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WELCOME TO THE AMMERGAU ALPS NATURE PARK

The Ammergau Alps are Bavaria's largest nature



Situated between Zugspitze Mountain and Neuschwanstein Castle in the heart of the Bavarian Alps, visitors find here a pure mountain landscape with cultural treasures.



Ettal with its world-renowned Benedictine Monastery, the over 400 years old brewery and distillery, is one of the major attractions. No more than 7.5 miles from Ettal, you can visit the fantastic gardens of Linderhof Palace, one of King Ludwig II dreamlike and unique castles. It is even said that this was the fairy-tale king's favourite castle and it is the only one in which he still lived. Every year his birthday on August 25th will be celebrated with special guided tours and bonfires around Oberammergau on the eve before.

Apropos Oberammergau: the Passion Play town is not just popular for its beautiful "Lüftl" fresco paintings and

its worldrenowned wood carvers. Today the Passion Play Theatre stages topclass plays and operas every summer. Since 1928, the so called "Pest Spiel" illustrates how the Black Death came to Oberammergau. The play tells the story of the day labourer Kaspar Schisler, who in 1632 amidst the tur-moil of the Thirty Years' War worked as a servant for a farmer in Eschenlohe. The daily labourer missed his wife and children dearly and sneaked into the village during a church festival. Come Monday, he was dead and the month of October saw 84 other inhabitants perish. In this desolate situation, the people of Oberammergau made a vow to perform the story of the suffering and death of Jesus Christ every ten years so that God might end their suffering. It is told that since that day, not one inhabitant died from the plague anymore. In the year 1634 the people of Oberammergau then held the first-ever Passion Play. The drama will be staged in the Passion Play Theatre.

For those who are looking for less culture and more silence, the surrounding towns have lots to offer: Unterammergau as a village marked by the fates of the whetstone makers, Saulgrub with its nature beauties such as the Ammer Gap or Bad Bayersoien and Bad Kohlgrub,



the two spa resorts at the northern edge of the Ammergau Alps.

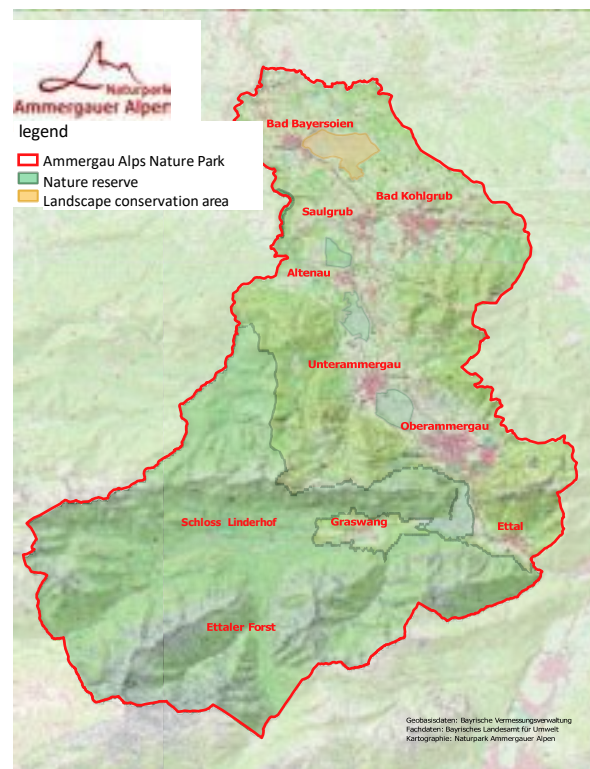
Nature's healing for your body, mind and soul – that is what these towns stand for.



Our Nature Park

The open air class room “Ammergau Alps Nature Park“ comprises 227 km². The syllabus is 365 days in the year of “wood, meadow, river, mountains & moor”. From A as in Ammer Gap to Z as in Zeitberg at the foot of Mount Hörnle. The Nature Park, where you can experience cultural and natural treasures, is situated 90 kilometres south of Munich and has already for decades focussed on sustainability and environmental education. In summer 2017 it finally happened: the Ammergau Alps were declared the youngest nature park of Bavaria.

We offer various free ranger tours through the nature park, which you can find on our homepage: <https://www.ammergauer-alpen.de/shop/erlebnisse>



The Nature-Park-team is committed to carrying out the following tasks:

1. Recreation and sustainable tourism:

Creating environmentally friendly recreation facilities in the wild and the countryside and supporting sustainable touristic development typical for the region.

2. Nature conservation and landscape maintenance:

Protecting and maintaining biological diversity, climate and resources as well as developing the natural and cultural landscapes.

3. Environmental education:

Making it possible to experience the Nature Park and its region as well as instilling a mindset for sustainable development.

4. Regional development:

Promoting sustainable land use, value creation and regional development and strengthening regional identity, attachment to local roots and quality of life.

P.S.: Should you during one of your exploratory tours through the Nature Park find for example a tree block- ing a hiking trail or have general questions, praises or critiques, you are welcome to contact the ranger.

(tel. +49 8822 9227467, info@naturpark-ammergauer-alpen.de)

Thank you for your cooperation!

Places in the Nature Park

The Ammergau Alps Nature Park comprises six Nature Park communities.

Bad Bayersoien

The health and spa resort Bad Bayersoien is situated at the entrance to the Ammergau Alps Nature Park in the southern Pfaffenwinkel region. Romantic, colourful and full of the love of life, that is how



Bad Bayersoien presents itself to visitors as one of the recently classified moor spa centres in Bavaria. Beautiful countryside embedded in flower meadows and moors close to the lake Soier See, the village is a popular holiday destination for all: spa, wellness, active and fitness tourists.

Bad Kohlgrub

Bad Kohlgrub includes 13 small hamlets and three upper regions with their impressive farmhouses. There are views from Bad Kohlgrub which could not be more beautiful: a glance in one direction shows the Alps in their full presence and in the other direction the rolling green mountain foothills with lakes and walking trails. Right in the village, the alpine peat “Bergkiefernhochnoor” is collected, a valuable natural healing substance which is applied, untreated, in the local moor spa centres.



Ettal/Graswang/Linderhof

Approaching Ettal from the south, the small commune is accessible by a winding mountain road. The town itself has few residents and all eyes are automatically drawn to the imposing monastery building, even traveller on a journey through. It is the entrance to a number of cultural treasures and the extraordinary landscape beauty which can be discovered in the three town districts of Ettal, Graswang and Linderhof. It is possible to take part in various guided tours (such as the monastery or brewery). You can find tour times here: <https://www.kloster-ettal.de/oeffentliche-fuehrungen/>



Saulgrub/Altenau/Wurmansau

The commune of Saulgrub with its two village districts Altenau and Wurmansau is embedded in the protected nature reserve of the Ammergau Alps. As a gateway to the Alps, even long ago since Roman times, Saulgrub is located on an ancient Roman trading route. Today, in these friendly villages, the typical Bavarian vitality and rural cordiality, for which the locals are famous, can be still experienced. Due to the geographical situation, guests have the choice between hilly or smooth tours by foot, bike or cross-country ski.



Oberammergau

A traditional wood carving village, bursting with art and culture enhanced by people with passion, that's Oberammergau. Besides the ancient tradition of wood carving that is also taught in the Oberammergau wood carving school and the world famous Passion Play, the town is additionally popular for its „Lüftmalereien“. Framed by the two landmark mountains Kofel and Laber, Oberammergau offers great hiking tours and also a cable car and a chairlift for a dreamlike bird's eye view of the valley.



Unterammergau

Artistically frescopainted farmhouses set the local scene of Unterammergau and contribute to the atmosphere of the village. Thanks to many apartments and countless activities in nature,

the village is particularly suitable for family vacations. For centuries, Unterammergau has been characterized by the handicraft of whetstone making. Guests and little scientists can discover the whetstonemaker history and also search for some whetstones.



