

# SUGGESTIONS FOR YOUR 2018/19 WINTER HOLIDAY IN EBENSEE AM TRAUNSEE

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#### \* Cable car ride up the Feuerkogel mountain (475–1,585 m)

In a matter of minutes, the cable car will transport you up to the heights of the Feuerkogel plateau, where a skiers' paradise opens out before you. Accessible thanks to its seven lift systems, including the 8-person gondola lift and 6-person chair lift, the ski resort is suitable for both beginners and the more advanced. The Feuerkogel plateau is particularly beloved by families with children. Well-prepared slopes, captivating panoramic views of the Salzkammergut's snow-clad mountains and lakes, skiing and snowboarding courses for children and adults as well as first-class equipment hire, avalanche safety and a downhill run for experienced skiers (unprepared, a memorable experience in suitable snow conditions and particularly in powdered snow) mark this resort apart. Special feature: Guests can look forward to an exciting winter activity programme from outdoor specialists Capricorn Adventures, complete with snowshoe hiking, igloo building and winter trekking. NEW: From the 2015/16 winter season, 46 snow canons have guaranteed snow on the slopes!

#### \* Public indoor pool

With a sauna, solarium, salt-water and aroma steam room, water shiatsu and water temperatures of around  $30^{\circ}$ C, the indoor pool certainly warms things up on a cold day. In addition to the conventional swimming pool (8 x 20 m), there is also a toddler pool for the little ones.

#### \* Visit the remarkable nativity scene exhibition

Museum.Ebensee offers a rather unusual attraction: every day from 26 December 2018 to 2 February 2019, visitors can marvel at its special nativity exhibition, featuring large Ebensee landscape scenes and some very old, never-before-displayed models. An exhibition of the illuminated headgear for the traditional, regional *Glöcklerlauf* Twelfth Night procession is also open for viewing on the top floor. Programmes that also list all the private nativity scene exhibitors are available free of charge from the Tourist Office.

#### \* Lakeside winter walks: Offensee and the Langbathseen

Lake Offensee enjoys a delightful location at the foot of the Totes Gebirge mountain range and is also a conservation area. A well-maintained hiking trail runs around its shore; coupled with its charming winter landscape and stunning mountain backdrop, it's a wonderful destination for an excursion. The Vorderer und Hinterer Langbathseen are likewise beautifully situated Alpine lakes. Both are protected areas and well worth visiting (hiking takes place on the right-hand shore – the left is used by crosscountry skiers). These tributary valleys are not served by public buses, so they can only be reached by car or taxi.

#### \* Ice skating

When the Vorderer Langbathsee and the Offensee freeze over (possible from mid January to mid February), it's time to get your skates on. If the ice conditions are good and there's no snow, you can glide across virtually the whole surface of these lakes. But take care: setting foot on the ice is entirely at your own risk. If the outside temperature gets too warm, you can always head over to the artificial ice rink in Gmunden.

#### \* Ice stock sport

Ice permitting, you can also try out this Alpine version of curling on the Vorderer Langbathsee and the Offensee.

#### \* Cross-country skiing

Take advantage of the 8 or 13 km groomed trail on the left-hand shore of the Vorderer and Hinterer Langbathseen, leading to the Landgasthof Kreh country inn, another point of access onto the trail.

#### \* Sledding with a team of huskies

Bernd and Christa Spiessberger and their dogs can be found in the meadows by the wintry Lake Offensee. They offer guests a variety of options by prior arrangement (please book well in advance): husky adventure days, husky hikes, husky sledding and husky skijoring. A one-of-a-kind experience in splendid natural surroundings.

#### \* Ski tours and snowshoe hiking

The magnificent mountain world surrounding Ebensee also offers some great opportunities for exciting ski tours and snowshoe hikes. Particularly attractive options are available in the Höllengebirge and on the Feuerkogel plateau, where there are six marked trails, and, from 7 February 2018, a guided snowshoe adventure every Wednesday. The Tourist Office is happy to provide a range of suggestions.

#### \* Salzkammergut Winter Card

Around 68 partner companies in the region, listed in a separate brochure, offer adults discounts of up to 25% on admission and travel tickets. The Card costs €4.90 and is valid for the duration of your stay from 1 November to 30 April. Even better, it's free for guests staying three or more nights in the Traunsee area. The Salzkammergut Card is available from the Ebensee Tourist Office.

#### \* Visiting Ebensee's museums

There are three museums in Ebensee: the MUSEUM.EBENSEE, the Zeitgeschichte-Museum (Museum of Contemporary History) and the Naturmuseum (Natural History Museum). Each boasts an array of fascinating objects, documents, photographs, original artefacts and much more besides. These museums offer a real experience and are definitely well worth the visit!

#### \* Cinema

The local cinema presents a diverse programme of films and concerts. It's open on Thursdays, Saturdays, Sundays and public holidays, occasionally also on Tuesdays.

#### \* Visiting the lending library

The public parish and community library is housed in the Rathaus (Town Hall), where a large selection of books awaits. DVDs can also be rented out and every Friday it hosts a toy library for children.

#### \* Winter hike to the Rindbach Waterfall

On winter days, you can also take a walk along the Rindbach to the Rindbach Waterfall (walking time approx. 30 minutes from the car park). There are beautiful ice formations to be seen when the temperatures fall.

