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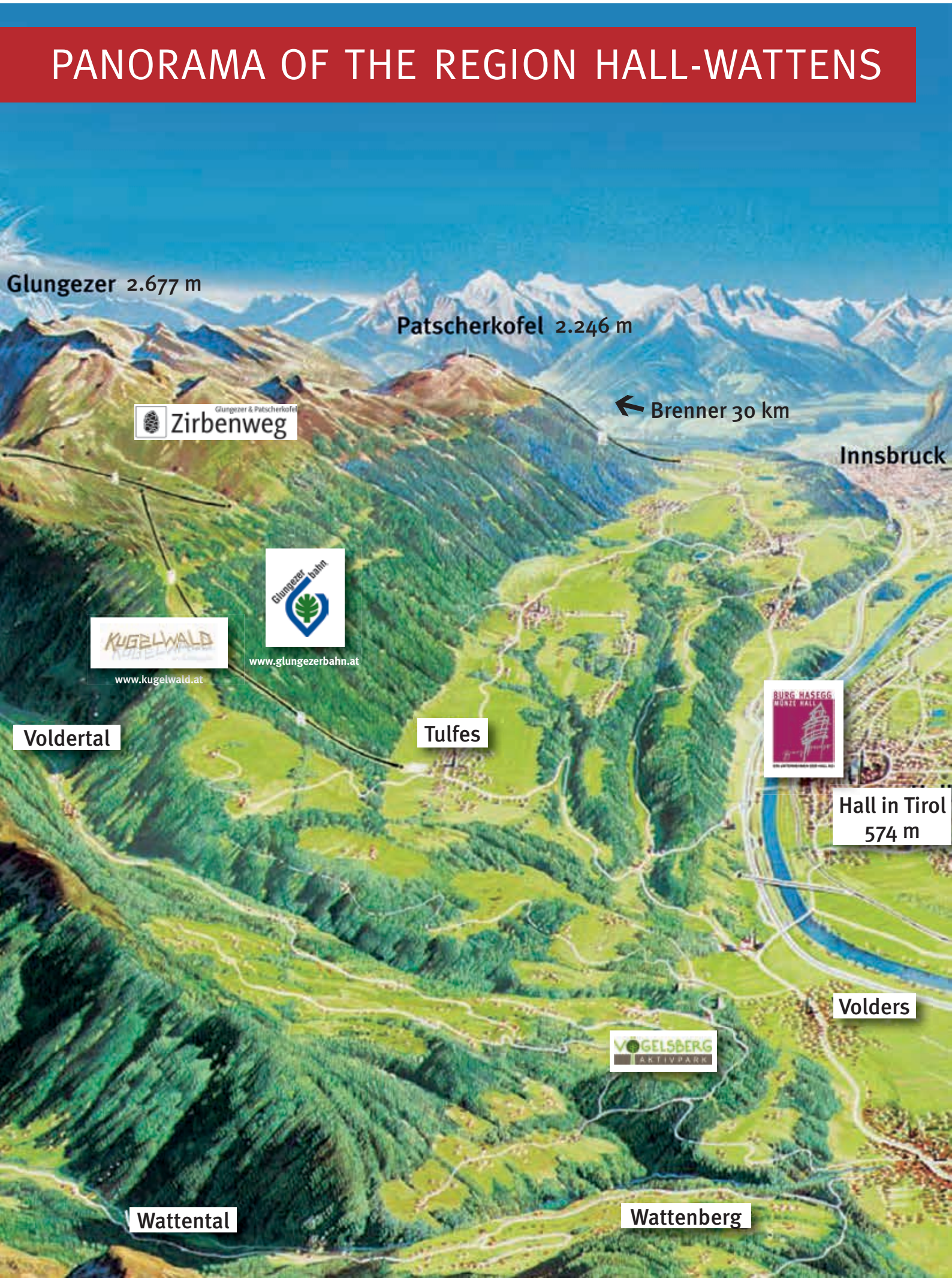


