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Live + Work in Kekava Municipality!

Ķekava municipality: 454,5 km²

Ķekava Municipality is located in the central part of Latvia – Vidzeme, on the left bank of the River Daugava. It borders Riga City, Salaspils, Ogre, Bauska and Olaine municipalities. The centre of Riga is only 21 km from Ķekava, 36 km from Baldone and only 15 km from Baloži. The eastern border of the municipality runs along the left bank of the River Daugava and its backwater, the Dry Daugava, and the Riga Hydroelectric Power Station reservoir.

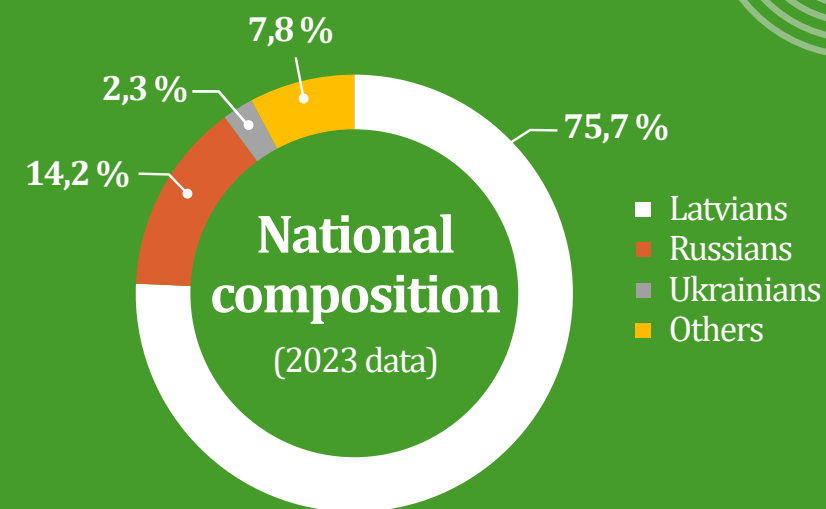


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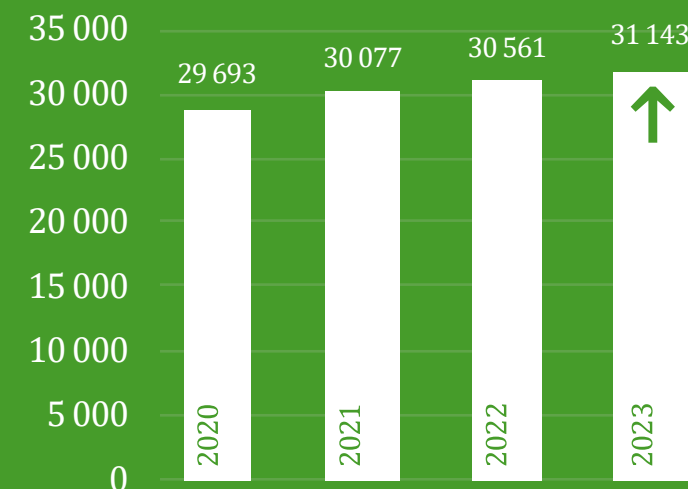


Ķekava Municipality consists of three towns – Baldone, Baloži and Ķekava, three rural territories – Baldone Rural Territory, Daugmale Rural Territory and Ķekava Rural Territory, and 22 villages: Daugmale, Vārpas, Mencendarbe, Pulkarne, Katlakalns, Valdlauči, Rāmava, Alejas, Vimbukrogs, Bērzmente, Dzērumi, Plakanciems, Misa, etc.