Tours, guided tours,
leisure activities:
Search travel period
Find offers
Register and join in

Ammergauer Alpen
Erlebnisshop

Erlebnisshop



Tourist Information Centres in the Nature Park

Tel: +49 8822 922740

E-Mailadress: info@ammergauer-alpen.de

Monday-Friday: 09:00-17:00 Uhr; May-September additionally Saturday: 09:00-12:00 Uhr



Tourist-Information Centre Altenau

Obere Dorfstr. 25

82442 Altenau



Tourist-Information Centre Bad Bayersoien

Dorfstr. 45

82435 Bad Bayersoien



Tourist Information Centre Bad Kohlgrub

St.-Martin-Straße 2

82433 Bad Kohlgrub



Tourist Information Centre Ettal

Ammergauer Str. 9

82488 Ettal



Tourist Information Centre Oberammergau

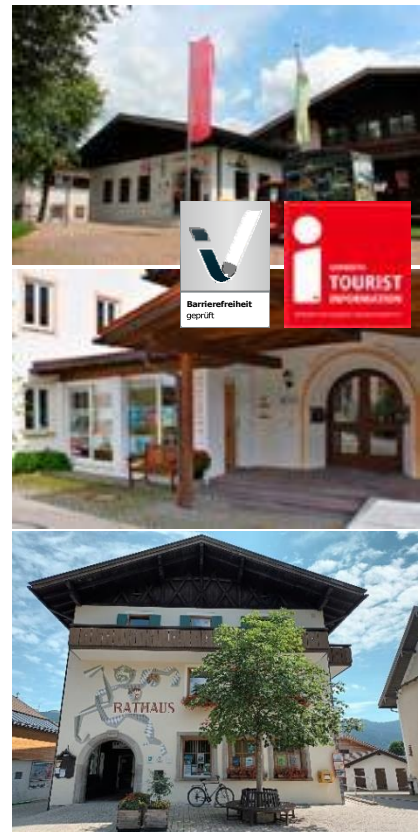
Eugen-Papst-Str. 9
82487 Oberammergau

Tourist Information Centre Saulgrub

Kohlgruber Str. 2
82442 Saulgrub

Tourist Information Centre Unterammergau

Dorfstr. 23
82497 Unterammergau



MY FAMILY TIME

Further tips at:

www.ammergau-alpen.de/en/Hiking-in-Bavaria/Family-walks

Family hikes



Suitable for pushchairs



unsuitable for pushchairs

Wiesmahdweg Oberammergau/Bad Kohlgrub

Distance: 13.1 km Duration: approx. 4 hrs

Start: car park Wellenberg (Oberammergau)

Finish: Bad Kohlgrub

The Wiesmahd trail leads above Oberammergau to Kohlgrub. Return by bus. Pushchairs only to Unterammergau.



Kolbensattel Oberammergau

Distance: 5.2 km Duration: approx. 2.5 - 3 hrs

Start/Finish: car park Kolben-chairlift

At the top, the restaurant Kolbensattelhütte invites you to rest and have a bite to eat and an adventure playground to romp around. Return is either on foot, with the chairlift or with the Alpine Coaster.



Ammer Gap Scheibum Saulgrub

Distance: 2.4 km Duration: approx. 1 hr

Start/Finish: Acheleschwaig (Saulgrub)

From the Achele near Saulgrub the trail leads to the 600 m long Ammer Gap through the rocks which has been a conservation area since 1949. In summer, the cold waters offer a welcome cooling off.



Long trail around the lake Bad Bayersoien

Distance: 3.8 km Duration: approx. 1 hr Start/Finish: Rott Memorial in the town centre of Bad Bayersoien, past the Sun Dial Park in the direction of the spa area to lake Soier See.



During the walk you can stop at the Fischerhäusl for a bite to eat and a little rest. The long lake tour has the "Travel for All" certificate: Accessibility tested award.

Playgrounds

Altenau: Kochelstr. 15

Bad Bayersoien: Köchelstr. 3

Bad Kohlgrub: Waldschlucht 134, next to the sports ground

Oberammergau: at Rainerweg, next to the school Saulgrub:

Schmiedgasse 1

Unterammergau: at Nikolaus-Huber-Street



Themed trails & educational trails Educational bird trail Bad Bayersoien

Distance: 2.4 km Duration: approx. 45 minutes

Start/Finish: Lake Soier See, car park at the Panoramaweg (northern seaside)



At six stations you learn everything about the bird world at the lake Soier See. In the Tourist Information Centre and the Fischerhäusl Bad Bayersoien you can borrow a TING-pen free of charge (20.00 € deposit). With its help the birds will sing at various stations.

Barefoot course at the lake Soier See Bad Bayersoien

Distance: 1.8 km Duration: approx.

30 minutes Start/Finish: car park Fischerhäusl

The barefoot course leads once around the lake Soier See. At various stations, you can barefooted

feel pebbles, fine sand, hardedged bark mulch or cool wetness.



Timberland trail Bad Kohlgrub

Distance: 2.8 km Duration: approx. 1 hr

Start/Finish: car park Hörnle valley station

The trail leads through the Ludwig Gorge in Bad Kohlgrub. On your way, you will discover rare ferns,

mosses and different tree types. Several play and rest stations help to experience the wood. The trail is complemented by the Locandy-App for an interactive wood experience. (Tip: Start In de spa park and use the app to let the kids collect points in the quiz along the way.)



Educational moor trail Bad Kohlgrub

Distance: 1.5 km Duration: approx. 30 minutes

Start/Finish: St. Rochus Chapel, car park civic amenity site

The information board explains how the peat has developed and what can be made from it. You can also see the excavator with which it is still extracted today.



Educational moor trail Bad Bayersoien

Distance: 1.1 km Duration: approx. 30 minutes

Start/Finish: car park Kirmesauer Straße

At several stations you learn everything about the origin and importance of the moor.



Bee path Bad Kohlgrub

Distance: 5.17 km Duration: 1.5 hours Start/End: Bad Kohlgrub spa gardens

Nine stations encourage participation and provide educational information about the life of bees. The “Child Bee” gives the youngest children tasks to research and discover, and the “Gardener Bee” gives tips for a bee-friendly garden and the “scientist bee” provides information about life and Action of the small insect.



Adventure trail Bergwald Ettal

Distance: 3.2 km Duration: approx. 1 hr Start/Finish:

car park at the cemetery in Ettal Themes as for instance forest and water, animals of the forest, encounter with a tree, “Who am I

tree identification” are waiting at 12 stations to be discovered by you.



Grotto trail, the puzzle trail Oberammergau

Distance: 1.9 km Duration: approx. 1 hr Start/Finish:

hikers’ car park on the Kofelauweg From the Döttenbichl in the direction of the new cemetery, the grotto trail leads along the Kofel to a shell-shaped cave with several rock carvings.



Grinding Mill Gorge Unterammergau

Distance: 1.5 km Duration: approx. 1 hr Start/Finish: car

park Pürschling Unterammergau Short hike through the Grinding Mill Gorge with many infos about the tradition-steeped whetstone production in Unterammergau.



Action packed leisure facilities in the Nature Park

Alpine Coaster Oberammergau

The world's longest, all-weather toboggan run with a modern magnetic brake system. At a maximum speed of 40 km/h, you will cover 73 curves and an altitude drop of 400 metres back into the

valley. Children from the age of 8 are allowed to toboggan on their own.



Kolbensattel Kreislainenweg
82487 Oberammergau
www.kolbensattel.de

Bikepark Oberammergau

Trail diversity is the motto. In addition to the "Ghost Flowtrail" and the Jumphline, there are numerous naturally created trails for all levels of difficulty.

The race-proven downhill trail "Fichtenschreck" is certainly another highlight of the park with its exhilarating atmosphere.



Bikepark Oberammergau
Kreislainenweg
82487 Oberammergau
www.bikepark.oberammergau.de

Climbing Wurmansau

In bad weather the 300 m² large Boulder Hall in Wurmansau is a good alternative with its own children's section.

Boulderhalle im Ammertaler Hof
Alte Römerstr. 10
82442 Wurmansau
www.ammerrock.de



Bathing outdoors

You will not be short of bathing fun in the Nature Park area of the Ammergau Alps.

