



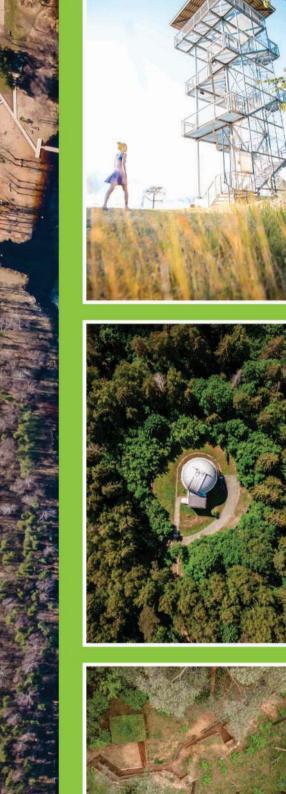
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1 Kekava Local History Museum

The museum was founded in 1997 and is the only museum in Latvia that promotes caricature as an art genre. The permanent exposition "5 Stories of Kekava Region" reveals the life of local people in the 20th century. Through the war and the Soviet era until the restoration of freedom, while the permanent exhibition "Laugh Healthy!" invites both children and adults to get to know the Latvian cartoon in an interactive and engaging way.

The museum offers a variety of thematic traveling exhibitions on cartoons and cartoons and educational programs on historical topics.

The museum is suitable for people with reduced mobility. Ieslēgt ekrāna lasītāja atbalstu

F Ķekavas novadpētniecības muzejs
 Kekavas muzejs

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2 Dole - Kekava Evangelic Lutheran church

Built in 1783. Baroque forms and is included in the list of architectural monuments of national significance. It has suffered, rebuilt and rebuilt several times due to the war. At the northern end of the church is a cannonball from the Napoleonic War in 1812. The church houses the altarpiece "Christ Blesses the Children" by August Annus.



Public recreation area with amenities "Murdini"

The rest area has access to the Dry Daugava, a picnic area, benches and a changing room.



Kekava Mini Park

Mini park - a great place to celebrate a birthday or just relax. No prior training is required; Anyone can play mini golf - big or small. There are also two petanque fields and a shed of 18 m² in the territory of the mini park.

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Factory "Konfelade"

"Konfelāde" is a fruit and berry juice candy that does not contain any e-substances, no preservatives. Opportunity to take a look at the confectionery factory and learn how to make delicious candy, as well as taste drinks, elixirs and syrups. Offers tours for both adult and children's groups; must apply in advance!

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playground for children.

& 56.8281, 24.2345

🙎 Ķekava



Former water-mill lake - Buksela Lake, entwined with various

stories. In 1939 parts of the feature film "Zvejnieka dēls" were

filmed on the small isle on the lake (which no longer exists),

but in 2013 scenes of the TV series "Viņas melo labāk" were

filmed in the park. There is a small open-air-stage for concerts

and events in the park with a painting by Elita Patmalniece.

There are walking paths along the river Ķekaviņa, as well as a

Kekava former primary school

Former Primary School of Kekava, built on 1886 according to the design of the famous Latvian architect K. Pēkšēns. It has previously been used as municipal house and court house. To be visited only from outside!

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7 Kekava Park



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Public recreation area with amenities" Dambitis"

Access to the Kekava river, well-maintained swimming area, two picnic places (fireplace, firewood storage), benches, changing cabin, swing and WC.

🙊 At the end of the Zīlēnu street, Ķekava A 56.8179, 24.2263

Camping and squash garden "Zanzibara"

Camping, squash garden, creative workshops for children, canoe rental, active excursion programs for students, bungalows on the water.

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12 Odukalns water tower

Odukalna Water Tower is a historic heritage of industrialisation and rural improvements during the soviet period. It was built in accordance with design of collective farm's "Ķekava" architect Liesma Skuja in a historic place foundations of the Fridrihtornis are at the foot of the tower. Fridrihtornis was a memorial site of events of the 1812 war: it was built in honour of the military leader Friedrich von Löwis of Menar. Inscription on the tower said: "In remembrance of the first victory of the Russian Army over Napoleon I troops near Dole on 10/12 August 1812". The Fridrihtornis was destroyed during the World War I as it was of the height of a three-storey building and could be used as an observation point. To be visited only from outside!

🙎 Odukalns, Kekava parish & 56.8205, 24.2486





13 Kekava Confessional Lutheran Church

Construction was completed in 2002. Architect - Linards Skuja. The church is run by the Kekava Lutheran Congregation, founded in 1996. Exterior view only; from the inside - on request. Concerts and other events are possible by prior arrangement with the church management.

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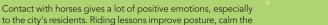
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nervous system and strengthen muscles. During the ride through the forest, you can feel the unity with nature. In such moments, you realize that man is only a part of the big world and needs harmony with everything around us. There is also riding for small children, thanks to very calm

🙎 "Dārziņi", Ķekava parish

horses! 🛞 www.darzini.lv F Darzini **&** 56.8375, 24.2083

10 "Darzini" stable



Horse and human welfare centre "Natures' horses"

Horses inspire! A place where you can not only relax from the everyday life in a beautiful forest with the help of friendly horses, but also learn something new about horse psychology and natural maintenance / training methods.

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- F Dabas Zirgi & 56.7529, 24.1567





15 Mini Zoo "Kekavinas Lici"

The recreation complex with a mini zoo and a nature trail is located 3 km from the center of Kekava - in a quiet and very beautiful place next to the Kekavina River.

