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Here women are pretty, and yet they show moral, Men are easy company, and they also work hard.

[Translation of archaic poem by]

Miskolcz's Assets

It has good air: Waters with lots of mills. Destined to be guarded and caressed by fair Hills,

And forming a Gate for Dwellers to please,

And providing Bread and good Wine in heaps. Avas hill, Angyalvölgy, Tetemvár and Bábonyi hill here,

They bear such treasures to which gold ore is mere.

[archaic spelling of Miskolc]

Sámuel Szrogh

(...)

One may thus say: for whom Miskolcz is yet to be known, Those have not found the place that is happiness's throne. (1800)

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THE CITY CENTRE

In case you only have a short time available, it is still worth spending some hours in the centre of Miskolc! One of the emblems of the town is the Avas Protestant Church and its clock tower, which chimes every fifteen minutes to mark the passing of time. On sunny days, look for the sundial behind the Kossuth statue at Erzsébet square, and you can even be the hand of the dial! The Flower Clock in front of Saint Stephen's statue displays bright-coloured flowers from spring to autumn, varying subject to each season, and in winter it is decorated by the advent wreath of the city. The clocks on the tower of the theatre and the clock at the corner of the main street and Kazinczy street, commonly known as "Villanyrendőr" (traffic light, as the first electric traffic light

was erected there) are clearly visible from many locations of the pedestrian street.

Excellent photo opportunities can be found at the Szinva terrace, with the statue named "Girls of Miskolc" and at the bridge over the Szinva creek called "Lovers' Bridge" decorated with many locks. The bronze statue of Mancs (Paw) the famous rescue dog is especially favoured by children. In the statue park next to the theatre, theatrelovers can find the portraits of actors and actresses closely connected to the city.

Several squares in the city centre attract tourists to look around some stay for a short time and others for longer periods. Popular locations for open-air exhibitions and performances are Kandia alley and Heroes' square. It is also worth walking to the nearby Deák Square, where in the vicinity of the Orthodox Church Collection and the "Kakastemplom" [Rooster Church] the facade of the palace of the Directorate for Forestry is also a sight to regale our eyes.

You should definitely visit these sights!

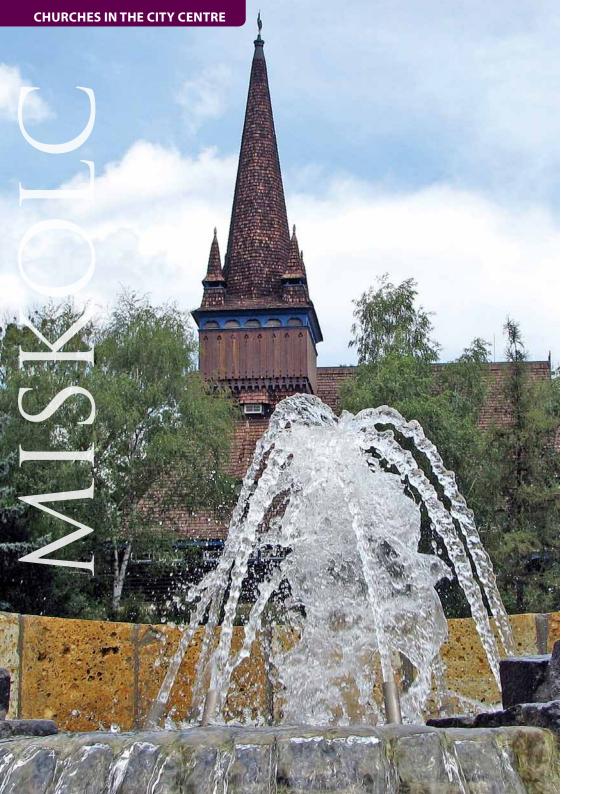
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"This is a really loveable town with its winding streets and beautiful buildings." (Gábor Presser, musician-composer)

> The building known as Rákóczi house, hosting the Miskolc Gallery was the first two-storey house of the town. Prince Rákóczi drafted the fundamentals for the public administration system that was to be used by the planned Kuruc state.

THE CITY CENTRE



Deszkatemplom

(Wooden Church) Petőfi tér The original part of the wooden building carrying the style marks of Hungarian secession was built in 1938, based on the designs by Bálint Szeghalmy, an architect from Transylvania. Its tower with pinnacles and a gallery, its steep, shingled roof structure and traditional Transylvanian gate all evoke memories from Transylvania. The church burnt down in 1997 and it was rebuilt in 1999, based on the original design, through the collaboration of Miskolc and all of Hungary. It can only be visited by prior appointment: + 36 46 413 590

Downtown Protestant Church

(Kakastemplom "Rooster Church") *Kossuth u. 17*.

The pulpit and the pipe-organ of the largest protestant church of the region were made in the 19th century. The 69-meter tall tower hosts the largest bell of Miskolc, the Eszter Bell, weighing 30 quintals. The 182-cm large gilded rooster symbol of the church was renovated and then restored to its original place in January 2011. The pipe-organ and the interior of the church were recently renovated as well. It can only be visited by prior appointment: + 36 46 508 724



Mindszent Church

Mindszent tér 2. The stately building of Baroque times is a single-aisle church built in honour of the apostles Saint Peter and Saint Paul and is ornamented with eclectic towers.

Orthodox Church

Deák tér 7. The famous piece of the interior area is the five-storey, 16-meter tall iconostasis consisting of 64 pictures. The religious ornament picture of the miraculous Mária Kazáni Fekete, located in the nave, was donated to the Hungarian Greek Church by the Russian Empress Catherine II. The building is one of the largest and most beautiful orthodox churches of Europe.

Minorite Church

(of Virgin Mary) Hősök tere 5/a. The baroque style Roman Catholic Church is situated at a prominent location of the historic city centre of Miskolc.

Downtown Evangelic Church

Hunyadi u. 8. The furnishing is original, the pipe-organ was made in 1845, and the altar piece was painted by Bertalan Székely. It can only be visited by prior appointment: + 36 46 505 726

Synagogue

Kazinczy u. 7.

The largest building of the county serving Jewish religious purposes was designed by Ludwig Förster, who was also the architect designing the famous Budapest synagogue in Dohány street. It can only be visited by prior appointment: + 36 46 344 884

Downtown Greek Catholic Church

Búza tér

The building was consecrated in 1911 and the church's character mixes Western and Byzantine styles. The real gem of the single-aisle interior is the richly ornamented iconostasis consisting of 19 pictures. It can only be visited by prior appointment: + 36 46 507 111

Saint Anna Church

Szent Anna tér 1. The altar and pulpit carry the style marks of late classicism. The main altar is decorated by the picture of Saint Anna, painted by an unknown artist.

Avasi Protestant Monument Church

Papszer 14. (Parish) The old church and the bell tower are the oldest historic monuments of Miskolc. The gothic, three-aisled hall church can only be visited by prior appointment: + 36 46 358 677



MÁRIA PILGRIMAGE ROUTE

The Mária Route is a network of pilgrimage and touristic paths reaching across Central Europe, the Western-Eastern axis of which leads from Mariazell to the Transylvanian Sumuleu Ciuc, covering a distance of nearly 1,400 km, which can be completed in 60 days on foot. The route or its minor sections can be walked in groups or also individually, primarily on foot, but cycling is also an option. The route is marked by route marks and road signs, and pilgrims are welcome to use recommended accommodations and a pilgrim guide with a map is also underway. In the course of walking down the route, the pilgrims receive stamps and beads with individual marking, so that they can thread their own rosaries by the end of completing the entire route. The maintenance of the pilgrimage route is provided by the Mária Route Association; their aim is to ensure the honouring and

beautiful traditions related to Holy Mary, which have a deeply rooted history in the Carpathian basin. The route passes through Miskolc as well, for the town is rich in valuable assets of many different religious denominations. The 18.3-km long Miskolc section can be divided into five parts, and the following sights can be seen along these sections:

Görömböly – 8.5 km (Greek Catholic Church, cellar chapel, pilgrim accommodation) **Hejőcsaba** – 1.7 km (Roman Catholic and Protestant Churches, Bárczay Castle) **Avas Hill** – 3.7 km (Jesuit Grammar School, "The Word of God" Church, Avas Observation Tower, Avas Protestant Monument Church, cemetery, bell tower, rows of wine cellars)

MÁRIA PILGRIMAGE ROUTE

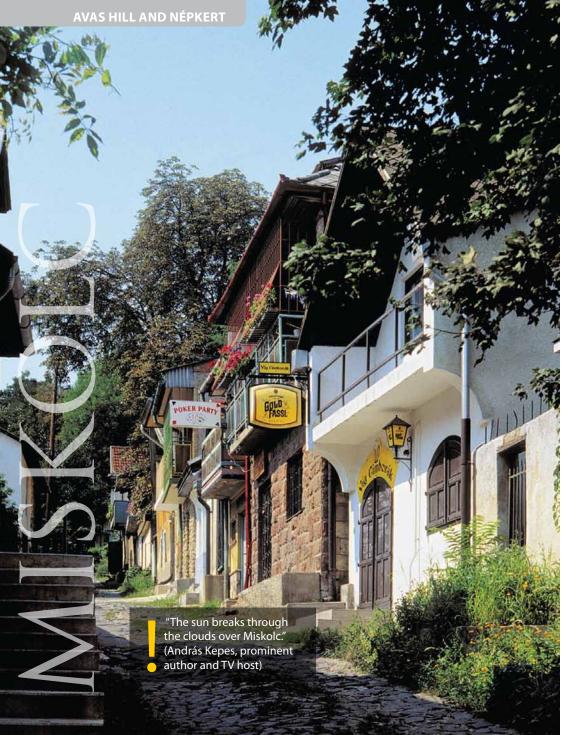
Pilgrimage routes play important and exceedingly significant roles in the world. In the Christian cultural domain, such routes attract several ten millions of people every year. Moreover, Hungarians also tread the famous Western European pilgrimage routes in increasing numbers. But why should we have to travel so far away if there are domestic pilgrimage routes available as well?

> City Centre – 1.6 km (Kakastemplom ("Rooster" Church), Minorite Church) Tetemvár – 3.3 km (Deszkatemplom "Wooden Church")

The Mária Route is more than just a tourist route, and more than a pilgrimage route, more than a valuable programme, more than a collection of values, more than the road of self-knowledge, more than a way for new perspectives, more than good company, more than **culture**, more than a sacral issue, more than a touristic offer, more than a spiritual experience, more than the **exploration of** Central Europe, more than enriching the national image - more than 1,400 km...







