From heritage recourses to tourism products. The case of Ūši farm



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Kolkas Tautas namā

The seacoast and Cape Kolka

Wild nature





Local identity



From recourses to products

• Camping ground, B&B from 2000



From recourses to products Workshops of traditional meals

• Birth of idea in 2002/2003



From recourses to products Lunch of traditional meals for tourist groups

Birth of idea in 2002



Who eats tradicional meals?

- Organized tourist groups (locals)
- Groups of friends or colleges (locals)



Who eats tradicional meals?

• Finno-Ugric peoples – Estonians, Finns



Who participates in workshops?

• Small groups of friends



Traditional speciality guaranteed (TSG)

EU scheme aims are:

- to promote and encourage diverse agricultural production;
- to protect product names from misuse and imitation;
- to help consumers by giving them information concerning the specific character of the products.

Sklandrausis included in Oktober, 2013



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Who walks into histoty of industrial Kolka?



What does ensure success?

- Cooperation with local tourism information office and regional tourism association
- Cooperation with Latvian countryside tourism association
- Journalist visits





EDEN



- European Destinations of Excellence (EDEN) is a project launched by the European Commission to promote sustainable tourism development models across the European Union.
- Dundega Region was a runner-up in EDEN competition
 2015 Tourism and Local Gastronomy in the national level.

From business to the book about Livonian traditional meals



Dinner as experience





Authenticity is a power!
Real food, real people,
authentic place.