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Eizens Ostvalds (Eižens Ostvalds) (1851-1932) was the founder of forestry education, forestry science and forest reclamation in Latvia, as well as a forester and an assistant professor at the Riga Polytechnic Institute, doctor of forestry sciences. Several forest drainage systems were reconstructed and re-installed according to his projects and under his direct supervision; the main water body was named Ostwald Canal. E. Ostwald's memory is preserved by his lifelong work - the theory of forest rent.

🙎 Approximately 2 km to the right from Riga - Bauska highway at the 15th km, Kekava parish A 56.8465, 24,1900

Ostvald's Canal

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Mattive recreation park "Tāles"

Cable Wakeboard Park is located 30 km from the center of Riga. The loop length of the cable route of the Veikpark pond is 280 meters. Experienced riders can also try one of the springboards. Equipment rental, sauna, hot tub and accommodation in a summer house for 8 people are available. A place for events and summer parties.

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17 Cosmetic and Art Workshop "Kazas laukos"

A family of artists, who make art and carry out business in their country house. Rita Pranča is a painter and from nature-friendly ingredients manufactures healing beauty products – soaps, scrubs, bath bombs, body butters, lip balms, deodorants and shampoos. All products are handmade. Here you can see the work process, organise art and cosmetics workshops, as well as buy "Kazas laukos" cosmetics.

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Sakaiņi hillfort Forest spring

In the forest, near the Baldone hillfort there is a recreation area with a bench by the spring. Try to visit this spot during your walk through the Riekstukalns forest!

19 Landscape of Riga in Riekstukalns tower

Enjoy the landscape of Riga with its historical towers and highrise buildings, as well as the closest hills to Baldone from the 19.2-meter-high metal tower. The tower path starts from the parking lot.

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21 Lake Liliju

There is a rest area with a table and benches by Lake Liliju, as well as a restored footbridge that has been there since Soviet times. Lake Liliju is a funnel-shaped depression lake with swampy shores, without a bathing place.

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Baldone Astrophysical Observatory

In Baldone, Riekstukalns, surrounded by forest and undisturbed either by the bright lights of the city, or noise, there is the only professional observatory of Latvia – the Astrophysical Observatory of the University of Latvia. Schmidt Telescope, a unique device with a wide field of view, is the largest in the Baltics and the 12th largest Schmidt telescope in the world, is located there. The telescope is used for observations of stars and objects dangerous to the Earth – comets and asteroids. The observatory has a planetarium and offers scientific excursions and workshops.

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Active recreation complex "Riekstukalns"

In summer, Riekstukalns offers attractions suitable for both children and adults. Here you can go on an adventure on the obstacle course "Kokos rieksts", go tobogganing, sliding with a camera, ride an electric quad bike and enjoy other exciting attractions. In winter, Riekstukalns becomes the largest ski resort in the Baltics with many different pistes.

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23 Mercendarbe's linden alley

Linden alley was planted in 1896 by the Lieven family. Today it is included in the list of Natural Heritage. The alley is perfect for taking photos; therefore, it is very popular among the Instagram users.

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Baldone museum in Mercendarbe manor

Mercendarbe Manor is one of the most splendid historical buildings in Baldone. Members of the Lieven family, who managed the manor for about 150 years, were descendants of ruler of the Livs - Kaupo. The premises can be rented for concerts, weddings, conferences and other events. Excursions are available. The museum features exhibition "Road to Baldone Health Resort". There is a recreation are in the old park by the pond.

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25 Forrest Gallery

In 2020 the 3rd Baldone District painting workshop that resulted in 15 pieces of art. The paintings depict objects from the Baldone Story Trails that are included in stories of audio guide. In May 2021 the "Forrest Gallery" was supplemented with 11 paintings created by Baldone artists.

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20 The White Palace

The White Palace was built as the patrimonial estate of the Head Forester of the Baltic States Ādams Mickevičs, Construction was completed in 1913, shortly before the World War I. The façade has always been white, hence the name of the building. There is a park surrounding the palace with exotic trees and a fountain. Thanks to enthusiasm of many people, in 1985 Baldone Music School started operating in the White Palace and in 1993 – also the Primary Music School. Park of the White Palace is included in the list of Latvian Natural Heritage.

🖉 Daugavas iela 23, Baldone ⊗ www.kekava.lv & 56,7480, 24,4001



Prototype of the horse-drawn tram

Prototype of the horse-drawn tram is publicly available; it lets you see the Baldone tram as it was 100 years ago. Author of the prototype, Arnolds Ziemelis, when building the prototype used old photographs, so that anyone, who is interested, can see the vehicle that used to transport passengers from Daugmale to Baldone. The tram line was 12 km long and until construction of motorway was the most convenient mode to go to the Baldone Health Resort that was very popular at that time.

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A 56.7429, 24.3951 29 Central square

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The public square was established in 1950, but in 1987 it was expanded and a flagpole was set up. 24 December 1988 is worth mentioning, as it was the first time when the Latvian red-white-red flag was hoisted. Nowadays the Latvian flag flies over the square every day, but on holidays and commemorative days there are various events - lighting of the city Christmas tree, celebrations of Easter and national holidays.

🙎 Daugavas iela 2, Baldone & 56.7426, 24.3943



Baldone Evangelical Lutheran Church of St. Michael

Baldone Church is mentioned in writing since 1567. The current fourth church building in this place – was built in 1824 in the Empire style and the external shape has not changed much over time. However, the interior has lost its original look - painted pilasters between windows and the altar with 4 pillars and the altarpiece. Today the altarpiece is displayed in the Rundāle Museum, but the light and ascetic hall is decorated with Norwegian pearl granite altar table and front, as well as forged candle holders. The congregation holds various events there that are part of the Baldone culture programme.

