

# RASTEDER MUSIKTAGE



EUROPEAN  
MUSIC  
CONTEST

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International Rasteder Music Festival

“The essence of music is to bring joy.” With these words of the greek Philosopher Aristotle, we would like to welcome you, dear musicians and music friends from near and far, to the International Rasteder Music Festival. Every year 68 music associations with about 3000 musicians and accompanists from many nations are expected to attend this major event.

Rasteder Musiktage has, over the years, become one of the largest and most beautiful music events of its kind in Europe. As the first Patron of Rasteder Musiktage, Nicholas, the Grand Duke of Oldenburg said “We want to build Bridges!” the core idea of our event is to bring together young people who enjoy music, to make international friendships, and to strengthen and grow existing ones.

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Including last year we have welcomed more than 33 nations to our music festival. We are proud that the International Rasteder Music Festival is now known all over the world and we look forward to welcoming even more nations to our event in the future.

We are pleased the The World Association of Marching Show Bands (WAMSB) has recognized our event as a qualification round for their World Championships. There are very few opportunities to qualify for the WAMSB World Championships in Europe, which shows how important the Rasteder Music Festival has become to the world. This fact is not only due to the success of the music festival in recent years, it is also a show of the commitment the employees, volunteers and sponsors who have supported and grown this event throughout the years. We would like to take this opportunity to thank everyone who has and will continue to contribute to this celebration.

Rasteder Musiktage e.V.



# Program Thursday

- 6.30 p.m. Showfield rehearsal Bands
- 7.30 p.m. Showfield rehearsal Bands
- 7.30 p.m. tent party



# Program Friday

- Opening Ceremony (Entry free)
- Show Prelims Contest
- Concert Contest
- Welcome Party (Entry free)
- Great Disco (Entry free)
- Rasteder Wiesn (Entry special price for bands)



Die bayrische Riesen-Gaudi!

# Program Saturday

- Concert Contest
- Marching Contest
- Show Prelims Contest
- Drum Corps Contest
- Final
- Party





# Program Sunday

- Concert Contest
- Marching Contest
- Marching Parade Contest
- Show Finals
- European Open Champion
- Finale



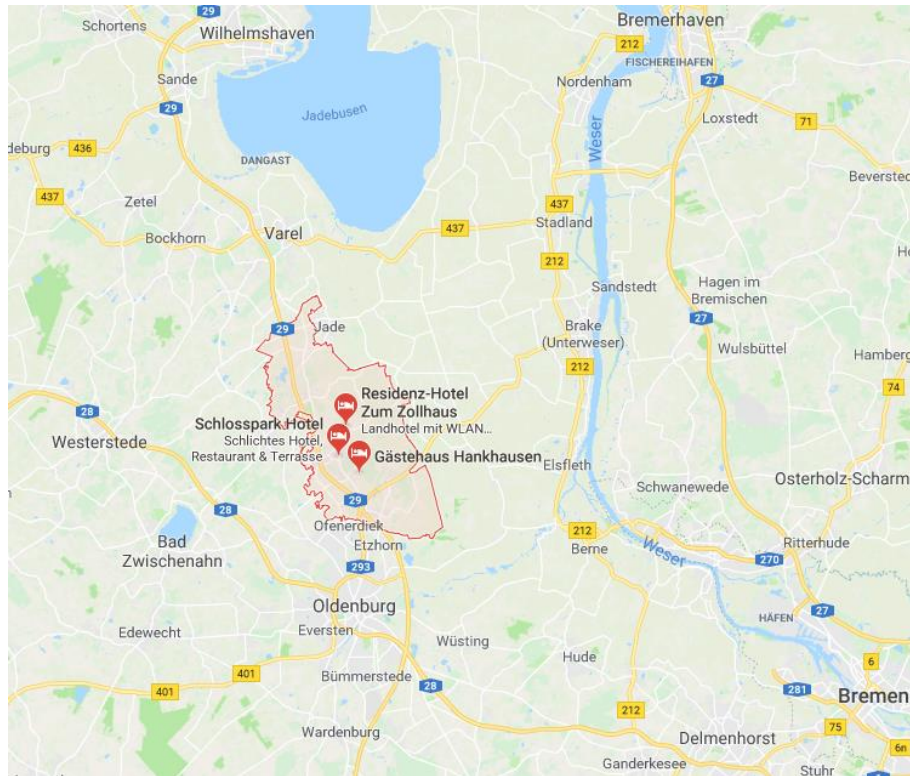
# Presentation City/ Town

- Position
- City plan
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- Pics



