are available: billiards, novuss, table tennis, and mini-golf. Space for tents or camper trailers.

📍 «Klints», Piķurgas, Salaspils nov.

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### 42. Recreation in «Jaunrūtiņas» \*

Recreation in nature with family, friends, or colleagues. A sauna by a lake, a banquet hall (up to 30 persons), beds, summer houses with facilities, TV and WiFi. Fishing opportunities, a green zone for summer recreation and swimming.

📍 «Jaunrūtiņas», Salaspils nov.

56.8915, 24.3216

+371 29246050

### 43. Wakeboard Park «Wakeline» \*

Wakeboarding is an extreme sport where every time you get on the board, you are forced to break out of your comfort zone and strive for wonderful sensations. In the homelike atmosphere of the Wakeline park, there is a place for everyone, from a child who has just started making their first steps to an experienced athlete!

📍 Rūkīši 139, Salaspils nov.

56.9022, 24.2936

+371 28441114

wakelinelv@gmail.com

Facebook: @wakeline

www.wakeline.lv



### 44. Paintball and Laser tag park «Pif Paf» \*

5 playgrounds and 90 paintball equipment kits are available. Supplementary services - games outside the main site, picnic tables, bonfire sites and barbecue on coals as well as a sauna.

📍 «Lielās lapas», Salaspils nov.

56.8555, 24.4202

+371 26611111

info@pifpaf.lv, www.pifpaf.lv

### 45. Paintball and Laser tag park «Jugland» \*

The largest paintball and laser tag park in the Baltics with 12 grounds. The offer includes collective, private, corporate games and tournaments, scenario games. Supplementary services - catering and picnic sites, a small holiday house with a terrace and a barbecue grill, a guest house with a sauna.

📍 «Citadele», Salenieki, Salaspils nov.

56.8917, 24.4848

+371 67291400, 27821000

office@paintball.lv

www.paintball.lv

www.jugland.lv



\* Advance booking required!

## RECREATION AND AMUSEMENT!

### 46. Artistic Guest House «Ārpus laika» («Beyond Time») \*

A unique bentwood structure dome house for receiving guests for a wedding, corporate events, children's parties, and travellers who appreciate extraordinary environment. A place for the feeling of piece in the forest with a tidy 2 ha territory, a pergola on the island, a pond, a campfire space, an events terrace with a view that stretches to the horizon and back. Accommodation is available to guests for 11 persons in designer rooms.

📍 «Kairosa», Salaspils nov.  
56.8907, 24.5043

+371 26543234  
ilze.berzina@terasesmebeles.lv  
www.arpuslaika.lv  
Facebook: @arpuslaika

### 47. Recreation Complex «Kolotilovka» \*

Bathhouse services: steam room and football shaped bathhouse. The territory has several water bodies. A tour around the territory guided by the Ukrainian owner is available where you can see different sculptures; an island in the shape of Latvia; a hill where trees have been planted in honour of the Ukrainian diaspora that lives in different cities and towns of Latvia; a house with Ukrainian motifs, built on the periphery, with the façade of the building decorated with the poetry of Ukrainian poet Taras Shevchenko.

📍 TEC-2, «Rūķišķi», Salaspils novads  
56.9019, 24.2891

+371 29282223  
mikola.kolotilo@inbox.lv  
www.kolotilovka.lv

### 48. Horse Riding in «Armando Lauku jātnieku klubs» «Armand's Country Riders Club» \*

Whether this is the first time you have plucked up the courage to pat a horse or you are already an experienced rider for whom the world of horses is an integral part of life, everyone is kindly welcome to spend their leisure time horse riding.

📍 «Mašēni», Salaspils nov.  
56.9055, 24.4038

+371 29275134  
zirgi@inbox.lv, www.zirgi.lv  
fb.me/armandalaukujatniekuklubs

### 49. Horse Stable «Pīkurgas» \*

Exercise on a horse for children and adults; horseback riding in the arena and in the forest; first acquaintance with a horse (learning to communicate); excursions. Experienced horses for photo shoots and events.

📍 Meža iela 45, Salaspils  
56.8803, 24.3226  
+371 26409789, equilat@inbox.lv  
Facebook: @jskequilat



### 50. Society «DeSanto» \*

Offers horse-drawn sleigh rides (in snowy conditions) and in a carriage around the city and the area of the National Botanic Garden. Photoshoots with horses and horse-riding for children are also available. Equine-assisted therapy services.

