

Yearly Ingeokring excursion Friday 29 June 2012

"The excavation of the building pits of the A2 tunnel in Maastricht"

Dear IngeoKring member,

We are pleased to let you know that the yearly IngeoKring excursion will take place in Maastricht on Friday 29-06-2012. We will be one of the first groups to visit the building pits of the A2 cut and cover tunnel in Maastricht. The contractor has just started excavating the limestone between the tunnel diaphragm walls. Right, you can see a chert extracted on 08-06-2012 by our host, Bjorn Vink, Projectbureau A2 Maastricht (http://www.a2maastricht.nl) from weathered Gronsveld limestone at 13 m below the ground surface in the Southern part of the tunnel.



Here is our programme designed especially for us by Bjorn.

Meeting point:

A2 Information Centre, Stadion de Geusselt Stadionplein 6D, 3rd floor, 6225 XW Maastricht.

- 14:30 Welcome collation: coffee and Limburgse vlaaien
- 15:00 Talk by Bjorn Vink on the A2 tunnel project, from its conception to its realisation Bjorn will present the geological risks discovered during the extensive site investigation conducted for the project. He will explain the strategy adopted by the contractors to mitigate geo-risks during the tunnel construction.
- 15:45 Visit of the A2 tunnel exhibition centre
- 16:15 Visit of 3 excavation pits

After the visit, around 17:30, IngeoKring invites you for a drink at a nice Burgundian terrace.

If you want to join the visit, please send an e-mail to info@ingeokring.nl asap. The number of participants is limited to 40.

Hoping to meet in Maastricht on 29-06-2011.

Kind regards,

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