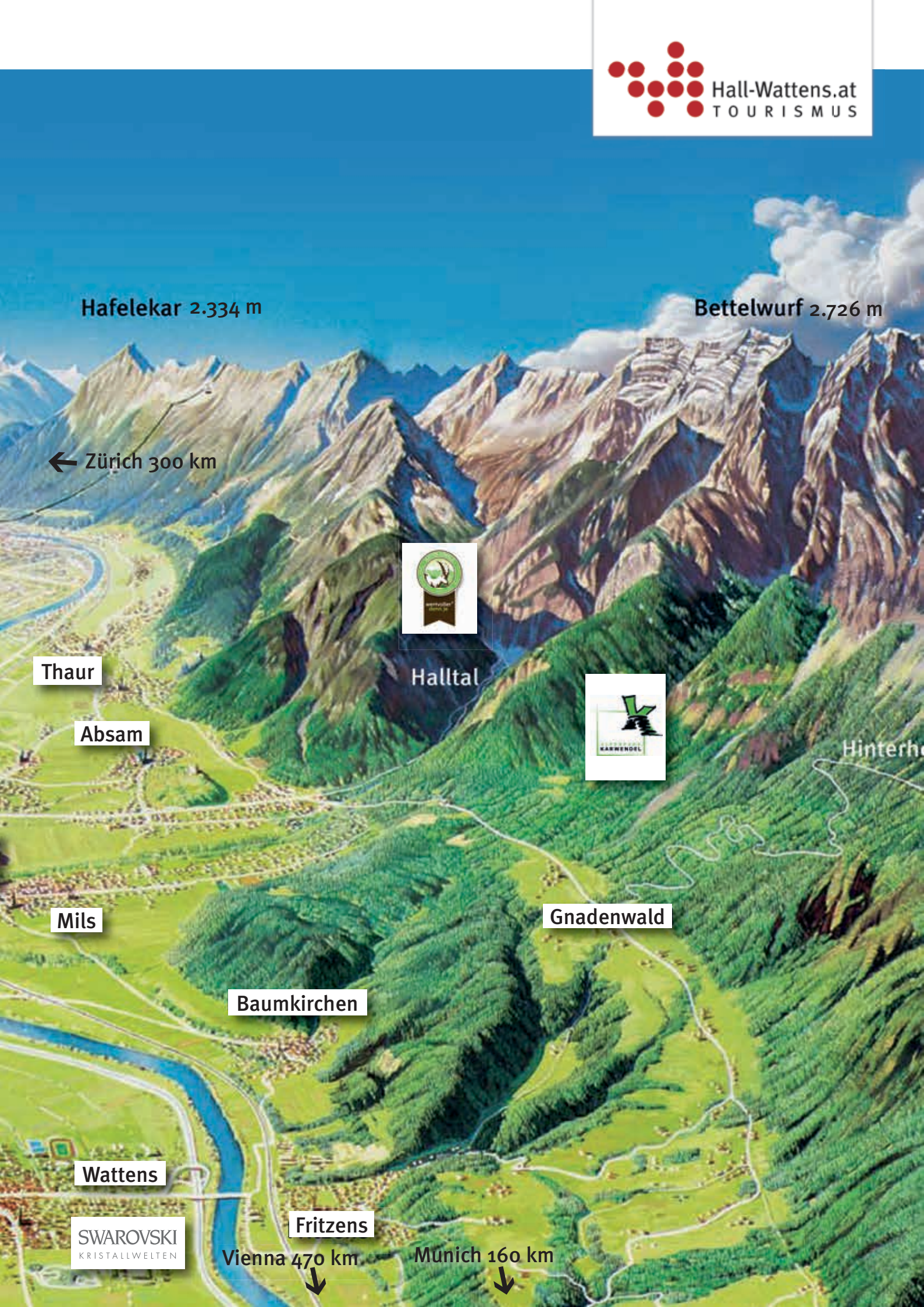


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PANORAMA OF THE REGION HALL-WATTENS




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Halltal
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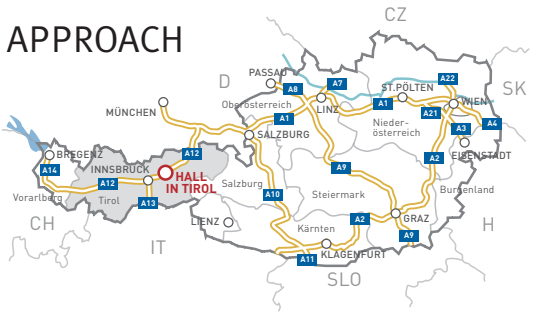
WELCOME TO THE HALL-WATTENS REGION!

Numerous treasures await guests here: such as famous Swarovski Crystal Worlds, the ancient town of Hall with the biggest historical quarter in western Austria, wild and untamed Halltal valley in the Karwendel mountains, the pilgrimage basilica in Absam, Hall Mint, and so much more. In addition, the Hall-Wattens region profits from an ideal location in the heart of Tyrol. The combination of perfect accessibility and transportation connections, urban flair and rural tranquility, nature and culture, tradition and modernity, provides exciting contrasts and an optimal setting for a one-of-a-kind stay. We would be more than happy to custom-tailor holiday programs appropriate to your individual travel needs, as well as to assist you in learning more, selecting and reserving the various program elements. We look forward to hearing from you.



➜ **Your point of contact for group enquiries and bookings, program tips, information and all other questions:**
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TOURISM ATTRACTIONS IN THE HALL-WATTENS REGION

1 HALL MINT & MINT TOWER – AND EVEN STAMP OUT YOUR OWN COIN

Here you can trace a path back through history to a time when wealth was measured in cold, hard cash, money still had a magical gleam to it, and the currency was as solid as the material from which it was made. From the Mint Tower, visitors are treated to an unforgettable view of Hall's medieval Old Town, the Inntal valley and the mighty backdrop of the Karwendel range. And as the crowning conclusion to any tour, visitors can turn the spindle themselves and press out their own personal coin as a small souvenir of their time spent at the cradle of the thaler and dollar.

