

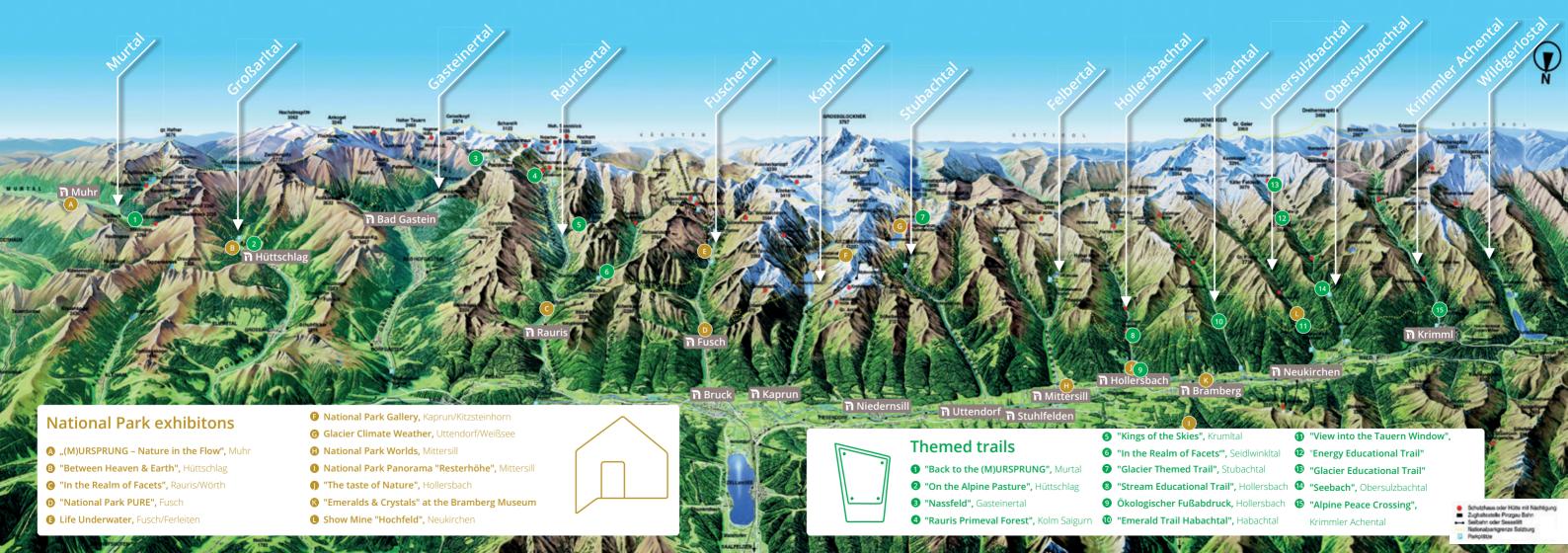


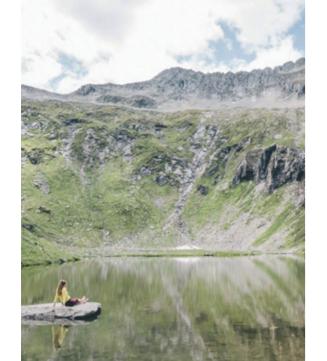


2025 Summer programme Out and about with our national park rangers

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Salzburg





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### All summer tours in detail: www.hohetauern.at

## Summer Adventures in the **Hohe Tauern National Park**

Summer is the perfect time to go exploring in the largest protected area in the Alps. An almost endless alpine and cultural landscape is waiting for you. Discover the rich diversity of life, flora, and fauna in the Hohe Tauern for yourself. Ibex, chamois, marmots, golden eagles, and bearded vultures – spotting the "Big Five" of the Hohe Tauern National Park is guaranteed to fascinate.

Join our national park rangers on a guided hike through the summer landscape of the park and create unforgettable nature experiences!

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# National Park Concept

When the Yellowstone National Park was established in the Rocky Mountains in 1872, no one could have imagined that this would lay the foundation for a global vision: **the National Park Concept.**The National Park Concept means preserving outstanding natural landscapes for us and future generations, while also making them accessible and experienceable for people.

The Hohe Tauern National Park, covering 1,856 km², is the largest national park in the Alps, featuring pristine nature and a cultural landscape that has evolved over centuries. It stretches from approximately 1,000 meters above sea level to the summit of the Großglockner at 3,798 meters. For over a century, people around the world have passionately carried forward the National Park Concept.

The staff of the National Park Administration wish all visitors to the Hohe Tauern National Park the same enthusiasm.



## General Information about **Guided Ranger Tours**

Requirements: The following tours are divided into three levels of difficulty for easier orientation and assessment. A good physical condition and a certain level of basic fitness are essential for all guided excursions. The distances provided are approximate and indicate the round-trip distance.

### The meaning of the symbols listed on the following pages:

	easy summer excursion	children from 7 years old	Hike without steep sections on wide hiking trails, sport or light trekking shoes are sufficient.	
<b>"</b>	moderate summer excursion	children from 10 years old	Hikes, whose destinations are usually above the valley floor, on well-developed hiking trails with switchbacks. Hiking or mountain boots with treaded soles are required.	
<u> </u>	challenging summer excursion	children from 10 years old	Mountain hikes that lead above the tree line, with destinations accessible via climbing paths in sometimes steep terrain. Hiking or mountain boots with good treaded soles are required.	
	excursions with special	Long, endurance tours on challenging paths and in unmarked, alpine terrain. Good fitness, a fear of heights-free condition, and surefootedness		

#### PLEASE NOTE

The National Park Administration reserves the right to adjust all tours to the participants' abilities and to only carry them out if:

- the weather conditions are suitable.
- the participants are properly equipped,

and

they are physically fit.

Information about the National Park Administration, Education & Visitor Information: Phone: +43 6562 40849 33 (Mon – Fri. 8 am – 12.pm) | Email: np.bildung@salzburg.gv.at

are required – led by a certified mountain and ski guide.



### Participation in **Weekly Ranger Tours:**

### Registration is required for our weekly excursion dates.

Details for online registration (via hohetauern.at/en) are provided directly with the tour description.

You can find all ranger tours online at:

npht.at/tours

### **Participation Fees** for Weekly Tours:

Without guest card/SommerCard: € 22,- per person Prices are exclusive of mountain/ valley rides and transport costs. Children up to 16 years old are free when accompanied by parents.

### **Equipment:**

- Sturdy footwear
- Rain/sun protection. possibly insect repellent
- Appropriate clothing and spare clothes
- Backpack with drinks and snacks
- Cash/small change for possible stops at alpine huts after the tour or for parking meters

### Free Participation:

For participants with a valid guest card from the Hohe Tauern National Park holiday region, hikes guided by National Park Rangers are free of charge.

Bring your guest card/SommerCard with you on the tour and show it to the ranger upon request.



Regardless of having a SommerCard/ Guest Card, participation fees apply for the following tours:

- Kitzsteinhorn Explorer Tour
- Glocknerbus Excursion
- A Journey to the Tauern Window/ Guided tour through the Hochfeld Mine

**Arrival:** Some tour meeting points can be reached by public transportation (POST-BUS/Pinzgauer Lokalbahn SLB) – Info on page 18

Dogs: Leash laws apply throughout the entire national park. Dogs are not permitted on our tours.

