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Baldone pharmacy building

The main pharmacy building was built in 1809 on the present Rīgas iela not far from the church. This is one of the oldest pharmacy buildings in the vicinity of Riga. It is believed that this is the oldest pharmacy in Baldone; however, the first one was built soon following the order of Paul I in 1797. The first pharmacy only operated during summer season. Today there no longer is pharmacy in the building, but it is one of the few buildings of the 19th century that has still remained.

🙎 Rīgas iela 73, Baldone ▲ 56.7426, 24.3958



building is architect Ugis Šēnbergs, who had to adjust the standard

USSR cinema design to the urban environment of Baldone.



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2 Ulmanis' hillock

On 7 September 1935 the famous Baldone Health Resort and sulphur springs were visited by the Prime Minister of Latvia Kārlis Ulmanis. During his visit Kārlis Ulmanis met with the Head of the Baldone Rural Municipality Jānis Priede, Director of the sulphur springs Dr. Arvets Kēse and representatives of other organisations to discuss important issues related to development of the Baldone Health Resort, the most topical of which at that time was construction of modern swimming baths. The Prime Minister held a speech standing on the hillock by the oak. To honour this event a memorial stone has been installed on the hillock and nowadays this place is called "Ulmanis' hillock".

🖉 Rīgas ielā 83, Baldone, across the street 👘 🙈 56.7424, 24.3996

3 The Post Office building

The Post Office building was constructed in the 1930ies. At that time there was telephone and telegraph office. Today the building is owned by the State JSC "Latvijas Pasts", and it still serves its initial purpose.

Rīgas iela 87, Baldone
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🥶 Lilac Park

Ceriņu parks (Lilac Park) offers more information about the Baldone Health Resort over time, about the role of nature resources and people in the historical events of Baldone. The main natural value – Baldone sulphur spring – can be found in the Ceriņu parks. Spring water can also be taken from fountains "Kirzaciņa", "Māra" and "Vāverīte".

Baldone Old Wooden arhitecture

Although Baldone was not spared the World War II damage and the inevitable ravages of time, the streets still take pride in several beautiful samples of the wooden architecture of the first half of the 20th century. Some of these buildings served as pensions or summer houses – the owners used the possibility to gain additional income by renting a room to guests of the Baldone Health Resort.

- The stand is located at the building on Krasta iela 19, Baldone
- https://saite.lv/029VT
- ـ 56.7395, 24.4113



🚳 Equestrian club "Telfas"

The equestrian club offers horseback riding training with a certified trainer (overcoming obstacles) and offers various equestrian training with well-trained and experienced horses. Trainers specialize in equestrian sports. In the club you can train in a well-prepared show jumping field, and there are also beautiful forest trails nearby for horseback riding. Rihards Snikus from Baldone, who represented our country in the Paralympic Games for the first time in the history of Latvia in 2021 and won a silver medal, also trained at the club.



Equestrian club "Atenas"

The equestrian sports club is engaged in professional carriage rides, pony riding and amateur show jumping. By applying in advance, you can arrange an excursion for a voluntary donation, during which you will be able to see the equestrian sports club's pets - horses, ponies and others, as well as get acquainted with equestrian sports. Interestingly, equestrian sports are the only Olympic sport in which men compete with women.

Island and Carousel ponds

There is a swimming area, a changing room and benches by the pond "Salina", while in the pond "Karūsas" there is a track for rowing slalom. Both ponds are formed by blocking the stream that flows out of the Ceplis bog. In summer you can swim here until the second half of summer; then warning signs are posted that swimming is not recommended.

 $\underline{\mathbb{O}}$ At the crossroads of Dīķu and Vanagkalnu streets $\underline{\mathbb{A}}$ 56.7387, 24.3757



Wanagkalns Nature Park, open-air stage, Hill of love

In 1989, in one of the Vanagkalnu hollow hills or "the bottom of the bowl" was built an open-air stage with a great accustic and approximately 4000 seats. From May to October numerous of events and balls takes place at the openair stage of Vanagkalnu.

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The environmental object - the letter sign "Baldone" - is a place to stop after a long trip and take photos. There is a parking lot and a stand with a Baldone city map. The environmental object symbolizes that Baldone is surrounded by hills. There is also a public recreation area with amenities.

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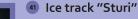
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The ice track is built on a 10-hectare flooded meadow at a depth of 0.5 m. The length of the track is 1.5 km. In the event of a prolonged frost, the ice freezes to the ground, so there is no need to worry about breaking. The track is designed to improve mastery and organize competitions. It is suitable for all types of transport, including sports studded tires. Car and go-kart rental is available. There is a competition on the ice track. The track is open only during the winter.

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42 Stable "Auzulejas"

Stable "Auzulejas" offers horseback riding, training for children and adults with horses, which are among the most beautiful friezes in the world. Pony Pongo will train or simply train the youngest ones. It is possible to rent costumes and accessories for memorable photo sessions with and without horses.

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4 Horse training stand "Pupoli"

Have you always found horses charming but inaccessible and even a little scary? Do you want to get to know them and be with them, feeling calm and safe? Riding is just one way to spend time with a horse. Each of them has an interesting personality, and a horse living in good conditions usually likes to communicate with humans. If you want to know more and learn to "talk" to horses, call and make an appointment! Riding, horse riding and riding lessons are also available.

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45 Traditional sauna "Lejasmartini"

Traditional sauna and place for recreation in the picturesque Baldone District. "Lejasmārtiņi" offers possibility to enjoy the magical Latvian traditional sauna (pirts) ritual that balances the body and soul. Certified pirts masters Inese and Juris will restore your energy, help to free yourself from negative emotions and to recover.

