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Salzalpensteig – Hiking Trail 2

FROM THE BERCHTESGADENER LAND INTO THE WORLD HERITAGE-REGION
SALZKAMMERGUT.

On this hiking tour from Bavaria to Upper Austria, you literally hike the trail of salt! The regions in and around the Salzkammergut were built on this white gold. On the hiking tour you can expect to see breathtaking mountain ranges, lush green forests and meadows, as well as crystal-clear lakes. Anyone who has always wanted to know how salt was mined in the past will certainly get their money's worth on this tour.

Details of the mountain hiking tour Salzalpensteig 2

You will travel on well-marked hiking trails from the beautiful Königssee in Bavaria, through the Tennengebirge mountains, over the Dachstein region to the UNESCO World Heritage Site of Hallstatt. After a scenic boat trip to the legendary pilgrimage chapel of St. Bartholomä, the salt mines in Dürrnberg and Hallstatt are next on the agenda. Special panoramic views will be your constant companion on this trip!

Highlights of the cross-border hiking tour:

- **Unique views** of the Tennengebirge, the Dachstein Glacier, the Krippenstein and many other imposing mountain ranges.
- **Salt pipeline and salt mines:** The historic mines on the Dürrnberg or in Hallstatt – choose one or visit both!
- **Romantic huts** can be found in Abtenau and Annaberg. Enjoy delicious regional delicacies on the rustic 'Gsengalm'.

Useful information about the hiking tour Salzkammergut

Start your eight-day hiking holiday in Schönaun am Königssee in the Berchtesgader Land. From there you hike to Bad Dürrenberg, Hallein and Golling. Along the Salzach the paths then lead through the breathtaking Lammeröfen on the Pass Lueg. Finally you arrive in Scheffau, where you can see the Tennengebirge up close. Other idyllic places on the tour plan are Annaberg, Abtenau, Gosau with the Lake Gosausee and Bad Goisern. On the penultimate day of the mountain hiking tour, you can stroll through the world-famous town of Hallstatt. Then let the evening end comfortably before heading home the next day. The trails are good, but require a good basic fitness on some climbs.

Living traditions and panoramic views that are second to none – book your hiking tour on Salzalpensteig 2 now!

- More details and information about the [Salzalpensteig](#) at a glance.

Mountain Hiking



8 Days / 7 Nights



Self-guided Tour

To the online version



Itinerary

DAY
1

Arrival to lake Königssee/Berchtesgaden

Hotel example: Brandtnerhof

DAY
2

Königssee/Berchtesgaden – Golling

The tour leads along the green shimmering river Königsseer Ache into the salt-town of Berchtesgaden. Ascend via the Stollenweg path and through adventurous tunnels up to Bad Dürrenberg, where the historic salt mine awaits. You descend on the old Knappensteig trail into the Celtic salt-town of Hallein on the river Salzach. Short train ride to Golling.

Hotel example: Göling



approx. 5 to 6 hours



21 km



650 m



810 m

DAY
3

Golling – Abtenau

You walk along the river Salzach to the confluence of Salzach and Lammer and then along the Lammer riverbank path to Pass Lueg. Walk through the fascinating ‚Lammeröfen‘ up to the top of the pass and then descend through the forest to the river Lammer near Scheffau. Along the Mühlenweg path (waterfalls) into the rural meadow below the towering rockfaces of the Tennengebirge.

Hotel example: Goldener Stern



approx. 4 to 6 hours



23 km



720 m



460 m

DAY
4*Abtenau – Annaberg*

From Abtenau cable-car ascent to the summit station of the Karkogel. Walk across lush alpine meadows and along the path until you reach ‚Gsengalm‘, a typical alp with genuine farm produce and quaint chalet atmosphere. An ascent follows via the Gsenghöhe directly below the peaks of the Tennengebirge. Then descend along fields of mountain pines and later across alpine pastures with incredible views onto the Tennengebirge and the Gosau mountain crest, before you reach the idyllic mountain village Annaberg.

Hotel example: [Sporthotel Dachstein West](#)



approx. 5 hours



11 km



510 m



880 m

DAY
5*Annaberg – Gosau*

Via the stair-path to the memorial of the ‚Holy Mother Ann‘ and downhill along forest paths, then an ascent via alpine pastures to the Stuhlalm. The route continues below the mighty rockfaces of the Gosau mountain crest along the Austria-path to Törleck with the Gablonzer hut and view onto Lake Gosausee, Donnerkogel and the Dachstein-Glacier. Break and cable-car ride to lake Gosausee.

Hotel example: [COOEE](#)



approx. 5 hours



13 km



990 m



340 m

DAY
6*Gosau – Bad Goisern*

From Gosau the route leads you along forest paths via the Igmoos alp to the Goiserer Alpine Club Hut, located onto of a mountain ridge with fascinating views onto the Goiserer valley and Lake Hallstätter See. You have the option of a summit ascent to the Hochkalmberg with its rock formation called ‚Steinerner Indianer‘ (‚stoney Indian‘). Descent through the Kesselgraben and along the river Schüttbach down to Bad Goisern on Lake Hallstätter See.