### \* Visit the Catholic parish church and walk to the Kalvarienberg Chapel

A visit to the 1729 baroque parish church, dedicated to St Joseph, is well worth your while, as is a climb up to the Kalvarienberg Chapel, with its outstanding wood carvings accompanying the Stations of the Cross. A gorgeous view of Ebensee and Traunsee rewards you at the chapel.

#### \* Day trips

Its central location in the Salzkammergut region makes Ebensee an ideal base for quick and easy excursions to all sorts of destinations in Austria. DISTANCES: Bad Ischl 17 km Gmunden 17 km

Bad Ischl	17 km	Gmunden	17 km
Linz	85 km	Vienna	240 km
Salzburg	85 km		

All ski centres in the Salzkammergut region within a 50 km radius can be reached in no time.

#### \* Get involved in the rich programme of events

Dozens of events are held here, especially in the winter months. Whether Christmas markets, traditional folk events, concerts, nativity scene exhibitions, balls or other society or dance events, there is always something going on in Ebensee.

### CHRISTMAS IN EBENSEE from 1 December 2018 to 6 January 2019



Whether Christmas markets, Ebensee nativity scenes, church festivals or the traditional *Glöcklerlauf* procession, Ebensee has a variety of cultural highlights on tap during the Advent and Christmas period. Its hallmark is its devotion to pure and authentic traditional customs, lovingly preserved by many an Ebensee resident. Separate Christmas events are also put on for the children. Thus, the

community at the southern tip of Lake Traunsee may deservedly call itself the centre of Salzkammergut folk culture and tradition especially during this "most peaceful" time of the year. Please take a look at our calendar of events on pages 4 and 5.

### EBENSEE CHRISTMAS MARKET From 3 to 7 p.m. on 8 & 9 and 15 & 16 December 2018



This year, the welcoming Christmas market returns for another display of festive tradition. Entitled "Winter Customs", Ebensee takes the Advent period as an opportunity to show visitors not only row upon row of enticing stalls, but also how traditional practices in the Traunsee community are kept alive and the craftsmanship that they require. Among the delights on display, you can therefore expect to see some local artisans presenting their work.

The market is situated on Marktgasse in the town centre.

### EBENSEE KRIPPERLROAS from 25 December 2018 to 2 February 2019



Every Christmas, a strongly-rooted Ebensee tradition is played out: setting up Krippen or nativity scenes. Preparations often take weeks, as the scenes are carefully adorned with moss, sprigs of conifer, roots and ivy, and sometimes include up to 1,000 figures. The oldest models date back to the 18th century; some of the figures were even carved by sculptor Johann Georg Schwanthaler or one of his pupils. In general, there are two types: the oriental manger scene and the Ebensee landscape scene. Visitors can now go on a tour from scene to scene, called a Kripperlroas. From 26 December to 2 February, you can visit the nativity scene exhibition at Museum. Ebensee, which displays large landscape scenes and also boasts an exhibition

of headgear from the Glöckler parade. From 25 December 2017 to 2 February 2018, approximately ten wonderful private scenes and the church nativity models can also be admired. A detailed map showing all the exhibitors plus visiting times is available free of charge from the Ebensee Tourist Office, where you can also get the dates for the guided Kripperlroas.

### GLOCKLERLAUF on 5 January 2019, 6 p.m.



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One of the most eye-catching traditional events is the approximately 160-year-old Twelfth Night custom of the Ebensee Glöcklerlauf procession. Ebensee is the heart and the origin of this custom, leading it to win UNESCO Intangible Cultural Heritage status in 2010. The idea behind the Glöcklerlauf is to attract the blessings of good spirits and drive away evil ones. The *Glöcklerpassen* (teams taking part in the procession) meet between 6 and 7 p.m. in the centre of town and then make their way through Ebensee's districts. The Glöckler wear headgear weighing up to 20 kg, plus large bells attached to leather belts. At 6 p.m. on the dot, a gun salute announces the start of the parade, which takes place whatever the weather. Those interested in how these artworks are made can visit the large Town Hall chamber on 5 January from 10 a.m. to 5

p.m. to see the headwear of some of the participants. Museum. Ebensee offers a permanent Glöckler headwear exhibition during opening hours.



### EBENSEE FASCHING from 2 to 6 March 2019

Joyous and carefree, clownish and chaotic the Ebensee Fasching or carnival virtually defies description. Young or old, almost everyone joins in the frolics of the so-called "Ebensee National Holiday".

It all starts with the official carnival opening, which heralds a string of dance events and masked balls over the following weeks, offering the chance for a knees-up and good entertainment.

On Fasching weekend itself, things really get going. The children's carnival parade takes place on the Saturday, while on the Sunday it's the adults' turn to take centre stage at the big Ebensee Fasching parade. Monday is the day for probably the most

extraordinary procession of all - the Fetzenzug (Rag Parade) with its subsequent lively celebrations in

local inns. The *Fetzenzug* is about 120 years old and was awarded UNESCO Intangible Cultural Heritage status in 2011.

After Ash Wednesday, when the carnival figure is ceremoniously burned on the banks of the River Traun, there is only one wish in mind, voiced in the first few lines of the Rag Parade March: *"Faschingtag, Faschingtag, kimm na boid wieda*!" ("Carnival, carnival, come back soon!").