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4 Stable "Beritis"

Family-owned stable is located in the farm with interesting history related to events in Baldone and in the world that took place in the beginning of the 20th century. Housekeeper Māra will gladly tell you about those events. Here you can not only go for a horse ride, but also a sledge or carriage ride. The farm is available for parties, during which you can enjoy campfire soup.

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47 Lake Kausezers

A system of two non-draining lakes. The name of the lake probably originated from the nearby "Kausu" houses and Kausupe. The average depth of the Great Kausezers is 4.5 m, but the maximum is 5.7 m. The length of Little Kausezers is 0.26 km. The lake is a popular bathing place among Baldones, on its shore there is a recreation area with benches. Available in the application LVM GEO.

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Baldone Waterjump

Overpasses and springboards with landing in water. Slip'n'slide trestle for visitors without equipment. In summer, the Baldones Waterfest festival takes place here. Available sauna, etc. c. services (grill, trampoline, etc.) The place can be used for events by prior arrangement. In snowy winter conditions, it is possible to rent gokarts here.

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- ⊗ www.waterjump.lv
- f Baldones Waterjump, Waterfest
- 🙈 56.6913, 24.3630





48 Lake Pakulezers

Non-draining lake, which is formed in an interdune depression 370 m north of the Baldone-Tome road. The shores of Lake Kulu are flat and low. Perch live in Pakulezers. There is a rest area and a fireplace. Available in the application LVM GEO.

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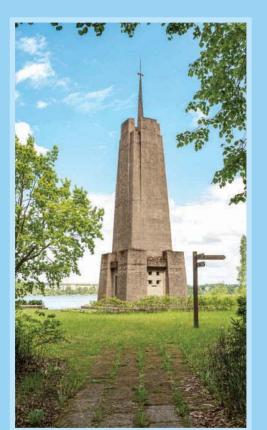
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🐢 Death Island and a monument to Latvian riflemen

From April to September 1916 there were battles here that during the whole World War I took about 1000 Russian Army soldier lives, 145 of which were Latvian Riflemen. At that time, it was a 3 km long and 1.5 km wide peninsula on the left bank of the river Daugava, officially called the Ikškile bridgehead, and its territory together with the small Līves Manor was a part of the Kurzeme Province. Soldiers called this bridgehead Nāves sala (Isle of Death), as there were fatalities and wounded every day. In 1916 the German Army used poisonous mustard gas here that was the first attack using poisonous gas in the Riga front. Nowadays Nāves sala no longer is a peninsula; it is an island, and can be reached only by a boat, raft or another water transport. There is a monument of the island for protectors of Nāves sala. You can also visit memorial grave of the seven unknown soldiers and a trench. There are informative boards on the island, resting area with a WC, picnic table and a place for campfire.

🙊 Death Island, Daugmale parish 8 56.8357, 24.4416



Public recreation area with amenities "Kikeritis"

Access to river Daugava, swimming area with amenities, and a boat pier. From Ķīķerītis it is easy to access Nāves sala by a boat or another water transport. There is an information board at the recreation area with information about Nāves sala and its historical events.

 \square Daugmale parish A 56.8297, 24.4326



Janu kalns - Senci Holly Hill, memorial stone "Shackle breaker"

Janu kalns - Senci Holy Hill - a place of remembrance of heroes. There is a hill on the bank of the Daugava, which is called Janu kalns. There have been many historical battles around the mountain. In World War I, fierce battles were fought here. 1937 In the days of the forest, the trees planted in this place keep memories of the heroic fighters who did not spare their lives in the highest duty of their soldier. On the top of the hill in the shade of memorial oaks is built a stone foundation for Midsummer fire lights. 1994 on this basis, the monument "Shackle breaker" created by Tālivaldis Muzikants was placed.

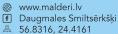
🙎 Vedmeri, Daugmale parish & 56.8312, 24.4027



Sea buckthorn factory "Malderi"

The family company "Malderi" is engaged in the cultivation of sea buckthorn and the production of products. The main goal of "Malderi" is to promote the consumption of natural and healthy sea buckthorn products in Latvia, as well as to inform about the possibilities of using natural and healthy sea buckthorn products that do not contain synthetic and artificial additives.

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Daugmale Castle mound

Daugmale Castle mound historically was a trade and craft centre on the banks of Daugava. Historians think that at the foot of the hillfort by estuary of river Varžupīte into Daugava there was the Zemgale Port that is mentioned in historic documents. Today there is an informative board, benches and stairs for more convenient access of the hill.

 \square Daugmale parish A 56.8313, 24.3812



⁵³ Public recreation area with amenities "Vedmeri"

Well-maintained swimming area with the possibility to relax in the open air. Access to the Daugava, two picnic places with canopies and tourism information stand.

🙎 Vedmeri, Daugmale parish & 56.8311, 24.4033







50 Daugmale lilies and peonies

Guntis Grants and Janis Dukalskis (Jānis Dukalskis) are two passionate flower breeders and collectors. The garden is always open for excursions and private visits. 🙎 "Jaunakeri", Raģu ceļš, Daugmale parish (S) +371 26 318 938 (Jānis), (S) +371 29 297 217 (Guntis) & www.daugmalespeonijas.lv f Daugmales peonijas, Daugmales Lilijas ₼ 56.8287, 24.4173



55 Honey by Jānis from Daugmale and Pampali ceramics

Opportunity to visit the beehive, taste honey, as well as take a look at making ceramics and create your own happiness button. Duration of the tour up to 2 hours. You must apply in advance!

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Daugmale pottery

Pottery for a more colourful life created by hand and love! The products can be purchased from artists in Daugmale.