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requirements

# Weekly excursions with a National Park Ranger

tional Park region from west to east	Ranger-guided excursion	<b>Details</b> on page	<b>Difficulty</b> Legend on page 4	<b>Dates</b> Day(s) of the week   Time period
<b>Hochkrimml</b> Wildgerlostal	Wild Leitenkammer Trail	page 33		Fr   July 11 – Sept. 05, 2025
<b>Krimml</b> Krimmler Achental	Krimml Waterfalls	page 30		Th   July 10 - Sept. 04, 2025
<b>Neukirchen</b> Obersulzbachtal	Educational trail Seebachsee	page 21		Tu   July 08 - Sept. 02, 2025
<b>Neukirchen</b> Untersulzbachtal	Show mine – guided tour	page 16		Mo Tu We Th Fr   July 07 - Sept. 30, 2025
<b>Neukirchen</b> Untersulzbachtal	Sulzbachtäler Wilderness Area	page 26	Weekly Special Tour	We   July 09 - Aug. 27, 2025
<b>Bramberg</b> Habachtal	Into the valley of emeralds	page 21		Mo   July 07 – Sept. 01, 2025
<b>Hollersbach</b> Hollersbachtal	Hollersbach Stream Educational Trail	page 29		Th   July 10 - Sept. 04, 2025
<b>Mittersill</b> Felbertal	Schösswendklamm and Hintersee	page 29		July 09 - Sept. 03, 2025
<b>Uttendorf</b> Stubachtal	Trip to the Arctic	page 22		Tu   July 08 - Sept. 02, 2025
<b>Uttendorf</b> Stubachtal	Natural jewel "Wiegenwald"	page 31	<b>*</b> *	Fr   July 11 - Sept. 05, 2025
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	<b>Rauris</b> Seidlwinkltal	On the tracks of the pack carriers	page 23	<u> </u>	July 08 – Sept. 02, 2025
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	<b>Rauris</b> Hüttwinkltal	Rauris Primeval Forest	page 20	<u> </u>	Mo   July 07 – Sept. 01, 2025
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	<b>Hüttschlag</b> Schödertal	Hike to lake "Schödersee"	page 23	<b>Å</b> Å	July 09 – Sept. 03, 2025
М	<b>luhr/Lungau</b> Murtal	Hike to the Source of Mur River	page 31	<b>Å</b> Å	Th   July 10 – Sept. 04, 2025
Save the	Autumn	tours	Details	Difficulty	Dates
Date	<b>Rauris</b> Hüttwinkltal	On the Trail of the Red Deer Rut	page 36	**	Th   Sept. 25   Oct. 02, 2025
	<b>Hollersbach</b> ollersbachtal	National Day Tour "Lachalm Höhenweg"	page 37	Š Š	Oct. 26, 2025

\*Excursion Glocknerbus: Additional Thursday dates from July 1st to August 28th, 2025



# Visitor Concept in the National Park

The National Park features a network of high-quality interactive visitor and educational facilities that enhance the visit to the protected area and deepen knowledge about the Hohe Tauern National Park.

Everyone has a different approach to exploring new terrain. Whether in a group or on personal (learning) paths, whether at a brisk pace or a more leisurely stroll. The visitor concept in the Hohe Tauern National Park is designed to cater to individuality. To this end, we offer our visitors:

- "Meet a Ranger" and information huts in the national park valleys
- ► Guided Ranger tours
- ▶ Themed trails
- ► Interactive exhibitions

## "Meet a Ranger" in the Salzburg National Park Valleys

Who doesn't know this? You're hiking in nature and come across animals and plants you'd love to learn more about. It's helpful when you come across a National Park Ranger in such cases.

With "Meet a Ranger", you'll gain valuable insights firsthand from a Ranger:



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# National Park information huts at the valley entrances

In the summer months, our information huts at the valley entrances of the National Park are staffed from the Wildgerlostal to Muhr in Lungau.

Our Junior Rangers are available to assist visitors with advice and help. They offer tips on the highlights of Austria's largest national park, provide local hiking information, supply up-to-date maps, and give details on **MEET** ARNGER meeting points.

# Themed Trails in the National Park

Themed trails in the Salzburg National Park valleys invite visitors to independently explore the natural and cultural treasures of this unique landscape. Along the educational trails, you'll find information on various topics at different stations right on site. A brief description of our themed trails, from the Krimmler Achental to the Murtal, can be found starting on page 48.

The respective difficulty level is indicated – just like our guided tours – with one, two, or three "hiker icons" (legend on page 4), so every visitor knows in advance if the themed trail is suitable for their fitness level.









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# Out and About with National Park Rangers

This summer, locals and visitors once again have the opportunity to experience the Hohe Tauern National Park on a guided hiking tour.





- ▶ Our weekly ranger tours are offered with varying levels of difficulty, making it easy to find the ideal tour to match your own fitness level.
- ► To take part, registration is required: Details for online registration are provided directly in the tour descriptions.
- ▶ Holders of the Summer Card or Guest Card can enjoy free participation in many of the weekly tours. The card must be presented to the ranger upon request.
- ▶ Regardless of whether you hold a Summer Card or Guest Card, the following tours require a participation fee:
  - Kitzsteinhorn-Explorer-Tour
- Glocknerbus Excursion
- · A Journey into the Tauern Window/Show Mine



Embark on an exciting **discovery journey** through four climate zones with a National Park ranger: From Kaprun, take the family-friendly Maiskogel mountain and the spectacular 3K K-ONNECTION cable car directly to the Kitzsteinhorn, reaching Salzburg's highest excursion destination, TOP OF SALZBURG, at 3,029 m.

During the subsequent **guided tour through** the National Park Gallery, a 360-meterlong information tunnel, you'll learn all about high alpine natural phenomena directly from a ranger. At the end of the tour, we'll enjoy the panoramic view from the "National Park Gallery" viewing platform, at eye level with the Großglockner, Austria's highest mountain.



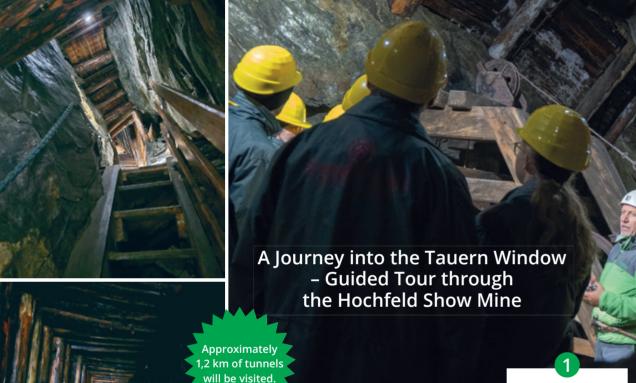
Meeting point: 09.00 am, Kaprun Center/Valley Station MK Maiskogelbahn **Duration:** approx. 3,5 h

Bus 660, Stop: (Sigmund-Thun-Straße)"



Registration

kitzsteinhorn.at/explorer



Good to know: For the show mine tour. visitors will be provided with protective clothing and a helmet on site. Sports shoes or light trekking shoes are suitable footwear. The tour is suitable for children aged 10 and older.



Tour details and online registration Standard ticket: npht.at/showmine



Tour details and online registration Combination ticket: npht.at/combi

The underground attraction offers fascinating insights into alpine geology and the history of the national park. The Hochfeld Show Mine, a rarity in the Hohe Tauern, is made accessible to visitors through guided tours and explanations. For example, the tectonic structure of the Tauern Window and rock exposures can be clearly demonstrated and understood.

### Guided tours through the show mine

Mon Tue Wed Thu Fri

July 7<sup>th</sup> - Sept. 30<sup>th</sup>, 2025 11 am | 2 pm

National Park Info Hut "Knappenstube" - no access by car; two ways to reach the meeting point: On foot via the themed trail "Geolehrweg" or by e-liner ride from Neukirchen (on specific dates, see information on the right).