“Soier See” Bad Bayersoien

The lake in Bad Bayersoien, the “Soier See”, is considered to be one of the warmest bathing lakes of Southern Bavaria. At the south side of the lake, ideal for bathing, you will find a large sunbathing lawn with kiosk, boat rental and parking lots.



About 15 km
from
Oberammergau

Wellenberg Oberammergau

The outdoor swimming area In Wellenberg Oberammergau is open during the summer season. There are a 50 m pool with diving area, a children's paddling pool and a large panoramic sunbathing area. The hall area is permanently closed.

Wellenberg Oberammergau
Himmelreich 53
82487 Oberammergau

Excursion destinations in the surrounding area

Open air museum Glentleiten Großweil

At the Glentleiten you will discover around 60 historic houses, mills and alpine buildings. In addition, various animals are living there such as horses, cows and sheep. For families there are special offers and a large playground near the museum restaurant.



About 25 km
from
Oberammergau

Freilichtmuseum Glentleiten
An der Glentleiten 4
82439 Großweil

Castle museum Murnau

In the Murnau Castle Museum , the extensive collection of works by Gabriele Münter as well as works by the artists of the "Neue Künstlervereinigung Munich" and the "Blaue Reiter" form the heart of the museum.

Also worth seeing are the changing special exhibitions.

Schlossmuseum Murnau
Schlosshof 2 - 5
82418 Murnau am Staffelsee

Münter Haus

The famous painters Kandinsky and Münter lived together in the Münter House from 1909 to 1914. The house has been open to the public since 1999. Today, paintings, graphic works, reverse paintings on glass and furniture painted by Kandinsky and Münter themselves give a vivid impression of the atmosphere that prevailed here before the First World War.

Münther Haus
Kottmüllerallee 6
82418 Murnau am Staffelsee

Other museums

Franz Marc Museum
Kottermüllerallee 6
82431 Kochel am See
Franz Marc's works are on display.

Aschenbrenner Museum
Loisachstr. 44
82467 Garmisch-Partenk.
The doll and porcelain collections are exhibited here.

Geigenbau Museum
Dammkarstr. 3
82481 Mittenwald
It vividly illuminates the long tradition of this craft.

Main and State Stud Farm Schwaiganger Ohlstadt

Schwaiganger is one of the few remaining state stud farms in Germany. Today it is home to approximately 350 horses. The calendar of events with stallion presentation, tournaments, stud farm shows and guided tours makes Schwaiganger an excursion destination for all animal lovers.

Haupt- und Landesgestüt Schwaiganger
Schwaiganger 1
82441 Ohlstadt



About 30 km
from
Oberammergau

Schongau Fairytale Wood Schongau

At 12 fairytale stations, a small house is dedicated to one of the best known fairytales of the Grimm brothers. Between the stations there are animal reserves; rabbits, guinea pigs, ponies with pony rides and other animals inhabit the area.

Schongauer Märchenwald
Dießener Str. 6
86956 Schongau



about 31
km from
Oberammergau

Boat trips on the lake Staffelsee

Seehausen Visit the 7.7 km² lake Staffelsee and its seven islands in Seehausen with an impressive boat ride. Enjoy the view of the magnificent alpine panorama during a trip with the MS-Seehausen.

Daily from May – October: 10:30 am – 5:30 pm
Landing stages: Seehausen, Achele, Uffing
Tel. +49 8841 1080



about 25 km
from
Oberammergau

Climbing Forest Garmisch-Partenkirchen

The Climbing Forest Garmisch-Partenkirchen attracts young and old with 13 courses and a total of 123 climbing elements.

Also open in bad weather.

Kletterwald Garmisch-Partenkirchen
Wankbahnstraße 3
82467 Garmisch-Partenkirchen

about 20 km
from
Oberammergau

Alpsexp Garmisch-Partenkirchen

You will find the Alpsexp just above the summit station of the Alpstiz lift. At the glazed ends of the approximately 25 meters long viewing platforms you will enjoy an unrestricted farreaching and deepsweeping view of the Zugspitze and the Alpstiz north face. Car park:

Kreuzeckbahn
Am Kreuzeckbahnhof 1
82467 Garmisch-Partenkirchen

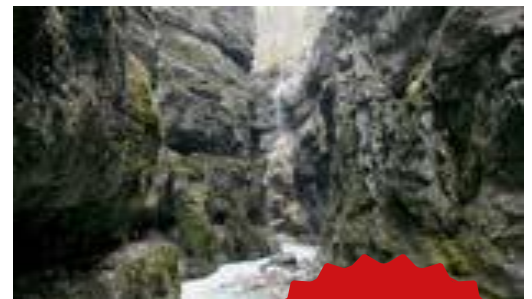
Alpstizbahn
An der Kandahar 13
82491 Grainau

about 23 km
from
Oberammergau

Partnach Gorge Garmisch-Partenkirchen

The Partnach Gorge was declared a natural monument in 1912 and has since been a tourist highlight in Garmisch-Partenkirchen. It is ideally suited for a short excursion. Car parking is provided at the ski stadium in Garmisch-Partenkirchen

(Karl-und Martin-Neuner Platz, 82467 Garmisch-Partenkirchen). You will reach the Gorge after a 20 minutes walk



About 23 km
from
Oberammergau

Hellabrunn Zoo

Discover the impressive diversity of more than 500 animal species from all five continents in the Munich Zoo. In Hellabrunn there are only a few meters between the African savannah and the cold ice desert of the polar world. Find out why nature and species protection are important, how we can protect the habitats of our animals and experience the diversity of life 365 days a year.

Zoo Hellabrunn München
Hellabrunn Tierpark Straße 30
81543 München

About 90 km
from
Oberammergau

Bad weather programme

Living Workshop Oberammergau

In the Living Workshop, you will gain an insight into the folk art of the region. Woodcarvers, potters, artisans painting and gilding sculptures as well as reverse-glass painters, who work with traditional techniques from 100 years ago. The artists allow people to look over their shoulders when working.

Lebende Werkstatt
Dorfstraße 20
82487 Oberammergau



Reptile House Oberammergau

During a visit to the Reptile House you will gain an insight into the biodiversity of this exotic animal world. Amongst others serpents, lizards, turtles, poison dart frogs and spiders are here at home.

Reptilienhaus Oberammergau
Lüftlmalereck 5
82487 Oberammergau



Show Dairy Ettal Ettal

During a presentation in the show dairy you follow the production process from milk to golden yellow cheese through a large window front. In addition, you learn more about the connection between nature protection, agriculture and food production.



Schaukäserei Ettal
Mandlweg 1
82488 Ettal

Farmer Sepp's Fairytale Stage Uffing

Farmer Sepp is Josef Taffertshofer: a farmer and teller of fairytales. Every year he transforms stories from books he has written himself into stage plays which are then performed at the Blaslhof.



Bauer Sepps Märchenbühne, Blaslhof, Kalkofen
10
82449 Schöffau bei Uffing am Staffelsee



Arts and crafts
handmade in
Ammergau Alps Nature Park



NATURAL ATTRACTIONS

Ammer Gap Scheibum Saulgrub

Over thousands of years, the Ammer near Saulgrub has cut an impressive gap into the rocks and has already been a designated conservation area since 1953. The Scheibum forms part of the Ammergau

Alps meditation path and is seen as a place offering tranquillity and energy.



Ammer Springs Oberammergau/Ettal

The Ammer springs are in the nature conservation area of the Ettal Weidmoos between Oberammergau and Ettal. Here you will find mainly water of the Linder, which further to the West in the Graswang valley drains away, resurfacing in the form of multiple, inverted-pot-shape springs (Topfquellen). One of the pot-springs is easily accessible via the visitor platform so that you can observe the rising air bubbles. This pot-spring is located on the meditation path in the Weidmoos.



Lake "Soier See" Bad Bayersoien

The little lake in Bad Bayersoien very quickly warms up and is not overcrowded even in the height of summer. In addition, the moor water is good for the body. The lake contains healthy humic substances which are formed in the surrounding moor.



