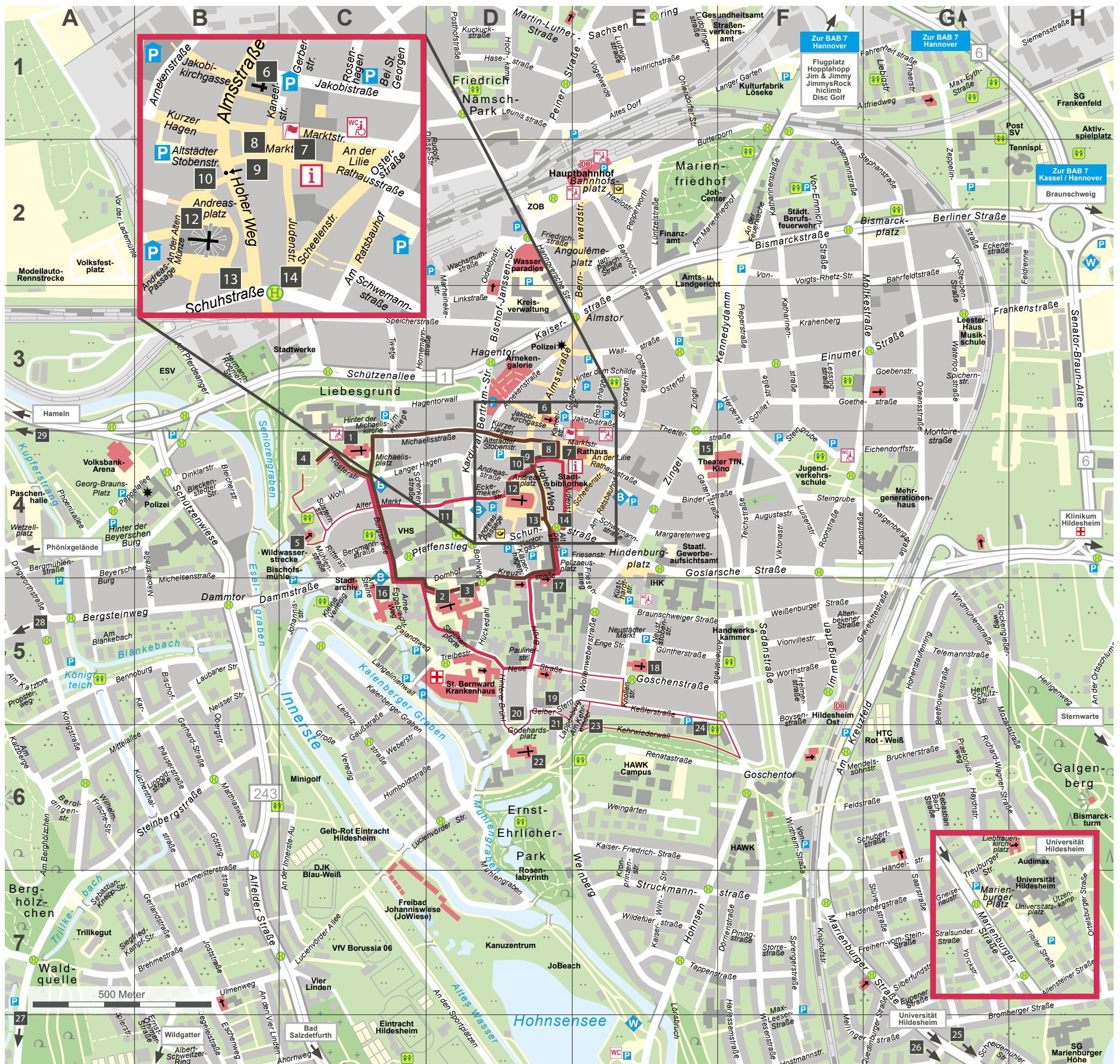


HILDESHEIM CITY PLAN



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SERVICE, ADVICE AND BOOKING

Hildesheim Marketing GmbH
World Heritage Visitor Centre
Hildesheim & tourist-information
Rathausstraße 20 (Tempelhaus)
D-31134 Hildesheim

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tourist-info@hildesheim-marketing.de
hildesheim.de/tourism
Mon. to. Fri. 9.30 am - 6 pm, Sat. 10 am - 3 pm,
Sun. 10 am - 3 pm from 1 April to 31 October and
during Advent. Closed on public holidays.

