Extension of the Danube Limes
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DANUBE LIMES BRAND

Danube Limes Day
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The opportunity to learn about the Roman Empire on a boat trip from Krems to Spitz was offered to students on June 5th in the framework of the Danube Limes Day.

After welcome greetings by the head of the Department, Dean Christian Hanus, a variend program was presented, scientifically supported by the Christina Pauser, curator of the Roman Museum Tulln. A highlight was the appearance of the "Legio XIII" on board. In historical costumes and with appropriate equipment the "Legionnaires' demonstrated impressively the everyday life of roman soldiers on the Danube Limes.

The Danube Limes Day was organized by the Department for Building and Environment of the Danube University Krems as a partner of the EU project "Danube Limes Brand". The aim of the project is the common preservation, collection and marketing of the Danube Limes and its monuments. The former frontiers of the Roman Empire are set to become the world’s biggest single archaeological site. The holistic UNESCO World Heritage site status of the Danube Limes is now in prospect.

Figure 1: Danube Limes Day participants on MS Prinz Eugen

Figure 2: Legio XIII