Grinding Mill Gorge Unterammergau

Through the gorge above Unterammergau flows the Schleifmühlenlaine which is fed by the brooks from Pürschling, Teufelstättkopf and Schartenköpfel. In the 500 m long gorge the brook forms several pools and waterfalls which can be reached via a secured footpath.



Explanation of trail signage

The signage in the entire hiking region was carried out according to the specifications of the German and Austrian Alpine Association (DAV/ÖAV). In the following the structure of a signpost is explained:

- Valley routes - Wide, easy to walk trails close to the valley without fall hazard (the risk of falling from a height).
- Simple mountain trails - predominantly narrow, can be steep and do not include any passages with fall hazard.
- Mountain trails of medium difficulty - predominantly narrow, often steep and can include passages with fall hazard. They may also have in addition short, secured passages.
- Difficult mountain trails - narrow, often steep and include fall hazard. In addition, they have an increased number of secured hiking passages and/or simple climbing sections which require the use of hands. Surefootedness and a head for heights are absolutely necessary!

level of difficulty Destination Height above sea-level pictogram Walking time DAV trail number

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- Brunnenkopf 1.718 m 
- Große Klammspitz 1.924 m 
- Hennenkopf 1.769 m 2 1/2 h

EF-0066 DAV Sektion Bergland

AMMERGAU ALPS ACTIVITY HOLIDAYS

Eco-friendly out and about in summer

The attraction of mountain sport is to a large extent determined by the experience of Nature. Hikers, mountaineers and cyclists are therefore mostly out and about in particularly precious natural environments and sensitive ecosystems. By following the tips below you respect the nature and environment of the largest continuous nature conservation area of Bavaria, the Ammergau Alps, when hiking and mountaineering.



Free access right – As a general rule, an access right to the open countryside applies in the Alps: “For the purpose of recreation, access to the open fields at one’s own risk is allowed”.

Restricted access right in protected areas – The access right can be restricted in protected areas (nature conservation areas of the Ammergau Alps) with a “Wegegebot” which restricts access to certain paths or roads. In conservation areas, you should therefore keep to the marked routes.

Outside of conservation areas you should also **stay on paths and roads**. Off paths and roads, hikers cause considerable unrest amongst wild animals.

Use marked routes – especially in wood and moor areas. This is more comfortable and also in line with a well-thought-out guidance through ecologically sensitive areas.

Avoid shortcuts – Depending on the geological subsoil and slope gradient, little shortcuts at road bends can develop an erosion gully and eventually a large

area of land degradation. This can locally lead to an endangering of hiking trails or even to their destruction.

Take your litter home – Not leaving any litter behind should be a matter of course. Please also take any compostable food remains back into the valley, as the biological decomposition advances much more slowly under mountain conditions!

Spare plants – Rather take photos of plants instead of picking them. This is a contribution to the protection of species, and the next walker can also enjoy their splendour.

Show consideration for each other – When you are out and about with your bicycle, remember that pedestrians have always right of way. Avoid narrow paths at “peak times” such as bank holidays and weekends.

Watch out when crossing alpine meadows – Your crossing of alpine meadows can worry cattle. You should take particular care where mothers are raising their young! Animals can react aggressively to a dog.

Close pasture gates – after crossing a mountain pasture please close the gate again. An open pasture gate can put the grazing animals in serious danger.

Do not enter meadows and fields – after crossing a mountain pasture please close the pasture gate again. An open pasture gate can put the grazing animals in serious danger.

Keep dogs on the lead – In conservation areas dogs should be kept on the lead. Source: Deutscher Alpenverein e.V., www.alpenverein.de

Recommended hiking tours

Ammergau Wiesmahd Trail Oberammergau/Bad Kohlgrub

A part of the hiking trail is also known as Altherrenweg and is situated on the sunny side of the Ammertal. It allows a continuous walk between Bad Kohlgrub and Oberammergau, through the meadows and pastures at the foot of Aufacker and



Hörnle. En route the trail also offers the Romanshöhe as a stop for refreshment.

Difficulty: easy Duration: approx. 4:00 hrs Distance: 13,1 km ↑↓: 209 hm Start / Destination: car park Wellenberg Oberammergau / Haus des Gastes Bad Kohlgrub

Through the Graswang Valley to the Palace

The start of the hike is the Ettal Mill. The continuously flat hike leads you first through the idyllic Weidmoos, then past the Ammer springs and on to Graswang. Via a forest road you will reach the Linderhof Palace.



Difficulty: easy Duration: approx. 5:00 hrs Distance: 21,2 km ↑↓: 320 hm Start / Destination: Ettaler Mühle

Ammergau Alps Meditation Trail

Across the Ammergau Alps runs a longdistance trail of 87 km from the Wieskirche to the Linderhof Castle. The meditation path is the perfect combination of undisturbed nature and picturesque cultural treasures.



Difficulty: easy Duration: 25:30 hrs Distance: 87,5 km ↑↓: ca. 2000 hm

Start / Destination: Wieskirche Steingaden / Linderhof Palace in the Graswang Valley

Peak Hiking Trail

Over approximately 200 km, the peak hiking trail leads you through the diversity of the Zugspitz Region. Here, where Bavaria is “spitze” (superb), a varied circular hiking trail has been put together, which connects the unique natural and cultural landscapes of the Zugspitz Region. Further information at: www.spitzenwanderweg.de



Trip Planner

You will find additional hiking trails in the Ammergau Alps Trip App or on the website of the Ammergau Alps. In the app and on the website, precise details of all trails are available. The basis of the app is a zoomable, topographical map on a scale of 1:25.000. The maps are available online and offline and serve also to determine positions on location. This app can be obtained free of charge in the App Store for Android and Apple smart phones. www.ammergauer-alpen.de/en/Media/Touren



Recommended cycling tours

You can best experience the vast expanses of the Ammergau Alps Nature Park during a summery cycling tour. Approximately 500 km of cycle trails are “decorated” with cultural treasures by the wayside.

Cycling Tour– Ettal Monastery and Linderhof Palace Oberammergau

During this leisurely tour you experience two cultural highlights of the Ammergau Alps Nature Park and enjoy in addition the tranquillity and seclusion

of the Graswang Valley. A visit to Ettal Monastery and the dreamlike gardens of Linderhof Castle should of course not be missing from your holiday itinerary. Those interested will get a better insight into the life of the fairytale king Ludwig II with a guided tour.

Start / Destination: Tourist Information Centre Oberammergau
White-green bike signage with the Königsrunde logo



Difficulty: medium Route identification: white-green cycle signage for Ammergau Alps circular tours Distance: 40 km; 320 Hm

Also bookable as a guided e-bike tour on www.ammergauer-alpen.de

Cycling Tour-"Moor Cruit"

This tour leads through an idyllic moorland landscape.

The towns of Bad Kohlgrub and Bad Bayersoien are well-known moor health resorts.

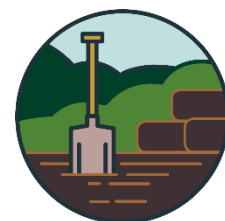
For nature lovers this tour offers varied paths between Lake Staffelsee and the Ammer. Particularly worth seeing is the raised moor landscape around the two health resorts as well as the Ammer George, also known as Scheibum.

Start / End: Bad Kohlgrub train Station

Difficulty: medium Route Identification White green cycle signage for Ammergau Alps with the logo "Moorrunde"

circular tours Distance: 51 km; 700 Hm

Also bookable as a guided e-bike tour on www.ammergauer-alpen.de



Cycling Tour – Altenau Valley Route to Oberammergau

Starting at the centre of Ammergau you cycle through the Pulvermoos along the Ammer in the direction of Oberammergau. From there you join the cycle path to Altenau and Unternogg. On arrival in Unternogg the route leads through Scherenau near Unterammergau back to Oberammergau



Start / Destination: Tourist-Information Oberammergau

Difficulty: easy Distance: 19 km ; 100 Hm

Wieskirche Circular Tour

The “pilgrimage church of the flagellated Saviour on the Wies”, which became a UNESCO world heritage site in 1983, is one of the most famous Rococo churches of the world and is always worth



a visit. You can reach the Wieskirche from all places in the Ammergau Alps by almost continuously flat cycle and forest routes.