AVAS HILL AND NÉPKERT (People's Garden)

The tower high on top of Avas Hill is an even more spectacular sight after sunset, when its night lights are turned on. Nevertheless, its silhouette that can be seen from several spots within town is also eye-catching during daytime. If you walk to the Observation Tower from the city centre through Panszer you

centre through Papszer, you can find a lot of interesting sights on the way. When you pass the Avas Protestant Church, also known as the symbol of the town, and then walk past the bell tower and the monument cemetery, you have the feeling as if you were dwelling in an entirely different world: the town noise is replaced by quiet, the bustle by calmness. The way upwards leads you through the cobbled streets and stairways meandering among wine cellars carved into the hill-side, and wine houses.

In clear weather, from the gallery of the Observation Tower you can see the Zemplén Hills and even the peaks of the Slovakian High Tatra Mountains, but it is also worth having a look at the well-known buildings and church towers of the City Centre from such height. If you walk down

the Avas Hill on the southeastern side, vou can marvel at the extraordinary plants of the arboretum and the Calvary as well. During your walk, you should definitely consider visiting one of the wine cellars, too! You can choose from different winetasting and catering taverns ranging from small family businesses to multi-storey cellar systems. The nearby Népkert ('People's Garden') is the green heart of the town. The park of 57 thousand square metres provides leisure areas with a modern playground and with the shaded benches surrounding the national flag of Miskolc ordained on 20 August 2011. You should also check the coat of arms of the town constructed from mosaic tiles in the pool of the fountain located at the square in front of the sports facilities. On the opposite side, the Ottó Herman Museum Gallery offers a real treat for artlovers, as the Gallery offers

the richest regional collection of the works of Hungarian painters to its visitors. In the near vicinity of the Gallery, the museum to be called Pannonian Sea Museum is already under construction, which shall not only host the famous bald cypress trees found in Bükkábrány, but it will also exhibit interesting items from the history of the earth and of palaeontology and natural history. The Museum will also host a collection of over 19,000 minerals, i.e. of the richest mineral collection in Hungary.

You should definitely visit these sights!

Avas Observation Tower Avas Arboretum Ottó Herman Museum Gallery (p. 37) Ottó Herman Museum Exhibition Building (p. 37) Népkert with the fountain, the National Flag and the playground





MISKOLCTAPOLCA

The internationally famous tourist attraction of Miskolc is the Barlangfürdő ('Cave Bath'), the external swimming pools and internal chambers are extraordinary sights and remarkable recreation locations at the same time. Further to having fun, a medical and wellness section is also waiting for you there! The 800-meter long toboggan track located near the spa is also highly popular, as it welcomes adventureseekers all year round. If you seek further adrenaline rush-generating tests of courage, you can also give a try to the track system of the Adventure Park built at the level of the tree crowns, open from spring to autumn.

The Barabits walk is the location of open-air musical events and cultural programmes. The summer programmes of the stage erected there make your leisure time in Miskolctapolca even more complete. Also, if you wish to see a really interesting church, you should pay a visit on a Sunday to the Sziklakápolna (Rock Chapel) that was formed to be a temple from a cave carved in the tuff.

MISKOLCTAPOLCA

gyms and slides.

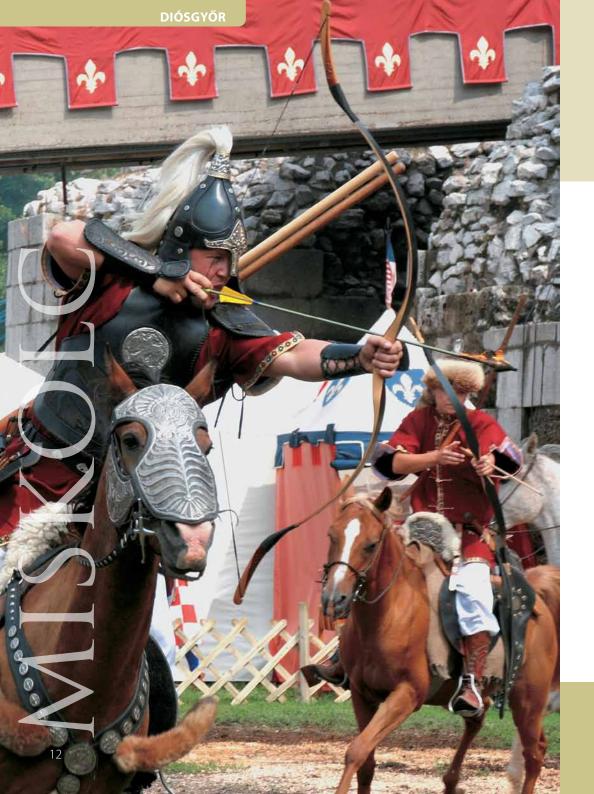
The protected park of Miskolctapolca invites you for pleasant walks during any season. You can feed swans and wild ducks at the lake, where you can even go for a boat-ride in the summer. Children favour the playground at the edge of the forest with its funny jungle

You should definitely visit these sights!

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Cave Bath (p. 20, p. 51) Toboggan track (p. 52) Adventure Park (p. 52) Rock Chapel

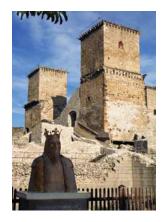
Miskolc is a pearl in the oyster of the Bükk Hills." (András Nagy Bandó, humorist, writer)



You will find several historic and cultural sights in Diósgyőr and in Győri kapu ('Győri gate'), located along the way to Diósgyőr from the City Centre. It is worth checking the exhibitions of Lézerpont Látványtár (Laser Point Image Museum), or to take a detour in the small streets with an atmosphere of medieval Diósgyőr. The Factory Sport Arena located on the site of the Metallurgic Works offers many different sports and entertainment options from a creative music community centre to a climbing hall.

DIÓSGYŐR

When you have walked down the protected chestnut trees of Vár street, you will find yourself at the foot of the Castle of Diósgyőr, which is going to be renovated in the period between April 2012 and 2014. After the completion, visitors will be able to see a historic-like but reconstructed Diósgyőr Castle in place of the historic ruins. During the reconstruction, the Castle will not be closed for the public: festivals, concerts, performances and other events will be held in the Castle moat and the lower castle yard. Anybody can have a look at the reconstruction works via a tour quided by a Construction Master. In its golden period, the Castle was the location of such significant diplomatic events as the ratification of the Peace of Turin. At such occasions, large feasts were held at the Castle - the waxworks demonstrating the times of such feasts, as well as the exhibitions on medieval weaponry and armours, the history of the castle and the course of the renovation will all be available for the public during the reconstruction period.



You can find a pleasant coffee shop and a few individual guest rooms in the Déryné House located in the castle-yard and built at the end of the 18th century. Between 1852 and 1867, this house was the home of Róza Déryné Széppataki, the





most famous and significant figure of 19th century Hungarian theatre.

Directly next to the Castle, the cooling waters and shady groves of Várfürdő ('Castle Bath') can offer you some real recreation time in summer. The craftsmen's creative centre, located in a building that used to belong to the Diósgyőr Castle crown premises, awaits you with a market of crafted folk art products, old craft demonstrations, and children's programmes of folk games and toys.

Vou should definitely visit these sights!

Laser Point Image Museum (p. 37) Factory Arena (p. 53) Diósgyőr Craftmen's Creative Centre (p. 34) Diósgyőr Castle (p. 14-15) and its events (p. 24-25) Diósgyőr Castle Bath (p. 50) Paper Industry Museum (p. 36)

Kassa (Kosice) is the first town in Europe to have received a coat of arms. The coat of arms was awarded by King Louis the Great at the Castle of Diósgyőr in May 1369. The historic event is commemorated by the wax-works exhibition of Diósgyőr Castle, as well as the bronze plate inaugurated in 2010, displaying a description in four languages. DIÓSGYŐR



HISTORIC SQUARES TO BE REVIVED

Knights' Hall – The knights' hall, divided into two aisles by three columns in the middle, is going to be reconstructed; with its size of 338 square meters, it used to be one of the largest halls of contemporary Central European castle architecture.

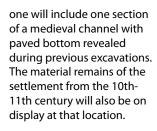
Castle Chapel – The central room of the eastern wing; the two-storey chapel of octagonal shape is going to be reconstructed and used as a consecrated area. **Towers** – The south-western tower is going to remain in its original, ruined state, caused by a lightning strike in the 1800s; this way the romantic sight of the castle can be preserved. The upper floors of the other three towers will serve as exhibition areas, and observation terraces will be built upon their tops. An architectural design plan was prepared for the partial reconstruction of the Castle of Diósgyőr, with the consideration of the aim to preserve historical accuracy; the design plan was based on archaeological and archives research, finds from the stonework museums and digital building assessments. The main concept of the renovation and reconstruction works is to avoid a change to the characteristic view typical of the past few centuries of this picturesque castle in the course of the works.

Palace wings – Three of the four one-storey palace wings will be reconstructed: the northern one will include the Knights' Hall, the eastern one will give home to the Chapel and the Royal Suite, and the southern wing will host the living guarters of the queens. These wings will contain toilet facilities for visitors as well as interactive platforms presenting life at the Castle in medieval times as well as different crafts.

Wine cellar – The cellar consisting of two rooms that used to have a storey-high interior can be accessed through the original stairway from the western palace wing. In the future, a winebar and medieval show kitchen will offer special meals and drinks. **Castle yard** – The main entrance to the upper castle is the northern gate accessible through the 'King's Stairs'. The north-eastern and south-western ornate stairs leading to the upstairs loggia (circular gallery) will be re-built in the Castle yard, using the original stone carvings.

The square of medieval tournaments

The square of medieval tournaments will be constructed next to the Castle Bath, which is located right next to the Castle; the square will serve as the location for traditional tournaments, horse tournaments, summer theatre performances, festivals and concerts. Out of the two stands structured to open towards the castle, the ground floor of the northern



Marketplace

The 1,600 square meter large marketplace directly connected to the square of medieval tournaments shall serve as the outer court of the castle. The pleasant grove will contain information signs to guide your way and to give you information about the Castle and the past of Diósgyőr. The markets usually operating in themes tailored to the programmes will provide you a pleasant location for socialising, having conversations and making new acquaintances.