### **EVENT PREVIEW 2018/19**

Programme subject to change

1 Dec 12 a.m.	Bezirksseniorenheim	Christmas market
	n. Former Langwies	15th Christmas market held by the Langwies volunteer
	Primary School	fire brigade
2 Dec 2 p.m.	Bauernhof Rainbacher	Advent on the Farm – Christmas market with lots of
· · ·		children's activities (€ per child)
9 Dec 2–5 p.m.	Clubhouse Rindbachstr. 25	Model Railway Enthusiasts club train-running day
8 & 9 Dec 3–7 p.m.	Marktgasse	Ebensee Christmas market
14 & 21 Dec 5 p.m.	Bauernhof Rainbacher	Advent for Children – fairy tales
1	m. Bauernhof Steinkogler	Advent for Children – Kasermandlsepperl fairy tale
15 & 16 Dec 3-7 p.n		Ebensee Christmas market
16 Dec 5 p.m.	Museum.Ebensee	Opening of the 34th nativity scene exhibition
24 Dec 10 a.m4 p.r	n. Clubhouse Rindbachstr. 25	Model Railway Enthusiasts club train-running day
24 Dec 10 p.m.	Roith church	Festive Christmas service followed by bugle call from
-		the tower
24 Dec Midnight	Ebensee parish church	Midnight Mass with church choir and orchestra
25 Dec 8.15 a.m	Roith church	Festive service with Roith Choir
25 Dec 9.45 a.m	Ebensee parish church	High Mass with church choir and orchestra
25 Dec 2018–	Private houses and	Ebensee Kripperlroas – exhibition of around ten
2 Feb 2019	Catholic parish church	private nativity scenes and the large church nativity
26 Dec 10 a.m.	Gasthof Auerhahn	Krambamberl singing by the AGV Kohlröserl
26 Dec 2018–	Museum.Ebensee	35th special nativity scene exhibition with large
2 Feb 2019		Ebensee landscape scenes and a Glöckler headwear
		exhibition, daily 1–5 p.m.
28 Dec 2 p.m.	Meet at the Tourist Office	Guided Kripperlroas visiting the museum and to see
		private nativity scenes with Dr. Franz Gillesberger
28 Dec 7 p.m.	Event hall school centre	New Year concert by the Ebensee Music Friends
31 Dec 4 p.m.	Catholic parish church	Year-end prayers with music from the church choir
		and orchestra
4 Jan 2 p.m.	Meet at the Tourist Office	Guided Kripperlroas visiting the museum and to see
<b>5 1 1 2 0</b>	<b>F</b> 1 · · · · ·	private nativity scenes with Dr. Franz Gillesberger
	n. Ebensee parish church	Carol singing and mass
-	n. Town hall chamber	Exhibition of all of the <i>Glöckler</i> headwear
5 Jan 6 p.m.	Town centre	Traditional Ebensee <i>Glöcklerlauf</i> procession with
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	m. Various exhibition sites	Glöckler headwear exhibition
-	n. Clubhouse Rindbachstr. 25	Model Railway Enthusiasts club train-running day
9 Jan 2 p.m.	Museum.Ebensee	<i>Kripperlroas</i> tour visiting the museum and various
16 Jan 2 p.m.	Museum.Ebensee	private nativity scenes <i>Kripperlroas</i> tour visiting the museum and various
10 Jan 2 p.m.	Museum.Ebensee	private nativity scenes
23 Jan 2 p.m.	Museum.Ebensee	<i>Kripperlroas</i> tour visiting the museum and various
25 <b>Jan</b> 2 p.m.	Museum.Ebensee	private nativity scenes
30 Jan 2 p.m.	Museum.Ebensee	Kripperlroas tour visiting the museum and various
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6 Feb- 10.30 a.m.	Feuerkogel mountain	Guided snowshoe adventure every Wednesday
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2 Mar 2 p.m.	Bahnhofstraße	Children's Fasching (carnival) Parade
3 Mar 2 p.m.	Bahnhofstraße	Ebensee <i>Fasching</i> (carnival) Parade
3 Mar 8 p.m.	Gasthaus Roitherwirt	Roith Fire Brigade Ball
4 Mar 3 p.m.	Gasthaus Neuhütte	Traditional Ebensee Fetzenzug (Rag Parade)
5 Mar 3 p.m.	Town hall park	$Nu\beta$ - $Nu\beta$ event when sweets or nuts are given to children
6 Mar 3 p.m.	Banks of the River Traun	Carnival bonfire followed by <i>Heringschmaus</i> (Lenten
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16 Mar 11 a.m.	Feuerkogel mountain	19th Feuerkogel nostalgia skiing festival with nostalgia
	0	skiing races
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For all other dates, please refer to the monthly events calendar, available free of charge from the Ebensee Tourist Office.



### FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

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# RECREATIONAL ACTIVITIES: PRICES WINTER 2018/19

Prices subject to change!

