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Upper Middle Rhine Valley

**Boppard/Bad Salzig**

Buchholz · Herschwiesen · Hirzenach · Holzfeld ·  
Oppenhausen · Rheinbay · Udenhausen · Weiler



## What's where



Title picture:

## **Vierseenblick**

A few minutes away on foot from the lift station, you come to the famous Vierseenblick (Four Lakes View) viewpoint from where you have a view of the Rhine, which looks like a chain of four sparkling lakes. The Vierseenblick, with its restaurant of the same name, is a starting point for many circular trails.

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## **The Town of Boppard**

The town of Boppard lies in the middle of the World Heritage area of the Upper Middle Rhine Valley, not far from the Loreley. The past and the present merge here into picturesque scenes of wine-growing and inn-keeping, fishing and ferrying and those vital traditions live on, in and around the ancient town. The town of Boppard offers you the best of opportunities to get to know the surrounding valley in all its many-faceted traditions. Our cultural treasures are waiting here for you to enjoy them, and we are looking forward to seeing you!

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## Guided tours of the town



Get acquainted with Roman, medieval and modern Boppard during an approx. 1.5-hour long guided city tour. Learn interesting facts about the city's history spanning over 2000 years. Visit our homepage [www.boppard-tourismus.de](http://www.boppard-tourismus.de) for more information on our themed and regional guided tours bookable on request.

Tourist Information Boppard | Tel. +49 6742-3888  
Guided tours of the town for groups can be booked all year round on request.  
Guided tours for individuals (max. party of 25) all year round every Saturday at 11.00 am | During the season (Eastern to end of October) additionally every Wednesday at 2.00 pm | PRICE: € 3.00 per person

## Lookout Points



### Gedeonseck:

Gedeonseck vantage point and the panorama restaurant of the same name are just a short walk from the chairlift's upper terminus. The view of the big Rhine loop from here is fantastic.



### Eisenbolz:

The 'Eisenbolz' is a hill with a circular route between Boppard and Bad Salzig and is especially suitable for Nordic walking. From here, you have a fantastic view of both localities, the "Hostile Brothers" and the Rhine itself.



### Five Lakes View:

Visitors to the Five Lake View observation tower are rewarded with breathtaking views into the Rhine Valley and of the Hunsrück, Eifel and Westerwald peaks once they have climbed the 27.4 m to the top. The observation tower is located between Bad Salzig and the Fleckertshöhe on federal road K117.

Tourist Information Boppard | Tel. +49 6742-3888 | [boppard-tourismus.de](http://boppard-tourismus.de)

## Chair lift



It takes 20 min. in the chair lift from the valley boarding station, Mühlthal, to Gedeonseck and Vierseenblick high up on the hill. It is an unforgettable experience and something which no tourist should miss. From the top you can enjoy a unique panoramic view over the largest loop in the Rhine at Boppard. You can take your bicycle with you.

Sesselbahn Boppard GmbH | Mühlthal 12 valley station | Tel. +49 6742-2510  
[sesselbahn-boppard.de](http://sesselbahn-boppard.de) | [info@sesselbahn-boppard.de](mailto:info@sesselbahn-boppard.de) | OPENING TIMES: April to October 10.00 am to 6.00 pm | PRICES: adults/children (up to 14) single € 5.50/3.00 | return € 8.50/4.50 | group price for 15 people or more € 7.50 per person return

## Hunsrück Railway



The Hunsrück Railway which travels from Boppard to Emmelshausen, passing through Boppard's woodlands and Buchholz, is one of the most beautiful railway routes in Germany. The route covers an altitude difference of around 980 ft, running through 5 tunnels and crossing 2 impressive viaducts. Wonderful views are guaranteed during the trip.

RHENUS-VENIRO | Tel. +49 651-970672101 | [hunsrueckbahn.de](http://hunsrueckbahn.de)  
OPERATING TIMES: all the year round | timetable available at the Tourist Information Boppard  
PRICES: to Buchholz: adult € 3.00 | return € 6.00 | children up to 14 years € 1.80, return € 3.60 | to Emmelshausen: adult € 5.00 | return € 10.00, children up to 14 years € 3.00 | return € 6.00

## Rhine Promenade – A Green Oasis



Along the more than 3 km long river bank you can enjoy Mediterranean flair with magnificent villas, gardens, a wide variety of restaurants, hotels, cafés with terraces, and plenty of space to stroll, ramble and chill along the river.

