

Zăton-Ponoare karst complex

Location:

Mehedinți plateau, in the center of the Ponoarele village; 90 km away from Băile Herculane town.

Dates:

16-22 August 2014.

Lenght:

1.5 km.

Estimated time:

7-8 hours.

Equipment needed:

For Podului cave we recommend using helmet, boots and light.

Food:

Lunch will be served at Borloveanu from Podul lui Dumnezeu (God's Bridge).

Transport:

It will be provided by the organizers or you can use your car.

Fee:

45 euros/person (of which 7 euros for lunch; no transport). 75 euros/person (transport included).

Route sights:

A complex of karst phenomena: Zăton karst depression, representative karrens, a natural karst bridge, a cave-tunnel of 300 m length with a fossil level paved with speleothems.

Other objectives along the route (traditional water mills, springs, Baia de Aramă Monastery).

Organiser:

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