Signage: white and green bike signs with orange No. 2 logo



Start / Destination: village pond, Altenau

Difficulty: medium Route identification: Route identification Distance: 40 km; 700 Hm

Geizenmoos Cycling Tour Bad Bayersoien

Past the lake Soier See, through the “Geizenmoos” up to the lakes Vorder- and Hinterkehr. On arrival in Bad Kohlgrub, you cycle past the Rochus chapel to Saulgrub und back again to Bad Bayersoien.



Start / Destination: Spa and Tourist Information Centre Bad Bayersoien Difficulty:

easy Route identification: yellow-blue cycle signage for Ammergau Alps cycle tours

Distance: 12,8 km Duration: approx. 1:00 hrs



You will find further cycle tours in the Ammergau Alps Tours app or on our website at:
www.ammergauer-alpen.de/radfahren



Bicycle and e-bike rental

2Radstadl Wurmansau
Alte Römerstr. 28a
Tel.: +49 8845 757463
www.2radstadl-wurmansau.de
Bike service and rental of cycles, no e-bike rental

RadlStall Bad Bayersoien
Gschwendt 19
Tel.: +49 8867 7139977
www.radlStall.com
Only bike service, no rental

Sportzentrale Papistock
Oberammergau Bahnhofstr.
6a
Tel.: +49 8822 4178
www.sportzentrale-papistock.de
No bike service, only rental of regular bicycles, child trailers, e-bikes and e-MTBs

Radsport Lang
Oberammergau
Rottenbacher Str. 16
Tel.: +49 8822 1004
www.radlang.de
Only bike service

Radl Reiser
Oberammergau Tobias
Reiser Himmelreich 23
Tel.: +49 152 52004417
www.radlreiser.de
Only bike service

E-Bike Rental


Tourist-Information Centre Bad Kohlgrub
St. Martin-Straße 2,
Tel.: +49 8845 74220

Tourist-Information Centre
Bad Bayersoien
Dorfstr. 45,
Tel.: +49 8845 7030620





Alpine pasture and mountain inns

Kolbensattelhütte Oberammergau  :


car park Kolbensattel – 1:00 hr

Tel. +49 8822 12222

www.kolbensattel.de




Brunnenkopfhütte Linderhof

 : car park Schloss Linderhof – 1:45 hrs Tel. +49 175 6540155



www.brunnenkopfhuette.de


Pürschlinghaus Unterammergau  :
car park Schleifmühle – 2:00 hrs

Tel. +49 8822 3567

www.august-schuster-haus.de




Laberhaus Oberammergau

 : car park Laber-Bergbahn – 2:30 hrs Tel. +49 8822 4280

www.laber-bergbahn.de




Hörnlehütte Bad Kohlgrub

 : car park Hörnle Schwebbahn – 1:15 Std. Tel. +49 8845 229

www.hoernlebahn.de



Hörnlealm Bad Kohlgrub

 : Parkplatz Hörnle Schwebbahn – 1:45 Std. 20 min walk to the alpine pasture

Tel. +49 172 7051731



Romanshöhe Oberammergau

 : car park Wellenberg – 0:45 hrs

Tel. +49 173 9873296

www.oberammergau-land.com/romanshoehe



Soila Alm Oberammergau

 : car park Laberbergbahn – 1:30 hrs

Tel. +49 176 95645696

Open only on Weekend



Kenzenhütte Graswang/Linderhof  :

car park Scheinberg – 2:45 hrs

Tel. +49 8368 390

www.berggasthof-kenzenhuette.de



Ammerwald-Alm Connecting road between Linderhof and Reutte

Tel. +43 5672 63695



LEGEND



:Walking time




: Overnight stay



: Cable car or Chair lift

Mountain rail- and cableways

Laber-Bergbahn Oberammergau


 : Laberhaus

Tel. +49 8822 4770

www.laber-bergbahn.de



Kolbensesselbahn Oberammergau

 : Kolbensattelhütte


Downhill possible by the Alpine Coaster

Tel. +49 8822 4760

www.kolbensattel.de



Hörnle Schwebbahn Bad Kohlgrub

 : Hörnlehütte

Tel. +49 8845 592

www.hoernlebahn.de



Mountain rail- and cableways in the surrounding area

Wankbahn Garmisch-Partenkirchen
Wankbahnstr. 2,
82467 Garmisch-Partenkirchen
Tel. +49 8821 7970
www.zugspitze.de/wank

Zahnradbahn Zugspitze
Garmisch-Partenkirchen
Olympiastr. 27,
82467 Garmisch-Partenkirchen
Tel. +49 8821 7970
www.zugspitze.de/zahnradbahn

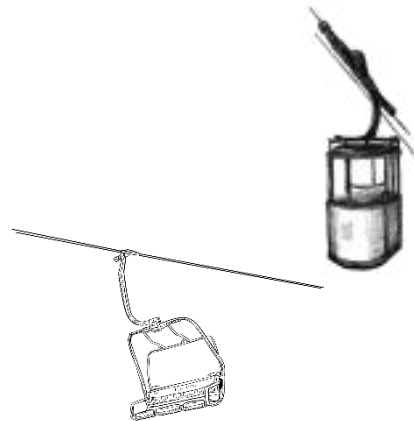
Seilbahn Zugspitze Grainau
Am Eibsee 6, 82491 Grainau
Tel. + 49 8821 7970
www.zugspitze.de/seilbahn

Herzogstandbahn Walchensee
Am Tanneneck 6, 82432 Walchensee
Tel. +49 8858 236
www.herzogstandbahn.de

Buchenbergbahn Buching
Füssener Str. 19, 87642 Buching
Tel. +49 8362 98360
www.buchenbergbahn.de

Breitenbergbahn Pfronten
Tiroler Str. 176, 87459 Pfronten
Tel. +49 8363 5820
www.breitenbergbahn.de

Tegelbergbahn Schwangau
Tegelbergstr. 33, 87645 Schwangau
Tel. +49 8362 98360
www.tegelbergbahn.de



Climbing areas

The grippable limestone of the pre-alpine landscape offers diverse climbing opportunities of varying character in all grades of difficulty.

- Falkenwand
- Zahn
- Kraxenträger
- Frauenwasserl
- Bärenhöhle
- Schaffelberg
- Kofel Friedhofswand
- Kofel Grottenwand
- Kofel Marxersteig
- Kofel Südwand
- Ettaler Mandl

TIP

More detailed information
<https://www.ammergauer-alpen.de/sommer>

Climbing and nature conservation

With approximately 300 square kilometers, the Ammergebirge is the second largest nature conservation area in Germany. Many rare animals and plants find refuge here. The areas Zahn, Kofel, Frauenwasserl and Falkenwand are located within the nature conservation region, all the others are in close proximity. In order to preserve this unique natural landscape, certain rules must be observed.

Online Shop



Climbing



The basic prerequisites comprise here as elsewhere:

everybody takes his litter back home no closed roads are entered by car noise level is categorically kept at a minimum intelligent parking eco-friendly driving to a destination respect breeding periods of birds

If rock closures are ignored, as for instance at the “Nasser Ritz”, total closures will be inevitable in order to protect the wild life. If you are looking for further tips or current infos in connection with this topic, go to www.dav-felsinfo.de An occasional word to the more heedless climbers amongst the climbing fraternity would therefore not come amiss, so that in future all can still have a great time on and in the rocks.



MY CULTURE TIME

The best known sights in the Ammergau Alps Nature Park include:

Ettal monastery and its basilica

As redemption of a vow because of his safe return to Bavaria, Emperor Ludwig the Bavarian founded the Benedictine monastery, which still exists today. The religious vow foundation had practical purposes, such as securing transport routes, developing the area and establishing a foundation for knights and their wives. The church was completed in 1370 after 40 years of construction. After secularisation in 1803, Ettal revived monastic life again in 1900. During a guided tour through the basilica or the brewery museum and the distillery, one can have a look inside the monastery.