### ALPINE SKIING

#### FEUERKOGEL FAMILY SKI RESORT

1 cable car, 1 8-person "Jetbahn" lift, 1 6-person chairlift, 5 T-bar lifts, 2 magic carpets for small children Slopes: 5 km blue, 6 km red, 5 km black (2 km of which is an unprepared downhill run)



Feuerkogel cable car (15 Dec 2016-31 March 2019, daily) Running times: 8.15 a.m.-5 p.m., on the hour and halfhour, continuous operation as required Lifts 8.30 a.m.-4 p.m., continuous operation

#### Prices for Feuerkogel cable car & all lift systems

(PHOTO required for passes of 2 days+) PEAK SEASON: 21 Dec 2018-6 Jan 2019, 2 Feb-17 Mar 2019

	Adults	Young adults	Children Seniors
		16–18 yrs	6–15 yrs
3-hour pass	€ 31,40	€ 20,70	€ 13,30 € 29,20
4-hour pass	€ 33,30	€ 22,00	€ 14,10 € 31,00
5-hour pass	€ 35,30	€ 23,30	€ 14,90 € 32,80
1-day pass	€ 38,70	€ 25,60	€ 16,40 € 36,00
1.5-day pass	€ 68,00	€ 44,90	€ 28,80 € 63,20
2-day pass	€ 75,10	€ 49,60	€ 31,80 € 69,90
2.5-day pass	€104,20	€ 68,80	€ 44,10 € 96,90
3-day pass	€111,90	€ 73,90	€ 47,40 €104,10
4-day pass	€146,40	€ 96,60	€ 61,90 €136,20
5-day pass	€170,40	€112,50	€ 72,10 €158,50
6-day pass	€194,50	€128,30	€ 82,30 €180,80
7-day pass	€218,10	€143,90	€ 92,30 €202,80

LOW SEASON: 7 Jan-1 Feb 2019, 18-31 Mar 2019			
	Adults	Young adult	s Children Seniors
		16–18 yrs	6–15 yrs
3-hour pass	€ 29,20	€ 19,30	€ 12,30 € 27,10
4-hour pass	€ 31,00	€ 20,40	€ 13,10 € 28,80
5-hour pass	€ 32,80	€ 21,60	€ 13,90 € 30,50
1-day pass	€ 36,00	€ 23,80	€ 15,20 € 33,50
1.5-day pass	€ 63,20	€ 41,70	€ 26,70 € 58,80
2-day pass	€ 69,90	€ 46,10	€ 29,60 € 65,00
2.5-day pass	€ 96,90	€ 64,00	€ 41,00 € 90,10
3-day pass	€104,10	€ 68,70	€ 44,00 € 96,80
4-day pass	€136,20	€ 89,90	€ 57,60 €126,60
5-day pass	€158,50	€104,60	€ 67,10 €147,40
6-day pass	€180,80	€119,40	€ 76,50 €168,20
7-day pass	€202,80	€133,90	€ 85,80 €188,60

#### Feuerkogel cable car prices

	Adults	Young adults	Children
		16–18 yrs	6–15 yrs
Ascent & descent	€23.00	€ 17.10	€11.40
Ascent & descent for groups	€ 19.50	€ 15.90	€ 9.80
"Taster" ticket (after 2 p.m.)	€18.60	€ 13.90	€ 9.20
Ascent or descent	€ 16.70	€ 12.70	€ 8.40

Groups = closed adult groups of 20+,

groups of 20+ children and young adults Discounted tariffs on request = seniors, disabled people, etc. Family discount = adult plus min. 1 child at a reduced tariff, 3rd & subsequent children free (proof of family affiliation required)

#### FAMILY TICKETS

These are available for 3/4/5 hours up to 10 days 1 adult & 1 child =  $\notin 39.10$  to  $\notin 371.20$ 2 adults & 2 children =  $\notin 78.20$  to  $\notin 742.40$ 

#### SALZKAMMERGUT COMBI-TICKET

Combi-ticket for the ski areas: Feuerkogel, Dachstein-West, Dachstein-Krippenstein, Werfenweng, Lungötz, Abtenau and St Martin.

Photo required! Each ski resort (160 km of slopes with 65 lifts) is easily accessible and not too far away. Discounted tariffs in low season!

	Adults	Young adults	Children	Seniors
		16–18 yrs	6–15 yrs	
1,5-day pass	€ 80,2	0 € 50,50	€ 36,10	€ 76,20
2- day pass	€ 89,2	0 € 56,20	€ 40,20	€ 84,80
2,5-day pass	€122,3	0 € 77,10	€ 55,00	€116,20
3-day pass	€132,7	0 € 83,60	€ 59,70	€126,10
4-day pass	€173,5	0 €109,30	€ 78,10	€164,80
5-day pass	€202,9	0 €127,90	€ 91,30	€192,80

#### SPECIAL-OFFER DAY

As of 9 January, every Wednesday is Special-Offer Day on the Feuerkogel mountain, when adults can get ski passes at the group rate (not during Upper Austrian school holidays).

#### **SNOW PHONE**

Get updates on current snow and weather conditions every day from 9 a.m. by calling +43 6133-5397.



Feuerkogel Cable Car Rudolf-Ippisch-Platz 4 – Tel. +43 50 140 Email: <u>info@feuerkogel.info</u> <u>www.feuerkogel.info</u>



#### FEUERKOGEL SKI & SNOWBOARDING SCHOOL On the Feuerkogel plateau

**Dates:** 24–28 Dec 2018, 31 Dec 2018–5 Jan 2019, 4–8 Feb 2019, 11–15 Feb 2019, 18–22 Feb 2019, 25 Feb–1 Mar 2019, 4-8 Mar 2019

and by arrangement. COURSE TIMES: 9.30 a.m.-12.30 p.m. Minimum enrolment age 4 years; minimum 6 participants, maximum 12.