- ➜ **Hours:** Tue to Sun: 10 am–5 pm from April to October/Tue to Sat: 10 am–5 pm from November to March. Doors close at 4 pm. Closed: 01.01., 01.11., 24.–26.12. and 31.12.2018. From the 3rd week of January until the 2nd week of March, only open to groups by appointment.
- ➜ **Discounted group price** (15 or more people) per person: EUR 6.00 admission to the Coin Museum/EUR 4.50 admission to the Mint Tower/or EUR 8.00 for the Mint Museum and Mint Tower combo ticket.
- ➜ **Unit prices:** EUR 8.00 Hall Mint/ EUR 4.50 Mint tower/ EUR 11.50 Combination Ticket
- ➜ **Price to stamp out a personal coin:** EUR 2.50 per copper blank. The tour is conducted by means of modern audio guides in seven languages. Upon request, a personal tour is also possible.
- ➜ **Group size for a guided tour:** max. 40 people.
- ➜ **Flat group rate up to 1,5 hours:** EUR 80.00
- ➜ **Contact & Bookings:**
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  www.muenze-hall.at

2 THE OLD TOWN OF HALL IN TIROL

On a guided town or themed tour held by the Hall-Wattens Tourist Board you will find out about the rich history of Hall in Tirol and will be shown the most important sights.
You find more information about guided tours on **page 8 ff**.

SWAROVSKI CRYSTAL WORLDS, WATTENS

A new era of wonder: The Swarovski Crystal Worlds will mesmerize you from the very start. From the moment your visit begins, you will be stunned by the architecture and the artistic installations. The Chambers of Wonder enable you to experience the magic of crystal in a dimension that has never been seen before. The garden of the Giant, which surrounds the mesmerizing world of crystal, invites visitors to linger with its unique art installations. One of the highlights is the Crystal Cloud, consisting of some 800,000 hand-mounted crystals. South of the iconic Giant, the playtower and the innovative outdoor playground landscape offer children of all ages plenty of space to play and climb. The sun-kissed pavilion embedded in the garden surrounds Daniels. Kristallwelten Café & Restaurant and frames the view of the surrounding landscape. It promises unforgettable culinary delights – no less for the delectable patisserie inside.

- ➜ **Opening Hours:** open daily from 08.30 am to 07.30 pm, last entrance 06.30 pm July and August open daily from 08.30 am to 10.00 pm, last entrance 09.00 pm
- ➜ **Group (of 10 persons and more):** EUR 17.00
- ➜ **Unit prices:** EUR 19.00
- ➜ **Group price for tour operators:** on request
- ➜ **Contact information and reservations:**
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  Fax. +43 5224/51080-3831
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  www.swarovski.com/kristallwelten

4 ABSAM PILGRIMAGE BASILICA

Since 18-year-old Rosina Bucher first caught sight of a woman's image in a windowpane back in 1797, one which could never be removed, this place has drawn pilgrims from near and far. At this


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significant spot, we recommend visiting the famous Absam pilgrimage church, elevated to a basilica in the year 2000, the spiritual centre of the most famous pilgrimage site in all of Tyrol associated with the Virgin Mary.

- ➜ **No price for admission.** Visits and tours are possible at any time, though by appointment only.
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5 ABSAM MUSEUM WITH THE ORIGINAL JAKOB STAINER VIOLIN

Absam is not just a significant pilgrimage destination, it is also the birthplace of famous violin maker Jakob Stainer (1617–1683), who both lived and worked here. He is one of the most important artists that Tyrol has ever produced. Musicians and museums around the world prize the instruments made by the master. Absam Museum is dedicated to his life and his immense craftsmanship. A very special exhibition piece is a violin which was made by Jakob Stainer himself. The museum also regularly hosts interesting special exhibitions.

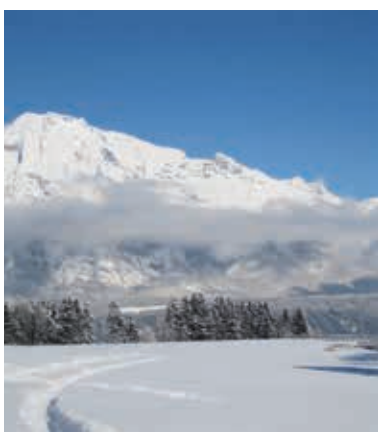
- ➜ **Hours:** Friday 6 to 9 pm, Saturday and Sunday 2 to 6 pm. Special tours are also available to groups upon request, though only by appointment.
- ➜ **No charge for admission.** Visits (without guided tour) are free to the public with advance notice.
- ➜ **Contact & Bookings:**
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  www.absammuseum.at

6 MATSCHGERER MUSEUM, ABSAM

The museum has on display a collection of interesting pieces relating to the region's Carnival festivities, with its numerous traditions and folk customs. Visitors are treated to around 200 wooden masks (the oldest of which are some 200 years old), Matschgerer costumes, photos, embroidered belts, pictures and much more related to the Carnival theme.







- **Hours:** From Eastern to Advent on Sundays from 10.00 am to 12.00 am and from 02.00 pm to 05.00 pm open. Special tours for groups. In July, August and during February Carnival celebrations, the museum is closed.
- **No charge for admission.** Visits (without guided tour) are free to the public with advance notice.
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7 MINING MUSEUM, HALL IN TIROL

In a replica mine gallery at the former residence of Ferdinand II, our tour guides give visitors the sense they are deep below ground. Original tools, a mine train, salt rock, crystals and more allow visitors to immerse themselves in the golden age of mining and the beginnings of the town of Hall itself.