Ķekava → centre of Riga 21 km
 Ķekava → Riga Airport 27 km



Population dynamics



Movement within Ķekava Municipality

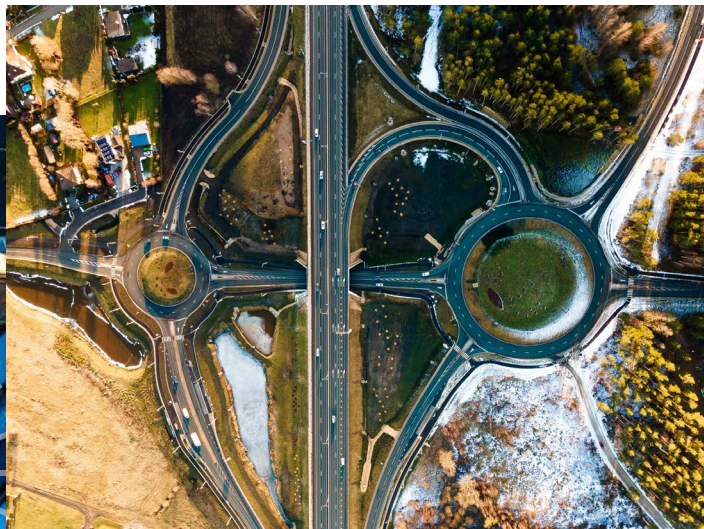


A Ķekava Municipality is crossed by almost all the main national roads – A7 (Riga-Bauska-Lithuanian border) and A5 (Riga bypass Salaspils-Babīte), which are also TEN-T (Trans-European Transport Network) trunk roads (also VIA Baltica), creating the main artery for road traffic (motorway E67) between the western and northern EU Member States. RailBaltic Crossing and Transport Mobility Points are also coming soon.

B *Ķekavas novada priekšrocība ir ne tikai tā valsts galveno autoceļu tīklojums, bet arī labā sasniedzamība ar Rīgu un Rīgas lidostu, kas ir tikai 20 minūšu brauciena attālumā. Rīgu ar Ķekavas novadu savieno plašs sabiedriskā transporta tīkls un attīstības plānos paredzēta ne tikai Rail Baltic izbūve, bet arī būt novadam ar visgarāko veloceļu izbūvi Latvijā – padarot novadu par vēl videi draudzīgāku.*

Public transport (buses and minibuses)

- Rīga - Baldone - Rīga
- Rīga - Daugamale - Rīga
- Rīga - Ziedonis - Rīga
- Rīga - Baloži - Rīga
- Rīga - Katlakalns - Rīga
- Rīga - Rāmava - Baloži - Rīga
- Rīga - Valdlauči - Pļavniekalns – Ķekava
- Sarma - Baldone - Observatory
- Plakanciems – Ķekava – Plakanciems
- etc.



