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## Boppard/Bad Salzig





Boppard – time for you







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## Time for uniquen

The Rhine valley between Bingen and Rüdesheim in the south and Koblenz in the north rightly enjoys its status as a Unesco World Heritage site, as its uniqueness is down to its varied natural landscape which is inextricably linked to its rich cultural heritage.

## Our recommendations

## Oberes Mittelrheintal (Upper Middle Rhine Valley)

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Von Bingen und Rüdesheim nach Koblenz, Monumente Edition: Welterbe ISBN 3-936942-76-5, ISBN 13-978-3-936942-76-7. € 14.80

## **UNESCO** information brochure

Welterbe Oberes Mittelrheintal, Tal der Loreley. € 2.50

### World Heritage Atlas

Out and about in the Loreley Valley from Rüdesheim and Bingen to Koblenz.  $\in$  2.00

## Service:

Tourist Information Boppard, Tel. 06742/3888, www.boppard-tourismus.de Rheintouristik Tal der Loreley, Tel. 06771/599093, www.romantischer-rhein.de

### Suggestions for excursions:

Loreley Visitors' Centre at the Loreley, Tel. 06771-599093, www.loreley-besucherzentrum.de



## Unesco-World Heritage Site - Upper Middle Rhine Valley











# Time for enjoym



## Our vineyards

Bach, Rolf, www.weingut-rolf-bach.de Didinger, Jens, www.weingut-didinger.de Engels-Weiler, www.weingut-engels-weiler.de Felsenkeller Schneider, www.felsenkeller-boppard.de Heilig Grab, Schöneberger, www.heiliggrab.de Königshof, Ries-Gräf, www.weingut-koenigshof.de Löser-Sisterhenn, www.loeser-sisterhenn.de Lorenz, Toni, www.lorenz-weine.de Müller, Matthias, www.weingut-matthiasmueller.de Perll, August & Thomas, www.perll.de Perll, Walter, www.walter-perll.de Schneider, Michael, www.schneiderlein-sekt.de Volk, Heidi und Jürgen, www.weingutvolk.de Weingart, Florian, www.weingut-weingart.de

www.wein-reich.info





In vino veritas – as we all know, wine contains truth and a lot of sophistication and aromas if it comes from the Boppard Hamm wine-growing estate. Some of the best wines from the Middle Rhine wine region are cultivated here and are proof of just how delectable Boppard is to its residents and guests.

## Time for romance





For more than 200 years people have been travelling to Boppard from near and far in order to experience with all their senses the unique natural landscape of the river valley. Wild and adventurous, the Rhine once cast a spell on travellers. Its beauty is still with us, but nowadays a trip on the many white boats is much more relaxed.



## Our recommendations



## Routes to/from Boppard:

Hebel-Linie Boppard Tel. 06742-2420 | www.hebel-linie.de Köln-Düsseldorfer Deutsche Rheinschiffahrt AG Tel. 06742-2232 | www.k-d.com Loreley-Linie Weinand Tel. 06773-341 | www.loreley-linie.com

