

The Bat Park (005)

The park is located at



You can find a lots of old chestnut trees here. Bats even live in the tree hollows. The best time to watch them is at dusk. Some of these trees had to be cut down for the restructuring of the park. A few of them were kept, however as a habitat for bats, but also as a green oasis for people in the middle of the city.

Königsplatz is also the transport hub for Augsburg's busses and trams, environmentally-friendly means of transport for a lot of people in the city.

*Whether by day or in the evening,
this is the perfect spot to past the time,
enjoy the splashing of the fountain
against the rustling of the leaves
– maybe a bat will appear?*



In the vicinity of Augsburg there are 18 species of bat altogether. The city provides them with various summer and winter homes, such as behind wall cladding, shutters and cracks in walls of buildings. You can also find them in tree hollows, in archways (both above and below ground), in cellars and behind the bark of old and dead wood.

Geocaching in the city

For the Augsburg Environmental Centre's project "Nature in the city" we, students of Inlingua language school Augsburg, have created a geocaching tour of a special kind. As "caches" we have chosen the natural sights in Augsburg's city centre.

With a GPS device in your hand you get to know the city better. At every site you have to answer a question: "Where exactly am I?" Individual letters from the five answers form a solution word when you put them together. Have fun!

Position co-ordinates

Just enter the co-ordinates in your GPS-device (available at the Environmental Centre) and let's go! (000: start at Inlingua language school)

000	N48 21.986 E10 53.722
001	N48 21.979 E10 54.191
002	N48 21.676 E10 53.807
003	N48 22.321 E10 53.627
004	N48 21.950 E10 53.223
005	N48 21.966 E10 53.624



Solution: !

Contact and information

This leaflet is available in four languages: German, English, French and Spanish. Guided nature walks in English, Turkish, Russian and Spanish can be booked at the Augsburg Environmental Centre as well as events on the theme of intercultural awareness. At www.us-augsburg.de you can find further geocaching routes covering natural sights. GPS-devices can be borrowed from the Augsburg Environmental Centre.



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A GPS-Tour!



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Green oases in the
city centre of Augsburg



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