**Duration:** approx. 2 h Registration required: +43 (0) 720 710 730 or online registration.





moderate excursion

On foot via themed trail "Geolehrweg" Starting from the "Gasthof Schütthof" (Sulzau), you will pass interesting geological stations and reach the meeting point in about 1.5 hours.

1 Standard ticket Show mine tour

Adults: € 10.-Children (10–14 y): € 5,-



With electric drive

entrance of the show mine.

2 Combination ticket e-Liner ride plus Show mine tour Mon – afternoon Tue, Wed - morning

Pick-up stops: 10.15 am TVB Neukirchen 1.15 pm 10.25 am Einödbrücke 1.25 pm

Adults: € 15.-Children (10–14 y): € 10,-









# Environmentally friendly arrival by public transportation

Environmentally conscious people sometimes give their cars a break and happily switch to public transportation. We think that's great! That's why we've adjusted the starting times of the following ranger tours to coincide with bus arrival times.

As of May 2025, **overnight guests in the state of Salzburg** ave even more reason\* to use public transport to join our ranger tours and national park exhibitions. With the new Guest Mobility Ticket, they can travel for free, in an eco-friendly and relaxed way, to many natural attractions.

### Ranger-guided excursions:

"Krimml Waterfalls" – Page 30



Bus 670 from Zell am See

(H) "Krimml Ortsmitte", 🐏 4 min

"Hollersbach Stream Educational Trail" - Page 29



Bus 670 from Zell am See

(H) "Hollersbach Ortsmitte", 👥 15 min

**"Trip to the Arctic"** – Page 22

"Natural jewel Wiegenwald" - Page 31



Bus 672: Hikingbus Uttendorf – Stubachtal/Enzingerboden Timetable: npht.at/wanderbus



salzburg-verkehr.at/en oebb.at/en pinzgauerlokalbahn.at, vvt.at

"Adventure Hike Käfertal" – Page 32



Bus 650

(H) "Ferleiten Wildpark"

"Kitzsteinhorn Explorer Tour" – Page 14



(H) "Kaprun Maiskogelbahn (Sigmund-Thun-Straße)"

"Kings of the Skies" - Page 28



Bus 640

Bus 660

(H) "Bucheben Lechnerhäusl", 🐏 5 min

"Rauris Primeval Forest" – Page 20



Bus 640

(H) "Kolm-Saigurn – Parkplatz Lenzanger"

### Exhibition "Nationalparkwelten Mittersill" – Page 55



Pinzgau Local Railway from Zell am See

(H) "Mittersill Bahnhof", 🗣 10 min

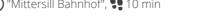
Bus 670 from Zell am See/Krimml



Bus 950X from Lienz/Kitzbühel

(H) "Mittersill Bahnhof", **1**0 min **Bus 4010** from Kitzbühel

(H) "Mittersill Bahnhof", 👥 10 min









### The perfect way to travel: comfortable and eco-friendly

Those who travel by train and use the Pinzgau Local Railway as their means of transport actively support the national park region. Train travelers produce less noise, fewer emissions, and help protect the climate. They contribute to keeping this attractive holiday destination beautiful and sustainable. After all, those who travel by car are already carrying several kilograms of COII in their backpack.

Since 1898, the narrow-gauge railway has wound its way through the Upper Pinzgau. Both modern and nostalgic trains run along the route between Zell am See and Krimml. Due to flood damage, the Pinzgau Local Railway is currently operating only between Zell am See and Mittersill. From there, a rail replacement service runs to Krimml until further notice.





### Rauris Primeval Forest

The forest in its original form

Our tour takes us past dark moor puddles, towering trees, and tall stone pines. Romantic clearings next to ancient spruce and larch forests make the landscape appear like a green jungle during the hike. The ranger will share the unique features of this natural gem in the Rauris Valley's head. After leaving the primeval forest, the hike continues past the "Naturfreundehaus Kolm Saigurn" and along the access road back to the starting point at the "Lenzanger" parking lot.





free participation



Tour details & registration:



npht.at/ primeval-forest

## Into the valley of emeralds

Bramberg Treasure Chamber

This tour along the Emerald Path leads us to the "Almgasthof Alpenrose". The ranger will share insights about the unique features of the U-shaped valley and the green, glittering treasure beneath the earth: the valuable emeralds. You'll also learn how gem hunting works and where it is allowed. Nature observations are also part of the experience – with a bit of luck, you may spot a golden eagle or marmots. If you're feeling tired after the tour, you can take the "Smaragdtaxi" back to the Habachtal parking lot.



free participation



easv excursion

Tour details & registration:



npht.at/ emeralds

From the Hopffeldboden parking lot, we take a taxi to the "Berndlalm". From there, the tour leads us past the Poschalm and the Munau – a speciesrich wet meadow – through idyllic mountain forests to the picturesque Seebachsee at 2.083 meters above sea level. Enjoy the peace and beauty of the alpine landscape while learning more about the local flora and fauna. The return route takes us down across alpine pastures to the forest road, where we hop back into the taxi for a comfortable ride to our starting point at the Hopffeldboden parking lot.

**Educational trail Seebachsee** 

Idyllic mountain forests and alpine meadows





free participation



excursion

Tour details &



Tue every Tuesday July 8<sup>th</sup> – Sept. 2<sup>nd</sup>, 2025

Meeting point: 08.00 am Hopffeldboden parking lot

Coordinates: 47.20671, 12.25167 **Duration:** approx. 6,5 h (4,5 h walking) **Distance:** approx. 9 km, ↑610 hm,

1,790 hm



npht.at/ lake-seebachsee

Mon every Monday July 7<sup>th</sup> – Sept. 1<sup>st</sup>, 2025

Meeting point: 09.00 am Lenzanger parking lot (information hut)

Coordinates: 47.08198, 12.98500 **Duration:** approx. 4 h (2,5 h walking)

**Distance:** approx. 5 km, ↑↓ 250 hm

July 7<sup>th</sup> - Sept. 1<sup>st</sup>, 2025

Mon every Monday

Meeting point: 09.00 am Habachtal parking lot (information hut)

Coordinates: 47.24823, 12.31816 **Duration:** approx. 4 h (2,5 h walking) **Distance:** approx. 6 km, ↑500 hm





### Trip to the Arctic

High alpine – and yet so close

The tour begins at 2.311 meters above sea level, right next to the "Berghotel Rudolfshütte". Together with the ranger, we hike uphill toward the "Weißsee" and continue on to the Eissee, where you can see the edges of the Sonnblick Glacier. Along the way, you'll learn fascinating facts about how animals and plants adapt to life in the high mountains. The return route takes us back to the Rudolfshütte, where there is the option to stop for refreshments and where the guided tour officially ends. For those seeking a challenge, it's also possible to hike down to "Enzingerboden" instead of taking the cable car.





free participation



excursion

Tour details &

Tue every Tuesday July 8<sup>th</sup> – Sept. 2<sup>nd</sup>, 2025 <sub>sic tra</sub>

Meeting point: 10.00 am Information hut Rudolfshütte

Mountain station "Weißsee Gletscherwelt" **Duration:** approx. 4 h (3 h walking) **Distance:** approx. 6 km, ↑↓ 350 hm

registration:

npht.at/ trip-to-arctic

## On the tracks of the pack carriers

From the Grossglockner High Alpine Road to the Rauris Tauernhaus

The group takes a bus together along Austria's highest panoramic road. At the "Mitteltörl", the hike begins, leading steadily downhill into the Seidlwinkltal valley. Passing through the Labböden and the Litzlhofalm, the group reaches the Rauris Tauernhaus in the early afternoon. A taxi takes us comfortably back to the starting point.