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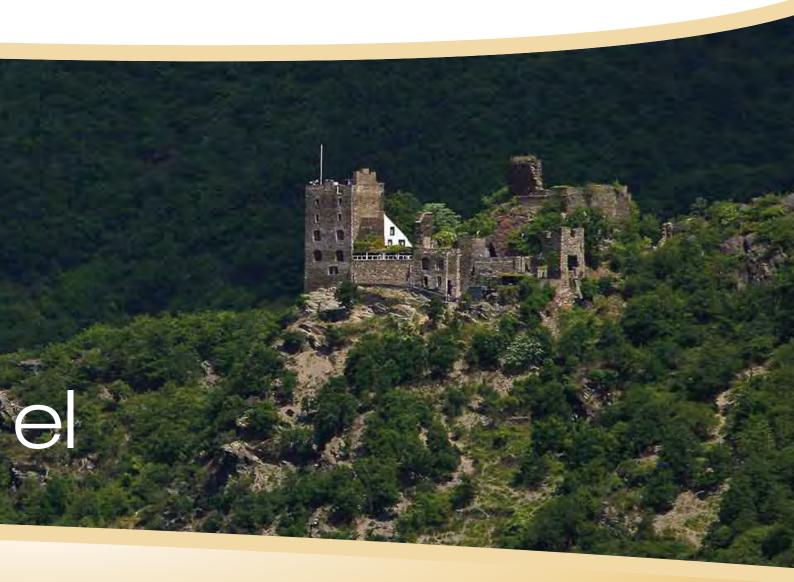
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For sword and crown. Here the Rhine was fought over, defended, pillaged and duty was paid. Even today the castles, palaces and citadels that number over forty bear testimony to the significance of the course of the river as a transport route and bottleneck for goods and valuables that were much admired and coveted by lords living on steep pinnacles.

Hunsrück

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Ehrenburg Tel. 02605-2432 | www.ehrenburg.de

Marksburg

Tel. 02627-536 | www.marksburg.de

## Stolzenfels Castle

Tel. 0261-51853 | www.schloss-stolzenfels.de

Service:

Deutsche Burgenvereinigung e.V. Tel. 02627-536, www.deutsche-burgen.org

Head Office Cultural Heritage Rhineland Palatinate Ehrenbreitstein Fortress

Tel. 0261-6675-0, www.gdke-rlp.de

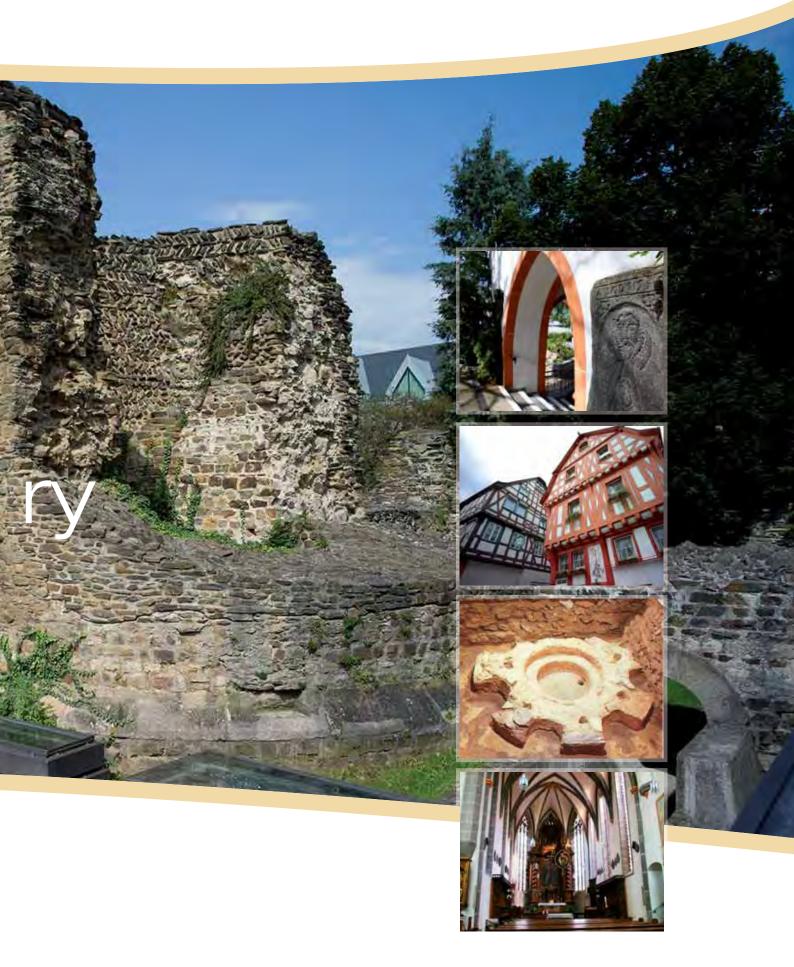
## Time for discov

Boppard's history is akin to a walk through 200 years of settlement and cultural history. The former Roman fort wall was incorporated in the medieval city wall and large parts of it have been well preserved to the present day. Once inside the former fortress you can have a wonderful time looking for traces of the Roman walls.