🙎 "Laimiņi", Daugmale parish © +371 29 147 912 ⊠ intaradzina@inbox.lv ⊗ www.daugmaleskeramika.lv F Daugmales Keramika A 56.8271, 24.4277

Memorial stone Refugee Road

During World War I, through the Daugmale there was a Refugee route. In 1915, with the arrival of German troops, refugees from Kurzeme and Zemgale crossed the Daugava to Riga, Vidzeme and Russia. 1991 The road is marked by the stone of the sculptor Vilnius Titan laid by the Cultural Foundation. It bears the inscription "Refugee Road", and on the stone there are traces of small bare feet leading away from home.

 \mathcal{Q} Daugmale parish A 56.8205, 24.4487



Lake Lejas is a no-drain forest lake in Daugmale parish, Kekava region. You can have a picnic on the shore of the lake, as there are several places to relax and enjoy the peace and quiet of the forest. Free pitching of tents by the lake is allowed and it is included in the mobile app of "Latvijas valsts meži".

 \square Daugmale parish A 56.7845, 24.4434





Balozi Culture House in the summer of 2009.

🙎 Skolas iela 4, Baloži 🛛 🖧 56.8769, 24.1177

Balozi Peat Railway Museum

A railway museum was built by volunteer enthusiasts on the basis of the narrow-gauge railway of the Balozi peat factory. Train rides are only available on previously provided dates available on the Baloži Peat Railway Museum webpage www.bdklubs.lv.

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⊗ www.kudrasbanitis.lv **F** Baložu kūdras bānītis A 56.8769, 24.1062





Icon of the Blessed Virgin Mary "Bogolubsk" **Orthodox Church in Balozi**

One of the most recent churches that is still under construction and development. To be visited only from outside.

🙎 Purva iela 2/4, Baloži A 56.8745, 24.1189

Fountain "Frog of Balozi"

and Culture house square

43 Lake Titurga and Public recreation areas with amenities

Lake Titurgas is located on the eastern edge of Medema bog, from which the river Titurga flows into the Dry Daugava. The name of one part of Balozi - Titurga - comes from the name of the lake. Well-maintained recreation areas on both sides of the lake are available.

🙊 Titurga, Baloži A 56.8736, 24.1354 S



In honor of the history of the town of Balozi, a monument with a fountain in the form of a frog was unveiled at the







🙎 Rāmavas iela 9, Rāmava, Ķekava parish Herein States - States 🖂 info@ramavasmuiza.lv

⁶⁵ Katlakalns Evangelic Lutheran church

Built in 1794., architect K. Haberland (K. Hāberlands). An outstanding monument of classicist architecture, built in classical forms with a cylindrical space and a masonry dome. The pastor, Professor Roberts Feldmanis, who has created a garden around the church with more than 320 species of trees and shrubs and decorative forms, is buried near the church. It is one of the largest and most valuable dendrological objects in Latvia.

🙎 "Ticības", Katlakalns, Ķekava parish (b) + 371 26 17 837, + 371 29 234 047, +371 27 059 937 ⊠ katlakalns@gmail.com ⊗ www.katlakalns.lv & 56.8994, 24.1723

4 Depkin's manor in Ramava

Depkin Manor in Ramava has been home to the famous writer and publicist Garlibs Merkels (Garlībs Merķelis). The manor or, more precisely, the manor house - a beautifully restored two-storey wooden building, one of the best preserved manor houses in Pardaugava. The house is surrounded by a landscape park with several rare plant species and a small river. Excursions to the manor and various creative workshops are also available by prior arrangement.

⊗ www.ramavasmuiza.lv F Rāmavas Depkina muiža A 56.8890, 24.1579



Horses riding "Agates"

Horseback riding for both children and adults. Offers horses for photo sessions.

🙎 "Agates", Katlakalns, Ķekava parish © +371 29 126 410 🖂 andrasteinberga@inbox.lv ⊗ www.izjadesarzirgiem.lv 🗗 Izjādes ar zirgiem "Agates" & 56.9039, 24.1614







Public recreation areas with

also a changing cabin and WC on the beach.

🙎 Plavniekkalna iela 20, Katlakalns, Ķekava parish

amenities "Negisi"

A 56.8706, 24.1875

There is a sandy beach area, playgrounds for children, benches, table and gazebo, bio toilet, changing rooms, waste bins, and a bicycle stand.

amenities "Ziedonis"

🙎 Vēju iela, Ziedonis, Ķekavas parish & 56.8978, 24.1811

9 Public recreation areas with





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Pub "Bamba Leo"

🙎 Gaismas iela 23A, Kekava 🚽 F Bamba Leo ▲ 56.8227, 24.2303

Pub "Garozu Kekis"

🙎 Rīgas iela 103, Odukalns © +371 29 154 253 ⊠ kalnakrogs@ltk.lv 🖪 Kalnakrogs "Garozu Ķēķis" ▲ 56.8241, 24.2448

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🙊 TC "Liiba", Rīgas iela 22a, ⊠ sia.fatih@amail.com F FatihKebab ▲ 56.8317, 24.2328

Cafe "Ledenite"

🞗 Rīgas iela 73, Ķekava S +371 20 670 000 🖂 ledenitecafe@gmail.com ⊗ www.ledenite.lv F Ledenite.lv ▲ 56.8296, 24.2388

Canteen "Vistu dancis"

🙊 AS "Putnu fabrika Kekava", & 56.8291.24.1975

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Family restaurant "Titurgas stāsti"

🙎 Uzvaras prospekts 1C. Baloži ⊠ titurgasstasti@inbox.lv f Titurgas Stāsti kafejnīca & 56.8822.24.1505

Pizzeria "Maxi Pizza"