📍 Līvzemes iela 28, Salaspils  
56.8537, 24.3547  
+371 22389640, desanto99@gmail.com  
Facebook: @biedribadesanto



### 51. Dog Sled Rides \*

Rides in the snow season and without the snow, excursions, and training are available. During the excursions you can learn about the history of sled dogs, modern sports, and try these out yourself. The dogs will surprise you with their speed, which can even reach 42 km/h.

📍 Līdumi, Pīkurgas, Salaspils novads  
56.8922, 24.3135  
+371 29181005  
+371 29249515  
husky.lv@gmail.com  
www.husky.lv



### 52. Riders Sports Club and Farmstead «Temps» \*

We offer excursions, during which you can learn about animals and taking care of them. Horse-riding is included in the excursion. Additional services – picnic and campfire places, making stew; horse-riding exercise accompanied by a trainer; hiking and sleeping in tents or at the camping site.

**Opening hours:** Mon – closed; Tue – Sat 9:00 – 18:30, Sun 11:00 – 17:00.

📍 «Ziedkalni», Salenieki, Salaspils novads  
56.9032, 24.4639  
+371 26830033  
aljur7@inbox.lv  
Facebook: @jskTemps

### 53. Zoo and Recreation Complex «Rezidence» \*

The zoo has more than 50 different animals from all over the world. A recreation complex with a range of different offers for children and their parents – a tour around the territory; water recreation (boats, catamaran, SUP boards, rafts). Spaces for rent for various events – shed, dome shed, terrace.

**Opening hours:**  
11:00 – 19:00 every day (April – September);  
Mon – Fri – closed;  
Sat, Sun – Advance booking is required  
(October – March).

📍 «Stārstītī», Doles sala, Salaspils novads  
56.8362, 24.2413  
+371 26821828  
+371 20583636  
tatjankaz@inbox.lv  
www.zoorezidence.lv  
Fb.me/ZooRezidence



## MEMORIAL PLACES DEVOTED TO THE VICTIMS OF REVOLUTION OF 1905-1907

**54. Salaspils, Līvzemes iela**

Located on the site where in January 23, 1906 a punitive expedition executed three local participants of the 1905 Revolution events - gypsum plant workers Indriķis Jansons, Jorģis Vanadziņš, and Mārtiņš Valdmanis.

📍 56.8551, 24.3546

**55. Grave of A. Bergmanis on Dole Island**

The Dole-Katlakalns combat organisation, which was one of the largest in Latvia, operated on Dole Island during the 1905-1907 Revolution. In 1906, a farmhand of Taurītes farmstead, Andrejs Bergmanis, was executed during a punitive expedition and buried next to an oak tree near Taurītes. A memorial stone was created here in 1985.

📍 56.8646, 24.2426

## MILITARY CEMETERIES OF THE WORLD WAR I (1914 – 1918)

**56. Brothers' Cemetery (Military Cemetery) near Tēraudi (formerly Štāli)**

The soldiers from opposing sides killed in battles near the River Mazā Jugla at the beginning of September 1917 were buried in several parts of the cemetery: 188 German soldiers – in the central part of the cemetery, while 213 soldiers from the Siberia Riflemen Division and Latvian Riflemen from the 8th Valmiera Regiment of the Russian Army – on the left side.

📍 56.9060, 24.3907

**57. Brothers' Cemetery (Military Cemetery) near Blaņķi**

Next to the farmstead, an unknown number of soldiers of the Russian Army were buried participating in the battles on the so called Death Island during 1916 and 1917. A memorial stone was created in 1977.

📍 56.8826, 24.4058

**58. Brothers' Cemetery (Military Cemetery) near Vecpēši**

More than 90 Latvian Riflemen from the 3rd Kurzeme battalion killed in 1916 on Death Island were buried here. A peculiar ensemble of Brother's Cemetery with a 6 m tall obelisk in the centre, was formed in 1930. Architect - A. Birzenieks.

📍 56.8747, 24.4310

**59. Brothers' Cemetery (Military Cemetery) near Auziņas**

In this area, in the September battles of 1917 near the River Mazā Jugla, Latvian Riflemen from the 5th Zemgale regiment led by commander J. Vācietis, heroically resisted the predominant troops of German Army for more than a day. 135 German soldiers and 153 Latvian Riflemen were buried in separate sections of the cemetery.