Kloster Ettal
Kaiser-Ludwig-Platz 1
82488 Ettal
Tel. +49 8822 740
www.kloster-ettal.de

Linderhof Palace

Linderhof Palace is the smallest of the three castles of King Ludwig II and the only one that was completed during his lifetime. It is considered the favourite castle of the „fairytale king“, where he stayed by far the most. The park combines motifs from the French and the Italian Baroque gardens and the English landscape garden. The castle can be visited as part of a regular guided tour (English), and the park is free to the public.



Schloss Linderhof
Linderhof 12
82488 Ettal
Tel. +49 8822 92030
www.schlosslinderhof.de

Passionplay Theatre Oberammergau

In 1634 the vow was fulfilled on a simple wooden scaffold in the cemetery. In 1830 the stage moved to the place of today's Passion Play Theatre, in 1890 a new stage was built there. In 1900 a covered auditorium and an openair stage were built with an iron scaffold construction with six high arches, and in 1930 the stage was given its present form. The Passion Play Theatre can be visited on guided tours.



Passionstheater Oberammergau
Othmar-Weis-Straße 1
82487 Oberammergau
Tel. +49 8822 32440
www.passionstheater.de

House of Pontius Pilate

The 18th-century house owns its name to the impressive perspective frescoes by the fresco artist Franz Seraph Zwinck. It is probably the most famous house in Oberammergau. It's now the town hall of Oberammergau.



Pilatushaus Oberammergau
Ludwig-Thoma-Str. 10
82467 Oberammergau
Tel. +49 8822 320
www.oberammergaumuseum.de

Crucifixion Group Monument

Out of gratitude for the private special performance of the Passion Play in 1871, King Ludwig II donated this imposing marble monument to the Passion Players. It was made by Munich sculptor Professor Halbig.



Kreuzigungsgruppe Oberammergau
König-Ludwig-Str. 44
82487 Oberammergau

Discover sights interactively (only in German)

The Locandy-App is the interactive tour guide for the Nature Park region. It is easily downloaded in the App or Play Store. With the next step the travel guides for Oberammergau, Ettal, Unterammergau, Bad Kohlgrub und

Bad Bayersoien can be loaded into the App.

The special feature: Like a local guide, the App accompanies you through the place and plays back informative audio contributions in front of the sights. What has been learned will be tested in various entertaining quizzes.

For further information about our sights use the QR-code or go to <https://www.ammergauer-alpen.de/en/kultur/kulturmeile>



Museums

Oberammergau Museum

Why are there so many woodcarvers in Oberammergau? The answer lies in the museum. There you find jumping jacks, animal figures, toys and machineproduced, hand-finished objects.

Dorfstr. 8
82487 Oberammergau
Tel. +49 8822 32440
www.oberammergaumuseum.de



Passion Play Theatre Oberammergau

The history of the Passion theatre during regular guided tours you will learn more about the world-famous, roundarched open air theatre.

Othmar-Weis-Str. 1
82487 Oberammergau
Tel. +49 8822 32440
www.passionstheater.de



Brewery Museum Ettal

Experience a fascinating time travel during a guided tour through the chequered history of brewing in a museum of over 500 m².

Klosterstr. 6
82488 Ettal
Tel. +49 8822 746450
www.klosterbrauerei-ettal.de



Distillery Ettal

The monks of the Ettal Monastery mix and experiment with herbs and plants from the region to produce fine liqueurs. Which ingredients brother Vitalis uses for the liqueur, remains a strict secret hidden behind monastery walls.



Klosterstr. 6
82488 Ettal
Tel. +49 8822 746450
www.kloster-ettal.de

Village Museum Unterammergau

In the Unterammergau village museum, the following subjects are the focus of permanent exhibitions: whetstone making, forestry, agriculture, textile processing, archaeology and local history.



Dorfplatz 77
82497 Unterammergau
Tel. +49 8822 6400
www.hak-unterammergau.de/Museum.html

Museum in the Bierlinghouse in Bad Bayersoien

The Bierlings were a family of merchants from Bayersoien. They held the office of salt factor. Their former store is today a local history museum with the focus on the life and work of the Bierling family, the “Mößmer collection” – a collection of religious art – as well as on agricultural, artisan and domestic utensils.



Dorfstr. 46
82435 Bad Bayersoien
Tel. +49 8822 922740
www.ammergauer-alpen.de/poi/museum-im-bierlinghaus

HEALTH

Alpine peat “Bergkiefernhochmoor”

The alpine peat “Bergkiefernhochmoor” from the Nature Park region in the Ammergau Alps is a recognized natural remedy. It is cut and directly administered in the spa facilities of the mud spas Bad Bayersoien and Bad Kohlgrub. The thickflowing full mudbaths are something really special. As a health remedy the bathmud is administered in cases of rheumatism, gout and arthrosis etc. The constituents of the bathmud have a positive effect on the female hormone balance. The bathmud is therefore also employed to treat gynaecological complaints (menopause) and in dealing with childlessness.



What you should also know

- For all those who would like to experience the effect of the natural remedy Bergkiefernhochmoor, “tasters” or mud packs are recommended.
 - Mud applications are administered in the bath sections of the spa facilities in Bad Bayersoien and Bad Kohlgrub. Guests not staying in one of these establishments can also make an appointment there. Mud baths are offered on Monday, Wednesday and Friday mornings.
 - We can recommend the individual offers of these establishments as well as the “mud packs”. These arrangements combine mud applications and other services for a mud therapy lasting one, two or three weeks.
 - Due to the intensive effect of the alpine Bergkiefernhochmoor baths, it is necessary to visit a spa doctor before the mud application.
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TIP

In summer, the Ammergau Alps offer guided bike tours. The “moor tour” includes a guided tour through the Bad Kohlgruber moor nature trail. An expert will provide you with knowledge about the natural remedy mud and how it works. Book your ticket directly with us.



<https://www.ammergauer-alpen.de/en/shop/erlebnisse>



Spa doctors

- Dr. med. Erika Bruss-Jahl
Fallerstr. 12, 82433 Bad Kohlgrub
Tel. +49 8845 9322
- Dr. med. Gerhard Friedl
Dorfstr. 46
82435 Bad Bayersoien
Tel. +46 8845 7576470
- Dr. med. Thomas Autenrieth
Kohlgruber Str. 2a, 82442 Saulgrub
Tel. +49 8845 616
- Ammertal Praxis
Dr. med. Stefan Ferl
St.-Martin-Str. 10,
82433 Bad Kohlgrub
Tel. +49 8845 703020
- Dr. med. Josef Lang
Murnauer Str. 2,
82433 Bad Kohlgrub
Tel. +49 8845 74740

Courses & seminars

At <https://www.events.ammergau-alps.com/region> you will find all events in the Nature Park region. Under the category "health/wellness" are

listed all Yoga-courses, hikes, Pilates courses and much more.



TRADITIONAL EVENTS IN THE AMMERGAU ALPS NATURE PARK



Corpus Christi Procession

The Corpus Christi Procession takes place on the Thursday after Trinity Sunday (on the 60th day after Easter Sunday). The Thursday as a fixed date is closely connected with Maundy Thursday and the associated introduction of the Eucharist by Jesus Christ.



Charcoal Burner Days Bad Kohlgrub

Here the visitors are given an unforgettable insight into the work of the charcoal burner and charcoal production. Between the ignition of the charcoal stack and the "harvest", a comprehensive festive programme with entertainment is offered (only in May).



St. Johns Day fire in Bad Bayersoien

Around June 24th, St. Johns Day, the St. Johns Day fire is traditionally lit at dusk in Bad Bayersoien. The Soier See offers the perfect backdrop for one atmospheric summer evening. The Bad Bayersoien brass band plays and the traditional Blaskapelle entertains with Plattler performances and the Goaßlschnalzern.



King Ludwig Bonfire Oberammergau

The King Ludwig Bonfire is a traditional bonfire display which takes place annually on the 24th August, the eve before the birthday of King Ludwig II.