HILDESHEIMMARKETING



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WORLD HERITAGE VISITOR CENTRE
HILDESHEIM & TOURIST-INFORMATION
A multimedia exhibition gives you a fun and concise insight into the UNESCO World Heritage Sites of Hildesheim and the surroundings.
 Mon. to Fri. daily 9.30 am - 6 pm,
Sat. 10 am - 3 pm; April 1 to Oct. 31 and during Advent Sun. 10 am - 3 pm.
Closed on public holidays.
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ST MICHAEL'S CHURCH (1010 - 1033) - UNESCO
As an outstanding example of Romanesque-Ottonian architecture, the early Romanesque church has been on the UNESCO list of World Cultural Heritage sites since 1985.
 April 1 to Oct. 31 8 am - 6 pm, except Tue. 10 am - 6 pm; Nov. 1 to March 31 daily 9 am - 4 pm, except Tue. 10 am - 4 pm and during church services and events.
 +49 5121 34410

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ST MARY'S CATHEDRAL WITH ROSEBUSH (852 - 872) - UNESCO
St Mary's Cathedral, which has been on the UNESCO list of World Heritage Sites since 1985, is famous for its bronze castings: Bernward's door (1015) and Bernward's Column (approx. 1020) and the legendary 1000-year-old rosebush, which blooms at the apse of the cathedral.
 Cathedral daily 10 am - 6 pm, except during church services, events and every Sat. (May-Sept.) during organ matinee 12.15 pm - 12.45 pm.
 Rosebush look at cathedral information **3**
 +49 5121 307-770

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CATHEDRAL MUSEUM AND CATHEDRAL TREASURY - UNESCO
The museum provides an insight to the precious objects of the Cathedral's history and the cathedral treasury which are also part of the UNESCO World Heritage Sites.
 Cathedral museum Tue. to Sun. 11 am - 5 pm.
 Cathedral information daily 10 am - 6 pm.
Closed on Dec 24 and Dec 31.
 +49 5121 307-770

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MAGDALENA GARDENS
The Magdalena Gardens is one of the oldest historical gardens in Lower Saxony.
 April 1 to Sept. 30 daily 8 am - 8 pm;
Oct. 1 to March 31 daily 9 am - 5 pm.

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ST MAGDALENA'S CHURCH (1230/1294)
The church with its remarkable ivory altar (1520) and the Bernward shrine (1751) originally belonged to Hildesheim's first convent.
 Open during church service on Sat.

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ST JACOB'S HOUSE OF LITERATURE
A particularly striking feature of the large, single-nave church are the high, narrow Gothic windows with their highly coloured design. St Jacob's Church is used as a city and cultural church for literature acts.
 +49 5121 2817281

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HISTORICAL MARKET SQUARE
The market square is an unique combination of the past with the present. To the south, there are the **Tempelhaus** (14th century), the historical façades of the **“Wedekindhaus”** (1598), the **“Lüntzel”** building (approx. 1750) and the **“Roland”** building (14th century). On the west side, we find the **Bakers' Guildhall** (approx. 1800) and the **Butchers' Guildhall** (1529). The exquisite **“Rokokohaus”** (1757) is situated on the north side of the square between the façades of the **“Stadtshänke”** (1666) and the **Wool Weavers' Guildhall** (approx. 1600), while the original **City Hall** (1268) still flanks the east.
 Chime daily at 12 noon, 1 pm and 5 pm, on market days (Wed. and Sat.) also at 9 am, Fri. and Sun. 2 pm.
 Copper trumpet player daily 12 noon.

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CITY MUSEUM IN THE BUTCHERS' GUILDHALL (1529)
The City Museum in the Butchers' Guildhall takes you on a journey through time and the history of the city and the region.
 Tue. to Sun. 10 am - 6 pm, closed on public holidays.
 +49 5121 29936-85

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CITY MODEL
The city model made of bronze which dates from 1641 and is based on a Merian engraving shows Hildesheim as a fortified city with a moat, walls and bastions.

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THE UPENDED SUGARLOAF
The impressive building which was reconstructed on its original site in 2009/2010, looks like a sugarloaf that has been turned upside down. Each of the two upper floors juts out over the one below.

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“KAISERHAUS” FAÇADE (1585 - 1587)
The Roman statues and emperor's medallions from the former Renaissance building now decorate the façade of this modern building.