- **Hours:** Tours are possible at any time, however please make arrangements in advance.
- **Entrance price including guided tour (for groups of maximum 15-20 people):** EUR 7.00 per person
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8 TUXERBAUER IN TULFES, DISTILLERY & FARM SHOP

Experience and learn about Tyrol's rural world. As part of a schnapps tasting, the Tuxerbauer farm guides its guests into the art of schnapps distilling. During the tour of the farm and its garden, visitors are treated to fascinating glimpses into Tyrol's farming world. For as long as anyone can recollect, many farms in Tyrol have also made their own distilled spirits from berries and fruit. The combination of this deeply rooted tradition and modern distilling techniques results in exceptional schnapps and liqueurs. Fruit syrups, apple juice with a high pulp content, bacon, home-baked bread, yoghurt, honey and jams, along with beef, pork and veal are also offered.

- **Hours:** daily through the day, the whole year. **Except:** Christmas. Advance arrangements should be made for groups. A guided tour incl. schnapps or liqueur tasting, other tastings, hot or cold buffets are possible on request.

- **Contact & Bookings:**
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9 WEBERHOF, MILS

The Weberhof is located in Mils and is family-managed. We offer you fresh backed bread, a large selection of baked goods, traditional cakes and many products made with the milk of our cows. Beside of homemade egg liqueur and fresh noodles we offer a large selection of different delicacies of farmers out oft he neighbourhood.
We welcome you hardly to get to know our farm and enjoy some delicious treats, a good breakfast, brunch or a cosy afternoon tea time. Come and get to know our comfortable farm shop. (maximum 40 – 50 Pax)
We also offer a tour around the farm to get to know our farm!

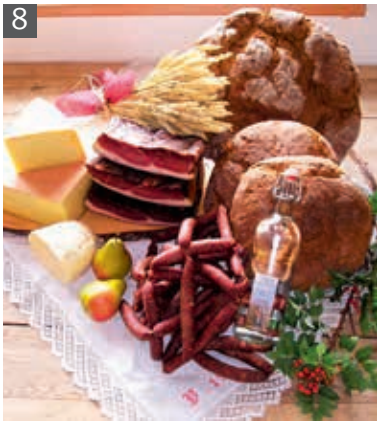
- **Opening hours:** Farm Shop: every Friday 09:00 – 18:00h, For groups on request!

- **Contact:**
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UNIQUE GUIDED CULTURAL TOURS IN THE HALL-WATTENS REGION



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On request, we can organise a tour guide:

- ➜ Flat rate until 5 hours: EUR 140.00
- ➜ Flat rate until 8 hours: EUR 180.00
- ➜ Flat surcharge for each additional hour: EUR 40.00

Further information about the various theme tours can also be found on our homepage at www.hall-wattens.at/en/en (culture, enthralling guided tours).

1 GUIDED TOUR OF HALL IN TIROL

***New: Lately it is possible to book an ear guide system** for only € 20.00 for the whole group during the guided walking tour.*

Guide walking tour through the biggest historical district in western Austria.

Our tour guides show visitors the most important points of interest and, as part of this tour, recount all kinds of fascinating details about the rich history of the medieval town of Hall in Tirol. Rich salt deposits led to this small town flourishing in the 13th century. In fact, the discovery of "white gold" resulted in Hall quickly becoming the commercial center of Tyrol. Magnificent buildings such as the town hall, the former royal residence, St. Nicholas' parish church and Magdalene Chapel, with its unique and fully preserved fresco of the Last Judgment, still attest to those former times.

- ➜ **Group Size:** max. 45 people per group
- ➜ **Rate (20 to 45 people) for the classic 1,5 hour tour of town:** EUR 100.00
- ➜ **Flat surcharge for each additional hour:** EUR 40.00

2 OTHER THEME TOURS THROUGH THE HALL-WATTENS REGION

- ➜ **FROM DOOR TO GATE – a city tour with a difference**: Which different kinds of doors and gates are there? Which wood was used to make them? What messages are held in the various symbolisms? Our tour will take us on an expedition from door to gate and give us a few insights into the master craftsmanship of carpenters, cabinet makers, locksmiths and blacksmiths. Various craftspeople have demonstrated their skills on doors and gates. Doors and gates are an expression of representation and simultaneously they invite visitors to enter. The tour is designed to sharpen our eye for details.

- ➜ **MONEY RULES THE WORLD – salt, silver and the world's first Thaler:** Aside from the classic "Mint" theme, this guided tour also includes preserved historic structures such as the Lobkowitz building, the Media Tower, the salt warehouse, the Barbara Pillar and the Mint Gate outside the castle grounds of Hasegg.

- ➜ **A BOND FOR LIFE – unusual "brides & grooms" in Hall in Tirol:** So, what was the wedding scandal in Tyrol that shook Europe to its foundations? It happened about 700 years ago, almost resulted in the emperor being thrown off the throne, and brought significant advantages for the people of Hall. Why did Emperor Maximilian I want to couple everyone up? Where does the white bridal gown come from? Why is romantic love a luxury of our time? We will pursue these and similar questions during an entertaining walking tour through the Hall old town. This tour is suitable especially for a







wedding society.