Ski or	Junior course
snowboarding course	3 hours daily
3- or 4-day	€142
5-day	€162

Private lessons (e.g. for adults): package rate 1 hour 1-5 people €63-104, all other package prices for 2-10 hours on request. Also possible: guided snowshoe hikes School and youth groups (groups up to max. 12 people) Ski instructor day rate on request

#### EQUIPMENT HIRE

Alpine kit TOP	Snow- board kit (	Kids' kit 70–140 cm)	Snowshoes
		,	€ 12,-
,	,	,	€ 22,-
€ 73,-	€ 59,-	€ 37,-	€ 29,-
€ 89,-	€ 71,-	€ 44,-	€ 36,-
€105,-	€ 84,-	€ 53,-	€ 42,-
€120,-	€ 96,-	€ 60,-	€ 48,-
€ 16,-	€ 15,-	€ 8,-	€ 7,-
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	Touring kit	Kids' ski helmet	Kids' kit till 11 y.	Adults' helmet
1 day	€ 30,-	€ 4,-	€ 10,-	€ 4,-
2 days	€ 54,-	€ 7,-	€ 18,-	€ 7,-
3 days	€ 73,-	€ 9,-	€ 24,-	€10,-
4 days	€ 89,-	€ 10,-	€ 30,-	€12,-
5 days	€105,-	€ 11,-	€ 35,-	€14,-
6 days	€120,-	€ 12,-	€ 40,-	€16,-
Extended day	€ 16,-	€ 2,-	€ 8,-	€ 4,-

#### Feuerkogel Ski & Snowboarding School

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Homepage: <u>www.skischule-feuerkogel.at</u>



### TOURING AND SNOWSHOE HIKING

With its awe-inspiring natural wonders and unique panoramic vistas, the Höllengebirge range is a paradise for fans of hiking tours. The tour from the Feuerkogel mountain back to the Riederhütte (closed in winter 2019) and up the Großer Höllkogel is particularly popular! But snowshoeing also offers numerous options for an unforgettable experience.

SNOWSHOE TICKET: Ascent and descent on the Feuerkogel cable car + snowshoe hire €28.70, children €13.60 GUIDED SNOWSHOE EXPERIENCE:

Every Wednesday from 6 Feb, meet at the mountain station at 10.30 a.m.

### **CROSS-COUNTRY SKIING**

Free, groomed trail along the shores of the Langbathseen lakes. Access point I: Vorderer Langbathsee car park (trail length 8 km); access point II: Landgasthof Kreh (length: 13 km). Highly recommended thanks to the nature reserve's uniquely beautiful winter landscape. See page 5 for the trail map.

# INDOOR POOL WITH SAUNA AND SOLARIUMS

Hauptstraße 34, Tel. +43 6133-705155, www.ebensee.at

#### **OPENING TIMES:**

Monday to Friday 3–8.30 p.m. Saturday, Sunday and public holidays 2–8 p.m. CLOSED: 24 Dec/25 Dec/31 Dec/1 Jan/4 Mar

#### SAUNA (during pool opening times):

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WOMEN	Monday 4–8.30 p.m.
MIXED	Tuesday to Friday 4–8.30 p.m.
	Saturday, Sunday and public holidays 2-8 p.m.
Mixed sauna	only on 26-30 Dec, 2-6 Jan, 18-22 Feb and 25-
29 Mar.	

PRICES:	Adults	Children (6–15)
Day pass	€ 6.70	€ 4.40
Block of 10	€ 61.30	€ 41.20
Sauna incl. indoor pool	€ 10.60	€ -
Block of 10, sauna	€ 100.30	€ -
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All other prices on request (e.g. for evening admission, brine steam inhalation, swimwear hire, etc.).

### EUROTHERME BAD ISCHL

Voglhuberstr. 10, 4820 Bad Ischl, **D** +436132-204 <u>www.eurothermen.at</u>

Thermal spa in neighbouring Bad Ischl (17 km distance). Also easy to reach by bus and train. Open daily 9 a.m.-midnight, saunas 11 a.m.-midnight

	Adults	Children (3–15)
Spa admission 4 hrs	€19.50	<b>€</b> 14.50
Spa admission/day	€22.00	€16.50
Spa & sauna/day	€27.00	
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All other prices or discounts on request.

### INDOOR TENNIS COURTS in the area

(each 17 km from Ebensee):

Tennishalle Bad Ischl (3 carpet/granulate courts), Tel. +43 660-1557110, <u>www.tennis04.com/badischl</u> Tennishalle Gmunden (4 carpet courts), Tel. +43 7612-794388

### ICE RINK Gmunden (17 km from Ebensee):

Tel. +43 7612-794383



### **INDOOR GO-KART TRACK**

**Kartworld Ebensee**, Webereistraße 8, Tel. +43 6133-20594, <u>www.kartworld-ebensee.at</u>

#### **OPENING TIMES:**

Friday, Saturday, Sunday and public holidays from 2 p.m. Wednesday & Thursday from 5 p.m.

During Upper Austrian holidays Wed–Sun from 2 p.m. For groups over 8 persons: any time by appointment.

Single turn (10 min.)	€13		
Double turn (2 x 10 min.)	€25		
Day ticket	€60		
Block of 10 (10 turns, 10 min. each)	<b>€</b> 110		
Children up to 12 years, single turn	<b>€</b> 10		
Young people up to 17 years	<b>€</b> 11		
Group offer: race up to 8 on the grid (10 min.			
training, 5 min. qualifying, 10 min. racing)	€260		

Rib and neck guards mandatory for children and young people.

Further prices on request (team racing, hire, etc.)