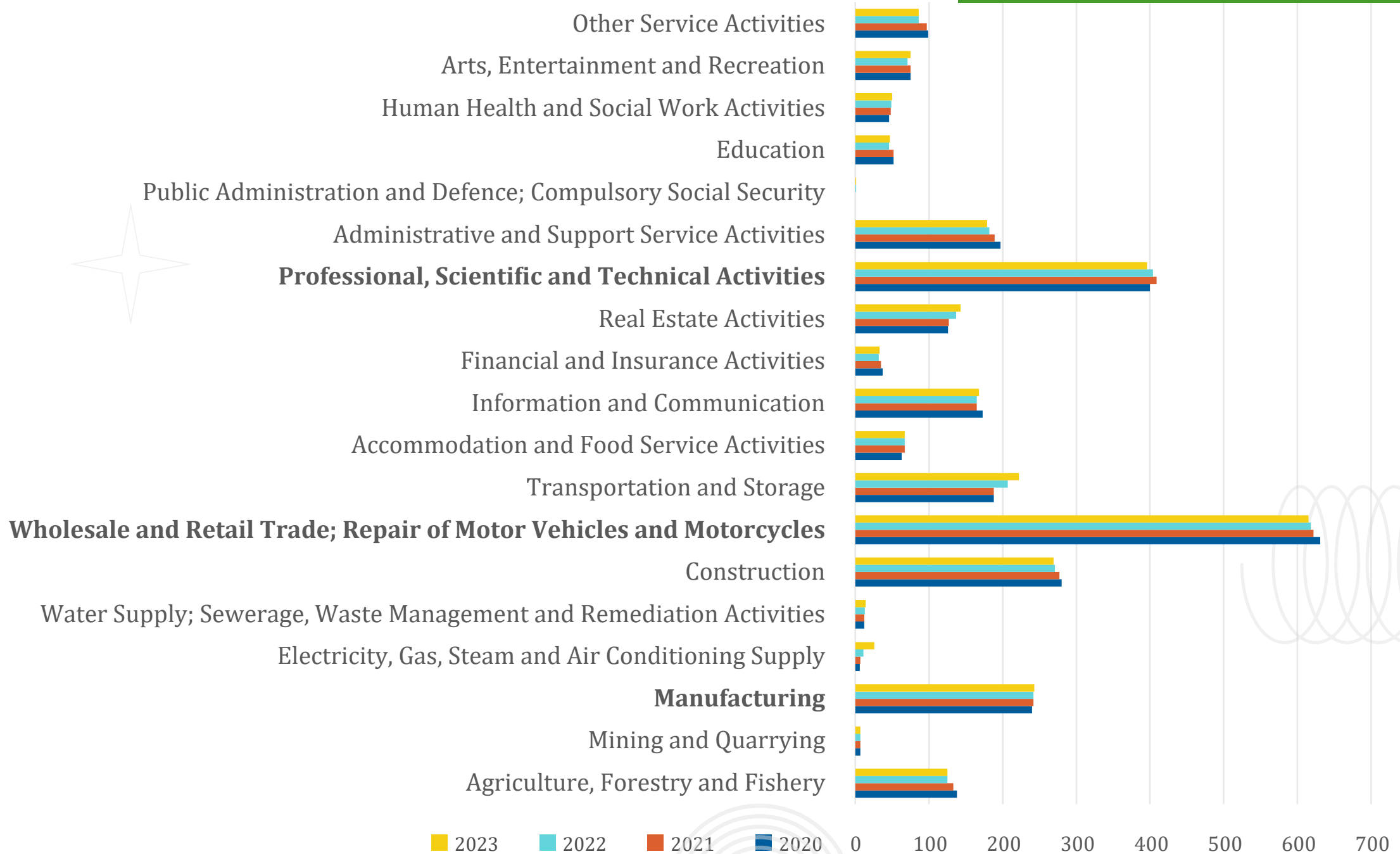
Business areas

Number of active companies:

2020	2839
2021	2814
2022	2797
2023	2849

Number of people working in companies:

2020	12 872
2021	12 808
2022	12 643





TOP 10 largest companies

1. Non-specialised wholesale SIA SANITEX
2. Wholesale of tobacco products SIA Baltic Sales Network
3. Wholesale of timber, construction materials and sanitary ware SIA ACA Timber
4. Road freight transport SIA Baltic Logistic Solutions
5. Computer programming SIA C.T.CO
6. Wholesale of agricultural machinery, equipment and accessories DOJUS Latvija
7. Storage and warehousing SIA TRIALTO LATVIA
8. Wholesale of electronic devices, telecommunications equipment and parts SIA Energokomplekss
9. Storage and warehousing SIA NNL LV
10. Mechanical processing SIA EMJ Metāls

Total amount of taxes paid by companies:

2020	266999.29
2021	313170.37
2022	362154.12

Fastest growing sectors

Specialised Construction Activities

Land Transport and Transport via Pipelines

Manufacture of Fabricated Metal Products, Except Machinery and Equipment

Wholesale Trade, Except of Motor Vehicles and Motorcycles

Retail Trade, Except of Motor Vehicles and Motorcycles

Manufacture of Wood and of Products of Wood and Cork, Except Furniture; Manufacture of Articles of Straw and Plaiting Materials

Manufacture of Food Products

Food and Beverage Service Activities

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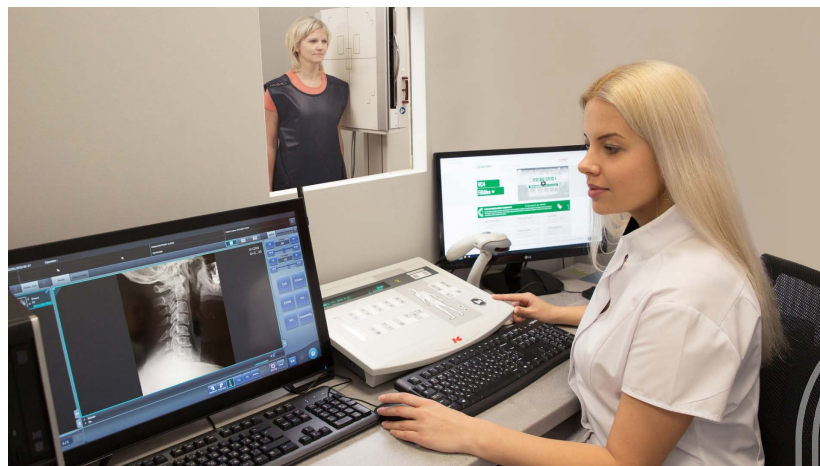
■ MSSIC contributions in thousand EUR per 1 employee 2020
 ■ MSSIC contributions in thousand EUR per 1 employee 2022

With Us in Ķekava Municipality

Environment and place of residence

Its proximity to the capital, nature, waters and the fact that major road transport arteries pass through the district make it attractive for both residents and businesses (especially manufacturing, logistics, trade and various service providers). In 10 years, the population of Ķekava Municipality has grown by a third and currently stands at 31 900. 15% of the total population are seniors, 22% are children and young people, and 63% are adults of working age.