Complex cultural and eco-touristic development of Diósgyőr and Lillafüred

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On 9 April 2010, 760 inhabitants of Miskolc set the Guinness record of public common poetry recitation in Lillafüred, at the location where the Hungarian poet Attila József wrote his famous poem Óda ('Ode').



From the heights, there is a beautiful view offered to the valleys of the creeks Szinva and Garadna. The excursions starting from Majális Park offer a range of trips, from easy, 30-minute walks to half-Marathon distances.

One of the spectacles of Csanyik valley is the Zoo, offering interesting programmes for all ages, ranging from zoo day-care to show feeding.

The caves in the surroundings of Lillafüred are also significant from the perspective of ancient archaeology; such caves are Büdöspest, Kecske-lyuk ('Goat-Hole'), Szeleta and Felsőforrási caves, which are freely accessible to the public.

We can also take a trip to the Bükk Hills from Diósgyőr by narrow-gauge railway. The wagons pulled by a special hybrid engine travel through Lillafüred all the way to Garadna. On the way, do not miss the ancient blast-furnace in Újmassa, and taste the freshly caught trout at the Trout Farm, where the locals season the trout with eight different herbs and spices!

Lillafüred is a true gem of Miskolc, and is also a well-known climatic health resort. Have a marvelling look at the group of the Hotel Palota buildings and the suspended garden situated at the shore of Lake Hámori, and in summer why not to take a boat ride on the lake? If you wish to take atmospheric photos, look for the Szinva waterfall, which also inspired Attila József, and which is the highest waterfall in Hungary. Do you prefer peace and quiet or do you just need some healthy and healing air? You can find all this at the Saint Stephen cave, where you can also marvel at the wonderful stalactite formations during guided trips starting every hour. The Anna Cave is one of the only three limestone tuff caves in

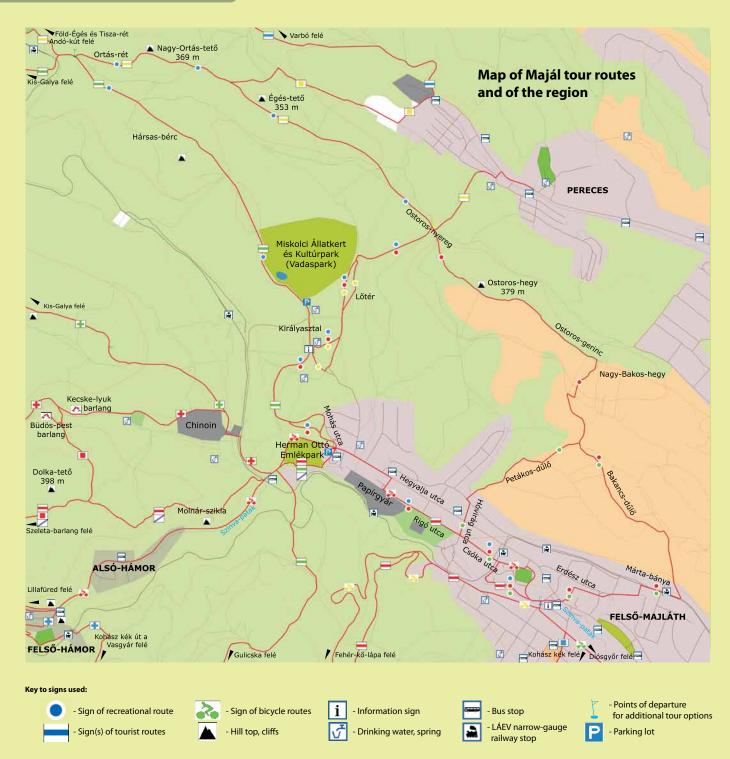
LILLAFÜRED AND THE BÜKK HILLS

Viskolc is situated at the eastern gateway of the Bükk National Park. The areas surroundng the town provide many opportunities for beople seeking active recreation or for lovers of nature. Nature trails introduce the wildlife of the Bükk Hills, and marked paths lead to different locations such as the legendary Molnár cliffs, the ruins of the Paulite cloister n Szentlélek, or the skiing centre in Bánkút.

> the world that are open to the public; its pits were formed by the arching of waterfalls, and the moss, pine foliage and the network of roots covering the walls and ceilings of the halls are really spectacular. If you wish to take only an easy and refreshing excursion, you should walk along the creek from Pele-lak, the house that used to be the home of Ottó Herman, to the Felsőhámor cliffs in the wooded valley surrounded by hills.

You should definitely visit these sights!

Miskolc Zoo and Cultural Park (p. 21) Museum of Metallurgy (p. 38) The statue of Attila József and the Szinva waterfall in the suspended garden Saint Stephen stalactite cave (p. 50) Anna Cave Ottó Herman Memorial House (p. 36) Ancient blast-furnace in Újmassa and the Massa Museum (p. 38) Garadna Trout Farm (p. 41) Treasure-seeking trip for the treasure of Lilla (p. 52) Lillafüred Ecotourism Center (p. 53)



Miskolc is surrounded by friendly, nice hills that practically invite us to do some exercise. The Majál-routes are located in close vicinity to certain traffic links of the city (Felső-Majláth, Vasgyár, Komlóstető, Miskolctapolca). These were established so that tours can be combined from light, half-hour walks to half-marathon distances (yellow – 1.6 km; green – 4.4 km; red – 8.8 km; blue – 12.1 km).

MAJÁL TOUR

Recommended detours:

BLUE: Felső-Majláth – Csóka u. – Rigó u. – Hegyalja u. – Mohás u. – Királyasztal – Vadaspark [Wildlife Park] – Hársas-bérc – Ortás-tető – Nagy-Ortás-tető – Égés-tető – Ostoros-nyereg – Királyasztal – Mohás utca – Hegyalja utca – Rigó utca – Csóka utca – Felső-Majláth (Distance: 12.1 km, level difference: 260 m)

RED: Felső-Majláth – Erdész utca – Márta-bánya – Pecérvölgy – Bakancs-dűlő – Ostoros-gerinc – Ostoroshegy – Ostoros-nyereg – Királyasztal – Mohás utca – Hegyalja utca – Rigó utca – Csóka utca – Felső-Majláth (Distance: 8.8 km, level difference: 240 m)

GREEN: Felső-Majláth – Erdész utca – Márta-bánya – Pecérvölgy – Bakancs-dűlő – Petákosdűlő – Hóvirág utca – Csóka utca – Felső-Majláth (Distance: 4.4 km, level difference: 95 m)

YELLOW: Királyasztal – Lőtér – Királyasztal (Distance: 1.6 km, level difference: 40 m)

Additional tour options:

From Felső-Majláth via the Szinva creek footbridge:

- Along red line marked tourist sign Fehér-kő-lápa (5 km)
 – Lillafüred (7.3 km)
- Along yellow bicycle sign Fehér-kő-lápa (7.8 km) – Bükkszentkereszt (10.9 km)
- Along green bicycle sign Diósgyőr Castle (1.5 km)
 Komlóstető (6.5 km) – Miskolctapolca (9.4 km)
 Görömböly (12.3 km)
- Along blue square marked tourist sign up to Kék kereszt [Blue Cross] (Kohászkék) route, and then along that in western direction Felső-Hámor (7.5 km)

From Majális-park bus station in southern direction:

- Along red line marked tourist sign Molnár-szikla (1 km), and then together with red square 1.3 km, detour in southern direction
- Along red square marked tourist sign Szeleta-barlang (2.7 km) – Lillafüred (4.3 km)
- Along green line marked tourist sign in southern direction Gulicska (3.1 km)
 Fehér-kő-lápa (4.7 km)
 Lillafüred (7.8 km)
- Along red bicycle sign in western direction Lillafüred (3.2 km)

Bükk Youths' Tourist Association www.bukkikalandozoo.hu

BLUE TOUR

Take a tour in the City and hold on to your mobile! We have placed a communication device near each of the following Miskolc sights, which will send Bluetooth messages to your mobile. Finding the circle of 50-meter radius is also supported by guiding signs posted at the locations.

Among the descriptions of nearby sights and current programmes, the message will also contain a number. Please collect all five of them and read them together in the following sequence: 1: in the reception hall of the Cave Bath 2: on the ground floor of the Theatre Museum 3: at the ticket booth of the Lillafüred narrow-gauge railway station 4: in the reptile house of Miskolc Zoo

5: on the ground floor of Miskolc Gallery

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The theatre with the longest history of today's Hungary is the Miskolc National Theatre, and the history and careers of its actors are documented and displayed at the Museum of Theatre History and Acting, available to the public. The memorial place of deceased Miskolc actors and actresses was the location of the first stone theatre performing in Hungarian for 2 decades, starting from 1823. A permanent exhibition of the museum introduces the history of performing arts in Miskolc, with archive records, interactive elements, and creative tasks for children.

Cave Bath****

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You should also take a dip in the "healing water" of friars! The karst water cave system that is peculiar in Europe has been known as a favourite bath of Benedictine monks as early as in the 14th century. Due to the cave climate similar to tropical and humid weather and to the refreshing karst water of 30-35 °C rich in minerals, Miskolctapolca is one of the most favoured holiday resorts in Hungary. The Cave Bath**** is the internationally famous spectacle of Miskolc, its outdoor swimming pools and internal chambers are extraordinary sights and remarkable recreation locations at the same time. Wellness fans can participate in different sauna séances held by professional sauna experts. Persons favouring mobility can try water aerobics, and those who seek

care can choose from different refreshing massages and treatments at the renovated Cave Aquatherapy section all year round.

extra comfort and

State Forest Railways of Lillafüred, Lillafüred Station

+36 46 530 593 www.laev.hu

You can reach the Dorottya street terminal (LÁEV Station) of the railway from the City Centre by tram. The Lillafüred narrow-gauge railway operated by Északerdő Zrt. is one of the most beautiful forest railways of Hungary: it is a true hillside track; the track



runs through steep hills, peculiar valley bridges and tunnels. You depart from a town-like location, near the Castle of Diósgyőr and you will reach several spectacles: Place the series of numbers after the number ndicated below, and dial the number thus generated; the person responding to the call s going to inform you about the location where you can receive your well-deserved award, the treasure of the Blue Tour. What's more, you will also receive 9 culture scores!

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the Palota Hotel in Lillafüred, along the Garadna valley and the shore of Lake Hámori, waterfalls, caves, the ancient blast-furnace in Újmassa and to the starting points of many different hiking tours.

