



Mountain summer on the Tauplitz



Tauplitzalm the highest lake plateau in Europe

An idyllic alpine world

Immerse yourself in a place where nature is energising and breath-taking all at once. Whether it's spring, summer or autumn, the alpine flora has always something blooming for you. Daphne, globeflower, gentian and many more beauties will captivate you with their vivid colours, wonderful scents and rare shapes. But this alpine pasture is not only amazing to look at, there is also many fun ways to experience it. From casual strolls with your baby in the pram or your dog by your side, more challenging walks that will earn you your 'Wandernadel' and even via ferrata climbs. There's something for everyone.

Allergy sufferers can breathe easy

Because the Tauplitzalm is at 1,600 metres above sea level the pollen count is low and it's free from common dust mites. A welcome break from itchy eyes and blocked sinuses.

The Mountain Mass

The annual 'Almmesse beim Steirerseebankerl' is a traditional fixture on the 15th of August, from 11am. Followed by a morning pint of lager on the alpine pasture – also traditional.

Joyful cycling on the alpine plateau

Instead of hitting the pedals hard, try floating and bring your bikes on the 4-seater chairlift all the way up to the idyllic alpine village. Free of charge, of course - you only pay for the chairlift ascent, not the bike transport. The marvellous 10 km descent is via the Tauplitzalmstraße to Bad Mitterndorf, along the Salzkammergut cycle path 'R 19' back to the valley station in Tauplitz where you can take in more of the nature that surrounds you.

A ride on the mini train

The guests who prefer to relax and take it easy can enjoy the enchanting nature from the mini train that takes you on a leisurely ride to all the beautiful vantage points on the Tauplitzalm. Info: Hotel Hierzegger +43 3688 2316 or Berggasthof Hollhaus +43 3688 2302



Hospitality and alpine cuisine

If you're out and about in the fresh air and the high altitude of our great outdoors, you'll need proper sustenance. The hosts on our mountain huts serve you traditional delicacies in a rustic ambience.



The 4-seater chairlift

...also open in summer!

The 4-seater chairlift takes you directly to the 'Alm' - prams, dogs and bikes included! Only the car stays behind in the valley. Take a leisurely ride up to the Alm and enjoy the panoramic view without stress and without sweating: On the ascent, you will get to enjoy the view of the Tauplitzalm and the mountains of the 'Tote Gebirge'. On the descent the mighty Grimming and the Ennstal valley. Summer operation from approx. beginning of July to approx. mid-September (similar to the Austrian summer holidays), in good hiking weather daily from 8.30-12 and from 13-16.30. Tel +43 3688 2252 · www.dietauplitz.com

We are kind to our nature

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The Alpine Road

Travelling by car or motorbike

You drive along the 10 km long romantic Tauplitzalm alpine from Bad Mitterndorf to the largest lake plateau in Europe on one of the most beautiful alpine roads in Austria. Enjoy the stunning panorama - the Grimming (2,351 m) to the south, the 'Totes Gebirge' to the north, the Dachstein mountain range to the west and the 'Gesäuse' nature reserve mountains to the east. There is a regular bus service from Bad Mitterndorf to the Tauplitzalm on the Alpine Road from the end of May to the end of September as well as individual bus transfers all year round.

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The Sommerclou card offers you the 17 highlights in the Ausseerland Salzkammergut. From the 4-seater chairlift to the toll road, from museums to the Altaussee Salt Worlds and from the NarzissenBad to boat trips - enjoy once or more if you fancy it.

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6-mountain lake hike on the most beautiful lake plateau in Europe

1 400 m 6h 6h 1.650 m by area

Our 6 mountain lakes are rich in species, of drinking-water quality and unique in Europe. In spring and summer the Tauplitzalm is transformed into a marvellous sea of alpine flowers and in autumn, colourful larch forests adorn the alpine landscape. It's easy to get away from it all – just one day relaxing and unwinding can do wonders.

Well-developed and sign-posted walking and hiking trails make the picturesque mountain lakes accessible without big differences in altitude and much effort – depending on your mood and fitness level, you can also walk them in short stages of 1 hour or so. You should plan around 6 hours for the entire 6-lake hike plus 1 hour for the worthwhile detour to the 'Leistalm'. Make sure you wear good shoes and suitable mountain equipment!

Euro emergency number 112 | Mountain rescue 140



Via ferrata Gamsblick

2 400 m 3,5h 4h 1.981 m

The 'Gamsblick' via ferrata on the east side of the 1,981 m high Traweng is reserved for experts and mountain goats. With a difficulty level C, ascent and descent 1h each and 200 vertical meters, it offers you a lofty panoramic experience - Totes Gebirge, Grimming, Dachstein...

A harness, via ferrata set, helmet and sturdy footwear required.

Get a guide: Further information about certified hiking, mountain and climbing guides can be found at the tourist information offices in Tauplitz and Bad Mitterndorf.



Tours for experienced hikers

3 650 m 5h 5,5h 2.179 m

Tragl-Summit
The magnificent karst hike at the foot of 'Sturzahn' with a challenging ascent to the 'Tragl' summit is considered an alpine delight. It's also Heinrich Harrer's favourite climbing mountain. We recommend a 'detour' to the 'Kleiner Tragl'.

Traweng-Summit
9 450 m 3,5h 4h 1.981 m
East towards Grazerhütte - steep ascent over scree - magnificent 360° panorama of the mountains ('Totes Gebirge').

Almkogel-Summit
11 650 m 8h 8,5h 2.116 m
Long, moderately difficult round tour from the Tauplitz-Almplateau to the 'Almkogel' with marvellous panoramic views.

Roßkogel-Summit
12 715 m 5,5h 6h 1.890 m
Wonderful summit tour which starts at a lake hike at 1600 m, stunning mountain flora and impressive views of the surrounding mountains. Surefootedness required!

Walking & hiking

4 250 m 2,5h 3h 1.650 m

Around the Großsee - Märchensee - Tauplitzsee
To the Schneiderkogel, Märchensee, Ödernthörl, Großsee and Tauplitzsee lakes

5 100 m 1h 1,5h 1.650 m
Hike to Steirerseebankerl – Steirerseeblick
Eastwards to Tauplitzsee, Grazerhütte, Steirerseebankerl

6 250 m 2,5h 2,5h 1.767 m
Hike to Schneiderkogel-Summit
From Hierzegger, over the ridge to the summit, descent eastwards

7 400 m 2h 2h 1.965 m
Hike to Lawinenstein-Summit
Trail 274 to the summit (panorama) or Krallersee eastern slope

8 300 m 5h 5,5h 1.650 m
Hike to Steirersee – Schwarzensee – Leistalm
...and back.or continue to the Interhütten & Tauplitz Ort, 4 h

10 750 m 2,5h 3h 1.650 m
Hike to Tauplitz
Trail 276 via the Tauplitz middle station to Tauplitz Ort

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