Information brochure: "A journey back in time: the history" "What's where" – all information on Boppard at a glance. Service:

Tourist Information Boppard , Tel. 06742-3888, www.boppard-tourismus.de



## Recommended places to visit:

Roman fort wall, St. Serverus Church, Carmelite Convent, Carmelite Church, Baroque Church St. Pankratius Herschwiesen, Hirzenach Collegiate Church

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### Hiking around Boppard

Hiking map "Boppard wandert" Scale: 1:20000, € 7.90, www.boppard-tourismus.de

### RheinBurgenWeg

beautiful hiking "Der neue RheinBurgenWeg" With Rheinsteig trail round trips ISBN: 978-3-934342-68-2, € 10,95 www.rheinburgenweg.com

## Saar-Hunsrück-Steig

Hiking on the Saar-Hunsrück-Stieg "Erlebnis Traumschleifen" www.saar-hunsrueck-steig.de

## Rheinsteig

Topograhical Rheinsteig leisure map, with RheinBurgenWeg – hiking on the next level Scale: 1:50000, ISBN-13: 978-3-89637-369-4, € 9.50 www.rheinsteig.de

www.wanderwunder.info





Free as a bird – such feelings are easily aroused on the heights overlooking the Rhine Valley. After all, wonderful hiking routes such as the Rhine Castle Way or the Rheinsteig trail go directly past Boppard and take you along trails such as the Middle Rhine climbing trail to airy locations between heaven and earth.

## Time for action





The Rhine determines the route. Even those who are not sufficiently equipped with maps will have no difficulty navigating the riverbank with their bikes. The Rhine cycle route goes along both sides of the river and offers cycling pleasure for cyclists of all levels of fitness. The mountain bike routes around Boppard are more demanding.





## The professionals when it comes to mountainbiking:

BIKE PARK BOPPARD Freeride tested NO 2 in edition 01/07, Further information from: www.downthehill.de

## Bike hire/repairs:

Boppard, Fahrradstudio Lüdicke, Tel. 06742-4736 Bad Salzig, Fahrrad Service Agentur, Tel. 06742-89 85 77, www.dorfrad.de Herschwiesen, Edi's Bike Service, Tel. 06745-182772 or 0170-8621783

www.radwanderland.info

## Time for relaxation



The everlasting waves of the Rhine have provided rest and relaxation to many who have seen them. The green colours of the forests and heights are also true sources of strength. However, Boppard also offers tender loving care for body, mind and soul.







## Our hotels are guaranteed to make you feel well:

Best Western Premier Bellevue Rheinhotel Rheinallee 41-42, 56154 Boppard, tél. 06742-1020, www.bellevue-boppard.de

Jakobsberg Hotel- und Golfresort 56154 Boppard, Tel. 06742-8080, www.jakobsberg.de

Park Hotel Bad Salzig, Römerstr. 38, 56154 Boppard-Bad Salzig, tél. 06742-93 93 0, www.park-villa.de

## Spas:

Sauna- und Bewegungsbad Bad Salzig tél. 06742-608-180, www.mittelrhein-klinik.de

www.ichzeit.info

## Time for fun

Lazing away the day can be so relaxing. On the other hand, it would be such a shame if you were to "glide over" the many leisure activities that Boppard has to offer. Paragliding is a literal example of this - just one of many exciting ideas.