July 8<sup>th</sup> – Sept. 2<sup>nd</sup>, 2025

Tue every Tuesday

Possible bus boarding points:

08.20 am, stop "Wörth/Ortsmitte"

08.30 am, stop "Rauris/Ortsmitte"

**Duration:** approx. 7 h (3 h walking)

**Distance:** approx. 6 km, ↓ 800 hm

Additional costs: € 40,-/per person

for the bus ride on the Grossglockner

High Alpine Road plus € 5,–/per person

for the taxi transfer from the Rauris

Tauernhaus back to the boarding

stops



free participation



moderate excursion

Tour details & registration:



npht.at/ on-the-trail

### Hike to lake "Schödersee"

A special one among the mountain lakes

On this tour, we will hike along a forest road until we reach "Ötzlsee" after approximately 2 km. From there, a narrow path, running parallel to the Schöderbach stream, takes us deeper into the heart of the Hohe Tauern National Park. Upon reaching our destination - "Schödersee" - we will learn from the ranger about this unique mountain lake. As the only periodic lake in the national park, it is only filled with water during the snowmelt and after heavy rainfall. We will return via the same route.



Schödertal



free participation



excursion



Wed every Wednesday July 9<sup>th</sup> – Sept. 3<sup>rd</sup>, 2025

Meeting point: 09.00 Uhr Talschluss Hüttschlag parking lot (Information hut)

Coordinates: 47.14791, 13.28727

**Duration:** approx. 6 h (4,5 h walking) **Distance:** approx. 11 km, ↑↓ 400 hm lake-schoedersee



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The Grossglockner High Alpine Road, with its 48 kilometers and 36 hairpin bends, is considered one of the most beautiful panoramic roads in the world. On this excursion with a knowledgeable National Park Ranger, you'll enjoy breathtaking views while learning fascinating facts in a relaxed atmosphere.

Pre-/ Post-



every Tuesday Tue June 6<sup>th</sup> – June 24<sup>th</sup>, 2025 Sept. 2<sup>nd</sup> - Sept. 30<sup>th</sup>, 2025





every Tuesday and Tue Thu every Thursday July 1st – August 28th, 2025

### **4 POSSIBLE BOARDING STOPS:**

09.00 am | Zell am See (bus terminal, indoor pool parking lot)

09.20 am | Bruck (Kerzenwelt parking lot) 09.35 am | Fusch (bus stop "Fusch Ortsmitte")

09.40 am | Ferleiten toll station

Registration is mandatory by 3.00 pm the day before:

grossglockner.at/en/for-your-visit/glocknerbus incoming@pritours.at





This excursion takes you along hidden paths into the heart of the wilderness area of the Sulzbachtäler to the Untersulzbachkees glacier.

Starting from the meeting point, the group takes the National Park bus to "Abichlalm". where the tour begins. Initially, the path leads through a light larch forest along a marked trail to "Aschamalm". From there, we venture off-trail into the heart of the Sulzbachtäler wilderness area towards the Untersulzbachkees. The untouched nature of this area and the pioneer vegetation in the glacier forefields will leave a lasting impression. The return journey follows the same route, along the roaring Untersulzbach river, over large boulders, back to the starting point.



Wed every Wednesday July 9<sup>th</sup> – August 27<sup>th</sup>, 2025

Participation is only possible with prior registration by 3.00 pm the day before. Meeting point: 07.00 am, Sports Field Neukirchen/Großvenediger.

Koordinaten: 47.25158, 12.28245 **Duration:** approx. 9 h (6 h walking) **Distance:** approx. 12 km, ↑↓ 900 hm







### Kings of the Skies

Krumltal – Into the Valley of the Vultures

We start our observation tour at the Krumltal information hut and hike along the Krumlbach stream further into the Krumltal valley. The ranger will share interesting information about the large birds of prey. During brief stops, telescopes will be set up to scan the mountain ridges for the birds. With some luck, we may observe bearded vultures, griffon vultures, monk vultures, golden eagles, chamois, and ibexes. The return journey follows the same route back to the starting point.





free participation







Wed every Wednesday July 9<sup>th</sup> – Sept 24<sup>th</sup>, 2025

Meeting point: 08.45 am **Krumltal Parking lot** (Information hut)

Coordinates: 47.12739, 12.98159 **Duration:** approx. 4 h (3 h walking) **Distance:** approx. 10 km, ↑↓ 450 hm





npht.at/ kings-of-skies

### Schösswendklamm and Hintersee

Exploring the Felbertal Valley

At the valley floor near the "Schösswendklamm", powerful water masses have been carving their way through solid rock for thousands of years. This has created impressive erosion features, potholes, and small waterfalls. Following the gorge, the hike continues to the Hintersee, where you'll learn interesting facts about the flora and fauna of the upper "Felbertal". On the lake's northern shore, the circular trail leads to a small hill offering a panoramic view of the valley head, framed by dramatic rock walls where chamois can often be spotted. The return follows the same path.



Wed every Wednesday July 9<sup>th</sup> – Sept 3<sup>rd</sup>, 2025

Meeting point: 09.00 am, parking area "Schösswendklamm/Hintersee"

Coordinates: 47.22034, 12.48393 **Duration:** approx. 4 h (2,5 h walking) **Distance:** approx. 8 km, ↑↓ 250 hm



. Mittersill Felbertal



free participation



easy excursion

Tour details & registration:



npht.at/ lake-hintersee

## Hollersbach Stream Educational Trail

Mosses, ferns, and lichens

On this guided tour, we follow the rushing Hollersbach stream along the educational trail to the Senningeralm. The path leads us through a natural grey alder forest, where mosses, ferns, and the impressive butterbur with its large leaves thrive. With a bit of luck, we may spot white-throated dippers – the only diving songbirds – at work in, on, or around the mountain stream. Before reaching the alpine inn, we pass historic dry stone walls, and finally, the valley opens up into a vast alpine meadow landscape at the "Senningeralm".



Hollersbach Hollersbachtal



free participation



easv excursion

Tour details &



Thu every Thursday July 10<sup>th</sup> – Sept. 4<sup>th</sup>, 2025

Meeting point: 09.00 am, in front of "Gasthof Seestube"

Coordinates: 47.26616, 12.41354 **Duration:** approx. 5 h (3,5 h walking) **Distance:** approx. 12 km, ↑270 hm



npht.at/ hollersbach-en





### **Krimml Waterfalls**

The highest waterfalls in Austria

Starting from the Krimml Tourist Information (TVB Krimml), the hike takes us along the historic ascent on the left side of the waterfalls. As we climb, you'll enjoy breathtaking views and learn fascinating facts from the ranger about the historic trade route as well as the local flora and fauna. After overcoming all the cascades and a total drop of 385 meters, we reach the entrance to the Krimml Achental valley. This is where the guided tour ends - feel free to continue exploring the picturesque valley on your own.

Thu every Thursday

Meeting point: 9 am

July 10<sup>th</sup> – Sept. 4<sup>th</sup>, 2025

Krimml Tourist Information

Coordinates: 47.22207, 12.17545

**Duration:** approx. 5 h (3,5 h walking)

**Distance:** approx. 4,5 km, ↑450 hm





free participation



Tour details & registration:

excursion



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### Hike to the Source of the Mur River

To the source of a European river

Starting from the Muritzen parking lot, we begin our hike that takes us to the source of the Mur in the heart of the Murtal valley, at 1.898 meters above sea level. We follow the hiking trail upstream, passing moorland meadows. After reaching the Stickler Hut, we continue along the small stream that meanders through the U-shaped valley and eventually swells into the second-longest river in Austria. Once we reach the source, we take a welldeserved break before returning along the same route to the starting point.