Miskolc Gallery

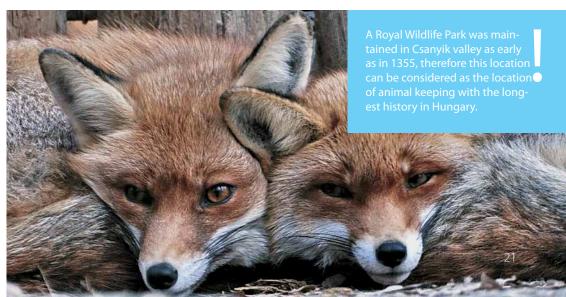
Rákóczi u. 2. +36 46 500 680 www.miskolcigaleria.hu Through the opening

of the central building, the Rákóczi House, the Miskolc Gallery rose to the front-runners of domestic exhibition locations, and it also gained the rank to be the historic building area and in the new wing connected to it, a floor space of 300 square metres hosts temporary exhibitions, but musical performances, chamber music and choir concerts are also regular events. The Kondor Collection is exhibited in the attic of the old building.

classified as a museum. In

Miskolc Zoo and Cultural Park Csanyik völgy + 36 46 332 121

www.miskolczoo.hu The Miskolc Zoo and Cultural Park exhibits about 700 animals of nearly 130 different species in a mixed forest of hornbeams and oaks on a total area of 21 hectares. Apart from the wildlife of domestic forests, vou can see some exotic species from faraway parts of the world, as well as several endemic domestic animals. The area of the park is located near the area of the Bükk National Park, therefore you can also learn more about the plant life of the Bükk Hills along the recently established nature trail and high-stand.



BLUETOUR

he condition for receiving the award of the lue Tour is to show the five Bluetooth mesages, and to spend at least two guest nights (2 ersons x 1 night = 2 guest nights) in any comnercial accommodations of Miskolc, which you an verify by a stamp placed on the last page f the publication. A detailed description of he game rules of Kultúrkör (Cultural Domain) nd other valuable awards to be won are to be bound in the 'Cultural Domain' chapter.





The Miskolc International Opera Festival was founded in 2000 with the goal to connect Miskolc and the region to the international circulation of music life.

During the past 11 years, the "Bartók +..." Miskolc International Opera Festival has made Miskolc to be the bastion of Central European opera life; the event is considered to be the most characteristic Bartók Festival, also favoured by the descendants of Bartók. One of the key goals of the Miskolc Opera Festival is to keep the works of Béla Bartók alive. The performance of the works of the world-known composer forms a permanent part of the Festival; his pieces made for stage performance are presented upon instructions from traditional and modern directors, interpreted



main street, the squares and courts are all decorated as opera settings, proclaiming the slogan of the festival: "Music can build a City!" www.operafesztival.hu





by world renowned artists.

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The very first bus line of the country was in service from Városház square to Diósgyőr, and the first tram of the region was placed into service along the main street (1897).

CASTLE FESTIVAL

Renaissance Crowd mid May

At the one-day season-opening event of the Castle Festival King Mathias and Queen Beatrice welcome the visitors. The royal court comes to life after the long winter on a late spring day. The royal couple and their royal household are entertained by showmen, court musicians and entertainers, and craftsmen and merchants are eager to sell their products and goods.

Borsod Spinning Folk Festival beginning of June

In the folk art village-style museum formed in the Castle yard, you may get acquainted with the art of the Carpathian basin through the works of folk artists and craftsmen. In the afternoons, dancers dressed in national costumes demonstrate different dances characteristic of the different regions. Besides authentic folk music, bands mixing folklore with more modern elements are also invited. By now, the Festival has grown outside the walls of the Castle, and you can find events taking place in the City Centre, with people walking down the streets in costumes.

Borsod Spinning Festival for Children beginning of June

After the Borsod Spinning Folk Festival mainly aimed at adults and young people as audiences, schoolchildren of younger ages can also get a chance to learn more about the roots of Hungarian culture and some segments of the history of the Hungarian people. During the four-day programme, families and organized school groups can visit folk craft shows, interactive history lessons, a spectacular show of archers on horses and on foot, dance club events, as well as the exhibition of national costumes and folk music performances.

Castle Games for Children end of May

The three-day festival for children serves as a cheerful family programme full of great experiences during the last weekend of May. Among the large variation of programmes, you may find children's shows, children's theatre performances, shows with artists on wooden legs, street acrobats and passages at arms.

Diósgyőr Castle Theatre Nights from the middle of July to the middle of August

Through the stage constructed in the moat of Diósgyőr Castle, you may spend pleasant summer evenings watching plays of comedy or more serious genres performed by domestic and cross-border Hungarian theatre groups.

Medieval market crowd and tournament in the royal court of King Louis the Great mid August

During the two-day time-travel, one of the visits of King Louis the Great is recalled at the castle yard. Fighting shows, tournaments and shows by archers on horseback are performed for the king and the royal court. Court showmen, musicians and market co-medians entertain the court folk. Visitors can mingle among the dwellers of the medieval town coming to life.

Bükk Day of Game and Wine beginning of September

The Castle of Diósgyőr used to be the preferred hunting castle of kings due to the rich stocks of game of the Bükk Hills and to the surrounding wine regions. At the closing event of the Castle Festival, you can taste delicious game and fish dishes, and drink tasty wines and spirits. If you are brave enough, you can also sign off for a cooking competition, where a professional jury judges the dishes.

FESTIVALS

The film studio founder William Fox, Adolph Czukor, or the legendary British-Hungarian scriptwriter and director, Emeric Pressburger all started out from Borsod county to conquer the world.

Jameson Cinefest Miskolc International Film Festival in the second half of September

The festival provides an opportunity for the young filmmaker generation to introduce and to put themselves to test. The Jameson Cinefest receives 500 to 600 nominations per year on average in the categories of long feature films, short features and experimental films, documentary and animation films from all over the world. Based on the decision by the pre-jury, 55 to 60 films enter the competition, which films may be viewed free of charge during the festival. The vast majority of the films participating at the festival are premieres in Hungary, and the works on show are also participants in the competition programmes at the Berlin, Cannes, and Venice Film Festivals in the same year. Among the events related to Cinefest there are international conferences, workshops, encounters between artists and the audience, film historical presentations, CineClassic screenings, and concerts. The festival also



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obtained the title "Excellent Arts Festival", and it is the only national film festival where an oecomenic jury delegated by the international organisations SIGNIS and INTERFILM also awards prices for the films. www.cinefest.hu

Old Automobiles and Motor Vehicles Event end of July In the course of an all-weekend automobile event, oldtimer automobile wonders tour the sights of Miskolc and its surroundings. www.ramme.hu

Miskolc University Days (MEN) May

The festival organised at the Miskolc University Campus has been one of the most significant university festivals of the country for decades. In addition thereto, MEN is not only a pop music

event hosting the most famous Hungarian bands and DJs from year to year. Its traditional programmes form an important part of student life in Miskolc, and this is also when the final round for the election of the student rector takes place. www.uni-miskolc.hu

Rocktóberfest October

The other major festival hosted by the University

Town, the Rocktóberfest brings the greatest of Hungarian festival bands and entertainers to Miskolc also in the autumn season, but the audience may of course enjoy performances by the best local bands as well. www.rocktoberfest.hu

The first Hungarian rock festival was organised in 1973 in Miskolc, at the Diósgyőr Stadium.

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FESTIVALS

International Formation Dance Festival and Open Championships, mid-December

The best formation dance groups of Hungary compete in the categories of standard, Latin and ballroom dance. Invitees from abroad, ballet and competition dance couples add even more colour to the event, allowing an insight into various genres of dances. www.ifihazmiskolc.hu



FESTIVALS

Miskolc Winter Festival – Jelly Festival

end of February

Déryné period colourful market crowd in the inner city of Miskolc, where a multitude of street musicians, comedians, craftsmen welcome our visitors. In addition to the authentic plays at the barn theatre, the revival of contemporary customs, guests are offered excellent meals, among others the famous Miskolc jelly and the "Draught"! www.kocsonyafesztival.hu

Miskolc Wine Spritzer Festival, mid-June Summer, hot weather, chilled drinks and carefree entertainment – this is the Wine Spritzer Festival, which is organised each year at the same time with the Night of

Museums. Various versions of the drink that is considered to be a Hungarian specialty are available for tasting for those wishing to try wine spritzer.

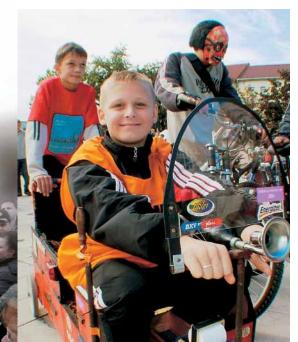
www.froccsfesztival.hu

"... in the city centre, around the former marketplace, there remained a real gate. It is not an exit — it is an entry.... Sötétkapu [Dark Gate]. A notion. If you pass through the Gate, the Avas hill will emerge before you." (Lóránt Kabdebó)

Central-European Tour Miskolc Grand Prix, July

The most important bicycle road tour event series of Hungary passes Miskolc in July. Due to active family and children's programmes promoting bicycle sports, the event creates a real cyclists' fiesta in the city.

www.kerekparsport2000.hu





Mobility Week Miskolc second half of September

Clean air for everyone! Busy, green programmes all week: bicycle performance tour, presentations, film screenings, alternative technologies, tenders, sports events, procession, bus painting, bus pulling, skill competitions, asphalt drawings competition, Automobile Free Day, Critical Mass. www.ecolinst.hu

Earth Day Festival 22 April

The colourful variety of events will be organised at several locations in Miskolc, for one week, with the cooperation of environmentalist, youth and cultural organisations. www.greenaction.hu