### Köln-Düsseldorfer (KD)



Köln-Düsseldorfer is the only shipping line which runs the whole length of the World Heritage area of the Upper Middle Rhine Valley and offers 160 opportunities to board and disembark.

Rheinallee  
Tel. +49 6742-2232  
k-d.com



### Loreley Line Weinand



Enjoy the scenic beauty of our World Heritage site on one of these exclusive passenger vessels. Departures from pier no. 2.

Rheinallee/Burgplatz  
Tel. +49 6773-341  
loreley-linie.de



### Hebel-Line



Trips by boat along the Rhine and Moselle. Prices and timetables can be found in the current bulletin.

Rheinallee 35  
Tel. +49 6742-2420  
hebel-linie.de

Timetables for the shipping companies are available at the Tourist Information Boppard or directly from the shipping lines.



### Elector's castle/Museum

The buildings of the Elector's Castle, which are directly next to the Rhine, form a rectangle with an inner courtyard. A five-storey keep rises above the courtyard. For a long time, it was thought that it had been founded by Archbishop-Elector Baldwin of Trier. More recent investigations show that this medieval Rhine fortress was founded as long ago as 1265 by Richard of Cornwall. He laid the foundation stone for the mighty keep. Building stopped for some time after Boppard was pledged to the Bishop of Trier, Baldwin of Luxembourg, in 1312. It was not possible to extend the keep until after military occupation in 1327. The building initially served as a fortress to control the town, then as a toll station on the Rhine. The museum has experienced many changes during its more than hundred-year history in the Electoral Castle. One of the most extensive of these was its refurbishment after the building had been restored. This now forms one of the focal points – the castle has become an exhibit. Extracts from Boppard's history in the late Middle Ages and the early modern period are exhibited in the town history section. The extensive collection of bentwood furniture also tells the story of the life of Michael Thonet, a son of the town, who began as a craftsman with an idea and created a world concern. Regularly changing history and art-related exhibitions and events are part of the normal programme of the museum.

Museum Boppard | Elector's castle | Burgplatz 2 | Tel. +49 6742-8015984

OPENING TIMES: Tuesday to Friday 10.00 am to 5.00 pm, Saturday and Sunday 11.00 am to 6.00 pm, on public holidays also open on Mondays 11.00 am to 6.00 pm | Closed between 4th of Advent to the Three Magi  
Up-to-date informations: [museum-boppard.de](http://museum-boppard.de)

TOWN MAP: A





### 'Bodobrica' Roman Fort ✓

Roman history at every turn. Boppard was one of the most important Roman settlements on the Middle Rhine. As a direct result of Julius Caesar's triumphal campaigns in Germania, this region also came under Roman control. The area was formerly occupied by the Celts who gave the name 'BAUDOBRIGA' to their ancient settlement. After traces of early Roman occupation at the start of the Mühltal, not far from what now constitutes the western borders of the town, in the middle of the fourth century work began on a substantial fortification called BODOBRICA, from which the present name BOPPARD is derived. The proportions of the late Roman fortress, which is located right on the banks of the Rhine, are impressive. It measures around 1,010 by 505 feet, forming a rectangle of around 4.7 hectares. The walls are 10 ft. thick to the inland side and 8 ft. thick towards the Rhine. It was 29 ft. high and thus presented an impressive obstacle to intended attack. In addition, on the inland side, the fortress boasted 20 horseshoe-shaped towers, each at regular intervals of about 88 ft., which offered additional protection against a possible attack from that direction. Later times became too disturbed for the Roman occupiers and they finally left the Rhine, the former ancient fortress formed the heart of the settlement from which the current town developed. Today, Boppard's streets and squares vibrate with modern life, but its origins are still clearly visible. We can see the ruins of Roman occupation with its mighty fortification, which still surrounds the current town centre, and indeed the walls of this Roman fortress are the best preserved in Germany.

Angertstraße/Kirchgasse | Tel. +49 6742-3888 | Tourist Information Boppard  
TOWN MAP: B

### St. Severus Church ✓

The twin-towered, late Romanesque St. Severus parish church (13th cen.) is a minor basilica built over the original Roman military baths, has a rich architectural structure and decoratively painted arches with the legend of St. Severus. The Triumphal Cross (13th century), the font (5th century) and the early Christian grave-stones are particularly worth seeing.

Marktplatz 7 | Tel. +49 6742-2315 | Catholic Congregation of St. Severus  
TOWN MAP: C

### Carmelite Church ✓

The Gothic Carmelite Church (14th/15th century) houses a rich interior, including tombs and choir stalls (15th century). The Carmelite veneration of Mary can be seen in various representations of the Virgin, including the 'Grape Madonna' (outside), the 'Madonna with Rosary' and 'In Piety'. The former cloisters (18th century) now house the town administration, currently under restructuring.