Hotel example: [Goisererhof](#)



approx. 5 to 6 hours



15 km



860 m



990 m

DAY
7

Circular Walk Hallstatt

Walk from Bad Goisern via the scenic outpost pavilion ‚Giselawarte‘ and through wonderfully unspoilt farm land to the brine path, which leads along the historic salt-pipeline all the way up to the salt mine ‚Hallstätter Salzbergwerk‘. Prepare for an incredible panorama at the scenic outpost ‚Rudolfsturm‘ with views over Hallstatt and onto the Krippenstein-mountain. After that, short cable-car ride to the world-famous UNESCO World Heritage town of Hallstatt. Return journey to Bad Goisern by train and boat.

Hotel example: [Goisererhof](#)



approx. 4.5 hours



13 km



540 m



520 m

DAY
8

Departure or extension

Tour character

Scenic and well-maintained hiking trails, several longer ascents require a good basic fitness level and in parts surefootedness. If you like alpine pastures, great views and hights, you will feel right at home and enjoy this tour very much. Be enchanted by the high-altitude paths and the views onto a glorious alpine world!

Prices and events

Place of arrival: Königssee/Berchtesgaden

	Season 1 27.05.2023 - 11.06.2023 11.09.2023 - 01.10.2023 Arrival Saturday and Sunday	Season 2 12.06.2023 - 02.07.2023 28.08.2023 - 10.09.2023 Arrival Saturday and Sunday	Season 3 03.07.2023 - 27.08.2023 Arrival Saturday and Sunday
Salzalpensteig – Hiking Trail 2, 8 days, DE-KSWKG-08X			
Base price	829.00	879.00	959.00
Surcharge half board 7x (mostly multi-course, sometimes outside the property, payable with voucher)	159.00	159.00	159.00
Surcharge single room	159.00	159.00	159.00

Category: 3***-hotels and country hotels

Additional nights

Place of arrival: Königssee/Berchtesgaden

	Season 1 May 27, 2023 - Jun 11, 2023 Sep 11, 2023 - Oct 1, 2023 Arrival Saturday and Sunday	Season 2 Jun 12, 2023 - Jul 2, 2023 Aug 28, 2023 - Sep 10, 2023 Arrival Saturday and Sunday	Season 3 Jul 3, 2023 - Aug 27, 2023 Arrival Saturday and Sunday
Königssee/Berchtesgaden			
Double room p. P.	75.00	85.00	95.00
Surcharge single room	29.00	29.00	29.00
Bad Gaisern			
Double room p. P.	69.00	69.00	79.00

	Season 1 May 27, 2023 - Jun 11, 2023 Sep 11, 2023 - Oct 1, 2023 Arrival Saturday and Sunday	Season 2 Jun 12, 2023 - Jul 2, 2023 Aug 28, 2023 - Sep 10, 2023 Arrival Saturday and Sunday	Season 3 Jul 3, 2023 - Aug 27, 2023 Arrival Saturday and Sunday
Surcharge single room	2500	2500	2500

Prices per person in EUR

Services and infos

Services

Included:

- Accommodation as already mentioned
- Breakfast
- Luggage transfer
- Welcome briefing (German, English)
- 1 Cable car ascent Karkogel (approx. mid June – mid September, out of season extra hike which takes approx. 2 hours)
- 1 Cable car descent Gosaukamm
- 1 Cable car descent Salzbergbahn Hallstatt
- 1 Boat ride on Lake Hallstättersee
- Train rides, according to itinerary
- Carefully elaborated route description
- Detailed travel documents 1x per room (German, English)
- App for Navigation and GPS-data available
- Service hotline

Optional extras:

- Half-board: evening meal (mostly multi-course, sometimes outside the property, payable with voucher)
- Return transfer by minibuss to Königssee/Berchtesgaden every Saturday and Sunday (min. 2 persons), costs EUR 109 per person, EUR 29 per dog, reservation is necessary, to be paid for in advance.

Infos

Arrival / Parking / Departure:

- Train journey to Berchtesgaden and then a short ride by bus or taxi to Schönau/Lake Königssee (duration approx. 15 min., depending on location of start hotel).
- Munich or Salzburg airports.
- Parking: Public underground car park (Berchtesgaden) near the hotel, cost approx. EUR 8 per day or approx. EUR 40 per week, no reservation in advance.
- Return journey from Bad Goeisern to Lake Königssee/Berchtesgaden by train/bus, duration approx. 4 hours (3x change of trains).

Things to note:

- Tourist tax, if due, is not included in the price
- Special dates on request
- Further important information according to the package travel law can be found [here!](#)

Contact & booking

Do you still have questions about the tour? We are happy to help and look forward to your inquiry.



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