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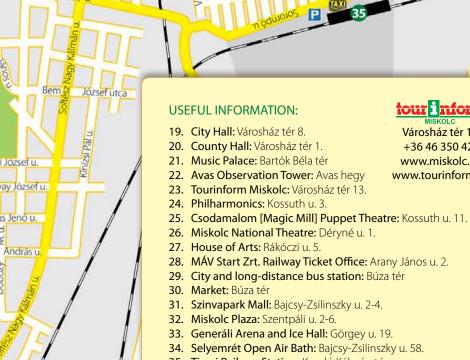
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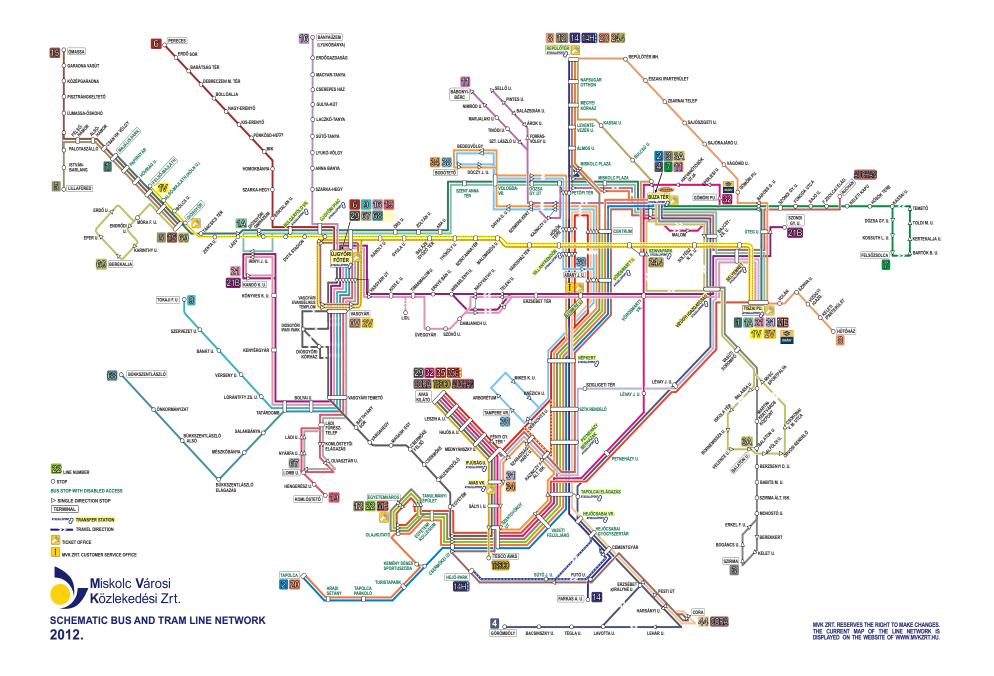
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- 14. Deszkatemplom (Wooden Church): Tetemvár, Petőfi tér
- 15. Synagogue: Kazinczy u. 7.
- 16. Mindszent Church: Mindszent tér 6.
- 17. Lutheran Church: Hunyadi u. 8.
- 18. Búza square Greek Catholic Church: Búza tér



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- 28. MÁV Start Zrt. Railway Ticket Office: Arany János u. 2.
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GAME!

Miskolc Cultural Centre Endre Ady Community Centre Árpád u. 4. ■ +36 46 530 516 www.adymuvhaz.hu Events, exhibitions, Ady movie theatre, Diósgyőr Radio all

year round. Culture scores may be collected at all events organised within the institution.

Diósgyőr Handicrafts Creative Community Centre

Nagy Lajos Király u. 18. ■ +36 46 400 419 www.kezmuvesekhaza.hu Community Centre hosting creative masters of works of art and traditionalists. Live workshops, exhibitions, community events, market for handicrafts products. Culture scores may be collected at all events of the Diósgyőr Handicrafts Creative Community Centre.

Diósgyőr Castle

Vár u. 24. • +36 46 533 355 www.diosgyorivar.hu Historical wax works, exhibition for arms and armours from the Middle Ages, exhibition of castle history and presenting the refurbishment works, "Master Builder" tour. Culture scores are due also when visiting the exhibitions and events.

Miskolc Cultural Centre

Youth and Leisure Community Centre Győri kapu 27. • +36 46 411 747 www.ifihazmiskolc.hu Festivals, concerts, theatre nights, exhibitions, arts ensembles all year round. Culture scores may be collected at all events organised within the institution. The rules of the game and the seal collection page can be found on the last page of the publication, which you are requested to submit

Miskolc Csodamalom [Magic Mill] Puppet Theatre

Kossuth u. 11. • +36 46 502 665 www.csodamalom.hu Children's puppet theatre with 250 plays per year, hosting approx. 50.000 spectators, offering representative and interactive events. Culture scores may be collected at all performances of the Csodamalom Puppet Theatre.

Miskolc National Theatre

Déryné u. 1. • +36 46 516 700 www.mnsz.eu Theatre complex with five stage locations: Great Theatre, Chamber Theatre, Hall, Stage (Játékszín) and Summer Theatre. Culture scores may be collected at all performances of the Miskolc National Theatre.

Miskolc Symphony Orchestra

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Mining Collection

Miskolc-Mexikóvölgy • +36 30 9350 789 www.ipariorokseg.hu/tarlatvezetes/ mining collection/ Mon-Fri: 09.00-13.00 Entry free of charge, subject to advance booking by telephone.

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for Paper Industry Hegyalja u. 203/1. ■ +36 46 530 824 www.dipa.hu Mon–Fri: 10.00–14.00 1st Saturday of each month: 10.00–14.00, following Monday: closed For groups advance booking is required. Specialist collection about the history of paper production and the Mill.

Collection of University History and Selmec Library of Historic Monuments Miskolc-University Town +36 46 565 111/1617 www.muzeum.uni-miskolc.hu

WWW.MUZEUM.UNI-MISKOIC.NU Mon-Fri: 10.00–13.00 In other cases, please call. Admission free of charge. Material relics of the university's history and student traditions, and treasures of the Selmec mineral collection.

Feledy House

Deák tér 3. ■ +36 46 500 680 www.miskolcigaleria.hu By prior appointment. The permanent exhibition presents the works of Gyula Feledy, Kossuth Prize award winning artist.

Ottó Herman Memorial House

Miskolc-Lillafüred, Erzsébet sétány 33. +36 46 370 703 ■ www.hermuz.hu Wed–Sun: 10.00–16.00 (01.03– 30.11) Sat–Sun: 10.00–16.00 (01.12–28.02) Permanent exhibition: Life and works of Ottó Herman.

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Ottó Herman Museum Gallery

Görgey A. u. 28. ■ +36 46 560 170 www.hermuz.hu Tues-Sun: 10.00-16.00 The richest regional collection of Hungarian painting. Permanent exhibition: Hungarian artists in the 18-20th century.

Ottó Herman Museum Exhibition Building

Papszer 1. ■ +36 46 346 875 www.hermuz.hu Tues–Sun: 10.00–16.00 Permanent exhibitions: Endre Szász collection, History of Photography exhibition.

Kós House

Görgey A. u. 32. • +36 46 361 413 Mon-Fri: 09.00-13.00 Admission free of charge Permanent exhibition: Life and works of Károly Kós.

József Lévay Historic Library

Mindszent tér 2. • +36 46 350 473 www.mclib.hu/konyvtarak/levaykonyvtar/ Mon–Fri: 10.00–17.00, Entry free of charge. The files of 40,000 pieces, only to be used at the Library, contain historic volumes, old Hungarian printed matter, antiques, periodicals and even school reports. A rarity is the only ancient print of the library, the famous Miskolc Fragment from 1488, a fragment of the Vitkovics Codex from 1525, and the Old Testament section of the Vizsoly Bible.

Lézerpont (Laser Point) Image Museum

Győri kapu 57. • +36 46 428 111 www.nepviseleteink.hu Mon–Fri: 09.00–18.00 Sat: 09.00–14.00 The largest visitable collection of national costumes of the Carpathian basin + 7 permanent exhibitions on the topics of minor crafts, material culture of the fifties, contemporary postcards from Miskolc, special minerals and the history of optics.



















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Hungarian Museum of Technology and Traffic, Museum of Metallurgy Miskolc-Felsőhámor, Palota u. 22. +36 46 379 375 • www.kohmuz.hu Tues-Sun: 10.00-17.00 (01.05 -31.10) Tues-Sun: 09.00-16.00 (01.11 -30.04) History of development of iron metallurgy from ancient times to our time.

Hungarian Museum of Technology and Traffic, Massa Museum and Ancient Furnace Miskolc-Újmassa, Ómassai út +36 46 370 864 Tues-Sun: 10.00-17.00 (01.04-30.10) In other cases, please request an appointment. Ironwork tilting-mill with water wheel in operation, machinery village museum, "Fazola furnace".

Hungarian Orthodox Church Museum Deák tér 7. ■ +36 46 415 441 Tues-Sun: 10.00–18.00 (01.05–30.09) Tues-Sun: 08.00–16.00 (01.10–30.04) In other cases, for groups please request an appointment. Permanent exhibition: Artistic and cultural heritage of the Hungarian Orthodox Church.

Miskolc Gallery

Rákóczi u. 2. +36 46 500 680 www.miskolcigaleria.hu Tues-Sun: 10.00–18.00 (01.06.– 30.09) Tues-Sun: 09.00–17.00 (01.10–31.05) Béla Kondor memorial place. Book store of publications for social sciences and arts.

Missionart Gallery

Széchenyi u. 14. • +36 46 326 906 www.missionart.hu By prior appointment. Admission free of charge. Contemporary avant-garde art.

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Misi Nyilas House

Kossuth u. 17. = +36 46 508 724 www.nyilasmisi.hu Admission free of charge, subject to advance booking. Permanent exhibition: Eszter Bató memorial room. Home in body and spirit for young people and children, scouts' room, chapel, church book store, conference room, literary tavern, sports ground, dance club.

Petró House

Hunyadi u. 12. • +36 46 500 680 www.miskolcigaleria.hu Can only be visited by prior appointment. Admission free of charge. Permanent exhibition: Works of Lajos Szalay, graphic artist. Specialist library of fine arts and research centre.

Postakürt Gallery

Kazinczy u. 16. • +36 20 979 5487 www.postamuzeum.hu Can only be visited by prior appointment. Groups are requested to make an appointment per telephone. 200-year history of North-Hungarian postal service, accompanied by documents, equipment, assets.

Museum of Theatre History and Dramatic Art Déryné u. 3. ■ +36 30 660 9299 www.miskolcigaleria.hu Tues-Sat: 10.00–18.00 (01.06.– 31.08) Tues-Sat: 09.00–17.00 (01.09–31.05) Permanent exhibition: History of dramatic art in Miskolc, including archive recordings, interactive elements, and creative workshops for children.

History of Telecommunications Image Museum Miskola Szentavöray († 23

Miskolc, Szentgyörgy u. 23. +36 30 359 3539 www.postamuzeum.hu Wed, Sat: 10.00–16.00. In other cases, please request an appointment. Exhibition about the explosive development of telecommunications, looking back over a period of over 100 years.