Thu every Thursday

Parking spot "Muritzen"

Meeting point: 9 am

July 10<sup>th</sup> – Sept. 4<sup>th</sup>, 2025

Coordinates: 47.13321, 13.40251

**Duration:** approx. 6 h (4,5 h walking)

**Distance:** approx. 14 km, ↑↓ 360 hm





free participation



moderate excursion

Tour details & registration:



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From the valley station of the "Weißsee Gletscherwelt", the hike takes you through the primeval Wiegenwald forest up to the "Schwarze Lacke" lake. Along the way, visitors will learn about the plants, trees, and animals

native to the region. Moor puddles

along the path invite you to take a

rest. Beautiful views of the surroun-

breathtaking scenery line the way.

starting point at the valley station/

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The tour ends with the ranger at the

Natural jewel "Wiegenwald"

Rustic, beautiful, and highly sensitive



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free participation

Tour details &

moderate excursion



Fri every Friday July 11<sup>th</sup> – Sept. 5<sup>th</sup>, 2025

Meeting point: 9.30 am valley station "Weißsee Gletscherwelt"

Enzingerboden.

Coordinates: 47.16969, 12.62469 **Duration:** approx. 4 h (3 h walking)

**Distance:** approx. 5 km, ↑↓ 300 hm



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### Adventure hike Käfertal

Picturesque landscape with an impressive backdrop

On a well-maintained forest path, we hike into the picturesque Käfertal valley, located in a beautiful landscape. Below the "Großes Wiesbachhorn" mountain and its impressive glacier world, around 300 species of beetles and nearly 200 species of large butterflies live. On this experience trail, nature enthusiasts of all ages can discover the inhabitants of alpine meadows and pastures. The tour concludes with a Kneipp facility and a water playground for the little ones. The return journey is along the same route



Meeting point: 09.15 am
Ferleiten, Tauernhaus parkin lot

Coordinates: 47.16939, 12.81139 **Duration:** approx. 3,5 h (2,5 h walking)

**Distance:** approx. 8 km, ↑ 130 hm





free participation







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### Wild Leitenkammer Trail

Roaring gorge & impressive pine forests

We take the National Park bus from our meeting point to "Finkau". From there, the hike begins along a well-maintained path to the Leitenkammerklamm gorge. Viewing platforms offer impressive views into the world of the gorge. From the "Trisslalm" (1.584 m), a trail leads us through ancient stone pine forests above the tree line to the "Wildkar Hochalm". We return to the starting point via the scenic "Leitenkammersteig".

Fri every Friday

"Duxer 6er Bubble"

↓ 270 hm

Meeting point: 09.00 am

July 11<sup>th</sup> – Sept. 5<sup>th</sup>, 2025

Coordinates: 47.23627, 12.13914

**Duration:** approx. 6 h (4 h walking)

**Distance:** approx. 9 km, ↑550 hm,

Hochkrimml, valley station car park





free participation



moderate excursion

Tour details & registration:



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### Hike to Lake "Reedsee"

Idyllic mountain lake surrounded by a mountain forest

The tour starts at the "Grüner Baum" car park. The well-maintained trail leads gently uphill into the Kötschach Valley. After around three kilometres, the hike branches off onto a path toward lake "Reedsee". After about three hours, the highlight of the tour is reached – "Reedsee". This mountain lake lies idyllically nestled in the alpine forest, surrounded by impressive peaks. After a well-deserved rest at this beautiful cirque lake, the return follows the same route.





free participation







**Duration:** approx. 7 h (5 h walking) **Distance:** approx. 11 km, ↑800 hm



Tour details &

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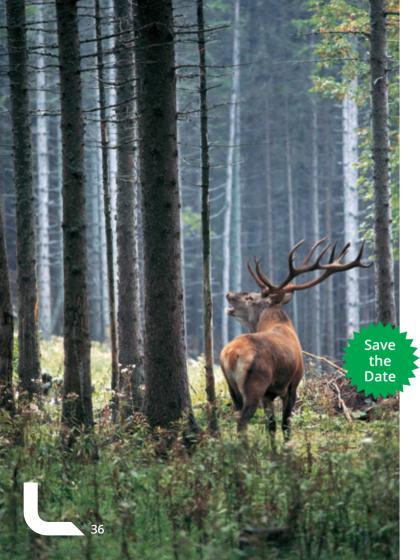
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### **Guided Themed Excursion:** "On the Trail of the Red Deer Rut"

The roaring of the red deer is one of the most extraordinary events during the autumn months. On this themed hike, the National Park Ranger will share fascinating information about the rutting behavior and lifestyle of these magnificent forest dwellers, as well as their natural habitat in the Rauriser Forest.

Special Feature: Wildlife Observation



Rauris Hüttwinkltal



excursion

Meeting point: In front of the National Park Exhibition "Im Facettenreich"

Autumn tour Thu Sept. 25<sup>th</sup>, 2025, 6.00 pm

October 2<sup>nd</sup>, 5.30 pm

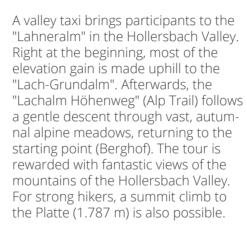
Dorfstraße 27, 5661 Rauris **Duration:** approx. 2 h Route: by carpool, short distances on foot

**Costs:** € 22,–/per person Children up to 16 years free Tour details & registration:



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## **National Day Tour:** "Lachalm-Höhenweg"





Ranger-guided tour Sun on the National Day October 26th, 2025

Meeting point: 09.00 am "Gasthof Berghof", Hollersbach

**Duration:** 4.5 h

**Distance:** 9 km, ↑ 780 hm, ↓ 710 hm Free participation, limited spots available. - First come, first served.



Registration deadline: Oct. 24th, 2025 09.00 am



Hollersbach Hollersbachtal

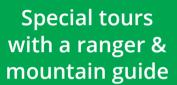


moderate excursion

Tour details & registration:

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A long but beautiful traverse from the Heinrich-Schwaiger-Haus in the Kaprun Valley, crossing six 3.000-meter peaks and several glaciers, all the way to the Kaiser-Franz-Josefs-Höhe at the foot of the Pasterze.

**Day 1:** Joint mountain ride to "Mooserboden" and ascent to the "Schwaigerhaus" at 2.802 m.

Day 2: After an early start from the Schwaigerhaus, the following 3.000-meter peaks will be crossed: Unterer & Oberer Fochezkopf, Hinterer & Vorderer Bratschenkopf, Klockerin, and Großer Bärenkopf. After descending from the southern Bockkarkees, a taxi will take the group from Kaiser-Franz-Josefs-Höhe back to the meeting point.



Sat Friday and Saturday July 11<sup>th</sup> – July 12<sup>th</sup>, 2025

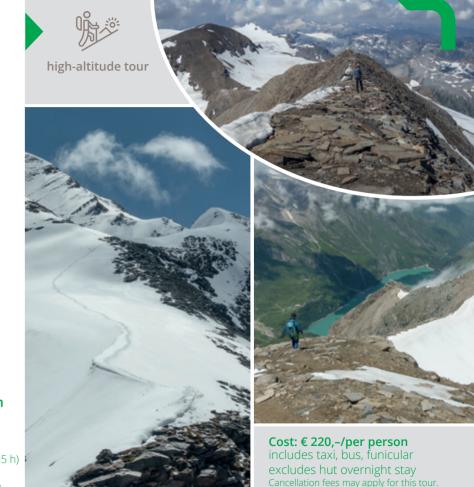
Meeting point: 09.30 am P&R Station Fürth Return: 7:00 pm at P&R Station Fürth

**Duration Day 1:** 2,5 h of hiking

**Duration Day 2:** 8 h of hiking (+ transfer time 10,5 h)

**Distance Day 1:** ↑ 795 hm, 4 km

**Distance Day 2:** ↑ 1.060 hm, ↓ 1.495 hm, 14 km







### Untersulzbachkees - Glacial landform treasures in the wilderness area

After taking the national park bus to Abichlalm, a marked trail leads to Aschamalm. From here, some pathless terrain must be crossed. Heading inward from the "Saukopf", the vegetation in the glacier forefields is particularly fascinating. After the long ascent, a harness and crampons are put on at the edge of the Untersulzbachkees. One of the last beautifully preserved glacier tongues in the Eastern Alps, with ice tables, moulin holes, ogives, and cryoconite holes, can be admired up close during the traverse of the ice. The descent follows the same route.