📍 56.8907, 24.4930

**60. Brothers' Cemetery (Military Cemetery) near Pikalne**

Russian, Latvian, and German soldiers killed in the battles during 1916 – 1917 were buried here. The monument unveiled in 1926 for German soldiers killed in 1917 and the odd iron tube cross has preserved at the side of the cemetery today.

📍 56.8758, 24.5051

## MEMORIAL PLACES DEVOTED TO THE LATVIAN WAR OF INDEPENDENCE (1918 – 1920)

**61. Warriors' Cemetery of the Estonian Soldiers in the Salaspils Old Cemetery**

Estonian soldiers participated in battles along with the Latvian troops against the Landwehr and Iron Division in direction to Riga from June 28th – July 2nd, 1919 after the famous Battles of Cēsis. The inscription says: Rest in peace in a foreign land!

📍 56.8514, 24.3570

**62. Brothers' Cemetery (Military Cemetery) of the Estonian and Latvian Soldiers near Avoti**

Several Latvian and Estonian soldiers were buried on the left bank of the River Mazā Jugla, next to Avoti Bridge (Cekule). A monument was placed in 1990. Author U. Stergīs.

📍 56.9127, 24.3877

**63. Warriors' Cemetery of the Estonian Soldiers near Augšskarbenes**

Located at the Institute of Inorganic Chemistry, in the field of the local Augšskarbenes farmstead. Estonian soldiers killed in the battles of the River Mazā Jugla during the summer of 1919. A memorial stone was set here in 1935.

📍 56.8684, 24.4043

**64. Memorial Stele Devoted to the Holders of the Order of Lāčplēsis – Salaspils residents**

On 11 November 2018, at the Ancient Cemetery of Salaspils, a memorial stele devoted to the residents of Salaspils – holders of the Order of Lāčplēsis was unveiled. Nine holders of this award are related to Salaspils, and three of them are buried at the Old Cemetery.

📍 56.8514, 24.3566

## WARRIOR CEMETERY OF THE WORLD WAR II (1941 – 1945)

**65. Monument to the Prisoners of War**

It is located on the historic site of Stalag 350, one of the prisoner-of-war camps for Red Army troops established by Nazi Germany's occupation institutions from 1941 - 1944. The tragic events are symbolised by two expressive monolithic concrete posts with a sculptural relief. Unveiled in 1969. Sculptor J. Mauriņš.

📍 56.8598, 24.3276

**66. Brothers' Cemetery in Salaspils, Līvzemes iela**

Located opposite the Old Cemetery of Salaspils

📍 56.8507, 24.3563

**67. Brothers' Cemetery in Salaspils, Lazdu iela**

📍 56.8733, 24.3591

**68. Brothers' Cemetery near Rogas**

552 soldiers of the Red Army, killed in this area in the battles of 1941 - 1944, were buried here.

📍 56.8904, 24.3615

**1. Café «Strelīcija»**

Mon – Sat 9:00 – 19:00, Sun – closed  
**📍 Dienvidu iela 5/4, Salaspils**  
**56.8603, 24.3684**  
+371 27788777  
[www.strelicijaskafe.lv](http://www.strelicijaskafe.lv)  
Facebook: @kafejnica\_strelicija

**2. Café-pastry shop «Kanēlis»**

Mon – Fri 7:00 – 20:00; Sat – Sun 9:00 – 19:00  
**📍 Līvzemes iela 2, Salaspils**  
**56.8601, 24.3496**  
+371 20277577, [restorans@4pedas.lv](mailto:restorans@4pedas.lv)

**3. Restaurant – pizzeria «4 pēdas»**

Mon – Sun 11:00 – 23:00  
**📍 Līvzemes iela 2, Salaspils**  
**56.8601, 24.3496**  
+371 67981080  
[restorans@4pedas.lv](mailto:restorans@4pedas.lv), [www.4pedas.lv](http://www.4pedas.lv)

**4. Café-pizzeria  
«Rogas kafejnīca»**

Mon – Fri 10.00 – 19.30; Sat 11:00 – 19:30;  
Sun 11:00 – 18:00  
**📍 Līvzemes iela 11/13, Salaspils**  
**56.8580, 24.3505**  
+371 67941005  
[roga@rogasmaize.lv](mailto:roga@rogasmaize.lv), [www.rogasmaize.lv](http://www.rogasmaize.lv)

