



Mysterious night Chrudim geowandering

Follow the map from Start to Finish (Cíl). At the site, look for the phosphorescent sign of our geopark together with the digit you put down to the sheet, the digits you will record will fit in the full goal to open the treasure. Take a walk with us to explore geologically interesting places a little unconventionally - after the dark :)

Geopark TIP: Take a headlamp or other lamp with you, it will be useful.

Stop no. 1 (Start)

You are in front of the Komerční banka. Notice the beautiful travertines covering the building. Travertine is a highly porous freshwater limestone. Previously the tiles were beautifully white, they are now gray, thanks to its porosity. Boards are very hard to clean. During the First Republic, travertine was a popular construction material and mined in northeastern Slovakia, where the travertine thermal ponds and their surroundings were created then the spa.

Left from the lighting conductor

Stop no. 2

Few will notice that right in the gate of the Pardubice Fortna under your feet there is a piece of „cloud bluish“ limestone. It is one of the Vápenný Podol limestones, which are hardly visible in Chrudim. Except this place you can find it on the altar in the Assumption Church Virgin Mary on the main square or in the form of a plate with a number descriptive on one of the houses above the Wide Stairs. Its noble use is seen here in comparison with classical lime use.

Down on the right, white color

Stop no. 3

Church of the Assumption of the Virgin Mary - an inherent dominant of the town. Do you know it's built from a Škrovd (10 kms from here) sandstone and it's the largest building made of this sandstone nearby? It is marine sandstone as we know not only according to fossils found, but also for its greenish color caused by the presence of glauconite. In the church there is also beautiful marlstone floor. From this sandstone is the Novoměstská fountain built as well.

Left from the lighting conductor

Stop no. 4

On The Kopanice. All important materials that were used in Chrudim to build important buildings you can see from above right here. Walls of marlstone, sandstone or granite and granite paving: Holy Trinity of building materials of the town. Looking at the Chrudim panorama we can find out how important was the stone in the construction of the houses found below us. Imagine there was no stone: the present town would be probably made of wood... By the tree - shade the shine of the lamp

Stop no. 5 (Finish/Cíl)

The geological trail at U Vodárna Square was established in the year 2005 and updated in 2015. On the several stops here you will learn little about the origin of the planet Earth and the geological history of Chrudim. You get to know with different periods and with the rocks that are typical for the Chrudim region.

HOW MANY STOPS DOES THE GEOTRAIL HAVE ???

Under the lamp - basket from the left and inside

GOAL: Treasure can be found at the last stop of the geowandering tour at U Vodárny square, close to the house of the Iron Mountain Geopark. You will need three digits code you get from your lower-numbered digits to open the treasure.

WE HOPE YOU ENJOYED THE NIGHT GEOWANDERING TOUR!

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