König-Ludwig-Night Linderhof

On the 25th August, the birthday of King Ludwig is commemorated in Linderhof Palace and park. In addition to special guided tours through the Linderhof Palace and gardens the event also includes musical performances in honour of the King.



Leonhard Ride Unterammergau

The Leonhard Ride, a procession on horseback, takes place annually on the last weekend in October in Unterammergau in honour of the Holy Leonhard of Limoges.



Winter Balloon Days Bad Kohlgrub

Every year the Winter Balloon Days take place in Bad Kohlgrub: During the last week in December and the beginning of January - at the turn of the year - this is the only event of this type in the German alpine region.



Star walk Oberammergau/Ettal/Graswang

Every year on New Year's Eve locals and guests, accompanied by singers and musicians, walk through Oberammergau, Ettal and Graswang carrying a large, illuminated star. This custom differs from the "star singers" who in other locations, mostly on January, go singing from house to house.



Current events and future event information can be found at events.ammergau-alps.com/region

FREE BUS AND RAIL TRAVEL

In the Ammergau Alps Nature Park you can leave your car safely behind, as all places in the surrounding area can easily be reached by bus or rail.

Your journeys are free of charge, if you are in possession of an electronic guest card or KÖNIGSCARD!

The validity area comprises the regional bus in the complete Niederlassungsgebiet West and the train line from Oberammergau to Murnau as well as from Garmisch-Partenkirchen to Uffing. In Bad Kohlgrub the local line Reindl can be used free of charge.

The card is valid from 12:00 am on the day of arrival to 12:00 am on the day of departure.



Free bus & train




Additional information about timetables, rail networks and usage conditions at www.ammergauer-alpen.de/mobil

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ECarsharing in the Ammergau Alps Nature Park
BECAUSE WE LOVE OUR HOMELAND.
CO₂-FREE MOBILITY

<https://ammer-loisach-energie.moqo.de>

E-Carsharing



MY WINTER TIME

Tobogganing

Oberammergau

- Toboggan run at Kolben (snow covered)
Ascent time approx. 1 hour to the Kolbensattelhütte or alternatively with the chair lift

Unterammergau

- Toboggan run at Pürschling (forest road)
Ascent a good 2 hours up to the August-Schuster-Haus Car park above the ski centre at the Steckenberg

The alternative for proficient tobogganists with sport toboggans

- Natural toboggan run at the Scherenauer Straße in Unterammergau
Length 1.100 m, Information at www.wsv-unterammergau.de

Bad Kohlgrub

- Toboggan run at the Hörnle (forest road)
Ascent with the Hörnle chairlift possible
Length 4.5 km
Toboggan rental on site
Daily 9:00 am to 4:00 pm (depending on the weather)
Information at www.hoernlebahn.de



Equipment rental

Bad Kohlgrub

Skischule Bad Kohlgrub
Stickelsgrabenstraße
Ski rental at the Tannenbank lift next to
the Hörnle cable car
Tel. +49 8845 75181 (ab 17 Uhr)
Mobil. +49 152 28744570
www.skischulebadkohlgrub.de

Skiverleih Leonhard Kratz
Hauptstr. 13 (Ortszentrum)
82433 Bad Kohlgrub
Tel. +49 8845 630

Oberammergau

Sporthaus Mühlstrasser
Alpinski – cross-country ski – snow-
board – toboggan – snowshoes
Theaterstr. 2 (am Dorfplatz) 82487
Oberammergau
Tel. +49 8822 93044
Mobil. +49 172 7228493

Sportzentrale Papistock Oberammergau
Alpinski – cross-country ski – snow-
board – snowshoes – Tourenski with
skins – Tourenski shoes
Bahnhofstr. 6a
82487 Oberammergau
Tel. +49 8822 4178
Rental in the shop as well as at the
SnowPark

INTERSPORT-Rent

Direct at the Kolben chairlift
Ski – snowboard – toboggan
Mobil. +49 174 2054277

Unterammergau

Info SkischuleSnow&Fun
Steckenberg Unterammergau Tel.
+49 8822 216824
Mobil. +49 173 3822162
www.skisnow-fun.de

Bad Bayersoien

Tourist Information Centre
Cross-country ski rental - toboggan
Dorfstr. 45
82435 Bad Bayersoien
Telefon +49 8845 703062-0



Ski-schools

Bad Kohlgrub

Oliver Schlichting
Gehmweg 3
82433 Bad Kohlgrub
Tel. +49 8845 75181 (ab 17 Uhr)
Mobil +49 152 28744570
www.skischulebadkohlgrub.de

Oberammergau Skischule

Ammertal
Bahnhofstr. 6a
82487 Unterammergau
Tel. +49 8822 4178
www.sportzentrale-papistock.de

Aktivskischule Peter Frey
In the valley station of the chairlift of the
AktivArena at the Kolben
Tel. +49 8846 1700
Mobil +49 171 1971517
www.snowsportplus.de

Unterammergau

Skischule Snow&Fun Steckenberg
Unterammergau
Tel. +49 8822 216824
Mobil +49 173 3822162
www.skisnow-fun.de

Skiing areas

Skigebiet Laber

- 1 gondola lift
 - 2.5 km unprepared descent
 - altitude 874 m – 1684 m
- !!!! Be sure to heed the avalanche report!!!!
Laber Bergbahn Oberammergau
Ludwig-Lang-Straße 59
82487 Oberammergau
Tel. +49 8822 4770
www.laber-bergbahn.de

AktivArena am Kolben

- Altitude: 874 m – 1106 m

Kolbenschlepplift Oberammergau
Kreislainenweg 1
82487 Oberammergau
Tel. +49 8822 4760

www.kolbensattel.de/winter

Snow covered slopes at Kolben 1

Snowpark Oberammergau Funpark
für Snowboarder und Freeskier

Bahnhofstr. 6a
82487 Oberammergau
Tel. +49 8822 4178

www.snowpark-oberammergau.de

Skigebiet Steckenberg

- 7 draglifts
- 7 km pistes
- Altitude: 830 m – 1100 m

Skizentrum Steckenberg
Unterammergau
Liftweg 1

82497 Unterammergau
Tel. +49 8822 4027
info@steckenberg.de
www.steckenberg.de

Skigebiet Hörnle

- 1 chairlift, 2 draglifts
- 3.5 km pistes
- Altitude: 900 m – 1400 m

Hörnlebahn Bad Kohlgrub
Fallerstraße 14

82433 Bad Kohlgrub
Tel. +49 8845 592
www.hoernlebahn.de

Ski tours - hiking

Suggested tours Hörnle

Popular piste tour with possible stop at the Hörnlehütte.

Ascent: 2:30 hrs ↑↓: 470 hm Difficulty: easy Start: Valley station Tannenbank lift/Hörnle cable car

Car park: Valle station Tannenbank lift: Indicated car park for tour hikers. At the Hörnlehütte long hut evenings take place daily until 22:00 o'clock. Warm kitchen until 19:00 o'clock.

Kolbensattel

Ascent: 1:00 hr ↑↓: 420 hm Difficulty: easy

Start and finish: valley station Kolben chairlift, Oberammergau

Downhill on mostly unprepared ski slopes

Car park: Valley station Kolben chairlift, Oberammergau

Laber

Ski tour with comfortable ascent and spectacular ski descent. Ascent: 3:00 hrs ↑↓: 753 hm

Difficulty: medium

Start and finish: car park Laber cable car



Scheinberg

Scenic and easy ski tour in the Graswang valley.

You find detailed information and maps at: www.ammergauer-alpen.de/

Ascent: 2:30 hrs ↑↓: 950 hm Difficulty: easy

Start and end point: Scheinberg car park in the Graswang valley Car park: Behind Linderhof there is a large car park at the right for hikers.

Ski tours



Never go on off-road tours without avalanche equipment:

This includes: avalanche transceiver, shovel and probe.

