



Kandava – Jaunmokas

Pūre – a place where chocolate is made

Along Jelgavas street, crossing the old boulder bridge over Abava, the Forest Trail along Daigones street and further along a gravel road leads to the 5 km distant Daigone village, after which it descends along the Dziļkalns–Pūre road (V1464) in the Abava valley. After the bridge over Abava, the Forest Trail turns right and along a small path reaches Pūre. Circling around the Pūre Manor, it stretches for the next 5 km to Galciems along Zemeņu street and Pūre–Jaunsāti (C004) road. Sand and gravel are mined here in the quarries of the region. In Galciems, the Forest Trail turns left onto a small gravel road (C003), which after 3.5 km connects with Jaunmoku–Jaunsāti road (V1444). After another 3 km, the Forest Trail crosses the Rīga–Ventspils highway and reaches Jaunmoku palace along small paths surrounded by tree alleys. Approaching the palace from Jaunsāti, you can see the beautiful wide landscapes around the Forest Trail, where Spārnene, the wavy plain of Austrumkursā, alternates with Vanema hills.



PRACTICAL INFORMATION

..... 24 km

⌚ 6 – 8 h

🚩 Kandava Knights' Castle Mound

🚩 Jaunmoku palace

📍 Kandava – Daigone – Pūre –
Galciems – Jaunmokas



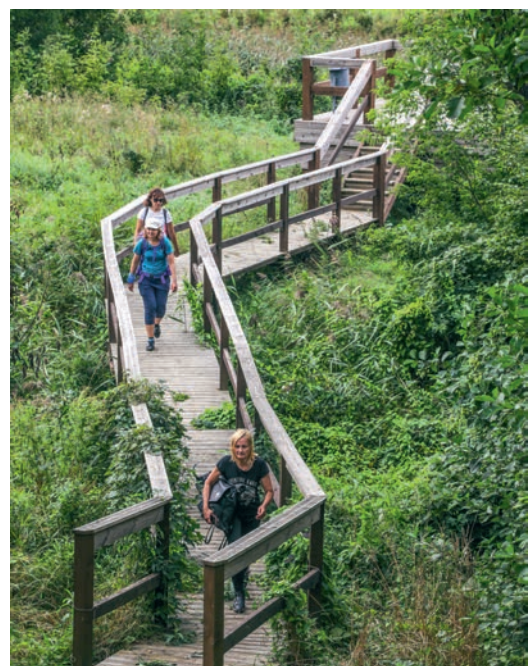
Gravel roads and dirt roads, in a short section – trails.