Karmeliterstraße | Tel. +49 6742-2315 | Catholic Congregation of St. Severus | TOWN MAP: D

### Church of Christ



The new Romanesque revival style 'Church of Christ' was inaugurated in the presence of the Prussian King Friedrich Wilhelm IV in 1852. The interior soars up to a dome-like vault supported by slender columns. The south wing of the atrium was turned through 90 degrees in 1975 due to the building of the federal highway.

Pastorsgasse 9 d | Tel. +49 6742-2343 | Parish office  
TOWN MAP: E

### The Priory at Hirzenach



The church, the vicarage and the garden in Hirzenach constitute an ensemble. The origins of the church of St. Bartholomew (Romanesque tower) go back to the early 12th century (the early Gothic choir dates from around year 1250). The imposing vicarage (a former priory/18th century) overlooks the listed Baroque garden.

Propsteistraße | Boppard-Hirzenach | Guided tours of the priory and its garden on request | Tel. +49 6761 - 9677552 (Mrs. End)  
The Provost's Garden can only be visited by prior arrangement or if gardeners are present | Tel. +49 160-91052324

### Church of St Giles



Built in 1901 using older building materials, the neo-Gothic parish church of St Giles in the attractive Bad Salzig quarter is based on previous structures dating back to the 10th century. The patron saint, Giles of St. Gilles, is depicted on the high altar with his characteristic emblem, the hind, in a wooden sculpture from the 14th century.

St. Ägidiusstraße | Boppard-Bad Salzig | Tel. +49 6742-2315

### Church of St. Peter in Chains Weiler



The church was built in the Romanesque style in the first half of the 13th century. The nave was built in the Gothic style. It is possible that Johann von Weiler built the first Weiler chapel. The building is assumed to be from the second half of the 13th century. The church lies on the Way of St. James and offers pilgrims the opportunity to collect a Way of St. James pilgrim's stamp.

Zur Peterskirche | Boppard-Weiler | Tel. +49 6742-2315  
OPENING TIMES: daily 10.00 am to 6.00 pm



### Protestant Church at Holzfeld



On a small hill in the centre of Holzfeld stands its protestant church, built in the 18th century. Because of its structureless appearance and the square west tower (15th century) the church gives a very defiant impression. The interior of the church houses a very old baptismal font made of basalt lava which is well worth seeing.

Boppard-Holzfeld | Tel. +49 6741-7470 (protestant congregation)

### The Baroque Church of St. Pancras



Surrounded by a wall and in the middle of a former cemetery in Herschwiesen, stands the hall church of St. Pancras (1744-46). Its Baroque architecture and the fact that its furnishings are so consistently true to the period make it an interesting place to visit. Another place of pilgrimage is the miraculous image of the "Black Madonna" in Windhausen.

Pankratiusring | Boppard-Herschwiesen  
Tel. +49 6745-877 (Incumbent: Mr. Roos)



### Historic tower




The largest remaining tower of the town wall stood on the side of the railway line near the hill until 1905. It had to give way to the construction of the Hunsrück Railway and was rebuilt on its current site as a water tower for steam engines. It now houses a winery and the boiler room for regional wine tasting.

Heerstr. 197 (Boppard town centre near station) | Open Mon. to Fri. 10.00am to 6.00pm, Saturday 10.00am to 2.00pm | leue@bopparder-weinkontor.de  
TOWN MAP: F

### Mustard Mill in the Monastery of St. Martin



Experience a guided tour and demonstration in our historic mustard mill. See the careful manufacturing of delicate types of mustard. Afterwards, you can sample these Middle Rhine delicacies, along with delicious, cold pressed rapeseed oils, all free of charge.

Mainzer Straße 8 | Boppard | Tel. +49 6742-8747355 | Fax -8747310   
Stiftung Bethesda St. Martin GmbH | Rheinwerkstatt

OPENING TIMES: Monday to Thursday 9.00 am to 12.15 pm and 1.00 pm to 3.30 pm, Fridays 9.00 am to 12.15 pm and 1.00 pm to 2.30 pm  
Guided tours: Monday to Sunday 11.00 am and 2.00 pm, Nov. to April  
GUIDED tours by prior arrangement only | closed on Saturday and Sunday  
PRICES: adults € 3.00, children, and adults in groups € 2.50, children under 6 free | TOWN MAP: G

### Marienberger Park



Behind the large Baroque building of the former Marienberg Monastery (18th century) which towers over Boppard, there is an extensive park belonging to the monastery, laid out as a landscaped park in the 19th century. The vast majority of the trees date back to this time. A large pond and paths oozing with atmosphere entice visitors to explore the surroundings. The Marienberg Park is the starting point for the Marienberg Traumschleife river dream loop of the same name.