## Our recommendations

**Travel by cable car** to the lookout points Gedeonseck and Vierseenblick. Cable car information brochure Boppard, Tel. 06742-2510 (Apr. -Oct.) www.sesselbahn-boppard.de

#### Travel with the Hunsrück train Boppard - Emmelshausen

Two viaducts, five tunnels and wonderful views! Tel. 0180-5836476\* or 0180-5VENIRO\*, www.hunsrueckbahn.de \*(14 ct./min. when calling from a landline, mobile phone charges can vary)

**Paragliding** over the valley of the Loreley. Drachen- und Gleitschirmfliegerfreunde Rhein-Mosel-Lahn e.V., www.thermik4u.de

## Golfanlage Jakobsberg, Tel. 06742-808491 www.jakobsberg.de

Golfing





Garden of the Butterflies at Sayn Castle Tel. 02622-15487, www.sayn.de

**Big Game Nature Reserve at Hunsrück** Tel. 06764-301612, www.hochwildschutzpark.de

Volcano Park Eifel Tel. 01801-885526, www.vulkanpark.com

Zoo Neuwied Tel. 02622-90460, www.zooneuwied.de





## Our recommendations

### Boppard evening pageant - on Carnival Sunday

The only and legendary evening pageant in the region. www.baudobriga-boppard.de

## Rhine in flames

The fireworks show "Rhein in Flammen®" . www.rhein-in-flammen.com, takes place alongside the most beautiful parts of the Rhine every year from May to September

## **Boppard Wine Festival**

Against the romantic backdrop of the market place, with many wine-tasting stands, live music, fireworks and Riesling from the Boppard Hamm.

### Service:

Tourist Information Boppard, Tel. 06742/3888, www.boppard-tourismus.de





That's also one of the reasons why the Rhine is so beautiful. Boppard is the perfect setting for 12 months of attractions and amusements. The seasons also provide for a particular ambience.

## Time for culture Boppard town hall - place





Whether theatre, music and choral concerts, whether cabaret or comedy events – in Boppard lovers of culture of every description are spoilt for choice. The Cultural Festival, which draws a large crowd of enthusiastic spectators from near and far to the town hall in spring and autumn, is especially popular. Please refer to our programme of events for further information.

## of cultural interest in the heart of the town



Festival of Culture Boppard Spring / Autumn: www.boppard-stadthalle.de



## Churches, monasteries and castles

Listen to art history being explained by our academically trained tour guide. Find out more about the unique interior of the Carmelite Church, gain an insight into the architectural history of the St. Serverus Church; the Protestant Christus Church is also included in the itinerary. The numerous monasteries are a testament to the significance of the town of Boppard in the early modern period. And what would delving into history be without the Elector's castle and the Roman fort? Unlike a traditional city tour, the emphasis here is on individual buildings that are discussed in great detail and with dramatic effect and posited in an art history context.

## Night-time torchlight walk

You get to experience an exciting night-time torchlight walk during the cold winter months. During a break you can warm yourself up with mulled wine or other hot drinks accompanied by a small snack.

Hiking time: approx. 2 hours

## Prices:

Groups of up to 8 people all-inclusive: € 140,00 every additional person € 15,00

## Tour along the Hunsrück rail track

Trip with the Hunsrück train on the incline from Boppard to Buchholz via 2 viaducts and through 5 tunnels, followed by a hike alongside the Hunsrück rail track back to Boppard including a tour of the forest.

Hiking boots, rucksack provisions and appropriate equipment are required.

Prices: € 100,00 all-inclusive plus fare

Group size: max. 20 people, Duration approx. 5 hours, can be reserved throughout the year

## Prices:

Groups of up to 20 people. € 100,00 Duration 90 minutes

## Time for seduction









## The Middle Rhine climbing trail tour

The Middle Rhine climbing trail is a very sporty version of the Left Rhine castle route. A total of 11 climbing sections on steep cliff faces must be surmounted and climbed accompanied by one of our seasoned guides.

Children over the age of nine are permitted to take part in the climbing trail tour.