**5. Café (Delivery) «Panda Sushi»**

Th – Sat 12:00 – 22:00;  
Sun – Wed 12:00 – 21:00  
**📍 Rīgas iela 1, Salaspils**, +371 28446466,  
**56.8528, 24.3376**  
[order@pandasushi.lv](mailto:order@pandasushi.lv), [pandasushi.lv](http://pandasushi.lv)

**6. Café-pastry shop  
«Ingas Bekereja»**

Mon – Fri 9:00 – 19:00, Sat – 9:00 – 18:00,  
Sun – 9:00 – 17:00  
**📍 Rīgas iela 1, Salaspils**, +371 28899618  
**56.8528, 24.3376**  
Facebook: @IngasBekereja

**7. Café «Maruss»**

Mon – Sat 11:00 – 20:00; Sun 12:00 – 20:00  
(June – September)  
Mon – Sat 11:00 – 18:00; Sun – closed  
(October–May)  
**📍 Skolas iela 5, Salaspils**, +371 29172124  
**56.8534, 24.3352**

**8. Restaurant «Hesburger»**

Mon – Thu 9:00 – 22:00;  
Fri – Sat 9:00 – 23:00; Sun 9:00 – 22:00  
**📍 Zviedru iela 1F, Salaspils**, +371 29425680  
**56.8517, 24.3331**, [www.hesburger.lv](http://www.hesburger.lv)

**9. Pub «Nēģis»**

Open in summer!  
Mon – Tue – closed, Wed – Fri 15:00 – 22:00,  
Sat – Sun 12:00 – 22:00

**📍 Recreation area of the Daugava River  
Museum, Doles sala, Salaspils**  
**56.8504, 24.2242**, +371 29276653  
Facebook: @KrodzinsNegis

**10. Burger Restaurant «Burgers 66»**

Mon – Sun 11:00 – 21:00; Sat 12:00 – 20:00  
**📍 Līvzemes iela 5, Salaspils**, +371 25766166  
**56.8592, 24.3501**, [burgers@paritbus.lv](mailto:burgers@paritbus.lv)  
Facebook: @burgers66salaspils

**11. Kebab Shop «Gurman Kebab»**

Mon – Sat 10:00 – 21:00; Sun 11:00 – 21:00  
**📍 Skolas iela 9, Salaspils**, +371 27600060  
**56.8547, 24.3341**, [www.gurmankebab.lv](http://www.gurmankebab.lv)  
Facebook: @gurmankebab.lv

**1. Family Guest House  
«B&B Spool»**

**📍 Plavu iela 29, Salaspils**  
**56.8666, 24.3456**  
+371 26598683  
[marespolite@gmail.com](mailto:marespolite@gmail.com)

**2. Guest House «Villa Dole»**

**📍 «Auči», Doles sala, Salaspils nov.**  
**56.8621, 24.2484**  
+371 29413963  
[villadole@gmail.com](mailto:villadole@gmail.com)  
[www.villadole.lv](http://www.villadole.lv)

**3. Camping site «Doles sala»**

(May – September)



**📍 Dole Island, Salaspils nov.**  
**56.8509, 24.2231**  
+371 29130949  
[info@kempingsdole.lv](mailto:info@kempingsdole.lv)  
[www.kempingsdole.lv](http://www.kempingsdole.lv)

**4. Guest House «Sapņu saliņa»**

**📍 Dole Island, Salaspils nov.**  
**56.8366, 24.2464**  
+371 29593628  
[olwi@inbox.lv](mailto:olwi@inbox.lv)  
[www.sapnusalina.lv](http://www.sapnusalina.lv)

**5. Holiday Home «Augšdzintari»**

**📍 «Augšdzintari», Saulkalne, Salaspils nov.**  
**56.8450, 24.4104**  
+371 26482200  
[jelena10147@gmail.com](mailto:jelena10147@gmail.com)

**6. Guest House «Pie Kārļa»**

**📍 «Kārļi», Salaspils nov.**  
**56.9158, 24.4095**  
+371 26162709  
[rudy65@tvnet.lv](mailto:rudy65@tvnet.lv)  
Facebook:@piekarla

**7. Guest House «Jaunrūtiņas»**

**📍 «Jaunrūtiņas», Salaspils nov.**  
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**8. Guest House «Ārpus laika»**

**📍 «Kairosa», Salaspils nov.**  
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[www.arpuslaika.lv](http://www.arpuslaika.lv)