Jul 18 Aug 2

Registration

deadline:

Tour 1: Jul 16

Tour 2: Jul 30

high-altitude

tour

Tour details &

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## Kratzenberg Saddle – from Innergschlöß to Hollersbach

From the meeting point in Mittersill, a taxi takes the group to Innergschlöß. The hike initially follows a wide alpine path deeper into the valley. Along the banks of the Viltragenbach stream, the trail and the valley become narrower. After climbing some pathless elevation, the last remnants of the glacier must be crossed to reach the Kratzenberg Saddle. If conditions allow, the ascent continues along the south ridge to the summit. The return route leads—with harness and crampons—across the remains of the Kratzenberg Glacier, past Kratzenberg Lake and the Fürther Hut, and down to the base station of the material cableway. A taxi then returns the group to Mittersill. Tour details &

Meeting point: 06.00 am, parking lot of "Nationalparkzentrum Mittersill" **Duration:** approx. 10 h (8 h hiking) **Distance:** approx. 14,5 km, ↑ 1.350 hm, ↓ 1 420 hm



Registration deadline: Iul 11



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registration:

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Bettler Saddle - from the "Berndl-

alm" into the Untersulzbach Valley

Registration deadline: Tour 1: Jul 21 Tour 2: Aug 18



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hike

Meeting point: 07.30 am, Hopffeldboden parking lot (Information Hut) Coordinates: 47.20671, 12.25167 **Duration:** approx. 6 h (4,5 h hiking) **Distance:** ↑ 3 km/560 hm,

the pass. After the final, very steep

ascent, there's an opportunity to rest

at the scenic Bettlerscharte (2.002 m).

The descent to the Finkalm requires

very sure footing. In the steep fores-

ted section, parts of the trail are secu-

red with ropes. The remaining path to

the historic show mine is much easier

to hike. From there, the group returns

together to the starting point.

↓ 6 km, 1.020 hm

**Cost:** € 40,–/per person



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# Meeting point: 05.30 am **Neukirchen Sports Field**

Coordinates: 47.25154, 12.28288 **Duration:** approx. 10 h (8,5 h hiking) **Distance:** approx. 115 km, ↑↓ 1.100 hm

**Cost:** € 25,–/per person

**Cost:** € 80,–/per person





# Via the Grießkogel to the Hocheiser

The mountaineering bus takes the group up to Mooserboden early in the morning. The hike begins with a marked trail that gains some elevation toward the Kleiner Grießkogel. From there, the terrain becomes more challenging. The route to the Großer Grießkogel includes a boulder field and a short climbing section. The final ascent to the Hocheiser (3.206 m) involves crossing the Upper Hocheiser Glacier with crampons. A long, unmarked but scenic and solitary descent follows. From Enzigerboden, a taxi takes the group back to the Kesselfall parking garage.

Meeting point: 06.30 am, in front

**Duration:** approx. 10,5 h (9 h hiking)

of the "Alpenhaus Kesselfall"

**Distance:** ↑ 5 km/1.248 hm,

**Cost:** € 85,–/per person

↓ 10 km, 1.815 hm

Coordinates: 47.21731, 12.72581





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Registration deadline: Tour 1: Jul 21 Tour 2: Aug 18



high-altitude tour

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Habachtal parking lot
Coordinates: 47.24819, 12.31797

Duration: approx. 10 h (8 h hiking)
Distance: ↑ 8 km, 1.600 hm

Meeting point: 06.45 am

↓ 6,5 km, 1.400 hm

**Cost:** € 50,–/per person

# Larmkogel – crossing the 3.000-meter peak from the Habach Valley into the Hollersbach Valley

After a ride with the valley taxi, the tour begins leisurely along the stream behind the Moaralm. The narrow and exposed "Noitroi" trail then winds through the steep slopes of the upper Habach Valley to the Thüringer Hütte. From there, the path becomes increasingly steep, leading up to the Larmkogel Saddle. The final meters to the summit cross (3,017 m) are partly unmarked and secured with ropes. The descent passes Kratzenberg Lake and the Fürther Hut down to the base station of the material cableway. A taxi then takes the group back to the Habach Valley parking area.

# Tour details & registration:

Aug 1

Registration

deadline:

Iul 25

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# Rainbach Saddle – from the Wildgerlos Valley into the Krimmler Achen Valley

From the Trattenköpfl parking lot, a taxi takes the group to Finkau. From there, the hike begins along the roaring Leitenkammerklamm river into the valley. From the material cableway (base station) up to the Zittauer Hut, the path becomes a bit steeper. The trail then leads past the picturesque Upper Wildgerlossee to the Rainbachscharte. The descent from the saddle is steep and partly secured with ropes. Continuing past Rainbachsee, the descent continues through the Rainbach Valley to the Krimmler Tauernhaus. The valley taxi then takes the group back through the long Krimmler Achental to the starting point.



Registration deadline:
Aug 1



alpine hike

Tour details &

Meeting point: 06.00 am
"Trattenköpfl" parking lot, Krimml
Coordinates: 47.21245, 12.16522
Duration: approx. 9 h (7,5 h hiking)

**Distance:** 15 km, ↑ 1.313 hm,

↓ 1.110 hm

**Cost:** € 70,–/per person



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# Brandl Saddle - Crossing from Kaprun to Fusch

From the meeting point, the trail immediately enters a light mixed forest. After crossing the tree line, the path becomes more exposed, winding through very steep grassy slopes in a few turns until reaching the Brandlscharte (2.371 m). With views of the Fuschertal valley and the north face of the Hohe Tenn, a short, steep section must be crossed to descend to the Gleiwitzer Hut (2,176 m). Little is left to see of the Hirzbach Glacier at this point. The path becomes easier and wider after passing the Hirzbachalm.

Meeting point: 06.30 am

Kaprun Kesselfallstraße

Panoramabahn parking lot,

**Distance:** ↑ 6,5 km/1.450 hm,

↓ 10 km, 1.550 hm

**Cost:** € 40,–/per person

Coordinates: 47.22949, 12.72857

**Duration:** approx. 10 h (8,5 h hiking)



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Registration deadline: Aug 12



hike

Tour details &

### Meeting point: 06.30 am, Bad Fusch, Kneipp Facility Bad Fusch

Coordinates: 47.20014, 12.85532 **Duration:** 9,5 h (7,5 h hiking) **Distance:** 13,5 km, ↑ 1.325 hm

↓ 1.500 hm

**Cost:** € 65,–/per person

# Breitebenkopf – Crossing from Bad Fusch to Seidlwinkltal

From the Kneipp facility in Bad Fusch, the marked trail leads through partly forested terrain to Kasereck (1.589 m). From there, we hike along a partly exposed ridge, crossing the tree line to reach Kreuzköpfl (2.094 m). The traverse continues along a trail on the exposed, grassy ridge, passing several peaks (Kühkarlkopf, Freudenendkopf, Breitebenkopf). The descent takes us down to Weichselbachhöhe and into the Rauriser Seidlwinkltal. From there, a taxi brings us back to the starting point.