# Where is Rastede

Rastede is in a North of Germany



## Arrive

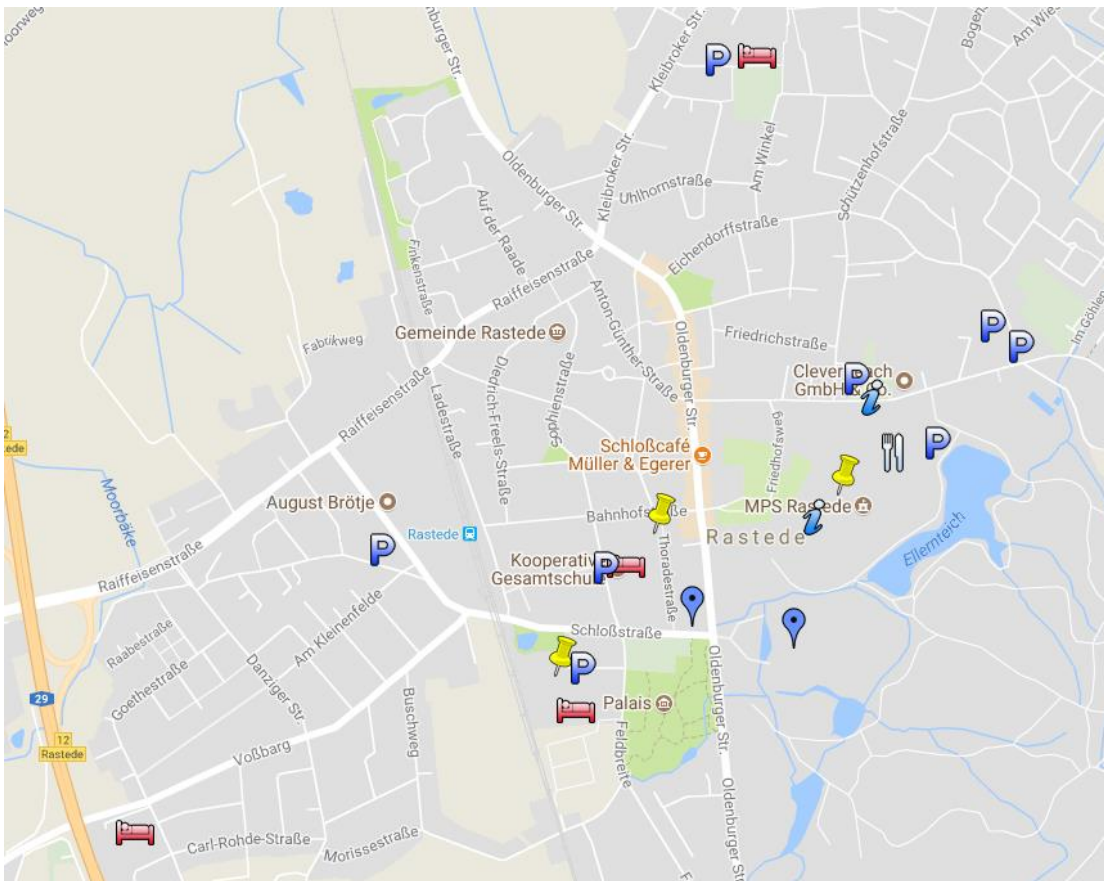
No matter if you arrive by car, train or bike - the Residence Rastede is very easy to find!

**With Train:** Centrally located train station, hourly connections to Oldenburg

**With Car:** A 29 Oldenburg-Wilhelmshaven with exit Rastede

**With Airplane:** Airport Bremen ca. 60 km from Rastede

# City map Rastede



# Special features / leisure activities

- The possibilities for a personalized holiday or tour program are numerous and varied in Rastede; walking or hiking in the wonderful park landscapes, indoor or outdoor swimming facilities, tennis in the hall or outdoors, interesting cultural tours, or golf on the 18 hole golf course. And above all: Cycling!



# Special features / leisure activities

- Swimming in Rastede next to the Showfield



# Special features / leisure activities

- Beachclub Nethen with einer water ski facility  
/ Natural Bath Hahn Lehmden



# Special features / leisure activities

- Golf 18 hole / Swing Golf / Adventure Golf





# Special features / leisure activities

- Go carting / cycling



# Special features / leisure activities next to Rastede

- canoe trips
- Park of Gardens
- Jaderpark (Animal and leisure park)
- National park Wattenmeer
- Dangast North Sea
- Visiting the islands of East Frisia
- Meyer Werft / visit the ocean giants