### Prices:

1 - 5 people all-inclusive €125,00
6 - 10 people every additional person €10,00
11-15 people additional all-inclusive €125,00
(2nd tour guide required)

16-20 people each additional person  $\in 10,00$ 

Max. 25 people, duration approx. 3 hours, bookable daily after consultation with the Tourist Information office.

## Vineyard walk through the Boppard Hamm followed by a wine-tasting

This hike through the vineyards of the Boppard Hamm provides you with a magnificent view of the Rhine valley and also some interesting information on wine-growing here in Boppard. To round it off, you will be given the opportunity to enjoy six samples of delicious Boppard wines as part of a wine-tasting session.

#### Prices:

up to 10 people	€ 70,00
every additional person	€ 5,00

Additional costs for the wine tasting.

## Geocaching in Boppard – introductory course

Modern treasure hunt as a game for the entire family. Get to know Boppard by means of a kind of modern treasure hunt, namely geocaching. We will place a "treasure" for you somewhere in Boppard and we will then give you the coordinates and the associated GPS devices. A helper will brief you on the secrets and ruses of geocaching and will accompany the group. Duration of game: approx. 3 hours

#### Prices:

per person

€ 18,00

Group size: min. 4/max. 20 people

Special feature: This game is disabilityfriendly and can also be undertaken by wheelchair users.

## Tour through Marienberger Park

A green oasis awaits you at the edge of Boppard. By taking a walk in the company of a tour guide you will find out something about the history, special features and flora of this cultural property.

What's more, you will get to experience the calming effect of this place as you enjoy a drink for a short while after the tour.

### Prices:

costs all-inclusive Duration of the tour: Group size: € 100,00 approx. 90 minutes max. 25 people

## The night-time tour through medieval Boppard

Discover a variety of different buildings in Boppard lit by the light of a lantern and listen to voices that trail off in the night. Conclusion of the night-time tour: with a wine tasting in the Roman fort.

Prices:

costs all-inclusive Duration of the tour: Wine tasting Group size:

### € **125,00** 1,5 hours

approx. 1 hour max 22 people

## Rheinsteig hike "From Filsen to Braubach"

The meeting time is around 10am in Boppard. You cross the Rhine by ferry and enter the Rheinsteig at Filsen. After about four hours walk with wonderful views of the Middle Rhine Valley, you reach Braubach where you visit the Marksburg. Afterwards you take the boat back to Boppard. At the castle you have the opportunity to stop at the bars in Marksburg.

This hike is of moderate difficulty and is approx. 16 km long.

### Prices:

Costs per person including castle visit, ferry and boatride € 25,00

Minimum number of participants: 10 people Bookable all year round, depending on the weather You should bring along the following items: sturdy shoes, drinks



## Tour through the town and the region

Perhaps you would like to get to know not just the town of Boppard, but are interested in the UNESCO World Heritage site Upper Middle Rhine Valley. You know that Boppard is located at the heart of the World Heritage site region, and would like to explore this unique landscape with Boppard as your base. We will cater for this and provide you with well-trained local guides.

#### Prices:

Half-day (4 hours) Full day (8 hours)

## Guided tours of the town for individuals/public tour

We offer all guests in Boppard regular, public guided tours through our historic town. Discover the quaintest corners of our medieval town in 90 minutes. The guided tour takes place every Saturday at 11am all year round.

#### Prices:

#### € 3,00 /pers.

If you as a group would like to become better acquainted with historical buildings in Boppard, such as the Roman fort or the medieval churches, then simply book a tour guide and be whisked away on an interesting tour of discovery through historic Boppard. We offer you a classic city walking tour in several languages.



#### Prices:

€ 90,00

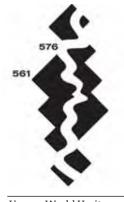
€ 170,00

€ 60,00 /pers.

Duration 90 minutes Group size: max. 25 people www.boppard-tourismus.de

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