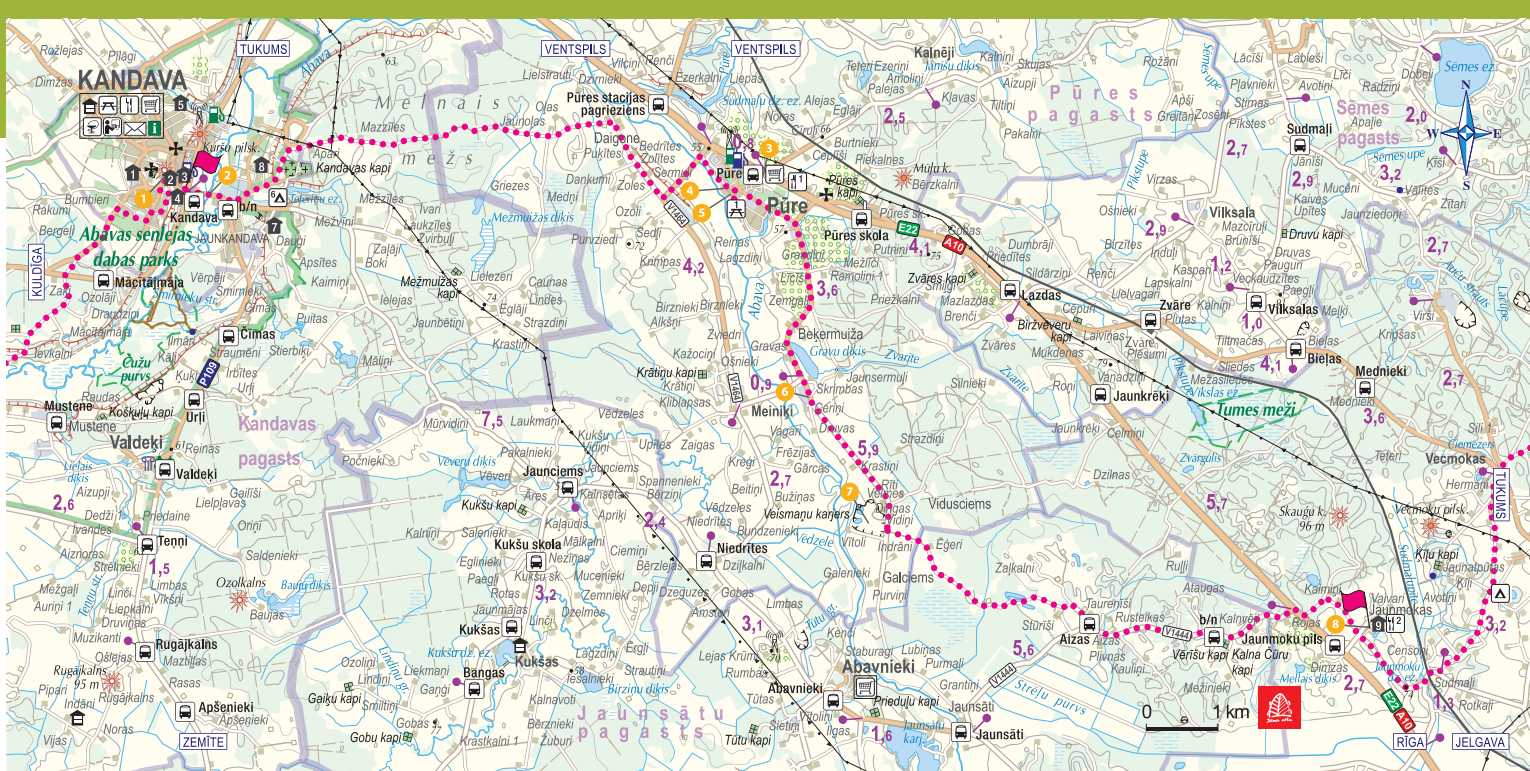


Easy



Be careful when walking along the side of the road and crossing the Rīga–Ventspils highway (A10)!





NATURE

Gravel quarries can be seen in this section of the Forest Trail. Gravel is a loose or coarse-grained sediment formed in rock abrasion process. The presence of gravel is associated with the glacier, which during the Ice Age, moving through the present territory of Latvia, crushed its own stones and rocks. Gravel is one of the most important minerals in Latvia. It is used in road construction, building and concrete production.

WORTH SEEING!

- 1 Kandava.** One of the most beautiful small towns in Kurzeme with ancient architecture, cobbled streets, lanterns, mountainous terrain and beautiful nature views. GPS: 57.03681, 22.77585
- 2 Kandava bridge.** Across the Abava, Kandava can be reached via a boulder bridge. It is known as the oldest bridge in Northern Europe built from boulders. GPS: 57.03382, 22.78507
- 3 Pūre.** A fruit-growing center that was founded more than 80 years ago. In season, you can buy locally grown fruits and berries by the A10 motorway. GPS: 57.03741, 22.91242
- 4 Pure Chocolate, the chocolate museum.** Excursion, master classes, factory shop. +371 22100042; GPS: 57.03577, 22.90354
- 5 Pūre Manor.** The main house of Pūre Manor was built in the first half of the 18th century. Currently, the restoration works of the manor are underway. GPS: 57.03505, 22.90525
- 6 Farm "Kliblapsas".** The farm covers an area of about 30 hectares and is one of the largest pumpkin producers in Latvia. +371 29152085; GPS: 57.00965, 22.92393
- 7 Gravel quarry "Veismaņi".** Sand, gravel, crushed stone are extracted there. GPS: 56.99401, 22.93798

- 8 Jaunmoku palace.** The palace was built to order by the former mayor of Riga George Armitstead and served as a hunting and summer residence. Forest Museum. +371 26187442; GPS: 56.98183, 23.05339

SERVICES



Accommodations

- 1. Hotel "Kandavas Sporta halle",** +371 63107360; GPS: 57.03598, 22.76748
- 2. Hotel "Kandava",** +371 26406733; GPS: 57.03598, 22.77616
- 3. Guest house "Pils",** +371 26438887; GPS: 57.03565, 22.77961
- 4. Apartments "Kūrorta iela",** +371 29116750; GPS: 57.03353, 22.77911
- 5. Holiday house "Villa Jaunkrastmaļi",** +371 28368889; GPS: 57.04500, 22.77836
- 6. Tent site "Nāriņa",** +371 29105411; GPS: 57.03333, 22.80147
- 7. Guest house "Dižpriedes",** +371 26555597; GPS: 57.03004, 22.79970
- 8. Youth hostel "Kandavas lauksaimniecības tehnikums",** +371 29550208; GPS: 57.03703, 22.79749
- 9. Hotel "Jaunmoku pils",** +371 63107125, 26187442; GPS: 56.98155, 23.05421



Catering

Catering in Kandava: www.visitkandava.lv

- 1. Cafe "Pie Jāņa",** +371 26432843, GPS: 57.03634, 22.91854
- 2. The Jaunmoku palace family restaurant,** +371 26187442; GPS: 56.98183, 23.05339



Shops

Several in Kandava.

- "Citro" in Pūre, +371 63188016; GPS: 57.03853, 22.91212
- "LaTS" in Pūre, +371 26143616; GPS: 57.03802, 22.91255



Pharmacies

"Mana aptieka" in Pūre, GPS: 57.03853, 22.91212



ATMs

"Swedbank" in Kandava, GPS: 57.035914, 22.781530;
"SEB" in Kandava, GPS: 57.03371, 22.78368



Public transport

There is no bus traffic on the route Kandava–Jaunmoku palace.



Resting areas

- 1. Pūre,** 🌳, GPS: 57.03716, 22.90124; GPS: 57.03381, 22.90732

TOURISM INFORMATION



Kandava TIC, Ūdens street 2, Kandava, www.visitkandava.lv, +371 28356520; GPS: 57.03683, 22.77580



Tukums TIC, Talsu street 5, Tukums, www.visittukums.lv, +371 28311557; GPS: 56.96660, 23.15251