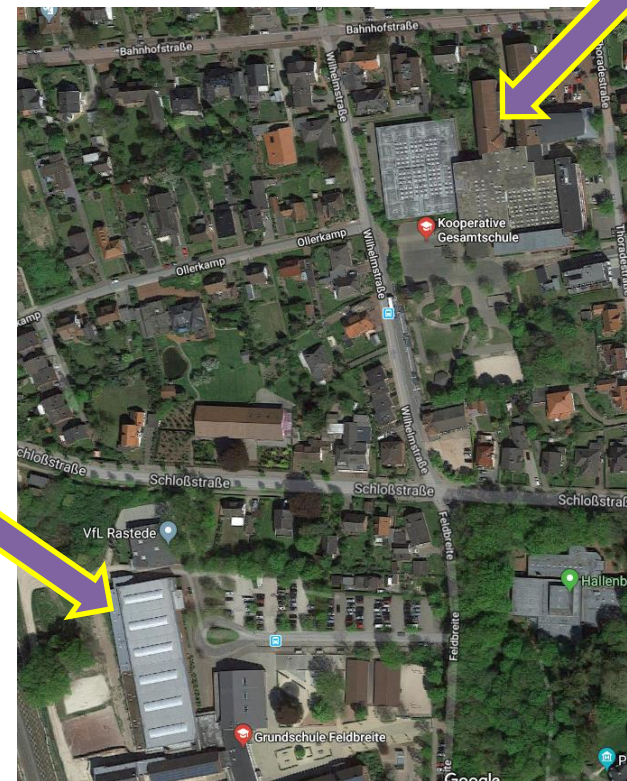
# Overview event area

2. Concert Aula KGS

- layout plan



1. Concert  
Mehrzweckhallen
- 2 Large room hall
  - 1 small hall





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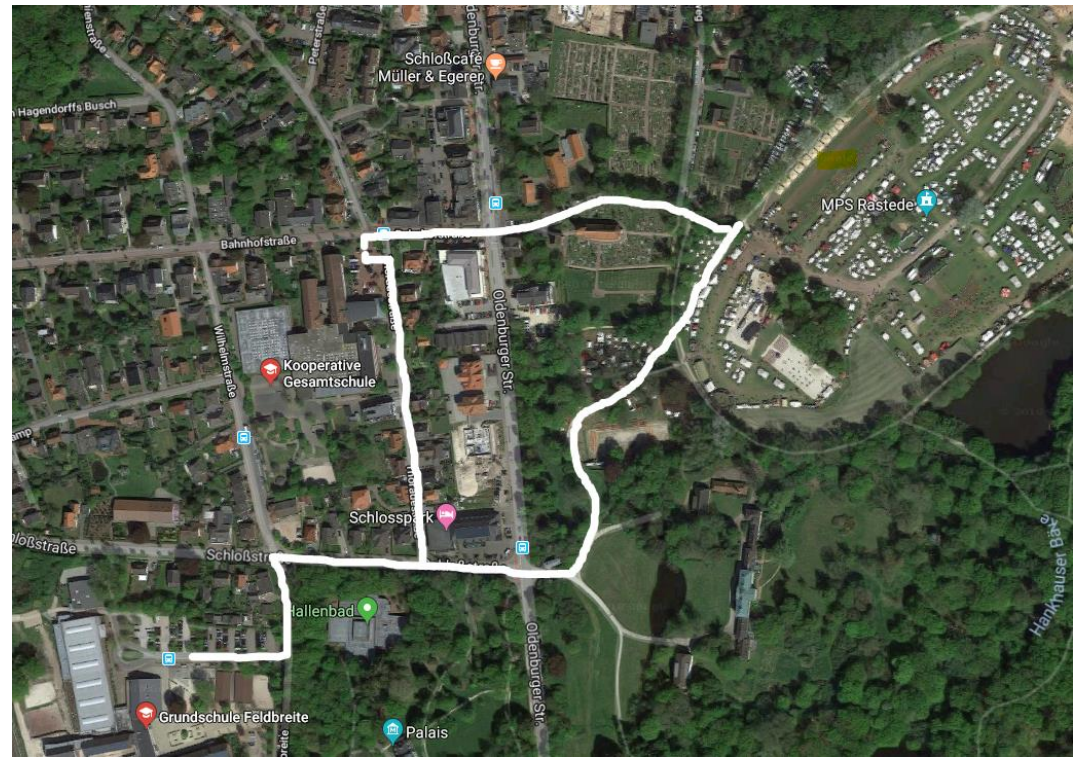
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# Overview event area

- distances

All venues are within a radius of approx. 800m. From the multi-purpose hall, where the concert standings take place, to the festival ground, where the outdoor event takes place.





# Presentation of the event rooms

- Concert
- Mehrzweckhalle Feldbreite, Dobbler Room Hall





# Presentation of the event rooms

- Marching, Marchingparade, Show and Entertainment - Field

The tournament area in the castle park, for the scores correspond to the Size of a football field



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# Presentation of the event rooms

- Warm-up / training field

The municipality of Rastede has nine sports fields reserved for the music festival. The surrounding communities also support the music festival and provide sports fields and accommodation in the form of schools as needed.

# References

- **67 years of Internationale Rasteder Musiktage**
- **over 100.000 participants**
- **33 Nations**
- **Qualifying rounds of the World Association of Marching Show Bands**
  - **2024 World Championship WamsB**
- ✓ **2010 German Championships with over 100 Bands**
  - ✓ **2016 German Championship with over 100 Bands**

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