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Toscana Art Café Restaurant Csabai kapu 26.

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Csülök Inn

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AVAS

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Aranykorona Restaurant and "Walking Cellar" Kisavas első sor 19-20. +36 46 506 882 www.aranvkorona.eu

Avas Wine Museum Nagyavas, Latabár sor 388. +36 30 928 8793

Halásztanya Restaurant Mélyvölgy u. 15. +36 46 508 182

Mesterek Restaurant Papszer u.46. +36 46 382 238 www.mestereketterme.hu

PalacsintaHáz Restaurant & BorKlub Cellar Mélyvölgy út 212. +36 70 374 3671 www.palacsintahaz.com

Székelykert Restaurant Földes u. 4.

+36 46 411 222 www.szekelykertvendeglo.hu

MISKOLCTAPOLCA

Park Hotel Restaurant Csabai u. 35. +36 46 422 605 www.parkhotel-miskolc.eu

Calimera Hotel Restaurant Bencések útja 9-11.

+36 46 799 200 www.calimerawellnesshotel.hu

From the outdoor terrace of the 4-star hotel's restaurant guests may enjoy an excellent view of the Bükk Hills while dining. The venue is

ideal for major events and weddings.

Tusculanum Tavern Miskolctapolca, Zilahy u. 7. +36 46 422 603 www.tusculanum.com

Bástya Wellness Hotel Restaurant Miskolctapolcai u. 1-3. +36 46 561 590

www.bastyawellnesshotel.hu

Kis-Anna Fishermen's Garden

Görömbölyi u. 38. +36 46 422 900 www.kisanna.hu

Guests may find a wide choice of fish dishes at the restaurant furnished in Hungarian style with a pleasant garden facility.

Hotel Kikelet Bonfini Restaurant

Fenyő u. 7. +36 46 560 160 www.kikeletclubhotel.hu

DIÓSGYŐR

Vén Diófa Restaurant Nagy Lajos király u. 40/a +36 46 331 728

Talizmán Restaurant

Vár u. 14. +36 46 378 627 Pleasant restaurant, with garden facility, located at the foot of Diósqvőr Castle.

Várkert Panzió Restaurant

Tapolcarét u. 2/a. +36 46 535 247 www.diosgyorivarkert.hu Végállomás Restaurant and Beer House Dorottya u. 1. +36 46 402 952 www.vegallomasetterem.hu

LILLAFÜRED

Hotel Tókert*** Restaurant Erzsébet sétány 3. +36 46 533 560 www.hoteltokert.hu

Zöldfa Panzió Restaurant

Palota u.40. +36 46 379 399 www.zoldfapanzio.hu

Hunguest Hotel Palota****superior Mátyás Restaurant Erzsébet sétány 1. +36 46 331 411 www.hotelpalota.hunquesthotels.com The hotel's restaurant deco-

rated by painted lead glass

windows located at one of the most beautiful locations in Hungary offers Renaissance, Upper Hungarian and Transvlvanian special dishes with authentic music.

Lillafüred Trout Farm – Erdei Halsütöde Bakehouse Miskolc-Lillafüred, along the

Molnár Inn

Vadas J. u.6. www.molnarcsarda.hu

Sebesvíz Panzió Restau-



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Rákóczi u. 5. www.muveszetekhazamiskolc.hu

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Széchenyi u. 2. +36 70 206 5743

www.sarokhazmiskolc.hu If you wish to know what it is like to run through the fountain in Erzsébet square, and then to have a nice lemonade or carrot cake, please visit our café.



Collins Coctail & Vino Bar Széchenvi u. 48.

+36 20 214 5893 www.collins.hu

The name of the cocktail bar was inspired by prohibition. At the bar there is quality club music and video disco at weekends to entertain guests.

East Side Arena and Beach

Miskolctapolca, Fagyöngy u. 3. +36 70 701 1116 www.eastsidearena.hu

On Saturdays – and during the summer period also on weekdays – palm tree pool parties with popular DJs and singers performing.

Hypnose Club & Lounge Hunyadi u. 3.

+36 46 508 545 www.hypnose.hu

Popular dance and music location, with well-known musicians performing, Cavington parties.

Rockwell Club

Miskolc-Egyetemváros +36 46 565 422

www.rockwellklub.hu

Real university club atmosphere, great parties, venue of the Miskolc University Days and Rocktóberfest.

Spaten Pub and Terrace

Szent István tér/next to Virágóra [Flower Clock] The Bavarian Pub in the inner city is a popular location for young people. On its beer terrace pop music concerts are organised each weekend from spring to autumn.

Grizzly Music Pub

Szent István tér/ next to Virágóra [Flower Clock] +36 46 325 532 www.grizzly.hu An exciting inner city "concert pub". Weekends rock, jazz and blues bands perform at the pub with a good atmosphere located in the heart of the inner city.

Corner Stage Café Papszer utca 48. +36 20 228 7293

+36 70 945 7909 www.cornerstage.hu The "Corner" – despite its name - is not located at a corner and is much more



+36 30 820 1445

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Berze Café Hősök tere 1.

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www.berzekavezo.hu

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+36 20 441 5734 www.falankfanny.hu Mon-Sat: 08.00-20.00 Sun: 09.00-19.30 Great choice of pastries, DVTK [local football club] cake, cold buffet meals, cooked, real fruit ice-creams and ice-creams prepared with milk on offer.

Nagy Lajos király u. 9–13. +36 46 531 240 www.kisgergely.hu H-V: 09.30-19.00

Szemere u. 3.

Kisgergely Pastry Shop

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ACCOMMODATION



Guests visiting Miskolc for more than one day can make their choice from a wide variety of accommodations. On the following pages we provide a selection of accommodations, from which the elderly and the young, families and friends, business travellers and nature-lovers can easily find the ones that suit them the best. Tourists are not only welcome at the historical or modern hotels, but also the cosy B&Bs and homely guest-houses. In the centre of Miskolc, in Lillafüred and in Miskolctapolca all types of accommodation are available, while Diósgyőr mostly offers B&Bs and guest-houses.

Several hotels of the city offer suitable venues for conferences and other events. Each location offers conference rooms, coffee-room or drink bar, restaurant, private parking and internet access. At several places high-standard technical equipment is available to meet the basic requirements of conference organizers.

The high-standard hotels and B&Bs offer air-conditioned and unobstructed premises, and they accept Holiday

vouchers and SZÉP Cards. In addition to the foregoing, discount rates are provided for the Hungarian Tourism Card and the Hotel Association Card at many places. Most 3-star or 4-star hotels offer honeymoon suites, family suites and wellness facilities, where guests may indulge in countless services enlivening to both body and mind, such as jacuzzi, steam cabin, massage, solar bed, sauna and plunge pool, sunbathing terrace, swimming pool, fitness room, bowling

and snooker facilities, and also garden premises are available to guests wishing to relax. Furthermore you may also participate

in events organized by animators. Most of the hotels provide baby-sitting services, if required. Animal lovers are also thought of, as pets are admitted at many locations. Miskolc hoteliers offer group discount rates and package rates in any part of the year, which are not limited to long weekends and holidays, but invite quests for recreation and relaxation on weekdays as well. You may access the list of accommodations in Miskolc at the website of the city of Miskolc (www.miskolc. hu) and at the Tourinform-Miskolc office. At the website of www.miskolctapolca. hu you can find offers from Miskolctapolca hoteliers.

ACCOMMODATION



MISKOLCTAPOLCA AND SURROUNDINGS

Zenit B&B

Miskolctapolcai u. 25. +36 46 561 560 www.zenitpanzio.hu

The B&B welcomes its guests with exquisitely furnished, air-conditioned 1st class rooms in the heart of Tapolca, only 5 minutes from the Cave Bath. Admission tickets to nearby sights are provided at discounted rates to those interested. Rent-a-car service is also available at the premises.



Pazár István sétány +36 46 508 042 www.hotelkittv.hu

The hotel located in the direct vicinity of the Cave Bath welcomes its guests with 25 modern and exquisitely furnished rooms, accommodating 60 persons altogether, and with an elegant restaurant, an alluring wellness facility and private parking.

Kikelet Club Hotel*** Fenyő u. 7. +36 46 560 160

www.kikeletclubhotel.hu The Kikelet Club Hotel offers 4 rooms and

17 suites. Their large-sized suites are recommended for families with children and for groups of friends.

Panoráma Guest House Nvitrai u. 5.

+36 46 431 970, +36 20 9451 259 www.panoramavendeghaz.olh.hu

The guest house is located at 700 metres from the Cave Bath at a point of highaltitude in Miskolctapolca, which ensures a breathtaking panorama. Fitness and infrared sauna services are included in the room rates.



















Calimera Wellness & Conference Hotel **** Bencések útja 9-11., +36 46 799 200 www.calimerawellnesshotel.hu

The hotel is the gemstone of Miskolctapolca, located at only a few minutes' walk from the world famous Cave Bath. The 53-room hotel operates a 600 m2 large wellness facility, and a restaurant and a conference room accommodating 120 and 100 guests, respectively.

Fortuna Hotel***

Csabai u. 2., +36 46 432 345 www.fortuna-hotel.hu

The hotel is located in the centre of this holiday resort-like quarter of Miskolc. There are single and double rooms, and family suites consist of 2 rooms and may accommodate 3-4-5 persons.

Tölgyfa B&B

Ungvári utca, +36 46 555 040 www.tolgyfapanzio.hu

The B&B is surrounded by hundred-year old oak trees and is located at a point of high-altitude. It welcomes its guests with comfortably furnished single, double and 3-bed rooms.

Uni-Hotel

Miskolc-Egyetemváros, +36 46 560 250 www.uni-hotel.hu

The hotel is located in a green zone and is based on Campus at the University of Miskolc, at the gate of Miskolctapolca. As the building also functions as a university hostel, it can accommodate 60 persons from September to June, while its capacity may be increased to 603 persons in July and August.

Bástya Wellness Hotel****

Miskolctapolcai út 1., +36 46 561 590 www.bastyawellnesshotel.hu

The hotel is located 100 metres from the Cave Bath. Guests may opt for suites in addition to hotel rooms, and numerous wellness services are also available. The hotel is an excellent venue for conferences and other events.

