CULTURE & CULINARY HIGHLIGHT TRAIL

KULTUR GENUSS WEG

Schörfling / Seewalchen

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The Culture & Culinary Highlight Trail on the north shore of Lake Attersee combines cultural highlights with culinary delights. It is an ideal walk for culture enthusiasts who want to immerse themselves more in the world of the famous painter Gustav Klimt and the summer retreat.

On the "Culture & Culinary Highlight Trail" you can stroll leisurely between the two lakeside promenades of the villages of Schörfling and Seewalchen. Beach cafés, food trucks, fish restaurants, inns and many other places invite you to slow down and linger.

Families with children enjoy following the footsteps of the people of the Bronze Age, may discover interesting facts about the pile-dwelling villages or let off steam at the numerous playgrounds along the way.

For the entire round trip, starting at the marketplace in Schörfling, you should plan two hours of time (excluding the highly recommended stops to enjoy the local food offered). Along the way you will also find numerous bus stops, which will take you back to your starting point.

THE TURQUOISE-BLUE LAKE ATTERSEE YOUR CONSTANT COMPANION!



THE VILLAGE OF SCHÖRFLING

From a cultural point of view, Schörfling am Attersee is directly connected with Gustav Klimt, who regularly spent his summer holidays at Lake Attersee. The linden tree avenue in front of the impressive Schloss Kammer was one of his most famous painting motifs.

In addition to culture, Schörfling also focuses on sports and recreation. Yachtsmen like to anchor their boats at the Schörfling Marina and equestrian sports enthusiasts can be met at the Schloss Kammer riding stables. Whether sportsman or culture buff, both may enjoy the beautiful evening atmosphere at the lake during a walk along the promenade or in one of the welcoming venues of Schörfling.





Culture, tradition, sports, and nature characterize the village of Seewalchen am Attersee. During the summer months, social life takes place along the promenade with its nice cafés and the popular lido with a diving tower.

For a short plunge into the water, we recommend the "children's pool" next to the Villa Paulick, which is very much favored by the local people. From there you can embark on a beautiful panoramic walk along the Zeitleistenweg, through the shady forest and up to the Gerlhamer Moor.



A PARISH CHURCH OF SCHÖRFLING

The characteristic parish church of Schörfling can already be seen from afar. It towers proudly on the highest point of the Agerberg at Schörfling, in the direct vicinity of the market square.

The parish church of St. Gallus is a high, late Gothic two-nave hall church with three central pillars. The start of construction works of the church tower began in 1638, the steeple in its present form has been in existence since 1873 (with a height of 60 meters). Outside of the church are the remains of the former cemetery. In 1976, the 500-year existence of the church was celebrated.



B THE EMPORER'S MEMORIAL

The emperor's memorial is a place with a special history and with a fantastic view of Lake Attersee. The beautification association of the village had this monument erected for the 40th anniversary of the reign of Emperor Franz Joseph I in 1888. The panorama path and the square have just recently been redesigned.



GALERIE ZWACH / PETRA SEISER

The gallery is attached to the old villa of the State Theater actress Käthe Dorsch, offering a wonderful view of Lake Attersee and a sculpture garden. Exhibitions with the works of Günter Brus, Hans Kupelwieser, Brigitte Kowanz, Constantin Luser, Rudi Stanzel and TOMAK / Sophia Süssmilch are organized. The gallery is open all year round and can be visited by prior arrangement.



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GUSTAV KLIMT THEME PATH & GARDEN



The theme path steles along the promenades of Kammer-Schörfling and Seewalchen present an overview of Klimt's life and work as well as the motifs of his creative work in his refuge "Atelier Sommerfrische".

Looking through the square cut-outs of some of the stelae, you may - similar to what the artist did more than 100 years ago with a cardboard "motif finder" - compose your own "Klimt landscapes".

A part of the theme trail is formed by the world's first Klimt garden in the bay of the marina.



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GUSTAV KLIMT-MUSEUM

Today, Lake Attersee presents itself as the unique place of work of the world-famous Art Nouveau artist Gustav Klimt. More than 40 of his approximately 55 well-known landscape paintings were inspired by this area.

The multimedia Klimt Museum, located on the linden avenue of Schloss Kammer, which was once painted by the artist, presents Gustav Klimt's life and work in a permanent exhibition as well as in in periodically changing special exhibitions.



G SCHLOSS KAMMER

Schloss Kammer, a moated castle dating back to the 12th century, is the most famous photo motif on Lake Attersee. Originally, the castle was built on an island, but later a direct connection was filled up, so that the castle is now located on a peninsula.

