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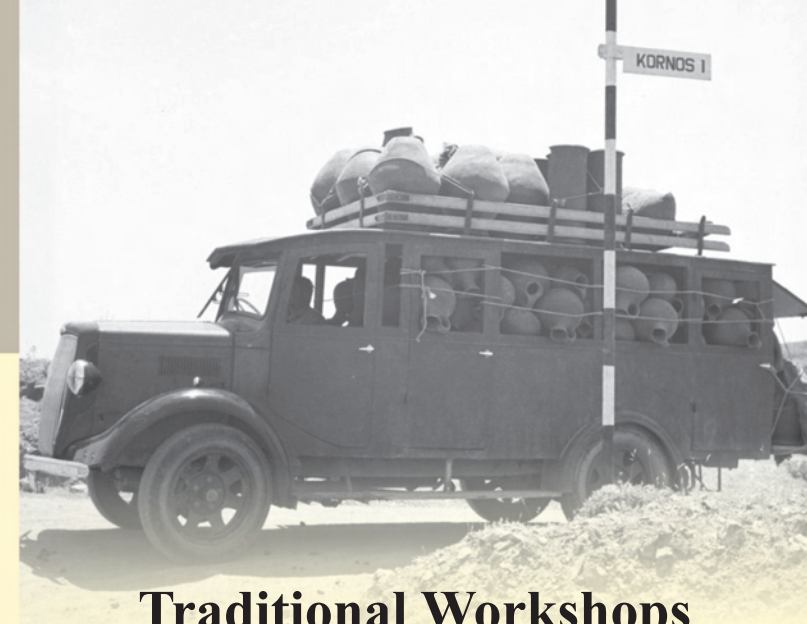
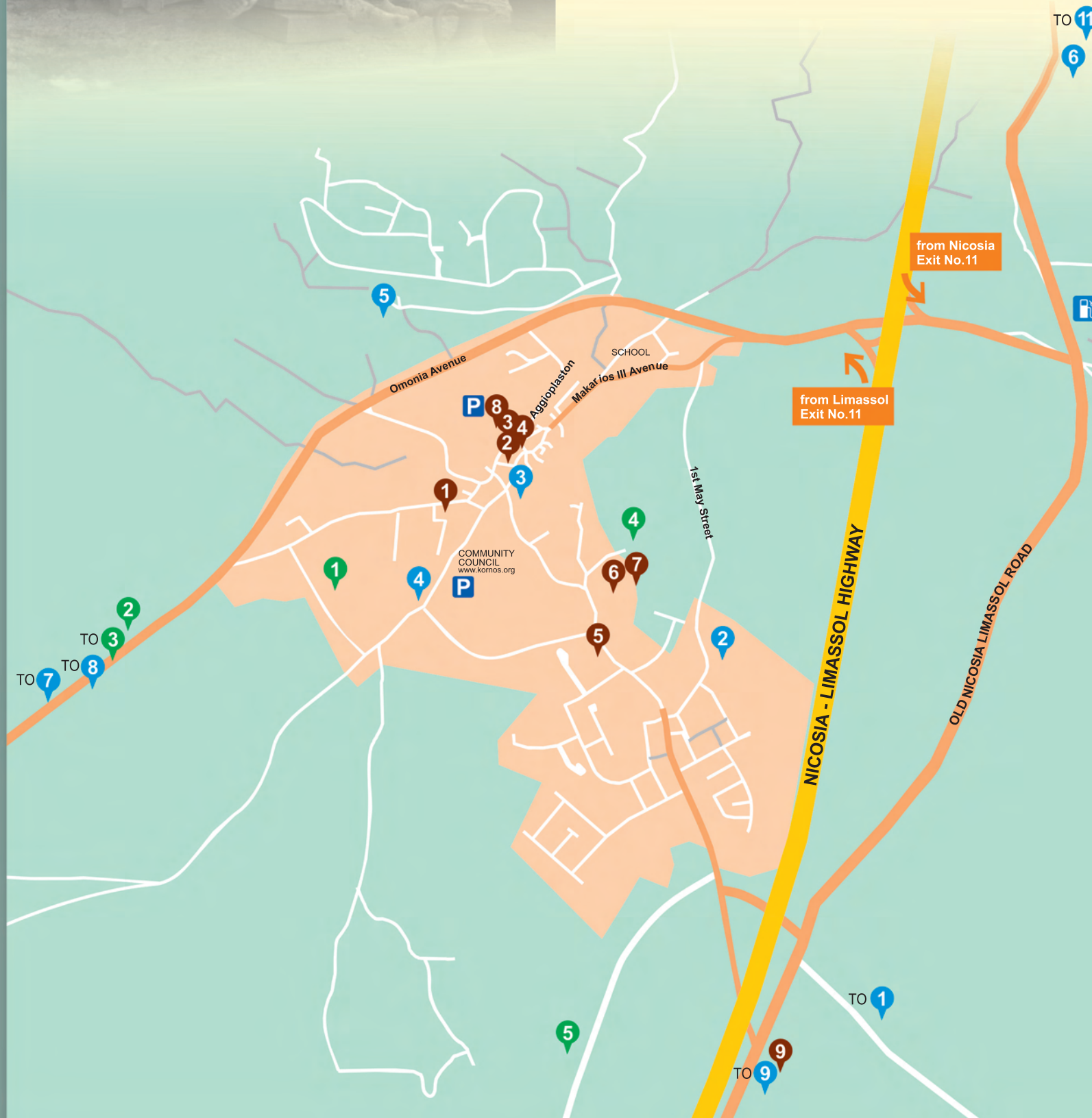
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## Places of Interest

