

Welcome!

This brochure presents some useful initial information. Further information is available at our tourist information offices in Rathenow and more comprehensively at www.rathenow.de.

It is good to have you here!

Tourist Information

Information centre of the tourism association

„Westhavelland e.V.“

Freier Hof 5, Rathenow

Tel.: (0 33 85) 51 49 91 and 51 49 92

daily open from: 9 a.m. - 6 p.m.

Tourist information & bike renting at the Emperor

(Kaiser-) train station

Dunckerplatz, next to the main train station

Tel.: (0 33 85) 49 63 75

Office hours (Mon-Fri): 9 a.m. - 3 p.m.

If appointments are made, also on weekends.

Emergency Service

Emergency for poisoning: Tel. (030) 1 92 40 (day and night)

Bankcard blocking: Tel. (0 18 05) 02 10 21 or 116 116

Children & Youth phone: Tel. (08 00) 1 11 03 33

Hospital: Paracelsusstrasse 3 Tel. (0 33 85) 55 50

Medical on-call service: Tel. (01 80) 55 82 22 33 80

Ambulance service: Tel. (0 33 85) 56 00 Emergency: 112

Police office: (0 33 85) 55 00, Emergency: 110

Car insurance centre: Tel. (01 80) 2 50 26

Car breakdown: Tel. (01 80) 2 22 22 22 (ADAC)

Crisis line: Tel. (08 00) 1 11 01 11

Caravan Parking

Parking area Steinstraße/Baustraße (nearby bridge/lock for motorboats; orientation: green information column; disposal of sewage and chemical toilets as well as drinking water supply at pier „Am Alten Hafen“, close to motorboat lock (which is no caravan pitch, only parking for disposal and supply is allowed!))

Camping

Camping area Rathenow am Steckelsdorfer See

Good infrastructure and good location nearby lake, public transportation available, 20 minutes by bike to Rathenow city center

Tel.: (0 33 85) 49 95 10

Rent a bike

Bike Galery, Geothestrassse 4a, Tel. (033 85) 51 03 80

Bike House Berger, Schleusenplatz 1, Tel. (0 33 85) 51 22 55

Emperor train station, Tel.(0 33 85) 49 63 75

Cultural centre

Rathenow, Märkischer Platz 3, Tel (0 33 85) 51 90 30

museum of optical industry, gallery, theatre, events, restaurants

On the water

Steamboat tour directly in front of the Optic Park entrance

nearby the cinema

Traditional ship „Alte Liebe“, charter boat

Rathenow, Am Alten Hafen, nearby Kurfürsten Memorial

Mobile: (0170) 2 74 92 19

Keywords to ask

souvenirs, fishing, swimming, balloon ride & sightseeing flights, library, bivouac areas, piers, rent a boat, bowling, camping & caravan, rent a bike, festivals, fitness & wellness, gastronomy, golf, internet, skittles, children & youth centre, cinema, bars, art & culture, mini golf, museums, music, local specialities, horseback riding & charabanc, skating, guided city tour, day trip, dancing, theatre, overnight stay, events, (biking-) excursion...

Places of interests - There is so much more to see!

Optic Park - Area of the Landesgartenschau (State Garden Show) 2006

Bismarck tower on the Vineyard - Bismarck is a citizen of honour

The world's largest brachymedial telescope - Brachy... what?

Emperor (Kaiser) train station - The small one next to the big one.

Kurfürsten Memorial - The Swedish history of Rathenow.

Rathenow's lock spitters - Not the proper way to behave!

Lock keeper house - Neo-Gothic beauty

Optic Industry Museum - The industrial history of Rathenow.

City Wall - Made out of Rathenow's bricks.... just like in Berlin.

Vineyard cemetery - One of the prettiest cemeteries ever.

Brandenburg's largest nature reserve visitor centres in Milow

Bee Museum in Möthlow - Can you hear it buzzing?!

Pear Tree of Ribbeck - Fontane greets you!

Brandenburg Main- and Stud Farm Neustadt/Dosse

Animal Movie School Harsch in Sievershof - Best(-ial) stars!

Great Bastard (Ortis tarda) protection project in Buckow -

Many superlatives.

Gülper lake - A bird paradise.

Hohennauner-Ferchesarer Lake - Terrific!

Places nearby - Berlin, Potsdam, Brandenburg, Havelberg,

Tangermünde

Children Farm „Marienhof“ - Off to the corn labyrinth!

Colonist Yard Großderschau - On the trail of FriedrichII.

Otto-Lilienthal-Museum - Be surprised!

Schollene County - We do know beer, but what is „Pelose“?

„Knight Kalebuz“ in Kampehl - Famous mummy.

Castle Nennhausen - Poet Baron de la Motte Foqué.

Ostrich farm in Großderschau - At eye level.

Water tower Premnitz - Symbol of 100 years industry.

Events

fairs, theatre & gala at the cultural centre

Rathenow's bar night incl. live music in all bars & free shuttle service all over the city

Event calendar of Havelland

Visitor centre: Information & guided tours

Those and more information are available at the information centre of the tourism association.

Train

Brandenburg - Rathenow (Regional Train (RB))

Berlin - Hannover (Regional Train and InterCity (IC))

Berlin - Rathenow (Regional Express Train (RE)), hourly and takes about 45 min.

Taxi

City centre and at train station

Taxi call: (0 33 85)50 34 35

Streets

Bundesstraße (highway) B102 and B188

Autobahn: within a radius of 40 km to 60 km

North: A19 Berlin-Rostock, A24 Berlin-Hamburg, connection: B5 and B188

South: A2 Berlin-Hannover, connection: B102 (Brandenburg)

East: A10 Berliner Ring, Connection: B5 and B188

Air

Berlin Tegel and Berlin Schönefeld

Special landing area in Stechow

Tel.: (0 33 85) 51 12 26

The oldest airport in the world! Stölln, Am Gollenberg

Tel.: (0 33 75) 9 06 90

Water

The river Havel embraces Rathenow with 4 arms.

Connection: Havelberg (Elbe), Brandenburg, Potsdam, Berlin

Locks: Tel.(0 33 85) 53 98 30 , Mobile:(01 60) 93 44 59 59

(Information about the locks in the area of Bahnitz-Rathenow-Grütz)

Piers: Tel.(0 33 85) 50 86 09 & 51 49 91

Services: energy, drinking water, disposal facilities for sewage and chemical toilets, disposal of waste

**Your contact address via internet:
www.rathenow.de**

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legend

	highway		chapel/cemetery
	road		(natural) monument
	streets, avenues		city hall, information
	alley		hospital, police
	non-public park path		museum
	forest tracks		Fed. Employment Office
	pedestrian area, one-way street		retirement home
	construction in progress		sports facilities
	railroad with station		stadium
	regional/express train flag stop		indoor swimming pool
	siding		riding area
	building area, public building		parking lot for busses
	school		parking space for motorhome vehicles
	industry		church/abbey/cathedral
	church/abbey/cathedral		spire/castle