Boppard | Marienberg  
Tel. +49 6742-3888  
Tourist Information Boppard  
TOWN MAP: H



### Historical dwelling 'Haus Heimburger' (Schnuggelelsje)

The children of Boppard loved Ms Else Heimburger's little shop (\* 1908, † 1994), Schnuggelelsje. This antique shop was stocked full of large sweet jars, filled with all kinds of sweet goodies. Here, sweets were sold for only a few pfennigs (Haus Heimburger, one of the oldest half-timbered houses in Boppard). Heimburger House, one of the oldest half-timbered houses in Boppard, now houses a restaurant.

Ecke Kronengasse / Untere Marktstraße 24 | Boppard Zentrum  
TOWN MAP: I

### Historical dwelling, formerly named 'Teehäusje'

The historic dwelling, former 'little tea house' in Lower Market Street, is the oldest half-timbered building in Boppard and was built in the year 1519. It now accommodates a café.



Untere Marktstraße 10  
Boppard town centre  
TOWN MAP: J



### Half-timbered houses in the historic part of the town

There are many old half-timbered houses to admire in the town centre, e.g. in Kronengasse, in Untere Marktstraße, in the market place and in the Balz district. Of special interest are 'Haus Bodenbach' where the gables stand on posts and are richly carved, and the 'Haus zur Arche' (16th/17th century), both of which are in the Oberstraße.

### Eltzer Hof

One example of the many medieval residences belonging to the privileged at that time in Boppard is the carefully restored 'Eltzer Hof' (corner Oberstraße/Karmeliterstraße). The building to the rear dates back to the 16th century, while the main building at the front is from the 18th century. The coat of arms of the noble families of Eltz (lion) and Faust von Stromberg (chessboard) adorn the gable.

### Ritter-Schwalbach-Haus

One part of the current Federal Academy (formerly a monastery for Franciscan monks) is the Ritter-Schwalbach-Haus (Rheinalle 23) on the banks of the Rhine (13th/15th century), one of the oldest houses in Boppard. It is a square, three-storey building with little bay window turrets and pointed, helmet-like towers standing next to the medieval 'Sandtor' (Sand Gate).



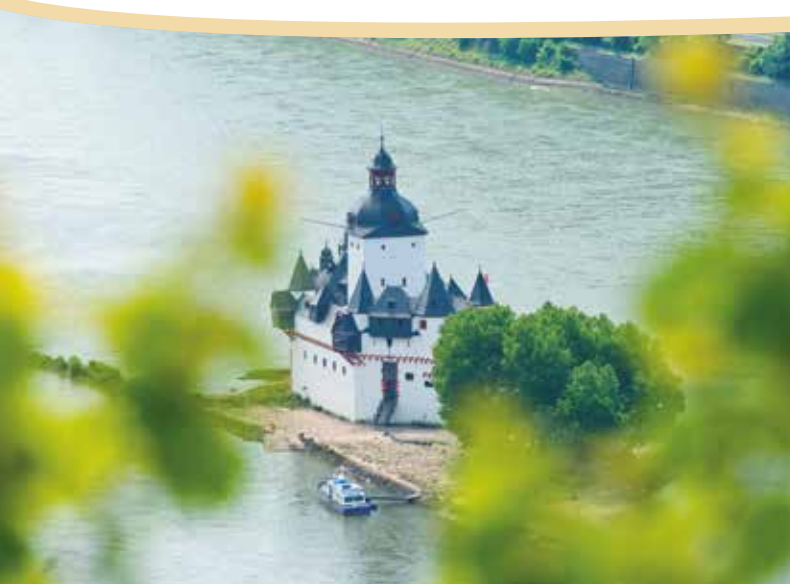
### The healing spa of Bad Salzig with its park

In 1901, Captain Theodor von Baginski, known as Hoffmann, began to drill in the area to find salty water and establish a spa. The healing waters of the Barbara and Leonora springs were to provide the basis for this bathing culture in the healing spa of Bad Salzig. The grand opening was celebrated in 1907. The healing waters are now no longer used for therapy in the clinic. The classical bath houses are attached to a sauna and a therapy pool in new buildings. You can also find the drinking hall designed by the artist Ursula Bertram here. The arcades of ancient trees and landscaped areas of the adjoining park which surrounds the Middle Rhine Clinic are an invitation to walk and linger a while.