Registration deadline:
Aug 8



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Tour details &

registration:

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# Grünkar Saddle – from Ferleiten to Bad Fusch

From the meeting point, we take a taxi to Ferleiten, where we begin our tour. The marked trail to Durcheckalm passes through a steep forest of spruce and larch trees. Above the tree line, the expansive alpine meadows offer a beautiful view of the highest peaks in the Fuschertal valley. From the alpine meadows of the Höllbachgraben to the Grünkarscharte, a short, very steep grassy slope must be crossed. At the pass, depending on fitness and weather conditions, there is an option to summit Schwarzkopf or directly descend towards Bad Fusch.



Registration deadline:
Aug 28



alpine hike

### Meeting point: 06.30 am, Bad Fusch, Kneipp Facility Bad Fusch

Coordinates: 47.20014, 12.85532 **Duration:** approx. 9 h (8 h hiking)

**Distance:** 14 km, ↑ 1.290 hm, ↓ 1.260 hm, (Option Gipfel: + 300 hm)

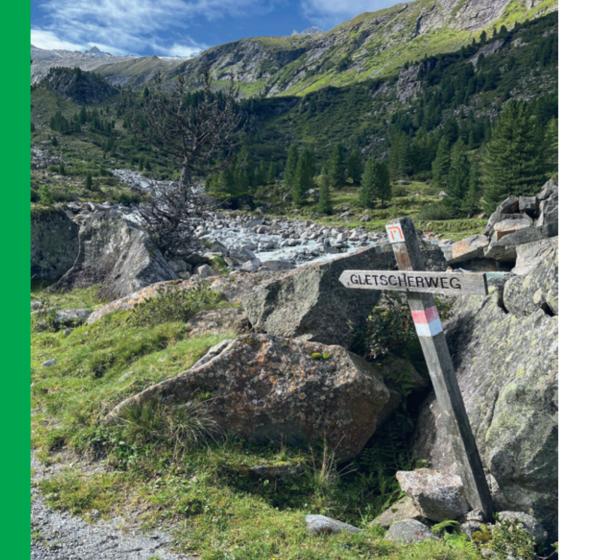
**Cost:** € 40,–/per person



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# Themed trails in the Hohe Tauern **National Park**

Embark on an independent exploration of the Salzburg National Park valleys and discover fascinating information on various topics.





## **Peace Trail** "Alpine Peace Crossing"

The peace plagues Concern, Hope, Confidence, Longing, Relief and Peace along the historic escape route of the lewish Exodus of 1947 serve as a reminder of those events in four languages - German, English, Italian, and Hebrew. Trail length: approximately 35 km, sturdy footwear/mountain boots required.







approx. 10 h (Krimml to Kasern)







### **Themed Trail** "Seebach"

In 2015, the circular trail to Seebachsee, starting from the Hopffeldboden parking lot, was equipped with informative signage. For the "Seebachrunde", the ascent via Seebachalm is recommended. The descent follows the "Munau" to the Berndlalm, continuing to the Kampriesen-Alm. Finally, the trail leads back to the Hopffeldboden parking lot.



Obersulzbach June to Valley October



approx. 5,5 h



### **Energy Educational** Trail "Postalm"

This thematic trail addresses a current and prominent topic: climate protection. Several stations explain important aspects, and the energysaving concept of the shelter itself demonstrates how active climate protection can be integrated into daily life.





Obersulzbach June to Valley October



approx. 1 h





## **Glacier Educational Trail Obersulzbach Valley**

The goal of this thematic trail is to illustrate how the length, area, and volume of the glacier have changed since 1850. The trail starts at the Obersulzbach Hut and takes interested hikers past several information boards, leading to the glacier lake of the former Turkish tent village. Surefootedness, weatherproof clothing, and sturdy footwear are required.





### Geological **Educational Trail**

From the "Gasthof Schütthof" (Sulzau/ Neukirchen), the hike follows the impressive natural monument, the Untersulzbach Waterfall, to the historic National Park Mining Museum Hochfeld. Several information boards provide detailed descriptions of the geology of the Hohe Tauern as well as the development of mining in the Untersulzbach Valley. Sturdy footwear required.















### **Emerald Trail** Habachtal

This thematic trail offers eleven stations along the dusty stream, allowing visitors to explore local minerals, the legend of the Fazenwand, and the search for the green fire. Along the way, the geology of the Hohe Tauern and the Habachtal is vividly explained, with a focus on the important rocks of the valley. Sturdy footwear recommended.







### **Stream Educational** Trail Hollersbach

Following the course of the rushing Hollersbach stream, the trail leads inward through a gray alder forest. The educational trail focuses on life around and in the mountain stream. In the idyllic landscape at the valley floor, visitors can learn interesting facts about the local flora and fauna. The trail starts at the entrance to the Hollersbachtal and ends at the Wirtsalm. Sturdy footwear recommended.









### **Glacier Themed Trail** Stubachtal

The family-friendly high-altitude thematic trail, equipped with information boards, leads over the forefield of the Sonnblick Glacier to the terminal moraines of the glacier. In this high mountain landscape, visitors can observe the influence of the once mighty glaciers on nature and the surrounding environment. The starting point is the Berghotel Rudolfshütte. Sturdy footwear/mountain boots required.



approx. 3 h (roundtrip)







## Nature Experience Trail Käfertal

The starting point is the Tauernhaus parking lot at the Ferleiten toll station. From there, a service road leads inward through the valley to the Trauneralm at 1.522 meters above sea level. Information boards along the way highlight the unique features of the Fuschertal and the rich biodiversity of Käfertal. The trail is accessible for strollers, and there are exciting, interactive stations for children along the way.













### **Themed Trail** "Rauris Primeval Forest"

In 2014, this educational trail was awarded the title of "Best Thematic Trail in Austria". Starting from the Lenzanger parking lot, it winds through numerous peat bogs, acid grasses, and sedge plants. Several information boards and a small forest museum provide insights into the geological formation of this area, as well as the diverse fauna and flora. Insect protection is recommended.







### **Themed Trail** "Kings of the Skies"

The easy and family-friendly hike starts at the Krumltal parking lot and leads through a natural spruce forest into the valley. Along the way, informational boards provide interesting facts about bearded vultures, griffon vultures, and golden eagles. Due to the very steep slopes of the valley, remnants of avalanche cones are often visible until summer.











### **Themed Trail** "In the Realm of Facets"

On this new thematic trail – which complements the exhibition "In the Realm of Facets" in Wörth/Rauris with information stations in the Seidlwinkltal – hikers are encouraged at informative stations to consciously observe their surroundings according to different criteria and search for traces along the way that hide fascinating information.













### **Themed Trail** "Nassfeld"

The Nassfeld thematic trail is located at the end of the Gastein Valley, Nassfeld, and starts directly at the information hut of the Hohe Tauern National Park. Visitors receive information on topics such as geology, the water as a vital resource, wildlife, and alpine flora, which are characteristic of the Gasteiner Nassfeld. A spectacular view of the entire Nassfeld is guaranteed!







# **Themed Trail** "On the Alpine Pasture"

The Hohe Tauern National Park has not only protected the untouched natural landscape but also the cultural landscape created by humans over centuries. Starting from the Talwirt (1.040 m), a hiking trail leads to the Modereggalm (1.720 m). Along the thematic trail, visitors will learn interesting facts about the cultural landscape of the national park.









