

CURRENT TRAVEL TOPICS 2024/25

The Hall-Wattens region – in the heart of the Alps – has a lot to offer in 2024 and 2025. We would be pleased to provide you with exciting reports or to welcome you.



CULINARY FORAY

DELICIOUS THROUGH THE REGION

Tyrolean specialties can be tasted and enjoyed at regional and local suppliers. If you not only want to know where it comes from, but also how it is made, then you can learn a lot in the Hall-Wattens region. In addition to the Tyrolean schnapps route, where you can watch the schnapps distillers at work, you can also visit suppliers such as Tyrolean organic mushrooms or Alpine prawns. You can find out first-hand what it takes for the food to end up on our table.

On site (January to December 2024)

- Participation in the Tyrolean Schnapps Route
- Tour of the producer Alpengarnelen (Alpine prawns)
- Guided tour of Tyrolean organic mushroom production
- making cheese on the pasture
- Visit salt production “Essenz der Alpen”
- tour of Fish Farm of mountain trouts



AUSTRIA'S LARGEST VEGETABLE GARDEN

HALLER RADISH MARKET

The area around the villages of Thaur and Absam is often described as „Austria's largest vegetable garden“. 60% of all radishes and many other vegetable varieties grown in Austria are cultivated here. The harvest is celebrated at the Radish Market at Stiftsplatz in Hall with music, local delicacies and of course a lot of radishes.

On site (April 2024/25)

- Visit the Hall Radish Market
- Insight into the farmers' markets of the region
- Hike along the largest vegetable garden including a lunch break



MOUNTAIN MYTH HIKING TRAIL

MULTI-DAY LONG-DISTANCE TOUR IN THE KARWENDEL AND THE TUX ALPS

The new long-distance hiking trail in the Hall Wattens region takes you around the region in 5 daily legs. The start and end point are on the edge of the Karwendel Nature Park, but in between you pass through the Tux Alps as well as the small villages of the region and the town of Hall in Tirol. Overnight stays are in accommodation in the villages of the region. In addition to powerful places in the region, you will also find a myth about the surrounding area on each leg.

On site (May to October 2024)

- Walk along the long-distance mountain myth trail
- Exploring the Karwendel Nature Park
- Exploring the Tux Alps



THE ALPS – REALM OF THE STONE PINE

STONE PINE DAYS AT THE GLUNGEZER

The stone pine, also called „Queen of the Alps“, is very prevalent at the Glungezer mountain. Here, where the largest Swiss stone pine forest in Central Europe is located and its characteristic scent is in the air, we celebrate Tyrol's third Swiss stone pine days. Guided tours on natural history, carver artists and workshops in the wood round off the Swiss stone pine days high above the Hall-Wattens region.

On site (June 2024)

- Selected activities during the stone pine days
- Lunch at the Tulfeinalm
- Hike along the pine forest



HOLIDAYS WITH KITH & KIN

KUGELWALD ADVENTURE WORLD

The mountain adventure world „Kugelwald am Glungezer“ is the largest outdoor marble run in the world. In this unique adventure playground you can be creative and build your own wooden track or simply relax and enjoy the natural environment. In addition to the mountain adventure world, there is also an extensive range of workshops for the little ones in the realm of the giant in the Swarovski Crystal Worlds.

On site (July/August 2024)

- Visit the Kugelwald mountain adventure world at the Glungezer mountain
- Workshops and creative hours in the Swarovski Kristallwelten
- participate in Llama Trekking
- hiking along the Piepmatzweg
- Treasure Hunt through the old town Hall in Tirol
- Nature Watch Tour Karwendel



PURE NATURE

EXPERIENCE THE KARWENDEL NATURE PARK

During a nature watch tour, you will explore the flora and fauna of the Karwendel Nature Park. Equipped with binoculars from Swarovski Optik and a bit of luck you will discover the golden eagle, the king of the sky. A short break at the Walderalm with tasting of the award-winning Tyrolean Kaspresknödel (cheese dumpling) is a must on this tour.

On site (May to October 2024)

- Nature watch tour in the Hall-valley
- Hike to the Walderalm
- Exchange with nature park rangers
- participate in pasture work with the nature park rangers



AUTUMN IN TYROL

BIO-BERGBAUERNFEST

In the Hall-Wattens holiday region in the heart of Tyrol, culinary delights are celebrated with great enthusiasm. The regional farmers invite you to taste their delicacies during the organic mountain farmer festival in September. On an easy hike through the colourful autumn landscape, you will learn interesting facts about the region and its magical places.

On site (September 2024)

- Visit the mountain farmer festival in Hall in Tirol
- Leisurely hike in Tulfes including lunch break



CATTLE DRIVE FESTIVAL

EQUINE FESTIVAL IN MILS

Whether it is the ceremonial driving down of cattle from the mountain pastures in Absam or the equine festival in autumn in Mils: traditions are not only written in capital letters in the Hall-Wattens region, they are still lived. Culinary highlights not to be missed!

On site (September/October 2024)

- Visit the equine festival in Mils
- Visit the return of the cattle from the alpine pasture with farm festival at the Friedrichshof in Absam



MOUNTAIN WINTER IN THE HEART OF THE ALPS

WINTER MAGIC & CHRISTMAS MARKETS

The beauty of Tyrolean's landscape in the winter can be enjoyed during sportive activities high above the valley or a guided city tour in the old town of Hall, accompanied by a delicious cup of mulled wine at the Hall Advent market.

On site (December 2024/January 2025)

- Visit the Hall Advent Market 2024/25
- Guided city tour of Hall in Tirol
- Traditional burning of incense during the Twelve Days of Christmas, romantic carriage ride and visit of Tyrolean cribs.



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SHROVETIDE CELEBRATIONS

At the largest carnival event in the Hall-Wattens region you can experience old Tyrolean customs at close quarters. The participation in the Matschgerer parade is a must during the carnival period, the so-called fifth season. Take the opportunity and get an insight into this centuries-old tradition in advance.

On site (February 2025)

- Visit the Absamer carnaval museum
- Visit of the Matschgerer parade

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