Tourist Information Boppard | Tel. +49 6742-3888 | [boppard-tourismus.de](http://boppard-tourismus.de)







## The Hostile Brothers Marksburg

Sterrenberg and Liebenstein Castles, which are located right next to each other in the World Heritage area of the Upper Middle Rhine Valley near Kamp-Bornhofen. Due to the great popularity of the legend and unique location of the castles, which are separated by two shield walls, the two castles are more widely referred to as the 'Hostile Brothers' than under their real names.

Burg Sterrenberg | Kunz family  
Landgasthof 'Zum weißen Schwanen GmbH' | Tel. +49 2627-9820  
burg-sterrenberg.com

Burg Liebenstein | Nickenig family  
Tel. +49 6773-308 and -251  
castle-liebenstein.com

The only hill fortress which has survived destruction on the Rhine gives a daily insight into the Middle Ages. The value and significance of this landmark lies above all in its complete preservation as a medieval fortification. The imposing fortress with buildings mainly dating from the 13th to 15th centuries lets visitors experience an authentic journey into the Middle Ages.

56338 Braubach  
Tel. +49 2627-206 | marksburg.de  
marksburg@deutsche-burgen.org

**OPENING TIMES:**  
Daily open. 2nd of Nov. to 22nd of Mar. guided tours at the full hour between 11.00 am to 4.00 pm, 23rd of Mar. to 3rd of Nov. guided tours several times the hour between 10.00 am to 5.00 pm. Closed 24th and 25th of Dec.

## Pfalzgrafenstein

Like a stony ship, the Pfalz is anchored on a rocky reef in the middle of the river, near the town of Kaub. The island castle was built at the beginning of the 14th century to collect the Rhine toll. Today a small ferry takes visitors from Kaub over to the castle.

56349 Kaub | Tel. +49 172-2622800  
burg-pfalzgrafenstein.de

**OPENING TIMES:**  
Feb. to 14th of Mar., and Nov. open on Sa., Su. and public holiday between 10.00 am to 5.00 pm, 15th of Mar. to end of Oct. open Tu. to Su. and public holiday between 10.00 am to 6.00 pm. Last entry 45 min. before closing. Closed on Mo. (except publ. holiday), Dec. and Jan.

## Stolzenfels Castle

Neo-Gothic building with wall paintings, original fixtures, artworks and suits of armour. Direction Koblenz on the left side of the Rhine rises Castle Stolzenfels, built in the 19th century from the ruins of a 13th century castle.

56075 Koblenz | Tel. +49 261-51656  
schloss-stolzenfels.de

**OPENING TIMES:**  
Feb. to 14th of Mar., and Nov. open on Sa., Su. and public holiday between 10.00 am to 5.00 pm, 15th of Mar. to end of Oct. open Tu. to Su. and public holiday between 10.00 am to 6.00 pm. Last entry 45 min. before closing. Closed in Dec. and Jan. and on first working day of the week.

## Rheinfels

The largest castle ruin on the Middle Rhine. Visitors who tour the Rheinfels today are surprised by the size of the ruins, by the labyrinth of defense passages and underground mine corridors, some of which are still accessible today. A visit to the castle museum gives an impression of the significance of the castle.

56329 St. Goar | Tel. +49 6741-7753 or - 383 (TI) | burg-rheinfels.com  
burg-rheinfels@st-goar.de

**OPENING TIMES:**  
9th to 23rd of Mar., 27th of Oct. to 10th of Nov. daily open:  
CASTLE: 9.00 am to 5.00 pm  
MUSEUM: 10.00 am to 12.30 pm and 1.00 pm to 4.30 pm

24th of Mar. to end of Oct. daily open:  
CASTLE: 9.00 am to 6.00 pm  
MUSEUM: 10.00 am to 12.30 pm and 1.00 pm to 5.30 pm. Last entry 1 hour before closing. In winter closed on 11th of Nov. to 08 of Mar.

## Ehrenburg

Not only as a hotel and restaurant, but also a venue with an unusual range of leisure activities, a trip to the adventure castle promises fun for the whole family.