In the course of history the castle often changed its owner - among these were also the Habsburgs and Khevenhüller. Today, the castle is privately owned and can be visited only for official events.



H PILE DWELLING PAVILION

The pile-dwelling pavilion in Seewalchen provides insight into the daily routine of our Stone Age and Bronze Age ancestors, their diet and life in the village community. In a small Stone Age garden, medicinal and useful plants from this period thrive.

Specially trained pile-dwelling mediators will take you on a journey to the Stone Age and will inform you about the subject in the form of hands-on workshops. At the pile dwelling festival in summer, international participants compete for the title of "State Champion in the Dugout". The mighty wooden boats were made according to the archetype of the boats of the pile dwellers and can be visited at any time at the panorama pier in Seewalchen.



VILLA PAULICK

The Villa Paulick is a historic summer villa in Seewalchen am Attersee and is classified as a building of historic significance. Friedrich Paulick, k.u.k. Court Carpenter in Vienna, built himself this lakeside villa with a magnificent lake park, boathouse, and bathing platform in 1877. The painter Gustav Klimt and his companion, the fashion designer Emilie Flöge, were welcome guests in the historicist summer resort villa of Friedrich Paulick

Those who would like to relate to the flair of the lifestyle around 1900 today can rent private rooms during the summer months or attend one of the selected events.





PARISH CHURCH OF SEEWALCHEN

The parish church of Seewalchen, dedicated to St. James the Elder, is one of the oldest churches on Lake Attersee. It was built in the middle of the 15th century and is now a listed building. The parish church is surrounded by a beautifully landscaped cemetery, which is also home to a protected cemetery ash tree.



LAKE ATTERSEE

Lake Attersee in the Salzkammergut is not only a true gem, as far as bathing is concerned, but also a recreational area. The atmosphere is pleasantly decelerated and lucid. It is the mixture of alpine life feeling between mountain and lake and the love of music and art, which makes you breathe a sigh of relief in this place. On Lake Attersee many things are possible: recreation, enjoyment, and inspiration. Regional commitments to fish, game, natural herbs, and agricultural products make the cuisine of the Lake Attersee area so unique. As a place for summer retreat and day guests alike, Lake Attersee is also home to well-known and high-quality pastries and homemade ice cream creations.



AGER-MÜHLEN-WEG

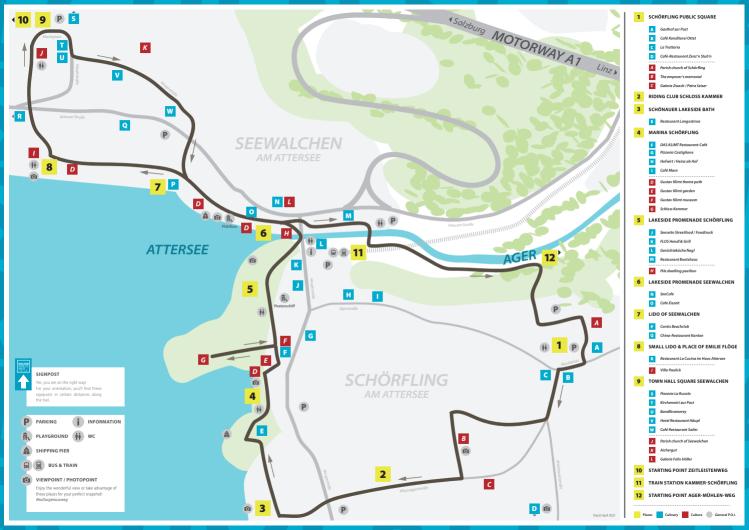
For those who want to stay longer at Lake Attersee, the adjacent Ager-Mühlen-Weg is also recommended. Starting at the Kammer train station, where the Ager river flows out of Lake Attersee, you can take a leisurely, family-friendly walk along the emerald-green waters, between shady trees, past numerous mills. A highlight about halfway is the idyllic bathing facility and the adventure playground.



ZEITLEISTENWEG

The Zeitleistenweg (timeline trail) in Seewalchen, which at the same time is the children's way to school, highlights the long history of our homeland in a lively and explorative way. How did people in the Stone Age live, how did pile dwellings develop in the lake area, what did the people eat, what clothes did they wear etc.? The present timeline trail will soon be extended to a full Lake Attersee pile-dwelling time travel and will be equipped with additional play stations and other highlights.





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