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ST ANDREW'S CHURCH (1389) WITH ASCENT OF ST ANDREW'S CHURCH STEEPLE
The Gothic parish church has one of the largest church organs in northern Germany and, at 114.5 metres high, has the tallest church tower in Lower Saxony with a 360° panoramic view.
 Church April 1 to Sept. 30 Mon. to Fri. 9 am - 6 pm, Sat. 9 am - 4 pm, Sun. 11.30 am - 4 pm; Oct. 1 to March 31 Mon. to Sat. 10 am - 4 pm, Sun. 11.30 am - 4 pm, except during church services and events.
 +49 5121 12434
 Tower open to ascend April 1 to Oct. 31, Mon., Tue., Thu., Fri., 11 am - 4 pm., Sat., Sun. and on public holidays 11 am - 5 pm. An ascent can be arranged out of opening hours upon request.
 +49 5121 1798-0

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HUCKUP MONUMENT (1905)
The bronze monument is based on a legend and depicts a thief stealing apples who is bent under the weight of a little gnome on his shoulders (as a symbol of a guilty conscience).

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HORSE MARKET MONUMENT
A shimmering blue horse serves as a reminder of Hildesheim's former horse market. It was mentioned for the first time in a document in 1358. Up until around 1900, horses were traded here. The blue horse relief was installed in 2006.

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THEATRE FOR LOWER SAXONY
Evenings filled with entertainment: Musical theatre, plays, musicals, concerts and theatre performances – anyone who steps into the magic of the 100- year-old city theatre will experience moments that they will never forget.
 Ticket service Mon. to Fri. 10 am - 6 pm, Sat. 10 am - 1 pm.
 +49 5121 1693-1693

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ROEMER- AND PELIZAEUS-MUSEUM (RPM)
The museum features collections of world renowned on Ancient Egypt and Ancient Peru and regularly presents first-class special exhibitions.
 Tue. to Sun. 10 am - 6 pm, closed on Dec. 24 and Dec. 31.
 +49 5121 9369-0

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HOLY CROSS CHURCH (AFTER 1054)
The central aisle of the church is Romanesque, the southern side aisle Gothic and the northern aisle Baroque.
 Mon. to Sat. 9 am - 5 pm, Sun. 10 am - 5 pm, except during church services and events.
 +49 5121 34370

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ST LAMBERT'S CHURCH (1474)
Be sure not to miss the Peter-and-Paul altar (approx. 1420) and the Baroque organ in the late-Gothic hall church.
 Mon. to Sat. 9 am - 5 pm, Sun. 12 noon - 5 pm, except during church services and events.
 Music at market time Sat. 10 am - 10.30 am.
 +49 5121 14051

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NEISSER MUSEUM OF LOCAL HISTORY IN THE HALF-TIMBERED QUARTER
In one of the city's oldest half-timbered houses, exhibits of the Upper Silesian Neisser region, twin town and twin district of Hildesheim, are shown.
Neisser Museum of local history
 Wed. 4 pm - 6 pm and groups upon request.
 +49 5121 132756 or
+49 5121 46431 (Mrs. Bruntz)

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“WERNERSCHE HAUS” (1606)
One of the most beautiful half-timbered buildings is the “Wernersche Haus” in the half-timbered quarter which dates from 1606 (Gelber Stern/Hinterer Brühl).

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MEMORIAL ON THE “LAPPENBERG” (1988)
Erected in 1988 on the site of Hildesheim's former synagogue, the square memorial is an admonition of the persecution of the Jews.

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ST GODEHARD'S CHURCH (1133 - 1172)
The basilica is one of the few Romanesque churches in Germany that remains virtually unchanged in its original form today.
 Mon. to Sat. 8.30 am - 5 pm, Sun. 12 noon - 5 pm, except during church services and events.
 +49 5121 37340

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KEHRWIEDER TOWER (APPROX. 1350)
The last remaining tower of the former city fortifications is used today as exhibition space by the Artists' Association.
 Artists' Association +49 5121 511653

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MASONIC LODGE (1534)
The former cathedral provost's residence was built in 1534, burnt down in 1633 and rebuilt in 1663 and is considered to be one of the most beautiful half-timbered buildings in Hildesheim. The house has belonged to the Hildesheim free-masons since 1804, making it one of the oldest buildings in Germany which has been used as a lodge almost uninterruptedly.
 +49 5121 35744

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CENTRE FOR WORLD MUSIC
The research centre of the University of Hildesheim promotes integration, education and musical diversity in the region. The centre hosts a varied range of events and houses an extensive collection of recordings, books and musical instruments (Irle collection). Guided tours through the Irle collection upon request.
 +49 5121 88392378 Timotheusplatz 2

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MARIENBURG ESTATE (1346 - 1349)
The Culture Campus of the University of Hildesheim is an artistic hub for readings, theatre and music. The oldest parts of the listed castle were built in 1346.
 +49 5121 88355555 Domänenstraße