# SIGHTSEEING OPTIONS

#### SPECIAL NATIVITY SCENE EXHIBITION, MUSEUM.EBENSEE, Hauptstraße 27:

 \$\Psi\$ +43 676-83940778 www.museumebensee.at

 26 Dec 2018-2 Feb 2019
 \$1-5 p.m.

Admission:		
Adults	€6	Schoolchildren/students €2
Groups	€4	Guided tour: €l per person

### NATIVITY SCENE DISPLAY AT TEN PRIVATE HOUSES:

25 Dec 2018–2 Feb 2019 all day (except lunchtime) FREE NATIVITY SCENE MAP AVAILABLE FROM THE EBENSEE TOURIST OFFICE

#### **CATHOLIC PARISH CHURCH:** <sup>(D)</sup> +43 6133-5263

Visit the parish church and its beautiful nativity scene from 25 Dec 2018 to 2 Feb 2019, daily from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. (on 5 Jan from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m.).

### CONTEMPORARY HISTORY MUSEUM

#### Kirchengasse 5: ① +43 6133-5601 www.memorial-ebensee.at

Artefacts including 2,500 books, thousands of documents and photographs chronicle the march of history up to 1918, Austrian Fascism and National Socialism, as well as the period until the Second Republic.

Open Tuesday–Friday, 10 a.m.–5 p.m. (Closed 22 Dec 2018–1 Jan 2019 and 5–8 Jan 2019)

Admission: adults €6, young people €3.50

### SALZKAMMERGUT MUSEUM OF NATURAL HISTORY Langwieserstr. 111: 0 +43 6133-3218,

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"Meeting Point Nature" demonstrates the uniqueness of local animal and plant species, plus educational trail, biotope, etc.

Monday-Friday 10 a.m.-5 p.m., last admission 4 p.m., Sat/Sun/public holidays see home page (closed 24/25/31 Dec, 1 Jan) 25 Dec 2018-2 Feb 2019: Gratzer Steffel crib Admission:

Adults	<b>€</b> 6.90	Children	€4.90
Groups	€6.50	Family ticket	€l4.90

### PUBLIC LIBRARY

Hauptstraße 34: © +43 6133-705146

www.ebensee.bvoe.at

Open Monday, Wednesday and Friday from 3-6 p.m.

### ADDITIONAL OFFERS for Active Winter Sports December 2018–March 2019

#### **TRAUNSEE WINTER BONUS**

+Feuerkogel guided snow-shoe adventure Every Wednesday from 6 Feb-27 Mar 2019, weather permitting.

Meet in front of the Drachenpark Hut for a 10.30 a.m. start. Group hike on the Helmeskogel or Alberfeldkogel mountain.

Duration: approx. 2.5 hours.

**Price: FREE** upon purchasing a cable car ticket Information: Feuerkogel ski school, Wolfgang Neuhuber Tel. +43 699-11984221 or Ebensee Tourist Office, Tel. +43 6133-8016



#### **CAPRICORN ADVENTURES**

Michael Antoni, Langbathstraße 54/8, 4802 Ebensee Tel. +43 676 51 56 308, <u>www.capricorn-adventures.at</u>

All prices exclusive of equipment rental and ride on the Feuerkogel cable car!

#### +Half-day snowshoe hike

From 4 people, flexible dates. Morning (start 9 a.m.) or afternoon (start 1 p.m.). Possible destinations: Alberfeldkogel, Helmeskogel, Hinteres EdItal. Duration: approx. 3-3.5 hours. **Price: €160** half-day per guide

#### +Full-day snowshoe hike

From 4 people, flexible dates. Start 9 a.m., duration approx. 6 hours. Possible destinations: Rieder Hütte, Hochschneid, Höllkogel, Eiblgupf. Price: €240 per guide

#### +Private GUIDE

Private excursions accompanied by trained guides, offering extraordinary insights into the local mountain landscape: a veritable winter adventure! Maximum 4 people. Half day (approx. 3 hours) €160 Full day (approx. 6 hours) €240

#### +Snowshoeing & archery

Equipped with bow & arrow and snowshoes, we explore the wintry landscape. A few orientation tasks lead us to the outdoor targets. Target archery, 3D archery, "balloon bang". From 6 participants, flexible dates. Duration: 9 a.m.-12 noon or 1-4 p.m. **Price: €45** p.p.

# +For groups of 20 plus, we gladly plan and organise customised SNOW EVENTS!

We can arrange the perfect programme for your group, company or club from a variety of options, such as a snowshoe biathlon, laser clay pigeon shooting, the Feuerkogel Trophy, Polar Camp and many more. Complete packages including cable car, overnight stay on the mountain and support.

#### Sliding price scale for groups of 20 people or over.

#### WANDER-BAR

Christina Hainzl, Kalvarienberggasse, 4802 Ebensee Tel. +43 680 5569635, <u>www.wander-bar.at</u>

#### GUIDED WINTER TOURS Langbathsee area:

Vorderer Signalkogel. Duration 2 hours, with or without snowshoes (depending on snow conditions), minimum 2 participants. Price per person: €25

Farnaugupf. Duration 3½ hours, with or without snowshoes (depending on snow conditions), minimum 3 participants. Price per person: €35

Full-moon lake tour. Duration 2 hours, with or without snowshoes (depending on snow conditions), around the Vorderer and Hinterer Langbathsee lakes. Departing at 6.30 p.m., minimum 4 participants. Price per person: €10

#### Offensee area:

Hiaslalm. Duration 3½ hours, also possible in snow-free conditions. Start 10.30 a.m., minimum 2 participants. Price per person: €35

**Full-moon lake tour.** Duration 1½ hours, with or without snowshoes (depending on snow conditions), around Lake Offensee. Departing at 6.30 p.m., minimum 4 participants.

