

**MISINA TETŐPONT**  
family and activity center



# Mecsek Adventure Network

TRAVELLER'S GUIDE

# EXPLORE

## the treasures of Mecsek!

Mecsek is an experience. The mountain towering above Pécs, its urban forest, and the surrounding countryside are filled with stunning hiking trails, attractions, historical landmarks, recreational opportunities, and exciting locations. In this guide, we introduce some of these briefly.

All that's left for you to do is choose from the numerous hiking options and discover as many treasures of Mecsek as possible.

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# Walks on the southern side of Mecsek

The Tettye district welcomes visitors seeking relaxation with plenty of sights and excellent hospitality venues. The Tettye ruins are a defining part of Pécs's landscape and also serve as a lookout point. Additionally, a friendly playground awaits families.

A short walk from the ruins leads to the enchanting Pintér Garden, where botanical rarities can be found above the city. The fascinating formations of the Tettye Tufa-cave are only outmatched by the dragon-related legend that surrounds them.

The nearby Havihegy chapel offers a magical view, featuring an old almond tree in its garden that won the prestigious title of "European Tree of the Year" in 2019.

Perched on the rocky cliffs above Tettye, the Balázs-rest is an ideal spot for taking photos with a stunning panorama in the background.

From Tettye toward Misina, an easy walk reveals more sights, offering new experiences for hikers.



Passing the Ilonka and Hamedli resting areas, the path leading to the Fairytale Forest is short but slightly uphill, making it an enjoyable walk. Visitors are surrounded by Mecsek's unique flora and fauna along the marked trail. In the Fairytale Forest, not only children can have fun in the themed park inspired by the legend of King Dömör. It features numerous installations, including a reclining giant, an audiobook, and a play-ground.

**Distance:** 2 km 

**Terrain:** gentle slope

**Duration:** 40 minutes



**Fairytale Forest**



**Flóra-Rest**

The Fairytale Forest's nearby lookout point, the Flóra Rest, offers sweeping views of Mecsek's eastern ridge and the Karolina quarry.

The "panoramic swing" next to the rest area is a perfect spot for letting your thoughts wander while capturing breathtaking photos. Covered tables, benches, and fire pits provide relaxation.

**Walk distance:** 500 m 

**Terrain:** flat

**Duration:** 10 minutes

For more adventures, you don't have to go far, as the Forest railway running between the zoo and Dömörkapu starts from the Fairytale Forest parking lot, offering an unforgettable experience for families with young children.

**Operating season:** Seasonal | **Duration:** 30 minutes



**Forest railway**



**Pécs Zoo**

Set in a stunning natural environment, Pécs Zoo features a spectacular 100,000-liter shark habitat as its main attraction. The zoo is home to seals, hippos, and a white Bengal tiger, among other animals. A café is available for all visitors.

**Visiting season:** Year-round | **Duration:** 2.5 hours

The Mandulás Fitness Trail and Playground located just a 5-minute walk from the zoo, this area's latest highlight is the playful nature trail. The playground introduces local bird and mammal species through carved wooden sculptures. Resting benches, fire pits, and water sources are also available.

**Visiting season:** Year-round | **Duration:** 2.5 hours



**Mandulás park**



**TIPP**

Direct routes lead from Dömörkapu pass , the Pécs Zoo  and Mandulás park  to Misina peak.



# Misina TetöPont – Family and Activity Center

Located on Misina Peak, this center offers recreational opportunities for all ages above the city. Next to the TV tower, visitors can enjoy a café, playground, exhibitions, and a variety of themed events year-round.

It is an ideal resting spot for hikers, providing all essential services for a refreshing break. Facilities include restrooms, showers, drinking water, and comfortable changing rooms, enabling visitors to prepare for longer hikes.

The information desk offers guidance on hiking trails and local attractions. The fully accessible building welcomes visitors year-round.



# Hiking trails from Misina

The surroundings of TetőPont offer exciting sights and hiking trails, easily accessible and perfect for discovering the beauty of nature, even on short walks.

## History and nature

Heading toward the former ski slope, an easy downhill walk brings hikers to the Kis-rét clearing, a large meadow perfect for picnics with shelters and benches. Nearby, a spring can be reached via the green cross trail.

Following the nature trail, you can visit the ruins of Kantavár castle, and the return journey leads along the eastern side of Mecsek.

**Distance:** Kis-rét meadow 1.6 km

☐ + → Kantavár castle 1.2 km ☐

→ Dömörkapu pass 2.5 km ☐ ☐

**Terrain:** easy

**Duration:** 1.5 hours

## Rotary scenic trail

The charm of this route lies in its diverse vegetation and comfortable conditions.

However, for spectacular views, it's worth making a short detour to the Kis-Tubes and Nagy-Tubes lookout towers. On the southern side, the trail runs through airy oak woods, while on the northern side, it passes through darker beech forests.

**Distance:** Rotary trail 6.4 km 📍

**Terrain:** easy

**Duration:** 2 hours

### Eastern - Mecsek panorama view



## Forest trek

On Sós Hill, at an elevation of 514 meters, a stone-built lookout tower offers beautiful views of Tubes, Jakab Hill, and Orfű. The centrally located Remeterét is easily accessible and provides fire pits and seating for large groups. Heading south, the route passes secluded city districts, springs, and a cozy guesthouse.