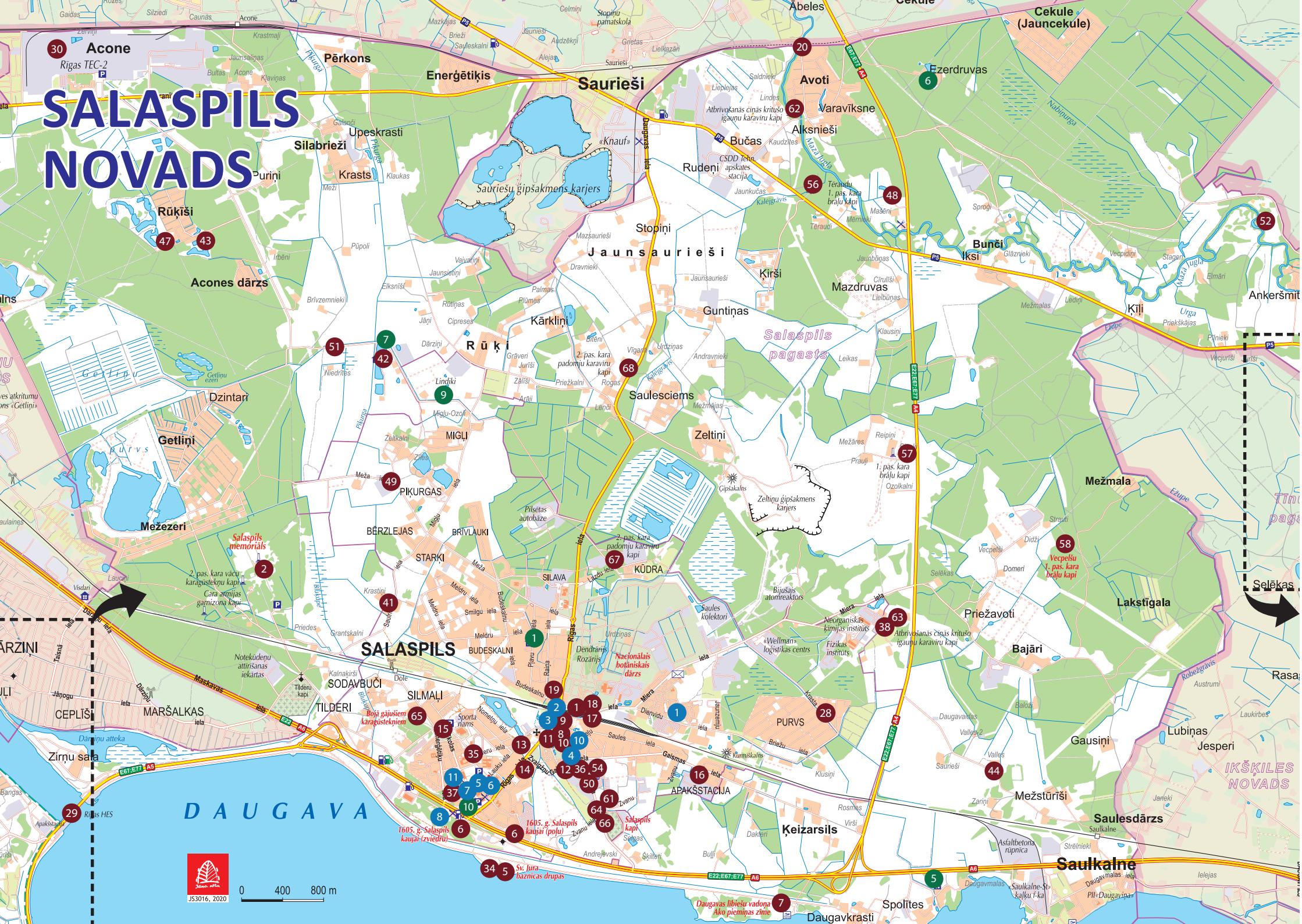
**9. Guest House «Lindiki»**

**📍 Amālijas iela 12 (former Lejasrūķu iela),  
Salaspils novads**  
**56.8887, 24.3318**  
+371 27087387  
[diana.rs@inbox.lv](mailto:diana.rs@inbox.lv)

