ENGLISH VERSION

The MOSELSTEIG
... Surprising ... Challenging ... Inspiring...

With a total length of 365 kilometer Moselsteig isn't only the length, but also one of the diversified quality distant hiking trail in Germany.
..... surprising at its diversity, challenging at its length and inspiring at its nature.....
Moselsteig goes along the complete course of german Mosel from Perl at the German - French - Luxembourg frontier to the river mouth at Deutsches Eck Koblenz.

The hiker can look forward at 24 totally different shaped stages with just as much different impressions.
Sometimes passing forest, sometimes vineyards, sometimes along the waterside, sometimes along the idyllic stream course at the site valleys and sometimes along the hillside with a marvelous view. Moselsteig impresses with orientation by nature as well as near historical culture. Many viewpoints at the trail will show you unforgettable panoramic views.

You can plan your tour lasting several days, at the website of Moselsteiges you can find lots of nice accommodation opportunities along the trail.

At each of the 24 stages you can find many traditional caches and at the end of each stage you find a letterbox with a stage-stamp.

Keep your eyes peeled on your tour, in some of the traditional caches you can find a numerical code which is needed at the end to open the letterbox.

You can use the stage-stamp of the letterbox as a souvenir and stage-proof at your Fehler! Linkverweis ungültig. which you can print directly out of this listing.

The Moselsteig stage-book is a really nice recollection of all passed Moselsteig stages
All Caches are not more than 3 m off from wayside, no special tool is required.
Because of the diversity of the stages, also terrain value is varying.


Before starting you can find some additional information about this stage below:

## Moselsteig Etappe 08: Leiwen - Neumagen-Dhron

length: 14 km difficulty: medium rise: 350 m descent: 350 m Tradi: 44 EarthCache: 0 Letterbox: 1
All successful finishers of this stage can decorate their profile with the banner below:
You only have to copy the following code to your profile site: $<$ a href="http://coord.info/GC7K54G" target="_blank"><img src="http://img.geocaching.com/ cache/large/09d1 flfe-005f-4560-a4dec9eb340 $\overline{2}$ af89_1.jpg "alt=Bilder hochladen" border="0" ></ a>

## Moselsteig Stage-book for download

## Hint:

Many of the traditional Caches at this stage are at a protected landscape/special area of conservation. A Special Area of Conservation (SAC) is defined in the European Union's Habitats Directive (92/43/EEC), also known as the Directive on the Conservation of Natural Habitats and of Wild Fauna and Flora. They are to protect the 220 habitats and approximately 1000 species listed in annex I and II of the directive which are considered to be of European interest following criteria given in the directive. They must be chosen from the Sites of Community Importance by the State Members and designated SAC by an act assuring the conservation measures of the natural habitat.
[1] SACs complement Special Protection Areas and together form a network of protected sites across the European Union called Natura 2000. This, in turn, is part of the Emerald network of Areas of Special Conservation Interest (ASCIs) under the Berne Convention.
Quelle: https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Special_Area_of_Conservation

The project "Geocaching auf dem Moselsteig" is clarified with SGD Nord and Moselsteigtouristik.
We have a great commitment to this project... and we would like to please you:
Stay at the hiking trail to keep all of our traditional caches at this Moselsteig-Stage alive for a long time.
In advance we would like to thank you for your assistance. Have a good time!