➜ **CULTURE IS OUR NATURE – arts and crafts in Hall in Tirol:** This theme focuses on the back streets and squares of Hall, its signs and the figures which adorn fountains, but also the classic points of interest of the biggest historical quarter in western Austria, including St. Nicholas' parish church, the former royal residence and Hasegg Castle. However, the emphasis of this walking tour is not so much the historical development of Hall, but rather works of art and the masters who created them.

➜ **PILGRIMAGE IN THE HALL-WATTENS REGION – then and now – taking Absam and Hall as examples:** The program includes Absam and Hall, in other words, one "active" pilgrimage site and one former site. The tour includes the basilica, the votive panel chapel, and the old cemetery in Absam. Participants gain fascinating insights into the famous apparition of the Virgin Mary and her subsequent veneration. This walk through the village can also include, if desired and by prior arrangement, a visit to the house where her image was seen. Now in Hall once more, we go back in history and focus on the Florian Waldauf Endowment located at the parish church, including the wooden chair-like structure intended for display of holy relics and the whole practice of venerating relics.

➜ **DOCTORS, BATHS & PHARMACIES – Healthcare in Hall through the Centuries:** This walk takes us to the upper town square, via the Langer Graben, the former town hospital, the Schweighoferstiege stairway, pas the Guarinoni House, across Stiftsplatz square to the abbey garden, where the tour ends at the Brunnenhäuschen. The theme is Hall's medicinal baths and bathhouses, the first medical doctors and early pharmacies, the development of a social safety net, care for the sick and elderly. This tour also encompasses Hall's modern health institutions including the district hospital, UMIT private University and the Hall Psychiatric Hospital.

➜ **Group Size:** max. 45 people per group.
➜ **Rate (20 to 45 people) for the classic 1,5 hour tour of town:** EUR 120.00

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3 TOURS & OPPORTUNITIES FOR KIDS

OFFERED BY THE TOURIST OFFICE

CHILDREN'S PARTIES AT THE MINING MUSEUM OR HALL MINT: Whether your child's birthday, a Carnival party or another special occasion – at the Mining Museum and Hall Mint, children are able to enjoy a truly unique celebration. Exciting tours introduce the kids to the world of mining and the history of Thaler, with a birthday cake or mini pizza adding the perfect finishing touch to a very special day. There is also a gift for the birthday child, whilst the other guests also receive a surprise souvenir gift as a memory to the visit in Hall.

➜ **Lasts:** around 2,5 hours (incl. snacks)
➜ **Price:** EUR 17.00 per person in the Hall Mint (incl. guided tour, gift, food and drinks)
➜ **Price:** EUR 17.00 per person in the Mining Museum (incl. guided tour, gift, food and drinks)
➜ **Group Size:** 10 children minimum, date, time and place by prior arrangement.
➜ **Reservations are required.**

WAGON TOUR – HALL IN TIROL – with a focus on the medieval town: Riding inside an old rack wagon, the tour guide and children will explore the rich history of Hall, once a flourishing centre of trade. On a stroll through the narrow back lanes of Hall to the most important market square back in the olden days, children will learn even more about various points of interest in Hall, about their history and their significance. By means of this popular theme tour, the Hall-Wattens regional tourist office is attempting to bring history to life for the kids. The focus is very much daily life in the Middle Ages. The wagon has some interesting study items on board, too, including an ink well & quill, a horseshoe & chamber pot, grains & vegetables. For children's and school groups up to age 14.

➜ **Lasts:** about 90 minutes
➜ **Price:** EUR 5.00 per person without a snack/EUR 7.00 per person incl. a small, healthy snack
➜ **Group Size:** 15 children minimum, date, time and place by prior arrangement.
➜ **Reservations are required.**


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UNIQUE NATURE EXPERIENCE IN THE HALL-WATTENS REGION

1 GUIDED NATURE WATCHING

Nature watching is all about consciously experience our natural setting, getting a true feel for the countryside and discovering special treasures. Equipped with a pair of Swarovski binoculars and accompanied by an expert Nature Watch guide, you will be able to set out on the trail of Tyrol's unique flora and fauna. And what makes guided nature watching truly unique is the fact that the route can be custom-tailored to the needs and interests of each individual group.

- ➜ **Discounted group pricing based on group size and length of tour:** from EUR 120.00 (Feel free to contact us at your convenience if you would like to receive a detailed offer)
- ➜ **Contact & Bookings:**
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2 PINE PATH SCENIC HIKE

The well-known and highly popular Pine Path runs from the mountain lift station on the Patscherkofel to the Tulfeinalm in Tulfes. The highest botanical garden in Europe is home to more

than 400 different high-alpine plants, an inviting opportunity for nature lovers to get some "on-site training" and enjoy some wonderful views in the process. The path runs gently up- and downhill, but without any major changes in elevation. Throughout the hike you can look down on the valley bottom of the Inntal and soak in the breathtaking backdrop of the Karwendel range on the far side.

Tip: From May or June (depending on weather conditions) until around mid August, visitors are treated to yet another unique natural spectacle as the rhododendron come into full bloom. During this time, the mountain turns into a red sea of flowers. Rhododendron can be found throughout the alpine regions between Igls and Tulfes.