**10. Flat**

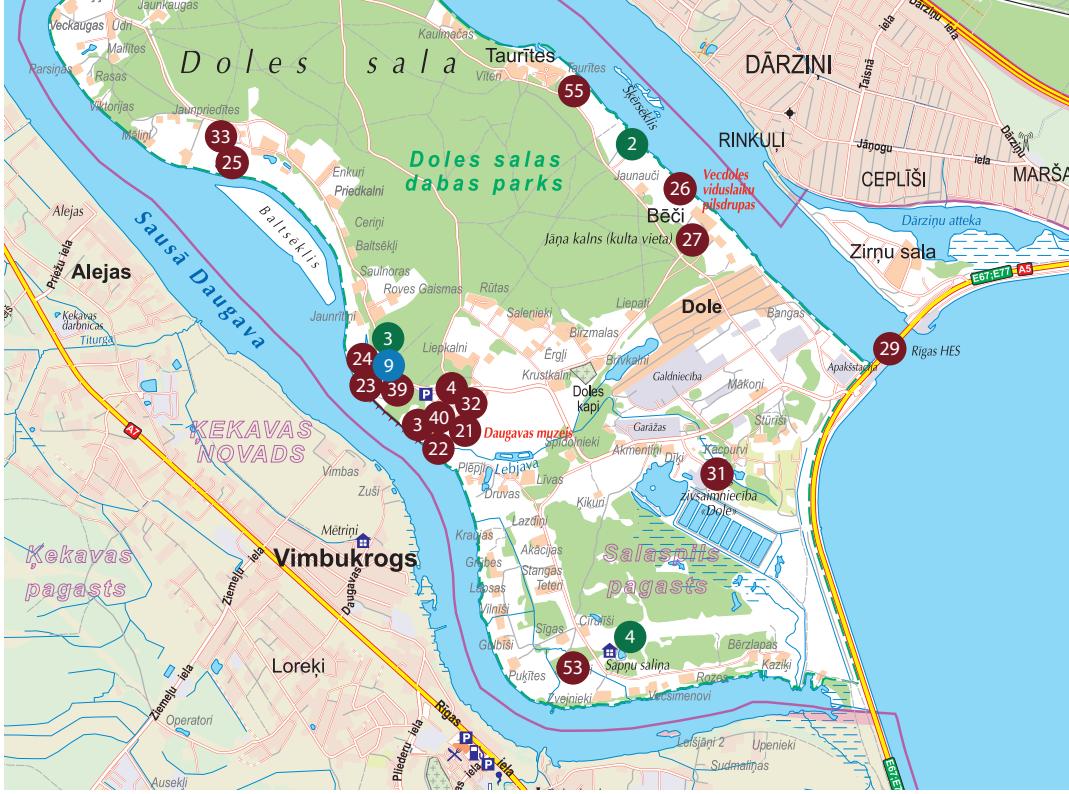
**📍 Skolas iela 1, Salaspils**  
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## Apzīmējumi Legend Условные Обозначения

	Naktsmītnes Accommodation Места для ночлега
	Sabiedriskās ēkas (izlases veidā) Public building (selection) Общественное здание (выборочно)
	Ievērojamās celtnes (izlases veidā) Important building (selection) Выдающийся здание (выборочно)
	Apbūvētās teritorijas, māju numuri Built-up area with house numbers Застроенная территория, номера домов
	Rūpnieciskā un saimnieciskā apbūve Industrial area Хозяйственная застройка
	Meži • Dārzi • Mazdārziņi Forest • Allotment gardens Лес • Фруктовый сад, дачи и огороды
	Kapi Cemetery Кладбище
	Administratīvās robežas Boundaries of administrative units Административные границы
	Salaspils • Dole Dzelzceļš • Stacija • Pieturas punkts Railway • Station • Stop Железная дорога • Станция • Остановочный пункт
	Galvenās ielas, ceļi Main road Главные улицы
	Celi, ielas ar segumu Roads, streets paved Дороги, улицы с покрытием
	Zemes ceļi Unsurfaced road Грунтовые дороги
	Pašvaldība • Poliklīnika Self-government • Out-patient clinic Самоуправление • Поликлиника
	Ēdināšanas iestāde Restaurant, cafe Кафе и рестораны
	Muzejs • Piemineklis, piemiņas vieta Museum • Monument Музей • Памятник
	Autostāvvietas • Pasta nodaļa Parking • Post office Автостоянка • Почта
	Degvielas uzpildes stacija Filling station Автозаправочная станция
	Drupas • Pludmale Ruins • Beach Руины • Место для купания





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