LILLAFÜRED AND DIÓSGYŐR

Hotel Tókert***

Erzsébet sétány 3., +36 46 531 202 www.hoteltokert.hu

The hotel is located in the picturesque surroundings of Lillafüred, on the shores of Lake Hámori. Guests are accommodated in 14 double bedrooms and in one superior room, which are located in three separate buildings. The facility also includes a restaurant accommodating 110 people, which serves as a perfect venue for wedding parties. A formidable view opens to Lake Hámori and the surrounding hills from the terrace of the restaurant.

Lillafüred Kapuja Mini Hotel Partos út 14.,

+36 46 339 423, +36 30 9681 045 www.lillafuredkapujahotel.hu

The hotel is located at the gate to the Bükk Hills, on a gently sloping southern hillside, in the vicinity of the Miskolc Zoo and Cultural Park. Those visiting may enjoy the unique and unforgettable panorama of the place.



Palota út 40., +36 46 379 399 www.zoldfapanzio.hu

The B&B is situated below the Lillafüred waterfall, 200 metres from the Hotel Palota (Palotaszálló). The place welcomes its guests with 15 (double, 3- and 4-bed) rooms and an in-house restaurant.

Ózon B&B

Erzsébet sétány 19. +36 46 532 594, +36 70 325 0898 www.ozon-panzio.hu

The B&B welcomes its guests in the heart of scenic Lillafüred, all year round with moderate prices and service in a homely atmosphere.











Hunguest Hotel Palota****superior Erzsébet sétány 1. +36 46 331 411, +36 46 400 126 www.hotelpalota.hunguesthotels.com

The pre-war atmosphere of the turn of the 1930s is combined with the services of the 21st century at the legendary Hotel Palota. The hotel welcomes those longing for relaxation, indulgence and recreation with its modern wellness facility and with redecorated rooms. Hunguest Hotel Palota is elevated to the level of our most supreme hotels by its romantic scenery and by the vicinity of the Bükk Hills and Lake Hámori.

Diósgyőri Várkert B&B

Tapolcarét u. 2/a., +36 46 532 247 www.diosqyorivarkert.hu

The scenic locale of the B&B is situated in the vicinity of the Castle of Diósgyőr and the Castle Bath, and a beautiful view is offered to the Bükk Hills from this point. Diósgyőr is a great starting point for various excursions and for visiting local sights: both Lillafüred and downtown Miskolc are easily accessible from this location.

MISKOLC CITY CENTRE



Öreg Miskolcz Hotel***+

Horváth Lajos u. 11., +36 46 550 550 www.oregmiskolcz.hu

The hotel welcomes its guests in the heart of downtown Miskolc. Its reputation is further enhanced by the elegant restaurant located on its ground floor, while in the basement of the building there is a wellness facility with saunas and a plunge pool, hydro massage shower cabin and a drink bar.

Hotel Pannónia *** Kossuth L. u. 2., +36 46 504 984

www.hotelpannonia-miskolc.hu The hotel, located in the historic City Centre of Miskolc, has preserved its patina and combined it with facilities meeting today's high-standard requirements. It welcomes its guests with 34 rooms, 7 suites, 2 conference rooms, sauna, underground car park and WiFi access. Every room and all guest spaces are air conditioned.



City Hotel Miskolc****

Csabai kapu 6., +36 46 555 100 www.cityhotelmiskolc.hu City Hotel Miskolc**** is located in the vicinity of the City Centre, in pleasant and easily accessible surroundings. Each of the 39 rooms is air conditioned, and the hotel offers a special room for disabled quests.

Lévay Villa Hotel***+

Lévay u. 13., +36 46 500 890 www.levayvilla.hu

Lévay Villa Hotel***+ welcomes its guests in a pleasant locale in the vicinity of Népkert (people's park), just a few minutes from the City Centre. The facility has 26 air-conditioned rooms, accommodating 1, 2, 3 and 4 persons, or even 6 persons upon special request, and 2 suites with bathrooms, where guests are entertained by the services of WiFi and LCD television.

Károly Hotel***

József A. u. 55., + 36 46 500 110 www.karolyhotel.hu

Károly Hotel*** is one of the largest accommodation facilities in Borsod county with modern style double rooms and comfortably furnished suites, offering the services of 3 conference rooms to meet the high-standard demands of guests all year round.







Dr. Kemény Dénes Swimming Pool Miskolctapolcai u., +36 46 560 454 www.misisportuszoda.hu

The Vigadó located in Népkert and a few other buildings in the City Centre, e.g. Weidlich Palace, were designed by the first Hungarian Olympic champion, Alfréd Hajós.

Erzsébet Bath – Alternative Diagnostic, Therapeutic and Health Care Centre Erzsébet tér 4., +36 46 505 293

www.erzsebetfurdo.hu

A special and holistic medical centre providing health care and physiotherapy in the heart of the City.

Selyemrét

Open-air Swimming Pool

Bajcsy-Zs. u. 58. +3646411399The construction works of 5 new pools have been started recently at the facility with the support of a European Union investment fund, and currently one swimming pool with a water tempera-

ture of 29 °C and a sauna accommodating 15 persons is available to quests. In the refurbished facility a group of thermal water supplied pools consisting of five units will be built, including a massage pool, a 25-metre long swimming pool and a slide pool.

Diósgyőr Castle Bath

Haller Gy. u. 1. +36 46 530 292

www.diosgyorivarfurdo.hu The open-air bath is located in scenic surroundings at the bottom of the Castle of Diósqvőr and at the foot of the Bükk Hills. The bath is open seasonally, from 1 June to 31 August. Water

temperature varies between 22-31 °C subject to ambient temperature. The pools (2x) are supplied by the Szent György spring. The pleasant atmosphere and the beauty of the scenery captivate every visitor.

Kristálysziget Salt Therapy

Maros u. 24. +36 30 337 5601 www.kristálysziget.hu

Szent István Stalactite Cave l illafüred

+36 46 334 130 www.bnpi.hu The cave's temperature is constantly around 10 °C with a humidity level of



close to 100% is almost perfectly sterile from a microbiological aspect, therefore, it is allergen free and has medicinal effects. 30-minute long tours start every hour, the minimum number required for the tour is 10 persons.

Pharmacy Natura

Széchenyi u. 48. Shop for special organic and medicinal products.

Miskolc Salt Cave

Rácz György út 6. fsz. 3. +36 46 324 802 www.miskolcisobarlang.hu By prior appointment only.

Györgytea

Andrássy u. 13. +36 30 405 7620

www.gyorgytea.hu

Medicinal herbs shop next to the Béla Bartók Cultural Centre, where you can buy herbal teas made by the "Bükk's herb-man", György Szabó.

Cave Bath Aqua Therapy Miskolctapolca, Pazár sétány 1. www.barlangfurdo.hu/ gyogyaszat +36 46 561 360

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Bath, welcomes all visitors,

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arrive with the intentions of

health protection, relaxation

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and joyful day. Visitors may

choose from various mas-

sages (aromatic, refreshing

and nourishing), zumba fit-

ness, aqua fitness or its me-

dicinal version, mud-pack,

weight bath; while swim-

and warm salt cave visits

ming courses, as well as dry

are offered to the youngest

generation. The above list

Cave Bath Aqua Therapy, the

Miskolctapolca, Pazár sétány 1., +36 46 560 030, Mon-Sun: 09.00-18.00, Mon-Sun: 09.00-20.00 (01.06-31.08)

The medicinal and wellness services provided to visitors in this karst water-filled cave system, which is a unique facility throughout the whole of Europe, ensure absolute recreation and relaxation.

> is far from being exhaustive; it is recommended that everyone selects personally what services they find most suitable. Those interested in losing weight are welcome by the dietary club, where weight loss is made more effective by personalized advice on exercising and massage therapy by doctors and dieticians. Club sessions are held separately for each age group and for ladies and gents, which may be an incentive for many. Furthermore, dentistry consultation is also available offering the following services: metal-free, zirconium-oxide prostheses, gratis condition survey, full-scale dental services, dental X-ray, tooth-conserving dentistry, cosmetic dentistry, aesthetic services.



ACTIVE

Adventure Park

Garas sétány, +36 46 400 225, www.kalandturapark.hu Mon-Sun: 10.00-19.00 (15.06-31.08), Mon-Fri: by prior appointment (01.04-15.06, 01.09-15.01), Sat-Sun: 10.00-19.00, (01.04-15.06, 01.09-15.10). Closed in case of rain! One of the largest adventure parks in Hungary embedded in a natural environment, occupying an area of almost 1,000 m2, with 25 obstacle courses elevated at the heights of 3 to 9 metres.

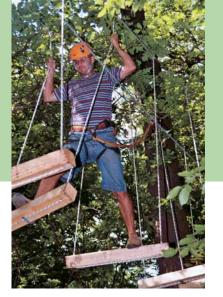


Green Contact – guided bicycle tours Kossuth u. 13., +36 46 505 077 www.zoldkapcsolat.hu

Bükk Youths' Tourist Association Vászonférítő u. 64. 3/2. +36 20 530 2053 www.bfte.hu Guided tours and camps in the Bükk Hills.

Bobsled Track Miskolctapolca, near the Rowing Lake +36 30 822 8552 www.mibob.hu One of the most exciting bobsled tracks of the country is open all year round!

Fontana Entertainment Centre – bowling-poolssquash Andrássy Gy. u. 94. +36 46 532 093



Szent Ferenc Hospital -**Tennis Club** Csabai kapu 42. +36 46 555 878

Hungaria Pension – squash Csabai u. 42. +36 46 432 884 www.hungariapanzio.hu

University Sports Centre - Tennis University Campus +36 46 565 248

A few years ago Lillafüred was swarming with teams of people wandering around joyfully and deciphering strange rhymes of old days. Please see the treasure hunting map and rhymed route description of the two- or three-hour long tour called as Lilla's Treasure invented by the Ecological Institute Foundation at the Ottó Herman Memorial House (+ 36 46 370 703)!