- ➜ **Time to complete the full hike:** around 2 1/2 hours. And of course, if you prefer, you can also hike just a portion of the Pine Path.
- ➜ **Discounted group price: E**UR 20.00 per person (hiking map, roundtrip ride on the Glungezer and/or Patscherkofel lifts; return bus transfer not included)
- ➜ **Contact & Bookings:**
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  6075 Tulfes, T: +43(0)5223/78321
  glungezerbahn@glungezerbahn.at
  www.glungezerbahn.at

3 GUIDED HIKES

From pleasant walks to short mountaineering adventures, whether a romantic winter hike or a summertime summit ascent, the Hall-Wattens region offers a wide variety of guided outings amid Tyrol's unique mountain world. Wild and romantic Halltal valley is an enticing destination north of the Inntal, while to the south we have the Tuxer Alps, home to the Wattener Lizum as well as the Glungezer with its popular Pine Path.The precise route can be tailored to the individual needs and interests of the group. Feel free to contact us at your convenience if you would like to receive a detailed offer.

- ➜ **Discounted group price depends on the group size and duration of the hike:** from EUR 80.00
- ➜ **Contact & Bookings:**
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4 HISTORICAL WALKING TOUR

Barely another region in Tyrol's Inntal valley is as rich in cultural treasures as the area between Volders and Wattens. The pleasant and easy hike along this path takes you out through glorious countryside to attractions of historical interest. From the "Himmelreich Rhaetian Settlement" open-air museum, past Schloss Aschach and Schloss Friedberg to the imposing Karlskirche church in Volders, this history path represents a bridge between nature and the culture of days in the far-distant past.

- ➜ **Discounted group price depends on the group size and duration of the hike:** from EUR 80.00
- ➜ **Contact & Bookings:**
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5 PATH OF REFLECTION ON THE TYROL SECTION OF THE SAINT JAMES' WAY

The Path of Reflection affords a wonderful opportunity to walk along easy pathways and explore the pristine countryside between Walderkapelle chapel and St. Martin's Abbey. The path draws our attention to those important things we might otherwise overlook or take for granted, and is oriented around the Beatitudes of Jesus Christ. It allows us to forget the daily routine, gives us peace and strength, and offers moments of reflection and personal introspection.

- ➜ **Discounted group price depends on the group size and duration of the hike:** from EUR 80.00
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6 LLAMA TREKKING ON THE WATTENBERG

Hans Geissler offers llama tours for a truly unique way to experience the Alps. This extraordinary trekking tour allows you to explore the mountain world of


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Wattenberg accompanied by him and his llamas. And over a relaxed, hearty Tyrolean snack, you will have a chance to learn all kinds of fascinating facts about llamas, as well as the Hall-Wattens region with its countless folk customs and traditions. An effortless, unforgettable outing for big and small, across lush meadows and broad forests, in the midst of the magnificent scenery of the Tyrolean mountains.

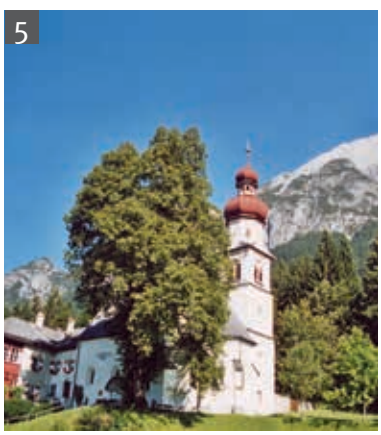
- ➜ **Duration: c**a. 2 to 3 hours
- ➜ **Group size:** at least 4 people, 20 people maximum.
- ➜ **Discounted group price:** depends on group size and the duration of the hike, from EUR 12.00 per person
- ➜ **Contact & Bookings:** Tyrollama Trekking & Breeder Hans Geissler, 6112 Wattenberg T: +43(0)676/9333491 h.geissler@utanet.at www.tyroltrekking.at

7 KUGELWALD AM GLUNGEZER

The mountain adventure world in the Glungezer mountain with the world`s biggest wooden ball run. New and exciting fun for families and groups in a unique world of adventure: Large wooden balls run for 500 metres through the high forest along channels made of stone pine. The "Kugelwald am Glungezer" ball run is located directly next to the "Halsmarter" lift station at 1,560 m above sea level. This is where one of Europe's largest populations of stone pine begins. Apart from several mounting elements, only natural wood grown in a natural environment has been used at the Kugelwald. The tracks stretch over a distance of more than 500 m at various heights and angles between the weathered pine, fir and spruce trees on the Glungezer mountain. For the high start, the ball is taken up in the cable lift, the inclined lift, or is set off from the tree house, which stands on stilts at the centre of the approximately 8,000 m² large playing area. Building enthusiasts of all sizes will really enjoy the oversized "forest construction set" with half-standards and large stone pine blocks, because creating a customized ball run requires a certain amount of strength and fantasy.

Education in the high forest: The Kugelwald is also the ideal excursion destination for school classes: The laws of nature and physics can be studied without the aid of technical gimmicks. The run of the balls animates the kids to run. In the forest classroom, which is located in a section of the Kugelwald am Glungezer, group workshops can be held (only possible on request or advance reservation).

