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Comenius-Marey's News

Yesterday we spent the whole day visiting Eberbach Abbey. It was a wonderful visit carried out under blazing sun. Eberbach Abbey was an important religious centre dating back to 1135.



The architecture was first romanesque with gothic elements added to it in later years.

Eberbach Abbey first housed a Benedictine community of Monks which was later turned into a Cistercian religious order.

It was even more impressive when we were told that this unique Abbey was the biggest existing winery in Germany covering up to 150 hectares. Further more, the film "The name of the Rose" was partly shot there.

The wine-making process is ultra modern with the latest technological equipment like cameras sorting out the grapes to the tune of 5000 pictures per second. Quite amazing!



For us who come from a wine-making area, it was great to be able to taste some German wine and to go for a walk in the vineyards.

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