56332 Brodenbach / Mosel  
Tel. +49 2605 - 3077 | ehrenburg.de  
kontakt@ehrenburg.de

**OPENING TIMES:**  
Beginning of spring until All Saints 'Day Mo. to Sa. 10.00 am to 6.00 pm, Su. and public holiday 11.00 am to 6.00 pm

## Town library



The town library offers children, young people and adults:

- over 14,000 books
- over 1,400 audio books on CDs
- over 550 films on DVDs
- More than 80,000 digital media (eBooks, eAudios, ePapers...) available around the clock on the 'Onleihe Rheinland-Pfalz' lending platform
- tiptois, bookies und tonies
- internet, free WLAN
- events

Town library | Untere Fraubachstraße 8 | Tel. +49 6742-10311  
stadtuebcherei@boppard.de | stadtuebcherei-boppard.de

### OPENING TIMES:

Monday 10.00 am to 2.00 pm, Tuesday to Thursday 10.00 am to 12.00 pm and 3.00 pm to 6.00 pm, Friday 10.00 am to 2.00 pm

## Boppard Town Hall



The cultural site in the heart of the town is located directly next to the historic market place. Numerous events take place here: theatre, music and choral concerts, as well as cabaret and comedy shows. Entrance tickets are available online at [ticket-regional.de](http://ticket-regional.de)

Oberstr. 141 (Market Place) | [stadthalle@boppard.de](mailto:stadthalle@boppard.de) | [boppard-stadthalle.de](http://boppard-stadthalle.de)

## Cinema



Regular film shows. For further details see the display cases at the town hall or visit [cinema-boppard.de](http://cinema-boppard.de)

'cinema-Programm kino' VHS Boppard e.V.  
film club | Oberstraße 141 (town hall) | Tel.  
+49 6742-81939 | [info@cinema-boppard.de](mailto:info@cinema-boppard.de)  
[cinema-boppard.de](http://cinema-boppard.de)

## Cycling



Bike hire and repair service:  
[Fahrradstudio Lüdicke](http://Fahrradstudio Lüdicke)  
Tel. +49 6742-4736

### OPENING TIMES:

Monday to Friday 9.00 am to 6.00 pm, Saturday 9.00 am to 1.00 pm  
Nov. to Feb. closed on wednesdays | Rental fee per day/bike: from € 8.50

Boppard lies directly on the 120 km (75 mile) long Rhine cycle path which runs from north to south through the Rhine Valley on both banks. The many ship and ferry terminals which allow regular 'bank hopping' are a special feature of cycle touring along the romantic Rhine. Up in the hills, the 'Schinderhannes cycle path' offers an idyllic cycle route and its starting point at Emmelshausen can easily be reached via the Hunsrück Railway.

## Boppard Bike Park



Boppard bike park is a small park with a dirt track and a free ride route. The dirt park is suitable for beginners and advanced cyclists. The free ride route is about 1.1 km (around 3/4 of a mile) long, the height difference is just under 200 m. In the upper part there are large, fast jumps. After a crossroads that you have to go over, it carries on with a large, fast drop and jumps.

## Nordic walking



The Rhine Valley offers Nordic walking routes and viewpoints with lovely landscapes on its slopes and hills right next to the river. The paths in the Bopparder Hamm winegrowing area, on the Eisenbolz and around Fleckertshöhe are particularly highly recommended. There are Nordic walking events on Thursdays with expert guides.

Further information:  
[tg-boppard.de](http://tg-boppard.de)

## Rambling



Wonderful hiking routes and footpaths open up the Rhine Valley and the Hunsrück heights. The Rheinsteig runs cross regional on the right bank of the Rhine. Between Bonn, Koblenz and Wiesbaden, the 320-km long long-distance hiking trail leads up and down mainly narrow paths and challenging inclines through forests and vineyards. From Boppard you can reach the Rheinsteig easily via the Boppard ferry.

On the left bank of the Rhine, the RheinBurgenWeg trail leads along a length of approx. 200 km through the unique cultural landscape from the Rolandsbogen near Remagen to the Mäuseturm near Bingen, crossing Boppard and its districts. Both offer spectacular views of the Rhine Valley, the river and its castles.

Another outstanding long-distance hiking trail, one of Germany's top trails, begins in Boppard: The Saar-Hunsrück-Steig. The 410-kilometre long hiking trail starts from here via Idar-Oberstein on the Nahe, Hermeskeil, the eastern Hunsrück and Saar-Hunsrück Nature Park, past the Saar loop trail at Mettlach in Saarland, Perl on the Moselle to Trier.



## Middle Rhine Rock Climb



As the only alpine rock climb north of the Alps, the Middle Rhine rock climb enables ramblers to walk through the natural landscape in a way that you would not expect in a low mountain range. You should only walk this demanding route wearing sturdy walking boots and if you have a good head for heights and are sure-footed. Equipment is necessary for children and inexperienced people (lending service: Aral service station, Tel. +496742-2761).



