

Ostwind – Newsletter December 2019

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## Hiking trips to primeval forests in the Austrian-Czech border area in 2019

After the trip on the 4th of May, 2019 from the Nebelstein across the border to the primeval forest Zofin in South Bohemian / Czechia) both transborder trips also found in October, in 5. 10. to the Bavarian meadow as well as in 6. 10. to the primeval forest Boubin and on the Boubin summit (Bohemian Forest in Austria and in Czechia), in each case with nature study guidance, active interest. The guidances by Martin Jelinek (Boubin), Hubert Katzlinger (Bavarian meldow) and Iris Niederdöckl (Bohemian Forest school) the participants found great.

## Planning meeting about the European Primeval Forest Trail in 12. 11. in the center of the National Park Kalkalpen in Molln (A)

In the planning meeting the binding was discussed by UNESCO-Buchenwald areas in Austria to the primeval forest route. Here the briefly result. Three protective areas: The national park Gesäuse and Kalkalpen as well as the wilderness area Dürrenstein developed as a long distance trail the Luchs-Trail from which the primeval forest route should lead in a connecting path to the main route through the Bohemian Forest. Start of the path should be in Reichraming where the info centre wood is. Also the house of the wilderness in Lunz is integrated (completion in 2020). The connecting path should cross the Danube nearby Grein and lead by an existing living space corridor between the Kalkalpen and the Bohemian Forest to Sandl (A) and connect here to the main route.

## Events in the new year 2020

**2nd of May, 2020 (Sat.):** European day hiking in the wilderness area Dürrenstein start in Freistadt at 7:30 o'clock with private passenger car to Wildalpen, together with the association Ostwind, management: Gerd Simon, 0699/81250366, gerd.simon@oeav.at

From the 15th to the 25th of July, 2020 (Wed. – Sat.): Mountains and primeval forests in the Gorganen (West Ukraine)

Impressive hiking to primeval forests and at summits in the Gorganen massif; journey and departure by train over Vienna central station, (tour guidance, nature study guidances) in cooperation with the association Ostwind.; management: Gerd Simon, gerd.simon@oeav.at

## From the 22nd to the 29th of August, 2020 (Sat. – Sat.): Hiking to the primeval forests of Transcarpathia

Ostwind-journey, by train from Vienna to Chop, from there with German-speaking travel management, bustransport within the Ukraine, nature study excursions to primeval forests, guided tour in the city of Kosice (SK), return journey by train to Vienna Information and registration with dagmar.everding@ostwind-ev.de

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