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MARIENRODE CONVENT (1412 - 1462, CLOISTER 17TH/18TH CENTURY)
Today's Benedictine convent was first an Augustinian (1125) and then a Cistercian convent (1159).
 Convent church daily 5.30 am - 8.30 pm.
 +49 5121 930410 Auf dem Gutshof 1

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ST MAURITIUS CHURCH (1028)
The completely preserved cloister of the former collegiate church is particularly interesting from an architectural point of view.
 April 1 to Sept. 30 Mon. to Sat. 9.30 am - 6 pm, Sun. 12 noon - 6 pm; Oct. 1 to March 31 up until dark, except during church services and events.
 +49 5121 42699 Stiftskirchenweg 6

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SERBIAN-ORTHODOX CENTRE (1902)
The neogothic Church of St. Mary is used as a monastery for the Serbian Orthodox Centre.
 Obere Dorfstraße 12

INFORMATION AND LEISURE ACTIVITIES

DISC GOLF (FREE OF CHARGE) F1
 All year round, no rental service on site.
 Am Brandisweg (district of Drispenstedt)

JOWIESE OUTDOOR SWIMMING POOL C7
 Start of the season May.
 +49 5121 2815112 Lucienvörder Allee 1

HOPPLAHOPP (PLAYGROUND) F1
 Indoor Mon. to Fri. 2 pm - 7 pm, Sat., Sun. and during public holidays 10 am - 7 pm.
 Outdoor June to Sept., Mon. to Fri. 3.30 pm - 5.30 pm, Sat., Sun. and during public holidays 12 noon - 6.30 pm (opening times may vary according to the weather).
 +49 5121 2063535 Kruppstraße 5

JIM + JIMMY (ADVENTURE WORLD) F1
 Jim Mon. to Fri. 8 am - 10 pm, Sat. and Sun. 10 am - 6 pm,
 Jimmy Wed. to Thurs. 3 pm - 7 pm, Fri. 2 pm - 7 pm, Sat., Sun. and during public holidays 10 am - 7 pm.
 +49 5121 690490 Lerchenkamp 60

JIMMYSROCK (HIGH ROPES COURSE) F1
 Fri. 3 pm - 7 pm, Sat., Sun., public holidays/bridging days 10 am - 7 pm, Oct. - Feb. and summer holidays Wed., Thurs. 2 pm - 7 pm.

HICLIMB (DAV - KLETTERZENTRUM) F1
 Mon. to Thurs. 2 pm - 11 pm, Fri. 10 am - 11 pm, Sat. and Sun. 10 am - 9 pm.
 + 49 5121 694189 Lerchenkamp 52

KART CENTER HILDESHEIM B1
 Mon. to Fri. 3 pm - 11 pm, Sat. 10 am - 12 pm, Sun. 10 am - 10 pm.
 +49 5121 2080980 Cheruskerring 51

CITY ARCHIVE (1715) C5
 Tue., Wed. 9 am - 4 pm, Thurs. 9 am - 6 pm.
 +49 5121 3014100 Am Steine 7

CITY LIBRARY D4
 Tue. to Fri. 10.30 am - 6 pm, Sat. 10 am - 1 pm.
 +49 5121 3014142 Judenstraße 1

OBSERVATORY (GELBER TURM) H5
 Observation times: online: www.higa-ev.de
 +49 5121 45453 (group requests)
 Galgenberg / Am Spitzhut

THEGA FILMPALAST (CINEMA) F4
 +49 5121 2940777 Theaterstr. 6

WASSERPARADIES (WATER PARK) D2
 Bathing and sauna paradise daily 9 am - 10 pm.
 +49 5121 15070 Bischof-Janssen-Straße 30

WILDGATTER (FREE WILD ANIMAL PARK) B8
 All year round from sunrise to sunset.
 Steinberg 6 (district Ochtersum)

TRIMM-PFAD GALGENBERG H6
 Forested area Galgenberg.
Access road: Jahnwiese.

LEGEND
 Group offer
 Address
 Viewing / business hours
 Children's offer
 Telephone number



Van der Valk Hotel Hildesheim at the historical market square

The guests at the Van der Valk Hotel in Hildesheim are to be envied; after all, as soon as they walk out of the building, they are standing on one of the most impressive historical market squares in northern Germany.

The 4-star hotel with its listed façade offers its guests the choice of 110 rooms in 5 categories. 32 of those rooms come complete with a beautiful view of the historical square.

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