## Themed Trail "Back to the (M)URSPRUNG"

The thematic trail has been complementing the exhibition "(M)UR-SPRUNG - Nature in Flow" in the municipality of Muhr in Lungau since the summer of 2021. The informative educational path starts at the Muritzen parking lot, takes visitors through the impressive landscape of the Murtal, and ends at the majestic Mur spring, which is known as a true power spot and invites visitors to recharge.







4 h (from the Muritzen parking lot)





# Indoor experiences to admire and understand

Our interactive exhibitions provide insight into the unique wildlife and plant life of the Hohe Tauern National Park, regardless of the weather.



### National Park Worlds Mittersill

The National Park Worlds spark the desire to discover the fascinating nature of the Hohe Tauern for oneself. They also allow visitors to travel with all their senses to places, eras, and areas that are otherwise inaccessible to humans. In the "Glacier World", a 6,000-year-old pine disc points to the condition of the Pasterze Glacier during the Neolithic period. A replica of a sea dinosaur in the "Peaks from the Sea Floor" world demonstrates that, 150 million years ago, a tropical sea covered the Hohe Tauern region. The "Water Kingdom" highlights the region's water abundance, with 500 mountain lakes, 800 moors, and streams. A large-scale installation shows visitors the journey of a water droplet.

9 am to 5 pm







### Entry:

Adults € 15,-Children/Youth € 7,50

6 – 14 years

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Explore the complementary Themed trail "In the Realm of Facets" in the Seidlwinkltal (Information on page 52)







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Further information at: npht.at/facettenreich-en



### "In the Realm of Facets" in Rauris/Wörth

The Rauris Valley is often referred to as the hidden gem of the Hohe Tauern National Park, as it particularly showcases the diverse nature of the Alpine region - a characteristic that inspired the name of the new exhibition.

The animal, plant, and human worlds are explored in their long-evolved habitats and in the interplay between them, highlighting the unique features of the Rauris Vallev.

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Entry:

Adults

€ 6.-

Children/Youth

€ 3.-

6 – 14 years

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# "Emeralds & Crystals" at the Bramberg Museum

Visitors can marvel at a true treasure chamber of the Hohe Tauern, as this National Park exhibition located in the basement of the Bramberg Museum - showcases stunning crystal treasures renowned for their rarity and uniqueness. The province of Salzburg is characterized by an especially rich variety of minerals, owing to its complex geological structure. Emeralds, rock crystals, fluorites, titanites, adularias, epidotes - a wide range of minerals can be found in a relatively small area. The mineral treasures on display are sure to leave visitors in awe. We also recommend visiting the cultural exhibition "People and Culture," which offers insight into traditional crafts, customs, art, and life in earlier times.



May und October every Tue. Thu and Sun 10 am to 6 pm

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# Entry:

Adults € 10,-Children/Youth € 5,-6 – 15 years

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"Treasures of the Tauern – The Alpine Human as Collector'



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Further information and opening hours outside the peak season: npht.at/himmelerde-en



## "On the Alpine Pasture – Between Heaven & Earth" in Hüttschlag

"Why do alpine pastures exist, and what do people actually do up there?" – these and similar questions are answered in this exhibition.

This National Park exhibition explores the interaction between untouched nature and the ancient cultural landscape of the alpine pastures, shaped by human activity. Ecological relationships, mutual influences, as well as benefits and challenges are presented here in an engaging and educational way.

The interactive exhibition also includes the existing National Park exhibition "Secrets of the Mountain Forest". which is located in the same building as the Talwirt and has been thematically and spatially integrated.



Opening hours 2025: May 2<sup>nd</sup> – October 31<sup>st</sup> 10 am to 5 pm

See 30, 5612 Hüttschlag

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# Entry:

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# **National Park** Gallery

The 360-meter-long mystical information tunnel at Kitzsteinhorn reveals all kinds of fascinating details about the Hohe Tauern, their formation. and their natural treasures. Information panels and animations provide a vivid insight into the wonders of the Hohe Tauern National Park and convey interesting facts about high-alti-



Opening hours analogous to the mountain railway times

TOP OF SAL 7BURG, 3029 m kitzsteinhorn.at/en

tude natural phenomena.



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# **Nationalpark Gallery Tour**

On this mystical journey into the heart of the Kitzsteinhorn, with every step, the heartbeat of the glacier can be felt. At six information stations, the National Park Ranger offers exciting insights into the nature, history, and geology of the Hohe Tauern.



May 2<sup>nd</sup> – June 27<sup>th</sup>, 2025 dly. 10.30 am and 1 pm

June 28th - Sept. 14th, 2025,1 pm Meeting point: Panorama Platform TOP OF SALZBURG, 3.029 m



Cable car ascent and descent not included No registration required.



## The Taste of Nature



Here, the elderberry plant that thrives in the Hohe Tauern National Park is showcased in all its uniqueness. The "Hollerhexei" guides visitors through the exhibition, sharing not only the information displayed on panels but also charming stories. Outside, a herb garden features a wide variety of plants, each carefully cultivated and explained in detail.



Mon Opening hours 2025 free May 1<sup>st</sup> – Oct. 31<sup>th</sup> 08 am - 5 pm (Fri.: 12 am)



Klausnerhaus Hollersbach Hollersbach 13, 5731 Hollersbach



## **Ecological** Footprint



The outdoor visitor facility features a labyrinth in the shape of a footprint, guiding visitors to knowledge stations on the topics of Mobility, Nutrition, Housing, and Consumption. With a correct answer, visitors proceed to the next station. With an incorrect answer, they end up in a dead-end







### **National Park** Panorama



The National Park Panorama Resterhöhe offers a truly exceptional viewing platform. Through a glass extension at the mountain station, visitors can marvel at a vast expanse of the impressive mountain peaks and the pristine high-alpine landscape of the Hohe Tauern National Park.



Opening hours according to the mountain railway operating times

Mountain station "Resterhöhe"

panoramabahn.at/en



Opening hours: Analog der Bergbahnzeiten Mountain station "Weißsee"

free cable car ascent and gletscherwelt-weissee.at descent



# **Glacier Climate** Weather



The exhibition, located next to glaciers, rocks, and mountain lakes – in a classic high-alpine setting – is not only special because of its location but also due to its themes. Climate change and the resulting impacts on glacier retreat and weather patterns in the region are key topics of this exhibition.

Zeller Fusch 85, 5672 Fusch npht.at/np-pur



**National Park** "PURE" Fusch/Glocknerstr.

True to the exhibition's name, the pure energy of the fauna and flora is showcased. A fast journey through the climate zones from the valley to Fuscher Törl, as well as the sophisticated adaptation strategies of nature in the high mountains, are key themes of the exhibition in the National Park community of Fusch an der Glocknerstraße.



Opening hours: 8 am - 10 pm





Life Underwater

Fusch/Glocknerstr.

This exhibition focuses on the fascinating underwater world of the National Park. It provides insight into the phenomena of life beneath the surface, the intriguing micro-world of the streambed, the extraordinary adaptation strategies of animals to life in mountain waters, and much more.



**Opening hours** in accordance with the opening hours of Wildpark Wildpark Ferleiten

wildpark-ferleiten.at/home-en



# "(M)URSPRUNG -Nature in the Flow"

The Mur River powerfully springs from the eastern Tauern Mountains, forming the second-longest river in Austria as it flows downstream. It shapes the nature, people, and landscape of the region. The exhibition in Muhr showcases natural and cultural processes, habitats, as well as the fascinating natural landscapes of the National Park and the Biosphere Reserve Lungau.



Opening hours 2025: May 1<sup>st</sup> – Oct. 31<sup>th</sup> 10 am - 6 pm

Vordermuhr 5, 5583 Muhr npht.at/mursprung-en







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