& Uzvaras prospekts 11. Baloži ⊠ info@maxipizza.lv 🖂 balozi.maxipizza.lv F Maxi Pizza & 56.8814.24.1590

Pizzeria "Pizza Lulu"

🙊 Džutas, Krustkalni ♥ +371 80 005 858 ⊗ www.lulu.lv F Pica Lulū **&** 56,8957, 24,1392

Cafe "BŪT"

🙊 Bērzu iela 14, Baloži **(a)** +371 26 761 552 🖂 darta.koloda@gmail.com F BŪT o but_cafe **&** 56.8754, 24.1163

Cafe "Pie Ērikas"*

🙊 Lakstīgalu iela 38, Baloži f Pie Ērikas ▲ 56.8780, 24.1491

*works seasonally

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"Burgers 66"

🞗 Rīgas iela 67-5. Baldone ⊠ burgers66@inbox.lv ⊗ www.burgers66.lv F Burgers 66 Baldone ▲ 56.7426,24.3914

Confectionery

"Dzintarliepa" 🙎 Rīgas iela 81A, Baldone **S** +371 29 464 540 ▲ 56.7427, 24.3983

Pub "Mežvidu krodzinš"

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Cafe "Svelmes"

🞗 "Svelmes", Katlakalns, ⊠ svelmes@inbox.lv ⊗ www.svelmes.lv f Svelmes A 56,8688, 24,1786



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Guest house "Urala"

🙎 "Allas". Katrīnmuiža. S +371 29 554 175 ⊠ lion.ka@inbox.lv 🛞 www.urala.lv F Viesu Nams URALA **&** 56.7852, 24.1932

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Holiday house "Koceri"

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Organic farm "Valmoniras"

 № "Zilgas", Ķekava parish
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 № + 371 28 441 677 ⊠ info@valmoniras.lv ⊗ www.valmoniras.lv f Atpūtas komplekss "Valmoniras" & 56.7346, 24.0536 [₿][₽] 100+ **=**32

Guest house "Oāze"

🙎 Vīteņu iela 1, Krogsils, 🖂 oaze@pirtis.lv F Viesu nams "Oāze" & 56.8644.24.1767

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Guest house "Līgas"

🞗 "Līgas", Ķekava, Ķekava parish ♥ +371 29 969 500. S +371 26 552 151 ⊠ ligaspirts@inbox.lv ⊗ www.viesunamsligas.lv A 56.8133.24.2152

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Depkin's manor in Ramava

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Guest house "100% atpūta"

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Guest house "365 brīvdienas"

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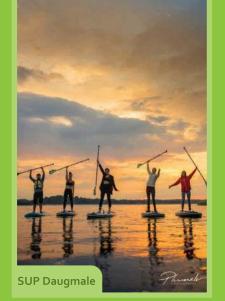
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TOURISM SERVICES

Guide Kristīne Vilcāne

Kristīne Vilcāne is a life coach and author of several books. She offers individual and group hikes in the Baldone and Daugmale forests. During hikes Kristīne applies coaching and adventure therapy methods providing the participants unique experience and environment, where everyone has time to focus on their personal development. Kristīne also offers team building activities.

- 🖂 k.vilcane@gmail.com
- ⊗ www.52pakapieni.lv
- f Kristīne Vilcāne

Guide Renāte Šidlovska

Individual and group excursions through the historic objects of Baldone District. During a slow hike Renāte talks about history of Baldone and famous people related to Baldone. The hike leads through the Ceriņu parks, you can taste water from sulphur springs, have a look inside the Baldone Saint Michael Church, visit the White Castle or Baldone Music School and walk the extraordinary Forest Gallery or visit any other tourism object in Baldone by your choice.

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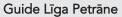
Guide Zane Ulmane

Zane carries out in-depth studies of Baldone history. She offers hikes accompanied with stories about history and culture. She participated in creation of Baldone Story Trail and development of Baldone audio guide.

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Renāte

Šidlovska



Patriot of Kekava, she works as a wedding florist, weaves traditional belts and offers tour guide services. Excursions are available in Latvian, English and German.

- ⊠ ligapet@inbox.lv

Guide Māra Dakare

The guide offers excursions since 2000. In Latvian, Russian and Italian. A short yet true saying goes: "Who studies the past, celebrates the future" (Rainis). The guide is the ambassador of his/her nation, land and city. The excursions can be adjusted to your wishes and interests!

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Tourism operator "Baldones ceļotājs"

For already 10 years tourism operator "Baldones celotājs" offers tourism services in the Ķekava District – guide services in Baldone District, hikes and cycling tours through the varied and rich region between Baldone and Daugmale, as well as assistance with organisation of your trips to Ķekava District. Our services also include planning of one-day and several day trips in Latvia, trips to Europe and other parts of the world.

- 🖂 info@baldonescelotajs.lv
- ⊗ www.baldonescelotajs.lv
- 🖪 Baldones ceļotājs

Local History Museum of Ķekava guide

Local History Museum of Kekava offers guided tours through the Kekava region.

- ⊠ inara.rumbina@kekava.lv
- ⊗ www.parkulturu.lv
- F Ķekavas novadpētniecības muzejs
- ▲ 56.8288, 24.2389

Orientation training "O-Upmale"

"O-Upmale" offers orienteering for anyone – from beginners to experts. Various orienteering polygons in Baldone and Daugmale forests are available all year round. Participants can choose the distance they want. There also are distances for families with children.