- ➜ **The Kugelwald is open every day during the summer months.**
- ➜ **One ascent** and descent to and from the Kugelwald with the Glungezer lift


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costs EUR 12.00 per adult. Special rates are also offered for children, adolescents and senior citizens.
- ➜ **Balls** are loaned at the park entrance for a deposit of EUR 50.00 and a lending fee of EUR 25.00 per group.
- ➜ **Refreshments and toddler play area at Gasthof Halsmarter!**
- ➜ **Contact & registration for forest education in the high forest:**
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NATURE EXPERIENCE DURING THE WINTERTIME

1 SNOWSHOE HIKE

Through the magnificent winter countryside of Tyrol – true to the motto "a sound mind in a healthy body", we bring together culture and sports, mind and body. Accompanied by a trained hiking guide, the snowshoe hike may perhaps lead from the maze at St. Martin's Abbey, along the Path of Reflection at the foot of the Karwendelgebirge, and through Gnadenwald. Or instead, guests may wish to set out from Tulfes in search of the magical winter landscapes of the Tuxer Alps.

- ➜ **Discounted group price depends on the group size and duration of the hike:** from EUR 80.00. Rental rate for a pair of snowshoe: EUR 5.00 per person.
- ➜ **Contact & Bookings:**
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2 ROMANTIC TORCHLIGHT HIKE

At dusk, our guests are able to discover the magical side of the Tyrolean countryside by the gentle light of a flickering torch. During this guided hike through the romantic villages of Tulfes or Gnadenwald, mind and body discover a renewed sense of harmony, with the daily grind left far behind. Following pleasant pathways, guests enjoy wonderfully pristine countryside with breathtaking views of the surrounding mountains and, in the process, pick up all kinds of interesting facts about the region.

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3 THE JOYS OF KLUMPERING IN TULFES

A peaceful escape and nature experiences away from the often hectic daily routine are also an important part of the whole "klumpering" experience, a fun-filled variant on tobogganing using a one-runner sled. You will only find this sport in the charming village of Tulfes, where it has steadily grown in popularity. In fact, they have even hosted three klumper world championships, drawing participants and visitors from different nations. But rookie klumperers, too, can give the sport a shot and see how they measure up against other racers.
- ➜ **Price:** EUR 4.00 per person.
  Starting from 10 person a discount of – 20 % is granted.
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4 GLUNGEZER PANORAMA SKI AREA IN TULFES

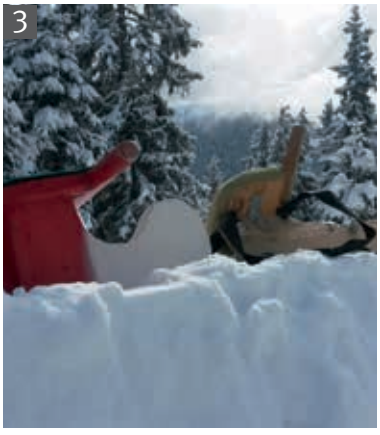
Well-groomed ski slopes surrounded by pristine, beautiful nature, those magnificent views of the Inntal valley and the peaks of the Nordkette range – powder snow and abundant sunshine – this is the Glungezer Panorama Ski Area, popular with fans of alpine skiing and ski touring alike.

- ➜ **Group Rates – Winter Season 2018/19:**
  Prices (adult)
  Monday till Friday
  1 day: from EUR 29.50
  2 days: from EUR 55.00
  3 days: from EUR 76.50
  4 days: from EUR 97.00
  5 days: from EUR 115.00
  6 days: from EUR 133.00
  Valid for groups (of 15 or more), one person free per group. All passes are issued in the form of key-cards: EUR 2.00 deposit in addition to the above prices.
- ➜ **Contact & Bookings:**
  Glungezer Lift Company
  Tulfes office, 6075 Tulfes
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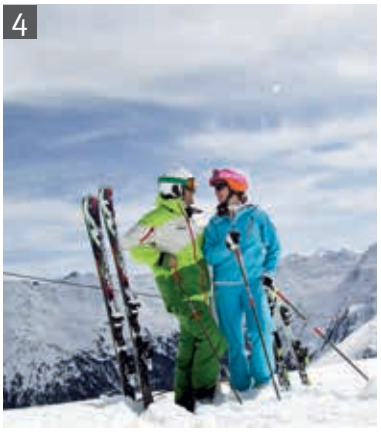
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ADDITIONAL CULTURE & EVENT HIGHLIGHTS IN THE HALL-WATTENS REGION

HALL IN TIROL ADVENT MARKET

With the arrival of Advent, a very special time of year begins in Hall. The Advent lighting, a mixture of stars and Christmas symbols, immerse this historic town in a light of anticipation for this, the most tranquil time of year. Day by day, the big celebrations inches closer, evidence of which we see in those colorful numbers appearing each day in the windows of the Advent calendar projected on the facades of surrounding buildings. One-of-a-kind and growing steadily over the years is Hall's Advent market, where locals and guests gather, and feel a sense of total happiness as they get in the perfect frame of mind for Christmas. Over a mug of hot spiced wine, known here as Glühwein, enjoyed at the festive Advent market, you will leave the daily routine far behind and be able to marvel at the traditional craftsmanship and culinary treats offered at the various stands. And come evening, traditional choirs and wind ensembles create the peaceful atmosphere that everyone longs for.