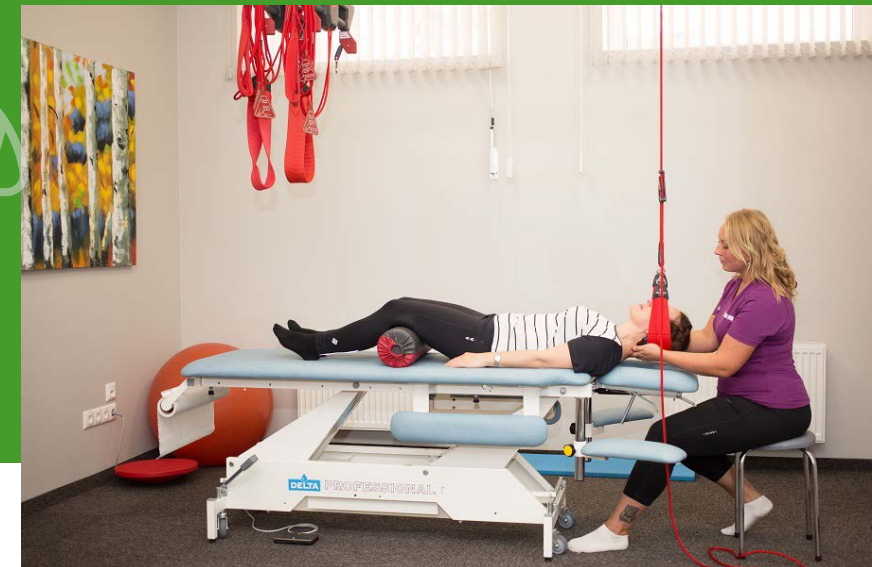
The highest concentration of buildings is in Baloži, Ķekava and some villages. The built-up urban and village area consists of buildings constructed during the Soviet era, but a large proportion of newly-built buildings are private houses. A special structure of the built-up area is formed by the territory of horticultural cooperatives (small gardens/cottages). The built-up area of the municipality is assessed as diverse. This has been strongly influenced by the rapid development of “meadow” villages. Cottage (small-garden) buildings are increasingly becoming permanent residences.



Healthcare services in Ķekava Municipality are provided by:

- Ķekava ambulance
- 15 GP practices
- Veselības centrs 4 branch Valdlauči

several medical institutions operate in the municipality - the largest are the Ķekava ambulance and Health Center 4 in Valdlauči, the Social Service in Ķekava with branches, the Social Care Center, as well as dentistry, family doctor's practices, physiotherapy, psychological support, etc.



Sports in Ķekava Municipality

Ķekava Municipality places great emphasis on the accessibility and development of sport. The municipality offers a wide range of sporting opportunities for all age groups, as well as a wide range of free events. In Ķekava Municipality, floorball, football, basketball, freestyle wrestling, artistic gymnastics are highly developed and other sports are also available: volleyball, street gymnastics, rugby, cycling, athletics, kickboxing, swimming, skiing, skating, rogaining, orienteering, badminton, boxing, etc.



Sports infrastructure:

- Ķekava Secondary School sports complex
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- Ķekava Sports Club
- Baloži sports complex and sports ground
- Daugmale Elementary School gym
- Daugmale multifunctional centre
- Baldone Sports Complex
- Fortius volleyball and football pitches
- FK Auda football pitch
- Ķekava Secondary School primary school sports ground
- Square in front of Ķekava Secondary School
- Valdlauči sports ground
- Rāmava sports ground
- Multifunctional sports ground in Ķekava, Gaismas iela 7A
- Baldone secondary school stadium
- Pump track in Baloži and Baldone

Education in Ķekava Municipality

The priorities of Ķekava Municipality are education and infrastructure development, environmental improvement and the creation of active recreation areas. Investment in education in our municipality over the last 10 years exceeds € 44 million. The growth of the municipality is in line with the principles of sustainability – Ķekava Municipality is included in the Silver category of the Sustainability Index, which is the highest score among municipalities.