### 1 Lithari

A double rock cliff that looks like a moray fish, like a monstrous form in the center of the village. This is how it is described by researchers who have proven that energy flux runs through it. Some also believe that this is where Atlantis was. From satellite images, its diamond shape looks like the Taurus constellation.

*An ideal place for touring and rejuvenation.*

*For more information: [geoment.eee.gr/geoenkornu.htm](http://geoment.eee.gr/geoenkornu.htm)*

### 2 Troullorotsos

From studies of invisible electro-magnetic channels of vital energy that radiate from the earth through important buildings such as the Parthenon, the Great Pyramid and others, one such channel was discovered in Cyprus. It is a 'trikerato' (three horns) with a height of approximately 20 meters and can be found on the Kornos-Delikipos road. Studies refer to the abundance of the trikerato's positive cosmic energy. It is believed that such sites (holy spaces and sacred oracles) were used for recharging energy and are still considered to have healing and rejuvenating powers.

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### 3 Diplogefyro

A beautiful and tranquil lake with a double-arched bridge on the Kornos - Delikipos road. Situated just off the road in a pinewood environment of lush flora, the lake hosts many frogs and wild ducks.

*Ideal for walks and picnics.*

### 4 Caves

Another treasure of nature, these ancient rock caves are situated behind a residential area near the new church. These caves, one of which is quite large, are at the center of numerous intriguing myths. For example, it is said that they were used for sacred ceremonies, and in times of danger were a refuge for Christians.

*Nice place for exploration and climbing.*

### 5 Picnic area

An ideal place for picnics and food on the grill in a specially designed area in the forest of Kornos.

*Please make sure to keep these places clean during your visits. Special attention should be paid to prevent causing fire as the area is particularly sensitive because of the dense vegetation.*

## Churches

When you visit the churches please be appropriately dressed and extinguish candles when leaving to prevent causing fire.

**For more information and visits to the churches call Mr. Anastasis on ++357 99522507**

# KORNOS

## The Village of the Red Clay

The picturesque village of Kornos is built upon hilly grounds between Nicosia, Limassol and Larnaca, at an altitude of 320 meters above sea

level. It is set among pines, cypress, eucalyptus, acacia, terebinths, mastic trees, olive trees and wildflowers. The area is ideal for cycling and trekking excursions. Kornos is especially known since ancient times for its pottery craft, the reputation of which has surpassed the borders of Cyprus and received world-wide recognition. In the village there are ancient remains showing that it was inhabited since antiquity. Ali Bey, the Spanish Domingo, who

visited the village in 1806, writes: I could not obtain any information about the origin of the village. It must be old. It may contain thirty houses at the most. Its position is very pleasant, in the midst of a small valley ridden with olive and locust trees. Almost all the inhabitants are occupied with pottery. The surrounding mountains are covered with cypress trees that grow in dense tufts here and there.

## Traditional Workshops

### 1 Ayios Fanourios Traditional Bakery and Sweet Shop

Traditional family bakery and sweet shop located in the village center. Some of the traditional products made are Kornos 'koulouri', bread and traditional sweets like 'daktila' and 'mpourekia'.

*Address: 10 Anexartisias street, Kornos 7640*

*Contact Tel: ++357 22533642*

*Days / Hours of operation:*

*Mon - Sat: 7:00 a.m. - 8:00 p.m., Sunday: 7:00 am - 1:00 p.m.*

### 2 Archontiko Papadopoulou Pottery Workshop and Creative Traditional Cypriot Cuisine Restaurant

Archontiko Papadopoulou is based in a neoclassical building dating back to 1897. It consists of a pottery workshop, restaurant, wine cellar, where the oldest Commandaria found in Cyprus is kept, Commandaria bar and cafe. In the workshop you can watch the "mastorisses" of Kornos creating traditional pottery in a unique way. Our multi-awarded restaurant invites you to enjoy creatively presented traditional cuisine of fresh local ingredients



and to select your wine from the rich collection of Cypriot wines in our award-winning cellar.