➜ **Hours:** 23.11. until 24.12.2018/ 22.11. until 24.12.2019 Saturdays and public holidays from 10 am, Sundays from 1 pm, as well as weekdays from 3 pm, open daily until 8 pm (except Christmas Eve: from 10 am – 1 pm).
➜ **Free admission.**
➜ **Additional options,** such as a guided Christmas tour incl. visit to the Hall Advent market, Glühwein and commemorative Advent market mug as a souvenir to take home with you, also possible by prior arrangement. Recommended as a late-afternoon program (from 5 pm on). Prices based on included highlights and group size.
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CULINARY MORSELS FOR EVERY TASTE

From quick, though high-quality midday snacks, to hearty traditional lunches and afternoon brunch, to exciting dining experiences during dinner (for example, in the form of a so-called "Hut Night", a Tyrolean-themed evening, along with numerous unique culinary experiences courtesy of the Klausner restaurant, including Törggelen, knights' banquets and a gourmet suckling-pig feast): Whether deeply-rooted Tyrolean favorites or international cuisine of the highest order, there is definitely something here to appeal to each and every taste. Detailed restaurant information is always available on request.

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MARKETS IN THE HALL-WATTENS REGION

A popular gathering spot for the nutrition-conscious, gourmets and those people who simply enjoy the finer things in life, including top quality regional products, are the markets which are held on the upper town square in Hall. From 9 am until 1 pm on Saturday, the upper town square is the venue for a market, this time the weekly farmers' market, where you can sample and buy everything that grows in area fields and gardens. An ideal meeting place for those appreciate good food along with a leisurely stroll through the historical district of Hall.

➜ **The farmers' market is held every Saturday year-round.**
➜ **Further information** about the region's markets can be found online at: www.hall-wattens.at/en/culinary-festivals.html









HIGHLIGHTS 2018

- ➜ **Fasching festivies**
- ➜ **Easter market + exhibition „Art on eggs“:** 23rd & 24th of March, Stiftsplatz
- ➜ **Hall Radish Festival:** 28th of April, Bachlechnerstraße
- ➜ **Osterfestival Tirol**
- ➜ **Arts & Crafts Market „Female World“:** 9th of June, Old Town Hall
- ➜ **Sprachsalz Hall:** 14th – 16th of September, Hall in Tirol
- ➜ **Hall‘s Autumn Wine Festival:** 7th & 8th of September, Stiftsplatz
- ➜ **Organic Mountain Farmers‘ Festival:** 15th of September, Stiftsplatz & Upper Town Square
- ➜ **UCI Road World Championships:** 22nd till 30th of September
- ➜ **Hall Farmers‘ Market Autumn Festival:** 6th of October, Upper Town Square
- ➜ **Pferdeherbst Mils:** 20th & 21st of October, Mils
- ➜ **Traditional Christmas Market in Hall:** 23rd of November till 24th of December, Upper Town Square

HIGHLIGHTS 2019

- ➜ **Fasching festivies**
- ➜ **Easter market + exhibition „Art on eggs“:** 12th & 13th of April, Stiftsplatz
- ➜ **Hall Radish Festival**: 27th of April, Bachlechnerstraße
- ➜ **Osterfestival Tirol**
- ➜ **Arts & Crafts Market „Female World“:** 15th of June, Old Town Hall
- ➜ **Potter Market:** 23rd till 25th of August, Bachlechnerstraße
- ➜ **Sprachsalz Hall:** September, Hall in Tirol
- ➜ **Hall‘s Autumn Wine Festival:** September, Stiftsplatz
- ➜ **Organic Mountain Farmers‘ Festival:** September, Upper Town Square
- ➜ **Hall Farmers‘ Market Autumn Festival:** October, Upper Town Square
- ➜ **Pferdeherbst Mils:** October, Mils
- ➜ **Traditional Christmas Market in Hall:** 22nd of November till 24th of December, Upper Town Square

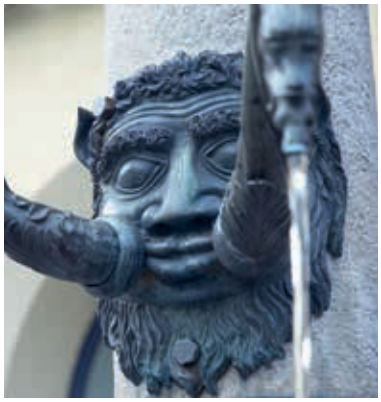
ACCOMODATION

Looking for a modern, family-run or traditional accomodation for your group? In the search for a suitable property, we are happy to assist you and provide you with expert help.
Enjoy the Tyrolean hospitality in one of our hotels or guest houses in der Hall-Wattens Region.
Groups can choose between a lot of distinctive hotels in all categories from 2 – 4 star.
We would be delighted to welcome you in the Tyrolean holiday region Hall-Wattens!

Don`t hesitate to contact us. We are happy to assist you finding the perfect accomodation for you:

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FOR MORE INFORMATION:

Attached for your information, a map showing directions: The parking area in Hall for tour buses, just a two-minute walk from the historic section of Hall, is available free of charge to tour groups.

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