Price per person: €10

#### Ebensee area:

**Rindbach Waterfall.** Duration 2 hours, with or without snowshoes (depending on snow conditions), minimum 3 participants.

Price per person: €15

#### Kalvarienberg-Katzenwoferlklause-Kohlstatt-

Bartlberg. Duration 2 hours, only possible in snow-free conditions, minimum 2 participants. Price per person: €18

**Theory course for perfect tour preparation.** Duration: maximum 2 hours. Content: avalanche transceivers, route planning, maps/orientation, first aid. This course is offered in poor weather or in combination with a tour.

Minimum 3 participants. **Price per person:** €15 for theory; €8 in combination with a tour

Individual tour by request. 1 unit = 1½ hours, minimum 1 participant. Price per unit and person: €45 for 1 person, €30 for 2 people, each additional person €18



#### HUSKYTRAUM.AT

Bernd & Christa Spiessberger, Steinkogelstraße 27, 4802 Ebensee

Tel. +43 676 7229715, <u>www.huskytraum.at</u>

Applicable to all offers: please bring weatherproof and warm clothing to suit weather conditions, sturdy footwear with a good grip, gloves for holding the lines. Meeting point: huskytraum.at ranch Dates: by arrangement.

#### HUSKY ADVENTURE DAY:

- An introduction to the fascinating world of sled dogs - Correct handling, nutrition, character, pulling sport, pack behaviour, care and much more besides

- Get to know our sled dogs outdoors
- Have a cuddle with our huskies
- Souvenir photo

Maximum 10 participants; duration: approx. 2 hours

#### Price:

€20 per person €10 per child from 6 to 11 years Children under 6 go free.

#### **HUSKY HIKE:**

- Learn about the dogs and the equipment followed by a husky hike in the inner Salzkammergut region in a captivating natural landscape formed by landslides. Walking time approx. 2 hours (approx. 8–10 km) on a wide gravel path running right past lakes. Then it's back to the Huskytraum ranch.

- After this unforgettable experience, the day draws to a leisurely close in our traditional wooden cabins on the ranch.

- Souvenir photo of the hike.

Maximum 15 participants; duration: approx. 4 hours

#### Price:

€49 per adult over 16 years €29 per child from 6 to 15 years

#### **HUSKY SLEDDING:**

Some theory as an introduction and then you can learn how to work with these wonderful, intriguing animals.Instruction in equipment handling and commands.

- Then the adventure can begin; feel the adrenalin kick in on the Lake Offensee trail (approx. 3 km) with two to four dogs from our team. A unique experience that will live long in the memory.

- Then it's back to the ranch where the dogs are given some well-earned dinner.

- After this unforgettable experience, the day draws to a leisurely close in our traditional wooden cabins on the ranch.

- Souvenir photo of the sled ride.

Please note: Sledding with the huskies can only take place at temperatures of under 15°C and in appropriate snow conditions.

Maximum 10 participants; duration: approx. 5-6 hours

#### Price:

€79 per adult and children aged 12 plus (driving the sled themselves)

€49 per child from 9 to 12 years (driving the sled themselves)

€29 per child from 6 to 9 years (passengers in the sled) €19 per companion (taking part in the full programme – except sled ride)

### **CLUB ACTIVITIES**

#### **EBENSEE PHOTOGRAPHY CLUB**

Contact: Chairman Christian Steglegger, Schulgasse 2, 4802 Ebensee <u>ebenseer.fotoklub@drei.at</u>, <u>www.ebenseer-fotoklub.at</u>

**Club night every 1st and 3rd Tuesday of the month**, 7 p.m., Arbeiterheim Ebensee, Schulgasse 4, 4802 Ebensee, ground floor, main entrance.

The aim of the club is to enjoy a creative and practical recreational activity on the exciting subject of photography, open to both members and non-members. Club nights involve discussing and working on images. **Participation fee:** free

#### ASKÖ EBENSEE, rifle shooting section

Contact: Chairman Herbert Schwaiger, 4802 Ebensee, Tel. +43 676 3581062, <u>www.schuetzenverein-askoe-</u> <u>ebensee.at</u>

Clubhouse: ASKÖ sports club, Langwieserstraße 1, 4802 Ebensee

**Shooting with air rifles or air guns**, 10 m distance, dates by prior arrangement. Each participant may fire sighting shots and 20 scoring shots.

**Participation fee:** €5 per person. The participation fee increases to €10 per participant for a higher number of rounds.

#### Ebensee Model Railway Enthusiasts (MEFE)

Contact: Chairman Erich Lipp Clubhouse: Rindbachstraße 25, 4802 Ebensee Tel. +43 676 9342606, <u>www.austria-mefe.at</u>

Visit the approx. 100 m<sup>2</sup> clubhouse and see the model layouts on display – including the original replica of the Feuerkogel cable car and Schafberg rack railway. Possibility to **chat to** the club's members or even do some model building. Duration 1–2 hours, by appointment only. **Participation fee:** voluntary donations

#### **EBENSEE CHESS CLUB**

Contact: Siegfried Ellinger, 4802 Ebensee, Tel. +43 6133 4041 The club plays at the Hotel Post Ebensee, Hauptstraße 19

**Chess played every Thursday** from 5 p.m. **Chess played every Sunday**, 9 a.m.-12 p.m. **Participation fee:** free

#### TIROLERHÄUSL CROSSBOW SHOOTING EBENSEE

Contact: Klaus Feichtinger, 4802 Ebensee, Tel. +43 676 87813138 Clubhouse: Gasthaus Tirolerhäusl, Almhausstraße 59, www.stahelschuetzen.at

"Stahelschießen" – crossbow shooting Salzkammergutstyle with a small crossbow at 5 m distance, by prior arrangement. Each participant may fire 1 sighting shot and 2 x 5 scoring shots.