- +371 29 566 786
- Skrasts_krasts@yahoo.co.uk
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- 10 bicycles, helmets and two children's bicycle seats are available for rent by applying a day in advance.
- $\boxtimes \quad \mathsf{baldones.sportakomplekss@kekava.lv}$

Boat rental "Boattherapy"

Boat rent "Boattherapy" is located in Daugmale (central base), in Vidzeme near Mazsalaca and in Northern Kurzeme – in Roja District. One of the most popular routes – a trip from Kitkeritis to Nāves sala and Meinarda sala in Daugava. Other boating routes in Kekava District and elsewhere are also available. The most popular tourism boats or canoe – "Vista" and "Vista Expedition", are offered for boating.

- 🖂 laivuterapija@gmail.com
- ⊗ www.boattherapy.lv
- F BOAT Therapy
- ـ 56.8217, 24.4178

Boat rental "Jeņču laivas"

"Jenču laivas" offers rent of kayaks and canoes – comfortable and suitable for water tourism in the rivers of Latvia. Transportation services also available.

- 🖂 jenculaivas@gmail.com
- ⊗ www.jenculaivas.lv
- f Jeņču laivas
- ₼ 56.7479, 24.2734

Boat and SUP rental "Murdini"

The company offers SUP boards and boats for rent in Kekava near Sausā Daugava. It is possible to rent a pontoon for up to 12 people. When renting for a whole day, you can use the pontoon in any watercourse in the territory of Latvia.

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- 🖂 siamurdini@gmail.com
- ⊗ www.murdini.lv
- f Murdiņi

SUP Daugmale

SUP boards for rent for recreation on the water in the surroundings of Daugamale - Daugava and Lejas lake.

- S
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- $\boxtimes \ \ supdaugmale@gmail.com$
- f SUP Daugmale



Bicycle rental

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Baldone market place

Baldone market place offers a place for trade of local food and manufactured goods, fairs and thematic markets. The market operates all year round during working hours, but in summer on Wednesday evenings merchants and clients can enjoy organised events - concerts, performances and other activities.

 \square Sporta iela 2, Baldone © +371 26 032 503 A 56.7416, 24.3960



Baldone High School Stadium

In 2018 the stadium was reconstructed to comply with the international track and field athletics', football and rugby standards. The stadium is used for practice, as well as tournaments and competitions of various scale.

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Souvenir stand "Made in Baldone", flower shop "Meldra"

In cooperation between the Baldone District Council and local manufacturers a stand "Manufactured in Baldone" was established. There you can buy souvenirs - cosmetics, candle sticks, ceramics and textiles, manufactured with love in Baldone or surroundings, as well as flowers for your celebrations.

🙊 Rīgas ielā 67, Baldone (c) +371 22 454 932 🖂 anita.belavska@inbox.lv F Ziedu veikals "Meldra" & 56.7424, 24.3928

Kekava skatepark

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This is one of the most qualitative and modern skateparks in Latvia, featuring the world's latest skatepark design tendencies and specialised materials. The skatepark was designed and built by company SIA "Mind Work Ramps" that obtained its experience in the USA, England and the Netherlands in cooperation with the world leading skatepark constructors.

🙊 Gaismas iela 9, Ķekava (s) +371 67 936 308 ⊠ sports@kekava.lv ⊗ sports.kekava.lv F Kekavas novada pašvaldības sporta aģentūra 8 56.8272.24.2317



Daugmale Multifunctional Center

Daugmale Multifunctional Centre has two swimming pools - small and large. There are two counter stream equipment, three various above-water massage devices, two various underwater massage devices, as well as a sauna. Daugmale Multifunctional Centre also offers premises for events for up to 200 people.

Rīgas iela 2, Baldone

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The swimming pool of the Kekava secondary school sports complex

There are two swimming pools in the Kekava Secondary School Sports Complex - small and large (with 4 lanes with wave suppressors). The Sports Complex offers swimming lessons, organises competitions and water aerobics. Public visiting hours are available. There also is a SPA area with steam sauna, dry sauna and a bath.

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Baldone Story Trails

Welcome to Baldone city! Take one of the four Story Trails and discover the Baldone nature, culture and historical treasures with audio guides in Latvian, Russian, English and Lithuanian! If you follow small red footprints, you will take the big circle that is about 20 km long and encompasses 16 tourism objects that are included in the audio guide. But following small blue footprints, you will take the small circle that is about 8 km long and encompasses 9 tourism objects. You can do the small circle also by bike! For orientation you can use labelling and a map that can be downloaded with a QR code.





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Digital trail of stories and tales

Ķekava Local History Museum has developed a trail of stories and tales that includes 9 objects in Kekava. You can use your smartphone to scan the QR code at each object and listen to a story or a tale. Length of the walk is 4 km or 1 - 1.5 h depending on the pace.







Route of industrial objects

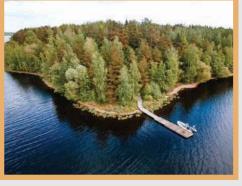
Route of industrial objects is a possibility to learn interesting stories about 16 important industrial objects in the Kekava District. The stories will take visitors to the past, as well as show the active Kekava District these days. The audio guide will tell you about the beginning of Baloži peat extraction, history of the poultry farm, construction of the Riga Hydroelectric Power Station and many other objects. Audio guides are available in Latvian and English. You can start the route at any point and form the route by your choice, as well as take the rides or walks repeatedly; you do not have to listen to all stories at once. The objects are not labelled on site, and the audio guide operates in the platform izi.TRAVEL.



Nāves sala (Death Island). Story of Līna Čanka.

Līna Čanka is most definitely one of the best examples of bravery and selflessness during the World War I and nowadays is known due to a small wine, how she got in the lines of riflemen. What was the wine? You can find it out by listening to five various audio guide stories about the operations of the Latvian Riflemen in Nāves sala in Latvian and English. The audio guide is available in the platform izi.TRAVEL, as well as there are plates with QR codes for each story. We would like to remind you that the only way to reach the Nāves sala is by any of the water transport means and this service is not offered on the spot!







