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PRESS RELEASE

New options for the issuance of an entrance ticket to the Samaria Gorge

We would like to inform you that from this year you will be able to issue an entrance ticket to the Samaria National Park in the following ways:

On – line

From the website: <https://samaria-tickets.necca.gov.gr/checkout>

Guests are advised, for their own convenience, to use the online platform to issue their ticket.

They should also be aware that the e-ticket is personal and is only valid for the specific day for which it was issued.

At the entrance of the Gorge of Samaria

You can buy your ticket from the two entrances of the gorge (Xyloskalo Omalou & Agia Roumeli), upon your arrival there, in cash or by using a debit / credit card.

According to FEK B'1414/24.03.2022, the tickets revenues, from now on, will constitute resources of NECCA, as well as of the adjacent Municipalities, in order to be used for the implementation of basic works in the Gorge of Samaria.

It is reminded that **the visiting hours of the National Park of Samaria for the year 2022**, is as follows. Entry is allowed, during:

- a. **07:00-13:00**, for visitors who will cross the entire route (Xyloskalo-Agia Roumeli or Agia Roumeli-Xyloskalo) or a part of it.
- b. **13:00 - 15:00**, only for visitors who will move exclusively in the first two (2) kilometers from the northern entrance and specifically in the route "Xyloskalo - rest area Neroutsiko"
- c. **13:00 - 16:00**, only for visitors who will move exclusively in the first two (2) kilometers from the southern entrance and specifically in the route "Agia Roumeli - rest area "Christos".
- d. in any case the visitors must exit the National Park **by 18:00 at the latest**.