

The Central Town Square

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Working days a week: Monday - Sunday

Working season: All year

Parking lot: Yes

Cultural-historical objects

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Sale of souvenirs: Yes