Preschool:

Ķekava Municipality pre-school education institution Ieviņa
Ķekava Municipality pre-school education institution Zvaigznīte
Ķekava Municipality pre-school education institution Avotiņš
Ķekava Municipality pre-school education institution Biūte
Daugmale Elementary School preschool group Namiņš
Ķekava Municipality pre-school education institution Vāverīte
Ķekava Municipality pre-school education institution Zemene
Ķekava Municipality private school Gaismas tilts 97
Ķekava Municipality pre-school education institution Lāsīte

General education:

Baloži Secondary School
Ķekava Secondary School
Daugmale Elementary School
Pļavniekkalns Primary School
Private elementary school Gaismas tilts 97
Baldone Secondary school
Baldone Primary School

Vocational education:

Ķekava School of Music
Ķekava School of Art
Ķekava Municipality Sports School
Jānis Dūmiņš Baldone School of Music
Baldone School of Art

Ķekava was the first municipality in Latvia to introduce a babysitting service, and currently, more than 200 babysitters provide this service on the basis of tripartite contracts.

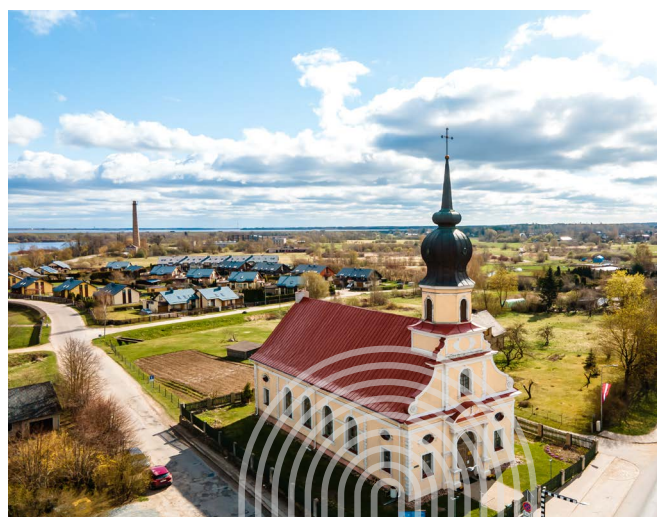


Recreation in Ķekava Municipality

In order to provide the county's residents with access to high-quality and diverse cultural events, the county's municipal cultural institutions organise more than 1000 cultural events and activities per year, attracting 70 327 municipality residents and visitors. Cultural events take place both in cultural venues and outdoors – the biggest of which is Ķekava Municipality Festival. The municipality has six cultural centres with more than 40 artistic groups, workshops, clubs, etc.

There are five libraries in the municipality, which organise more than 200 events for children, seniors and adults per year, and this is appreciated by the residents of Ķekava, as one in three is a visitor to one of the libraries.

The municipality has a long tradition of open-air markets, with more than 10 taking place from April to December in Ķekava, Baloži, Daugmale and Baldone.

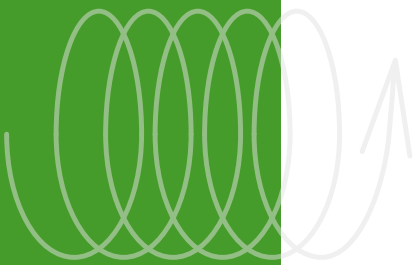



Cultural, historical and sightseeing attractions:

Katlakalns Evangelical Lutheran Church, Ķekava Regional History Museum, Baldone Museum in Mercendarbe Manor; Baldone Observatory, Story Trails and Forest Gallery in Baldone, Riekstukalns viewing tower; Active recreation complex Riekstukalns, Baloži Peat Railway, Daugmale peonies, Dole – Ķekava Evangelical Lutheran Church, Dēpkāns Manor in Rāmava, Death Island, Jānis Mountain – The sacred mountain of the ancestors, Baloži Orthodox Church of the Icon of the Blessed Virgin Bogoļubska, Baldone Evangelical Lutheran Church, Baldone wooden architectural heritage, Baldone pharmacy building, White Castle, Lake Leja, Lake Kausezers, Lake Pakuļezers, Lake Lilijas, Lake Titurga, Stalin-era buildings in Baloži, Baloži Culture House, Dole Folk House, Former Ķekava Primary School, Lilac park in Baldone and the sulphur watercourse Ķirzaciņa, Daugmale Mound

Annual celebrations in Ķekava Municipality:

Easter, Līgo (Midsummer), Proclamation Day of the Republic of Latvia, Ķekava Municipality Festival, Baldone Town Festival, Christmas and New Year



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