Car route "One day in the Ķekava municipality!" RĀMAVA – BALOŽI – ĶEKAVA – DAUGMALE – BALDONE APPROXIMATELY 100 KM

This route allows taking spontaneous trips, as you do not have to worry about being late or miss something. These treasures of nature, culture and history will be there at any time or season!



Depkin's Manor House of Rāmava

Reconstructed two storied wooden houses, one of the best preserved Pārdaugava estates, that once was the mansion of the Master. The writer Garlibs Merkelis resided there for some time, but today it is a beautiful place for celebrations surrounded by landscape park with several rare plant species and a small river.

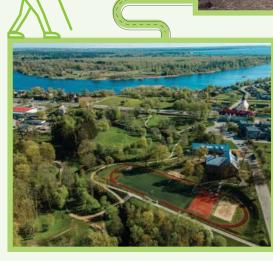
Rāmavas iela 9, Rāmava & 56.8890, 24.1578



Baloži Peat Railway The Peat Railway is approximately 1 km long

ride through a beautiful birch-tree alley popular among the locals for strolls.

<u>∞</u> Dārzu iela 14a, Baloži
 <u>∞</u> 56.8765, 24.1073



Ķekava Historic Centre

You can park in the lot by the Kekava Local History Museum. On one side of the park there is an open-air-stage decorated by a painting by artist Elita Patmalniece. When returning to the starting point you can stop by the Jauno Ideju Centre (Centre of New Ideas), in the display-windows of which there usually is an exhibition. The walk through Kekava will take about 1–1.5 h.

<u>R</u>īgas iela 26, Ķekava
 <u>56.8286</u>, 24.2390





Lake Lejas

A picturesque forest lake. You can walk around it; however, you will need waterproof boots, as it is wet and muddy in some places. The walk around the lake takes about 30 min. There are several "Latvijas Valsts meži" picnic areas around the lake.

Daugmale parish
 56.7848, 24.4419



White Palace and Forest Gallery

The White Palace was built from 1890 to 1901 and is one of the most beautiful buildings in Baldone. Today it is the home of the Music School and can be viewed only from outside. Near the White Palace there is the Forest Gallery – paintings of Baldone artists have been displayed in a 1 km long forest trail. You can continue your walk on any Baldone Story Trail with various lengths.

Daugavas iela 23, Baldone parish
 56.7421, 24.3937



Daugmale Hillfort

In ancient times there was the Zemgale Port that is mentioned in written sources. You can climb the hillfort and enjoy a beautiful view over the river Daugava.

Daugmale parish
 56.8300, 24.3819



Riekstukalns Vicinity

You can park in the lot by the Riekstukalns Sightseeing Tower. The tower is 19 m high and during good weather conditions you can see the towers of the capital. From there you can walk to the Baldone Observatory and Lake of the Lilies. The walk is about 2 km long. At Riekstukalns you can also play disc golf (you have to take your own equipment; the baskets are free of charge).

Riekstukalns, Baldone parish
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Also you can visit Mercendarbe manor and Baldone museum!

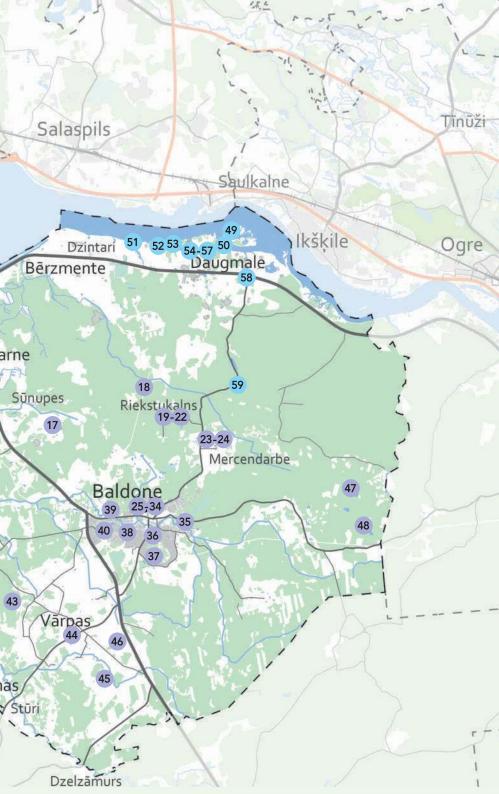


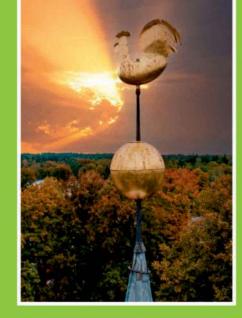
Baldone Centre

You can start your walk from the Baldone Evangelical Lutheran Church, where you can park your car and along Rīgas iela walk to the Ceriņu parks with the symbol of Baldone – sculptural fountain "Vāverīte" and sulphur spring "Ķīrzaciņa". Visiting the city centre will take about 1-1.5 h.

🙎 Rīgas iela 40, Baldone parish 🛛 🙈 56.7419, 24.3926

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TOURISM INFORMATION CENTRE OF ĶEKAVA MUNICIPALITY

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Tourism information centre offers information about sightseeing, recreational options, accommodation, catering, transport, as well as tourist maps, brochures and souvenirs. Free Wi-Fi.

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Baldone museum in Mercendarbe manor. There you can find tourism brochures and maps, also tourism information about sightseeing, accommodation and catering.