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PrEseRving and sustainably governing Cultural heritage and Landscapes in European coastal and maritime regions

PERICLES Portal Workshop

Workshop date: Oct 13, 2020, 18-20 EET (continued Oct 14)

Workshop location: Island of Ruhnu, Liise Farm

Workshop organizer: National Heritage Board of Estonia (ENHB)

Local partners: Ruhnu Museum, Ruhnu Municipality

Participants: ca 15

The aim of the workshop was to identify the coastal and maritime heritage and to complete the portal together with local community

Presenters:

Maili Roio (ENHB) introduced the PERICLES project and its aims, especially the ones connected to the island of Ruhnu.

Krista Karro (ENHB) presented the portal and the way it works. Local people started telling stories about places in Ruhnu and Krista tried to enter some to the portal.

Results: The participants included a cross-section of the local community, including the municipality, school, tourism industry and fishing industry. Locals told us many stories about sites which are not „classical“ heritage of academic interest but important to the local people. Some sites were marked in the portal, as well. We managed to get some contacts of elderly local people who were not present and we visited one of them the next day, Ms H.S. came to the island of Ruhnu as a little girl in 1944 from the island of Kihnu. We heard about her life and asked about connections between the two islands as seen from her viewpoint. The next day we also presented the portal to a municipality official, who subscribed to the portal and made an entry (a recipe of her own).