Find out about the avalanche situation beforehand: <https://www.lawinenwarndienst.bayern.de>

DAV Eco-friendly ski mountaineering

By observing the following tips you show consideration for the nature and environment of the Ammergau Alps:

- **Observe** the regulations of **protected and closed areas** (see DAV maps), respect in particular animals and plants, avoid noise.
- **Take account of signs, advice and route recommendations** of the DAV project “Eco-friendly Ski Mountaineering”.
- **Recognize habitats:** avoid as far as possible wild animals, only observe them from a distance, circumvent feeding stations, take dogs on a lead.
- In the depth of **winter avoid summits, mountain backs and ridges** before **10 am and after 4 pm**.
- In **forest** regions and at the forest border **stay on the usual ski routes**, forest and hiking trails. **Keep a distance** from groups of trees and bushes.
- **Treat with care reforestations and young forests.**
- **Make the journey to your destination eco-friendly:** travel with public transport or form car pools, use indicated car parks, **do not block any access.**
- **Choose a stay of several days** rather than planning frequent day tours, make **use of the local gastronomic offers.**
- Plan tours with guides and maps carrying the DAV-quality seal “Eco-friendly ski tours/winter tours” and find out about the nature and culture of your destination.
- Follow the rules for ski tours on ski pistes.



Cross-country skiing

Suggested tours

Graswang round trip Ettal circular trail

Snow-assured cross-country ski trail (Loipe) and longest circular trail in the Ammergau Alps. Trail all around Graswand and to the Ettal Mill

Distance: 12 km Duration: 1:20 hrs ↑↓: 128 hm Difficulty: medium Type: classic/skating

Start and finish: Ettal Mill, Ettal Car park: Ettal mill, Ettal

Large Rochus round trip Bad Kohlgrub circular trail

Long Loipe between Bad Kohlgrub and the lake Soier See near Bad Bayersoien.

Distance: 10,2 km Duration: 1:00 hrs ↑↓: 86 hm Difficulty: medium Type: classic/skating

Start and finish: car park Wertstoffhof/Festplatz, Bad Kohlgrub Car park: Wertstoffhof/Festplatz, Bad Kohlgrub

Scherenau round trip Unterammergau circular trail

Short Loipe between Unterammergau and the hamlet of Scherenau in an idyllic alpine landscape.

Distance: 3,2 km Duration: 0:20 hrs ↑↓: 40 hm Difficulty: easy Type: classic/skating

Start and finish: Eschfeld, Unterammergau Car park: Pürschling, Unterammergau

Lake round trip Bad Bayersoien circular trail

Dreamlike Loipe all around the lake Soier See near Bad Bayersoien.

Distance: 4,4 km Duration: 0:30 hrs ↑↓: 13 hm Difficulty: easy Type: Classic/skating

Start and finish: Seeweg Bad Bayersoien Car park: Seeweg, Bad Bayersoien



Cross-country ski-schools

Skischule Ammertal Sportzentrale Papistock
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82487 Oberammergau
Tel. Sportzentrale +49 8822 4178
Tel. Skischule +49 8822 4499 (only
during the winter season)
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www.sportzentrale-papistock.de



You can find further information
on cross-country skiing at :
[www.ammergauer-
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Snowshoe hikes

Suggested tours

Hinteres Hörnle Bad Kohlgrub

Classic tour to the panoramic mountain of Bad Kohlgrub

Distance: 7,9 km Duration: 4:30 Std.

↑↓: 756 hm Difficulty:

easy

Start and finish: car park Tannenbank lift, Bad Kohlgrub

Pürschlinghaus Unterammergau

Out and about on snowshoes in the hunting grounds of the fairytale king.

Distance: 10 km Duration: ca. 4 Std.

↑↓: 668 hm Difficulty:

easy

Start and finish: car park Pürschling, Unterammergau



Please choose the right equipment:

- Warm, breathable clothing
- Suitable shoes (mountain boots)
- Gaiters or snowtrousers
- Drinks and snacks

You will find detailed information and maps at

www.ammergauer-alpen.de/winter/spass-im-schnee/schneeschuhtouren

For anybody who would rather join an experienced guide during a snowshoe hike, several individual offers are available in the Ammergau Alps.

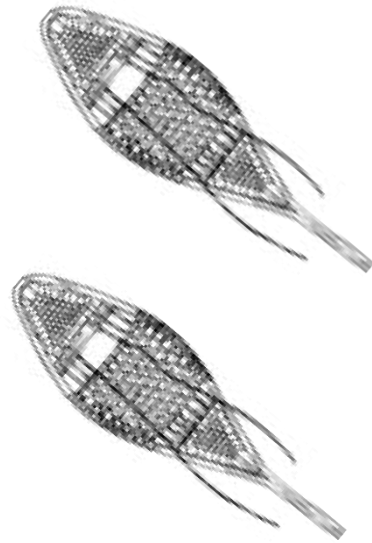
Under good snow conditions Oberammergau, Bad Kohlgrub offer from the end of December to the beginning of March guided snowshoe hikes. You find more details in the events calendar of the local Tourist Information Centre or on the homepage of the Ammergauer Alpen GmbH www.ammergauer-alpen.de

Snowshoe rental

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CULINARY & REGIONAL PRODUCTS

The Ammergau Alps Nature Park region is rich in regional products. For this reason, the Ammergau Alps Regional Marketing Department has set itself the task of supporting regional producers. Regional products can be marked with the white-blue rhombus, the seal for "Top quality from Upper Bavarian recommended by Ammergauer Alpen GmbH". The labelling is based on criteria drawn up by an expert committee.



The number of certified products is growing steadily, so far certified:

FOOD PRODUCTS: bakery products from local bakers, honey, jams, milk & dairy products from the show dairy in Ettal, game

NONFOOD PRODUCTS: handicrafts, care products, natural remedy alpine peat "Bergkiefernhochmoor"

The show dairy in Ettal is a model company for regional marketing. Here you can watch the cheese makers at work and buy and taste regional products.

Another opportunity to taste regional specialities is a visit to the gastronomers in the region:

www.ammergauer-alpen.de/gastronomiefuehrer-ammergauer-alpen

Detailed information about the regional products:

www.ammergauer-alpen.de/en/Regional/Regional-products

Regional products



Gastronomy



EMERGENCY NUMBERS

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Police: 110

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Bicycle rental & repair

See bicycle and e-bike rental and repair, page 30

Boat rental

You can rent rowing boats at the Fischerhäusl situated directly at the lake Soier See from 1st May onwards. (Mondays closed)

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Village Church St. Martin
St. Martin-Str. 1, 82433 Bad Kohlgrub

Protestant Church
Badstrasse, 82433 Bad Kohlgrub

Chapel St. Rochus
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Monastery Ettal
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Fatima Chapel
Höhenweg 3, 82442 Saulgrub

Parish Church St. Franziskus
Höhenweg 1, 82442 Saulgrub

Filial Church Holy Blood
Kappel 1, 82497 Unterammergau

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Cinema

Griesbräu Kino
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Fishing

Sport fishing is permitted at the lake Soier See. Each fisher, however, requires a national fishing license from his residence authority as well as a fishing permit from the local permit issuing office.

Fishing season: 16th April to 31st October

G

Gastronomy

www.ammergauer-alpen.de/gastronomiefuehrer-ammergauer-alpen



I

Ice skating/bavarian curling

Ice rink Bad Bayersoien

Dorfstraße 74, 82435 Bad Bayersoien sprayed
surface for curling

Ice rink Ettal

Ettaler Mill 1, 82488 Ettal

Ice rink Oberammergau

Malensteinweg (next to the youth hostel), 82487 Oberammergau

Mo - Sun 2:00 pm - 5:00 pm

Skates can be rented if required.

L

Libraries

Library Bad Kohlgrub

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Mo 5:00 pm - 6:00 pm

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W

WIFI places in the region:

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 - Fischerhäusl at the lake Soier See Bad Bayersoien
 - Tourist-Information Centre Ettal
 - Tourist-Information Centre Oberammergau, Ammergauer Haus
 - Pilatushaus Oberammergau
 - Passion Play Theatre Oberammergau
 - Museum Oberammergau
-