## Combination Hunsrück Railway and Hiking



One of the most beautiful hiking tours connects the Middle Rhine Valley with the Hunsrück: the Hunsrück Railway hiking trail. The trail follows the 16 km track from Emmelshausen station to Boppard station. Combined with an unforgettable ride on the Hunsrück Railway over the steepest mountain railway stretch north of the Alps, hikers can expect spectacular views. They can also enjoy a view from the 'Liesenfelds Hut' onto the Hubertus Viaduct before following the path under the impressive overpass. Another highlight of the way is the Elfenlay with great views over the Rhine river loop.



## Circular Hiking Trails 'Traumschleifen'



The so-called Boppard 'Traumschleifen' ('dream loops') are circular hiking trails with lengths of 5 to 15 km that pass through the 10 districts and will prove to you that Boppard is beautiful everywhere. The seven premium hiking trails certified by the German Hiking Institute offer a memorable hiking experience. Among them is the Ehrbachklamm 'dream loop', certified with 93 adventure points. As the name 'Fünfseenblick' ('five lake view') reveals, hikers can expect breathtaking views of the Rhine Valley along this circular hiking trail.

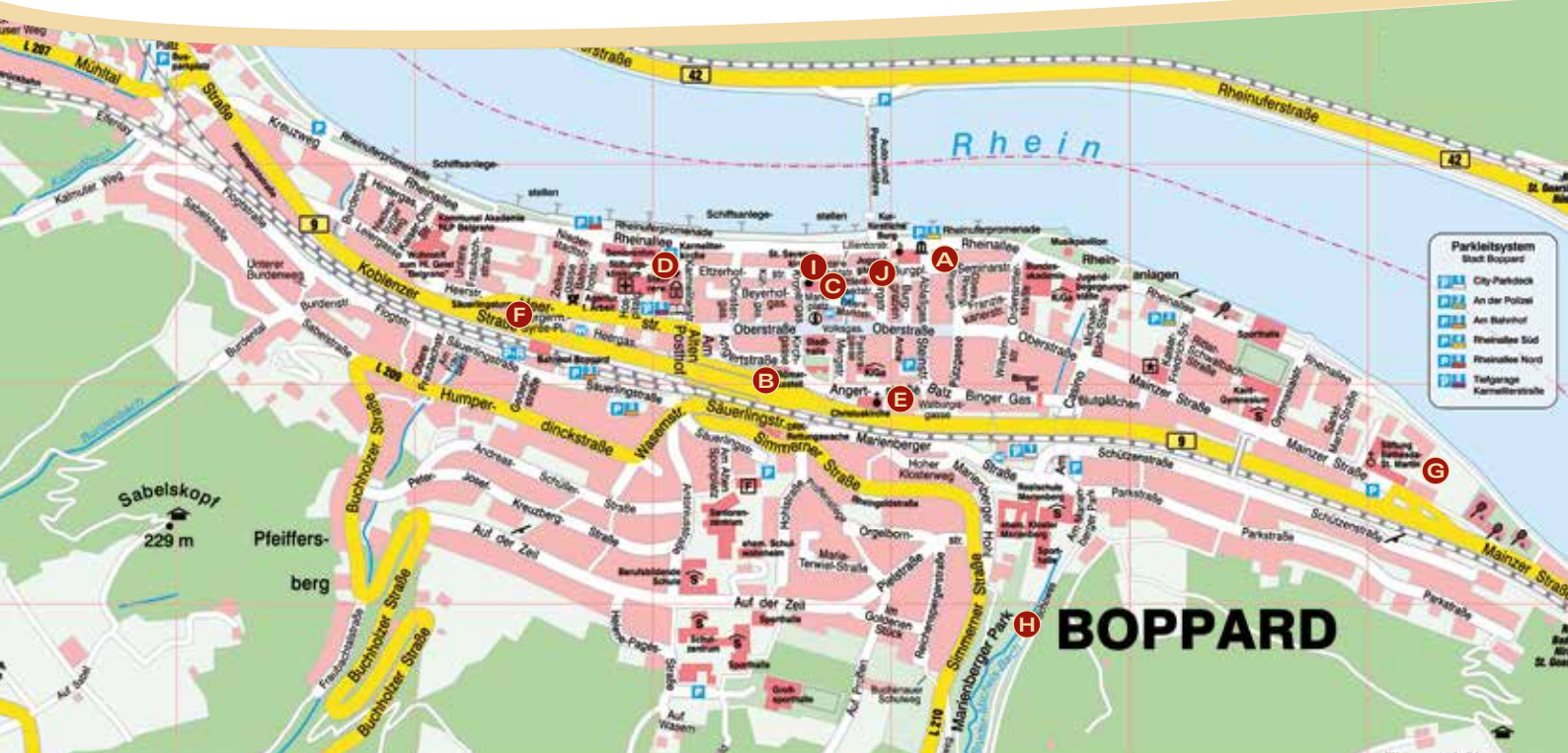
But the Elfenlay, Hasenkammer, Marienberg and Rheingold river loops also offer similar views, including the latter's famous Edgar Reitz View. With 87 adventure points, the Klettersteig loop trail, which runs parallel to the Mittelrhein via ferrata, is a relaxed alternative to the alpine hiking experience.