*Address: 67 Makarios III Avenue, Kornos 7640*

*Contact Tel: ++357 22531000*

*www.archontikopapadopoulou.com.cy*

*Days / Hours of operation:*

*Tuesday-Sunday: 9:30a.m. - 3:00p.m., 6:00m.m. - 11:00m.m.*

### 3 Giorgos Leonida Icon Painter

Giorgos Leonida was trained by the monk Father Kallinikos (from Stavrovouni) and the icon painter Andros Aristodemou. He then created his own studio in Kornos where he is professionally involved with this art. He is now also studying with the art conservator and painter Christos Karis. He has painted many icons in the Orthodox ecclesiastical tradition, strictly following the rules of Byzantine art, absorbing elements from older painters but adding his personal style. His work can be found in metropolises and dioceses abroad.

*Address: 15 Karaoli and Dimitriou street, Kornos 7640*

*Contact Tel: ++357 99901124*

*Days / Hours of operation: Mon - Fri: 4:00 a.m. - 9:00 p.m.*

### 4 Dimitris Stafylaris Traditional Jewellery Shop

SGN Jewellery Ltd was founded in 1985. That was the beginning of a 25-year successful career in an ascending course of development in jewellery making and unique design. Handmade jewellery has been and continues to be the main focus, not only because it is unique but also because it requires great love and multiple skills in its execution. Another factor that makes our jewellery stand out is the traditional making of kapnistomerehon. A traditional local product and part of SGN's own history, it is exclusively made by hand, which is one of the reasons it maintains its high value. In our store, you can find a large collection of silver and gold jewellery, ecclesiastical items and a variety of silverware.

*Address: 63 Makarios III Avenue, Kornos 7640*

*Contact Tel: ++357 22533480, ++357 99526577*

*www.sgn-jewellery.com*

*Days / Hours of operation: Mon - Sat: 9:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.  
4:00 p.m. - 7:30 p.m.*

### 5 Elizabeth's Doll House Handmade Porcelain Dolls

Authentic handmade porcelain dolls workshop. Elizabeth was trained in the U.S.A.. That is also where the raw materials are coming from. All dolls are accompanied by a certificate of authenticity. The collection consists of various types of styles with emphasis on local Cypriot costumes.

*Address: 77 Afxentiou street, Kornos 7640*

*Contact Tel: ++357 99332936*

*www.dollscyprus.com*

*Days / Hours of operation: Tuesday - Sunday: 11:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m.*

### 6 Stelios Christou Icon Painter

He was trained by the monk Father Kallinikos (from Stavrovouni) and has been practicing this art since 1965, painting icons for many churches. He collaborates with the Archbishopric of Cyprus. He painted the monastery of St. Ignatius in Ayios Minas, Vavla and many others. His icons are of Byzantine style and he uses traditional egg tempera paint and gold leaf. He also uses the 'fresco' technique on walls. He participated in several tourism fairs both in Europe and Cyprus in cooperation with the Cyprus Tourism Organisation.

*Address: 7A 28 Octobriou Street, Kornos 7640*

*Contact Tel: ++357 22533293, ++357 99349468*

*www.christoumosaicart.com*

*Days / Hours of operation: Mon - Sat 7:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.*

### 7 Constantinos Christou Mosaic Art

At the beginning he was trained by the monk Father Kallinikos (from Stavrovouni), then by his father Christos Steliou, an icon painter, and later by the famous Cypriot mosaic artist Giorgos Kepolas. He started working in churches and the Archbishopric of Cyprus in 1994. His work is now found all over Cyprus, U.K. and the U.S.A. The mosaics are made in the traditional way of enamel and gold (as in Constantinople) and with natural stones which are cut to create mosaics of Byzantine style icons or other historical images. He participated in Cypriot and European fairs in cooperation with the Archbishopric of Cyprus and the Cyprus Tourism Organisation.

*Address: 7A, 28 Octobriou Street, Kornos 7640*

*Contact Tel: ++357 22533293, ++357 99408595*

*www.christoumosaicart.com*

*Days / Hours of operation: Mon - Sat: 8:30 a.m. - 6:00 p.m.*

### 8 Kornos's Co-operative Company of Potters

Old pottery workshop founded by women's cooperative in 1953 for the financial support of the potters of Kornos. The place retains the old furnace with wood.

*Address: 5 Aggioplaston Street, Kornos 7640*

*Contact Tel: ++357 22533395*

*Days / Hours of operation: Summer 10:00 a.m. - 5:30 p.m.  
Winter 10:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.*

### 9 Traditional Cheese Workshop 'Kornos'

A traditional family cheese workshop, situated near Stavrovouni monastery, using modern production facilities that meet all hygiene measures. It produces local cheeses of Kornos village, such as haloumi, anari and flaouna cheese made from goat's milk.

*Address: Old Nicosia - Limassol road, Kornos 7640*

*Contact tel: ++357 99366613*

*Days / Hours of operation:*

*Monday - Saturday 10:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.*