Miskolc Ice Hall Görgey u. 19., +36 46 506 442 Mon-Sat: 09.00-16.00, Sun: 10.00-12.00

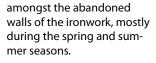
Miskolc City Leisure Centre - Generali Arena Görgey u. 19., +36 46 506 442

Line-fishing

Garadna Stream tumbling along Lake Hámori and the nearby trout farm is home to many beautiful trouts, too. The lovers of fly-fishing and spinning should not miss out on the nearby reaches of the River Sajó. Those mad about big carp fishing and peaceful fish are guaranteed to catch imperial specimens on Lake Harsányi. www.emhe.hu www.pisztrangtelep.hu www.harsanyhorgasz.hu

sports, climbing wall, Vasgyári út 43. +36 30 525 7698

Factory Arena, Miskolc's most popular youth entertainment centre, is located on site of the former Metallurgic Works. The complex amongst others accommodates a skate park and a climbing hall used for wall climbing. Music bands and DJs often give concerts



Balogh Liget – Horse Riding Club Szirmabesenyő, Királyhegy u. +36 46 712 899

www.baloghliget.hu

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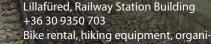
ACTIVE

Horse Riding Farm Bükkszentkereszt, Kossuth u. 43. +36 46 390 091

Factory Arena- extreme skate park

www.factoryarena.hu

Andersteinen



Lillafüred Ecotourism Center

zation of excursions, maps. Opening hours aligned to the timetable of the narrow-gauge railway.



Bio Market

Görgey A. u. 5. House of Science and Economy

www.greenaction.hu

Local producers sell their ecologically tested products every Friday from 8.00 to 14.00.

Antiquity Fair

+36 20 566 4874 www.regisegvasar.hu

In downtown Miskolc, in Városház Square on the first Sunday of each month from 07.00 a.m. to 4.00 p.m.

Amiliő Gift Shop

Széchenyi u. 8. Mon-Fri: 09.00-18.00, Sat: 10.00-13.00

Júlia Folk Art Boutique

Széchenyi út 70. Mon-Fri: 09.00-18.00, Sat: 09.00-13.00

Stílus & Design Gift Shop Széchenyi u. 27. Mon-Fri: 09.00-18.00, Sat-Sun: 09.00-13.00

Városház tér 13. +36 46 350 425 www.miskolc.hu www.tourinform.hu This is where you may

Tourinform-Miskolc

inquire about the touristic attractions and leisure events of Miskolc, Borsod-Abaúj-Zemplén County and the North-Hungarian region. Information brochures are available in several languages for tourists and local citizens from all over the country.

tour Inform

Bor Nívó Wine and Gift Shop Széchenyi u. 27. Mon-Fri: 09.00-18.00, Sat: 09.00-14.00

Búza Square Market Hall

- Búza tér 1. +36 46 509 555 M-F: 06.00-18.00, Sat: 06.00-14.00 Sun: 06.00-12.00 At the traffic interchange of Miskolc, fresh products and real market place
- We use paper produced in Diósgyőr day by day, as base papers for bank
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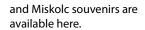
fans and those interested may buy souvenirs associated with the Diósgyőr Football Club. Among others,

as soccer jerseys in adults' and children's sizes, T-shirts, scarves, caps, pillows, mugs, as well as books and DVDs on the history of the football

GIFTS

Szocio-Produkt Kft. Shop Széchenyi u. 35.

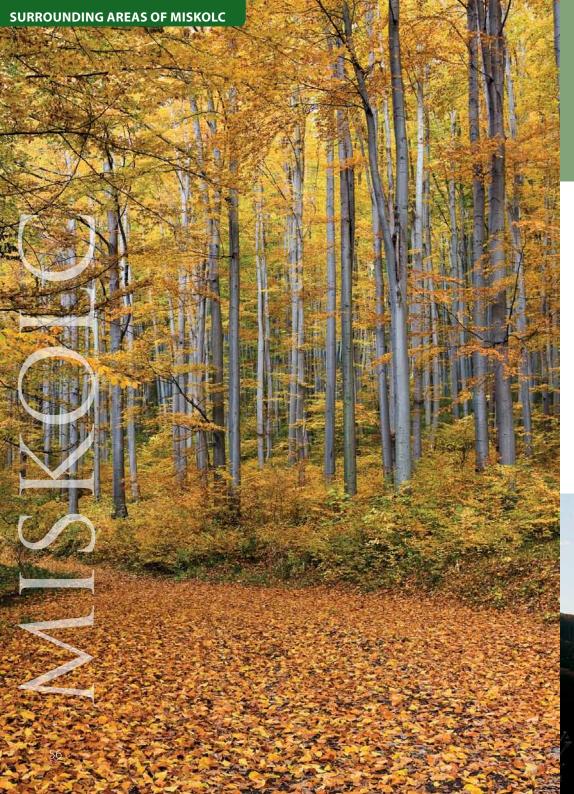
+36 70 450 8712 www.szocioprodukt.hu Unique handicraft products



GIFTS

Headline on 1 May, 1910: "The colours of the ironwork's team are red and white. It happened about two years ago that a few serious-minded apprentices teamed up, and started to play the generally liked football game at their own pleasure."





SURROUNDING AREAS OF MISKOLC

There is no other city in Hungary that would offer the same number of natural treasures to its visitors. In addition to the Bükk Hills, the Cave Bath and the sights of Lillafüred, there are four UNESCO World Heritage locations and other wildlife world sensations around Miskolc that guarantee incomparable experience.

<70 km> Moon-like surface or above-ground salt mine? At **Egerszalók**, the salt precipitation resulting from hot thermal waters gushing from depths to the surface deposits salt encrustation on the hillside, which is comparable to two other similar sites in the world only. Medicinal services based on hot springs are now provided at a European standard to those coming to this place to recover and to relax.

<25 km> Six specimens of the 8 million years old bald cypresses excavated from



60-meter depth in **Bükkábrány** are already exhibited in Ipolytarnóc, at the Palaeolithic footprint exhibition site of the Bükk National Park, while four other white cypresses will be exhibited in the underground exhibition space constructed in front of the Ottó Herman Museum.

SURROUNDING AREAS OF MISKOLC



<50 km> At Tokaj-Hegyalja the world famous "Tokaji aszú" wine came to existence owing to the lucky coincidence of innumerable criteria, which has been offered since many generations to guests visiting the wine region. The excursion and culinary experience are made unique by the picturesque site and the enchanting atmosphere of centuries-old wine cellars.



The medicinal herbs house of Uncle Gyuri, the "Bükk's herb-man", is located in Bükkszentkereszt.

SURROUNDING AREAS OF MISKOLC

The central part of Lake Tisza is the largest continuous fishing water space of the country, which is home to more than fifty species of fish.

SURROUNDING AREAS OF MISKOLC

< 85 km > Lake Tisza is the largest artificial lake in Hungary, with a water fauna that is unique even by European standards. Its bird reserve is of national importance and a protected natural treasure. You would not feel the same closeness to the world of romantic lagoons and vast water-lily fields at any other place.



< 75 km > Kassa (Kosice), Miskolc's twin town, will be given the title of European Capital of Culture in 2013. The Culture Park currently under construction and the Hungarian Theatre of Kassa (Kosice) will be assigned important roles during the cultural season. The cultural heritage and traditions of Sándor Márai's hometown justify the granting of the title.



< 101 km > Hollókő was included amongst the UNESCO World Heritage sites for its traditional architecture and persistently preserved contemporary village life. It is a village museum and living settlement at the same time, as most houses are used by their inhabitants for the originally intended purposes. The houses in the centre of the settlement, in the Old Village, represent rustic architecture preserved in the best condition in the whole of Central Europe. In the exhibition houses the relics of traditional "palóc" culture take visitors back in time.



< 149 km > The Hortobágy National Park is the first national park in Hungary, where the largest steppe of Central Europe is located. Its water habitats are also subject to international protection. Hortobágy is a region characterized by



typically Hungarian features due to its peculiar history, precious living resources and unique folk tradition. The best examples are the herds of ancient Hungarian species of grey cattle, the Hungarian racka sheep and the Mangalitza pigs.



< 53 km > You will find your self in the realm of marvellous natural formations, if you decide to visit Aggtelek's underground and above-ground worlds. Of the 700 cave routes of varying sizes explored in this area, the marvellous Baradla-Domica route is the largest stalactite cave system even by European standard. The exploration of the wonderful study trails and hillside routes on foot or on horseback provides opportunities for tive recreation.

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World Heritage

"This city is far too nice not to be known better by a stranger." (Andrea Temesvári, tennis player)

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Rules of the game:

Duration of the game: from1 February of each year* to 1 February of the subsequent year (deadline for receipt of the Stamp Collection Form).

GAME

Drawing and announcement of results: 1 March of each year.

Conditions for participation:

- certification of the obtainment of minimum 60 culture scores on the
- stamp collection form (by staying minimum 2 guest nights at any
- accommodation in Miskolc, 50 culture scores may be obtained!)
- · validation of the stamp collection form

Drawing of the jackpot prize shall be performed amongst participants achieving 80 culture scores or more:

- any time period in the given year from 2 March to 30 December:
- accommodation for 2 persons for two nights in Miskolc, breakfast included
- 5 main courses for 2 persons in Miskolc, in the maximum value of HUF
- 30,000 in total

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· admission to any cultural site and event in Miskolc for 2 persons, whilst staying in the area

Other prizes to be drawn:

amongst players collecting 70-79 culture scores:

3 x gift packages having the individual value of HUF 10,000 each (publications, souvenirs)

amongst players collecting 60-69 culture scores:

3 x gift packages in the value of HUF 5,000 each (publications, souvenirs)

• Amongst all the players: 2 tickets to an event organized by the House of Arts, 2 tickets to the concert of the Miskolc Symphonic Orchestra, 2 tickets for a performance of the Miskolc National Theatre, 2 tickets for the exhibition of the Miskolc Gallery and 2 tickets for performance of the Csodamalom Puppet Theatre.

Validation options:

Personally: Tourinform Miskolc – Városház tér 13. By mail: Miskolc MJV Polgármesteri Hivatal [Mayor's Office], Kulturális, Idegenforgalmi és Városmarketing Osztály, H-3525 Miskolc, Városház tér 8.





(2 fő x 1éj = 2 vendégéjszaka) eltöltött

nevű vendégünk összesen _____ vendégéjszakát

201___hó ___ napja és 201___hó ___ napja között.

*Until withdrawal of the game

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 107

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 105

Public lavatories: Szinva terrace, Erzsébet Square, in front of Generali Arena, Miskolctapolca Barabits esplanade, near Lillafüred car parking facility, in the building of the Lillafüred narrow-gauge railway station, malls, railway stations

Public WiFi access points:

Szinva terrace Heroes' Square Szinvapark Miskolc Plaza

Touch Info points: Tourinform Miskolc Szinva terrace – bus stop Castle of Diósgyőr – cash desk Auchan Borsod – shop corridor Cave Bath – reception hall Szinvapark – ground floor University Campus - UNI Hotel

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