Comprehensive information and maps about our hiking trails are available at [boppard-tourismus.de/wandern](http://boppard-tourismus.de/wandern) or at the Tourist Information Boppard.



# Boppard & Bad Salzig town map







## Winegrowing

**Wine and the Middle Rhine are inseparable, and there is no better place than Bopparder Hamm at the gates of the town of Boppard to enjoy the majestic vineyards which produce a very fine, exclusive wine to delight the spirit.**

The vineyards of Bopparder Hamm which dominate the sweeping loop of the Rhine are visual proof of Boppard's reputation as the home of outstanding winegrowing estates. The south-facing slopes enjoy an ideal angle to the sun, are able to utilise the river's body of water as thermal storage and are well protected both from the west and from the east, which is even more favourable for the mini-climate. In short, it constitutes the optimum environment for the cultivation of excellent wine. The Bopparder Hamm vineyard covers an area of 75

hectares and thus is the largest single vineyard in the Middle Rhine. It is divided up into high-class individual estates, such as Elfenlay, Fässerlay, Weingrube, Mandelstein, Feuerlay, Ohlenberg and Engelstein. The uncontested star among the vines is still the Riesling, which, because of the deep, weathering rock with its slate content, here produces a wine of a quite distinctive character. Typical aromas such as apple, mint and various spices give the Boppard Riesling an unmistakable flavour and offer the wine connoisseur wonderful taste ex-

periences. However, the best of sites could not produce a wine of such high quality without the passionate commitment and know-how of local winegrowers who really know how to bring forth jewels of taste from their wines. Work in the Bopparder Hamm vineyards is still typically manual and is done almost exclusively on the laborious, steep slopes. Anyone coming here at any time of the year will see winegrowers busy pruning, tying in the vines and looking after the leaves and grapes. Walks and rambles through the Bopparder Hamm lead directly to the nursery for the vines, which will one day produce the fully ripe grapes for wine. A highlight of exploring the vineyards is the 'Middle Rhine Spring Wine Festival' which

takes place at the end of April and offers a selection of good wine and culinary delights. Around a dozen Boppard winegrowers, working in tandem with catering companies, offer a very special, sensual Rhine and wine experience. The highlight of the Boppard wine event is the annual Wine Festival at the end of September and beginning of October. Throughout the year however there are friendly wineries, cosy open-air festivals and of course many individual wine tastings at the vineyards themselves which are all part of the aromatic vine trail which both locals and visitors love to follow.

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# Getting there



## By Car:

Coming from Cologne or Mainz on the A 61 motorway: Take exit for Boppard/Buchholz, then follow the signs to Boppard (8 kilometres [5 miles] to town centre).

Coming from the A 3 motorway:

At the "Dernbacher Dreieck" junction, take the A 48 motorway in the Koblenz direction. At the "Koblenzer Kreuz" junction take the A 61 motorway in the Mainz direction as far as the Boppard/Buchholz exit.

You can also get to Boppard on the B 9 highway on the left bank of the Rhine from Koblenz or Bingen and via the 327 (Hunsrück Hills road). The B 42 on the right bank of the Rhine is directly linked to Boppard by ferry.

## By Train:

Boppard train station is directly linked with the regional express network. You reach Boppard via Koblenz, Mainz and Frankfurt.

## By Air:

The "Frankfurt-Hahn" Airport in Hunsrück is only 55 kilometres (approx. 34 miles) away from Boppard. The distance from the major airport of Frankfurt is 100 kilometres (approx. 62 miles), and the distance to the Cologne/Bonn Airport is 110 kilometres (approx. 69 miles).

## By Boat:

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