**Participation fee:** €7 per person from a minimum of 10 people. For fewer than 10 people, package fee €70 (higher number of rounds per participant).

#### **ILSE KÖNIG STUDIO**

Contact: Ilse König, Bahnhofstraße 17, 4802 Ebensee Tel. +43 650 6819531

**Painting** with professional guidance for beginners and advanced painters.

Daily, please call to arrange in advance.

Ms König looks forward to spending some creative time with guests.

Participation fee: €15 per hour

#### ICE STOCK SPORT ON ASPHALT

Contact: Ernst Felsecker, Tel. +43 650 5105042 Sports complex: UNION Asphaltstockhalle, Seewinkel 1 A,

4802 Ebensee

## Play as a team or take target shots with asphalt curling stones.

Asphalt ice stocks, or curling stones, are available; competitions can last upwards of 1 hour. Any time by arrangement.

**Participation fee:**  $\[mathbf{eff}\]$  per person/hour from a minimum of 10 people. For fewer than 10 people, package fee of  $\[mathbf{eff}\]$  per hour.

#### FITNESS STUDIO

Contact: Franz Kaltenbrunner, Tel. +43 664 6172337 Sports complex: Eisenbahner Sportverein, Gartenstraße 14,

4802 Ebensee

**Exercise and fitness training** for Traunsee's overnight guests. Modern equipment for fitness and strength training, sauna available from 4 p.m. Open all year round from 7.30 a.m. to 9 p.m. with access chips. **Participation fee:** €5 per person until 2 p.m., €7 per person from 2 p.m.

#### **WEEKLY ACTIVITIES**

#### Every Monday – Spine Training at Ebensee Indoor Pool

08.30-10.00 a.m., entry 8.15 a.m., participation fee €6.20 + €4.30 concessions Information: Helga Lidauer, qualified health and wellness coach, tel. +43 650 3325997

## Every Monday – Baby Swimming at Ebensee Indoor Pool

10 a.m.-12 p.m., for babies and infants from 3 to 36 months.

For information contact Angela Gallistl, tel. +43 6132 25850, or the Austrian Babyswim Association at <u>www.austrianbabyswim.at</u>

#### Every Monday - Yoga for Beginners and Advanced

6-7.30 p.m., Oberbank/1st floor, Hauptstraße 9. Participation fee: €10 Registration: Tamara Gorofsky, tel. +43 664 3864800,

www.tamara-yoga-klang.at



#### Every Monday – Running Group

7 p.m., meet at the corner of Almhausstraße/Gartenstraße. For anyone interesting in running. Duration: approx. 1 hour. Information: Laufklub Ebensee, Chairman Wolfgang Derfler, +43 676 87812190

# Every Tuesday – Parent & Child Café (except public holidays and school holidays)

3-5 p.m., Bärli Parent & Child Centre (at the Arbeiterheim). Casual meet-up for fun and play. Information: Eltern-Kind-Zentrum Bärli, Schulgasse 4, +43 676 88566421, <u>ekiz.salzkammergut@kinderfreunde.cc</u>

# Every Tuesday – Yoga for Beginners and Advanced Practitioners

5.15-6.45 p.m. & 7-8.30 p.m., Oberbank/1<sup>st</sup> floor, Hauptstraße 9. Participation fee: €10 Registration: Tamara Gorofsky, tel. +43 664 3864800, www.tamara-yoga-klang.at

#### **Every Tuesday – Pilates**

6-7 p.m., Bahnhofstraße 3a/M3 Tagesheimstätte für Behinderte, 1st floor gymnasium. Participation fee: €10. Please register by phone and wear comfortable clothing & warm socks. Information: Helga Heißl, tel. +43 676 6021018, qualified spine training, Nordic walking and Pilates coach, <u>helga.heissl@ts1.at</u>

#### Every Wednesday – Hatha Yoga

Starting in January 5.15– 6.45 p.m. and 7–8.30 p.m., Participation fee: €10. Registration: Tanja Schmalnauer, tel. +43 676 9364034, yogalehre@gmail.com

#### Every Wednesday – Aqua Aerobics at Ebensee Indoor Pool

6 and 7 p.m., admission from 5.45 p.m., price €6.20 + €4.30 concessions Information: Helga Lidauer, qualified health and wellness coach, tel. +43 650 3325997

**Every Wednesday – Spine Training (until mid June)** 4.45–5.45 p.m. and 6–7 p.m., M3 Tagesheimstätte für

Behinderte, 1st floor gymnasium. Participation fee: €10. Please register by phone and bring comfortable clothing, warm socks and a hand towel.

Information: Helga Heißl, tel. +43 676 6021018, qualified spine training, Nordic walking and Pilates coach, <u>helga.heissl@ts1.at</u>