### Distance from Misina Peak:

Sós-hill lookout 2.9 km   →

Remeterét meadow 3.5 km   →

Égervölgy valley 7 km    →

**Terrain:** easy

**Duration:** 1.5 hours



Sós-hill lookout



Remeterét meadow



Égervölgy valley



Mecsekszentkút village






### TIPP

From Remeterét, the route continues through varied landscapes and gentle terrain to Mandulás Park, staying on Mecsek's southern side. For longer hikes, wear comfortable clothing and bring snacks.

**Distance:** 4.2 km  | **Terrain:** easy, downhill

# Cycling in Mecsek

For the tour starting from the Tettye ruins, good endurance, proper technical skills, and a reliable mountain bike are essential. The first section climbs to Misina TetőPont, where you can prepare for the next stage leading to the Kis-Tubes and Nagy-Tubes lookout towers, Mecsek's second-highest point. On clear days, you can see the Villány hills, Pécs Lake in Orfű, and Badacsony simultaneously. From Nagy-Tubes, the mountain road descends to Lapis, then through Remeterét meadow and downhill to Égervölgy valley, finishing at the well-known Teca Mama Inn.

**Distance:** Tettye-Misina 2.5 km  → Lapis 5 km  → Sós-hegy lookout 5.5 km  → Remeterét 6.3 km  → Égervölgy valley 10.5 km  | **Terrain:** difficult | **Duration:** 3 hours



## Full-day adventures



### Mountain ridge hike in western Mecsek

The hike starts in Kővágószőlős village and, upon reaching the mountain, the first sight is the Babás Szerkövek (Rock Statues). From these fascinating geological formations, the path leads to the Zsongorkő lookout, where stunning panoramas await hikers. A small detour takes you to the ruins of the Pauline Monastery, showcasing the medieval heritage of the Pauline order. The route then continues toward the Hermit cave. Once home to monks, the depths of the cave now offer a serene retreat for travelers. From the rocky formations, the trail leads to the beautiful Égervölgy valley, where streams and forest paths meander. Near the lake, you'll find picnic areas, a playground, and fire pits. The hike concludes at Teca Mama's Inn.

**Distance:** 6.4 km       | **Terrain:** difficult | **Duration:** 2.5 hours

## Eastern Mecsek adventure

Located in the heart of Mecsek, just a few kilometers from Pécs, the Mecsextrém Park is a true paradise for adventure enthusiasts. Situated in Árpádtető, this outdoor adventure park is one of Hungary's largest. Its most popular attraction is the forest bobsled track, which stretches over a kilometer. Thrill-seekers can also try the zipline, climbing wall, or rope pyramid.

**Travel time by car:** 12 min | **Outdoor opening:** seasonal | **Duration:** 4 hours  
**Distance from Misina peak:** 7.4 km 🇪🇺 🇫🇷 🇮🇹 🇮🇸 🇬🇧 | **Duration:** 2.2 hours

## Cabins in forest

The serene Fehér-kút and Kardos-út cabins offer simple but cozy accommodations for nature lovers. These locations serve as excellent starting points for exploring Mecsek and are accessible by foot from Misina. The former ski lodge is Pécs and Mecsek's highest accommodation.

Near Csiperke Farm, the Mecsextrém Park is also accessible via regional bus routes. These lodges provide convenient bases for venturing deeper into Mecsek's interior.



# Transportation

Pécs offers numerous transportation options to help you reach the perfect starting point for your Mecsek adventures!

## Buses:

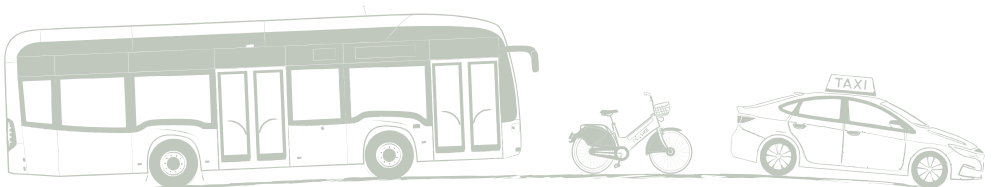
- **Route 33** runs to Tettye, from where a healthy uphill walk takes you into the forest.
- **Routes 34** and **34Y** go to Dömörkapu, from where several hiking trails lead into the mountains and the urban forest.
- For adventures starting from Misina TetőPont, the easiest option is to take bus **35** or **35Y** from the Main Station.
- To reach Mecsextrém Park, use local bus **route 4**.

## E-bike rentals:

- **Ebikeshop:** Rókus street 3/1. | +36 1 327 4642 | info@ebikeshop.hu
- **Masterbike:** Rácvárosi road 20. | +36 70 601 6362 | hello@masterbike.hu

## Taxis:

- **Volán Taxi:** +36 72 333 333 | +36 30 933 3333 | www.volantaxi.hu
- **Főtaxi:** +36 72 777 777 | +36 20 456 3333 | www.euro900taxi.hu
- **Bolt:** +36 1 444 5154 | bolt.eu



## Discover Misina Tetőpont!

Misina TetőPont is an ideal choice for those seeking a unique and memorable destination for their next trip. The proximity to nature and modern facilities guarantee an unforgettable experience!



## Where is Ödön?

A captivating new family-friendly smart-phone adventure game where kids and adults can work together to solve the mystery of Ödön's disappearance from the zoo. The game features a series of clever augmented reality puzzles, starting at the zoo.

