

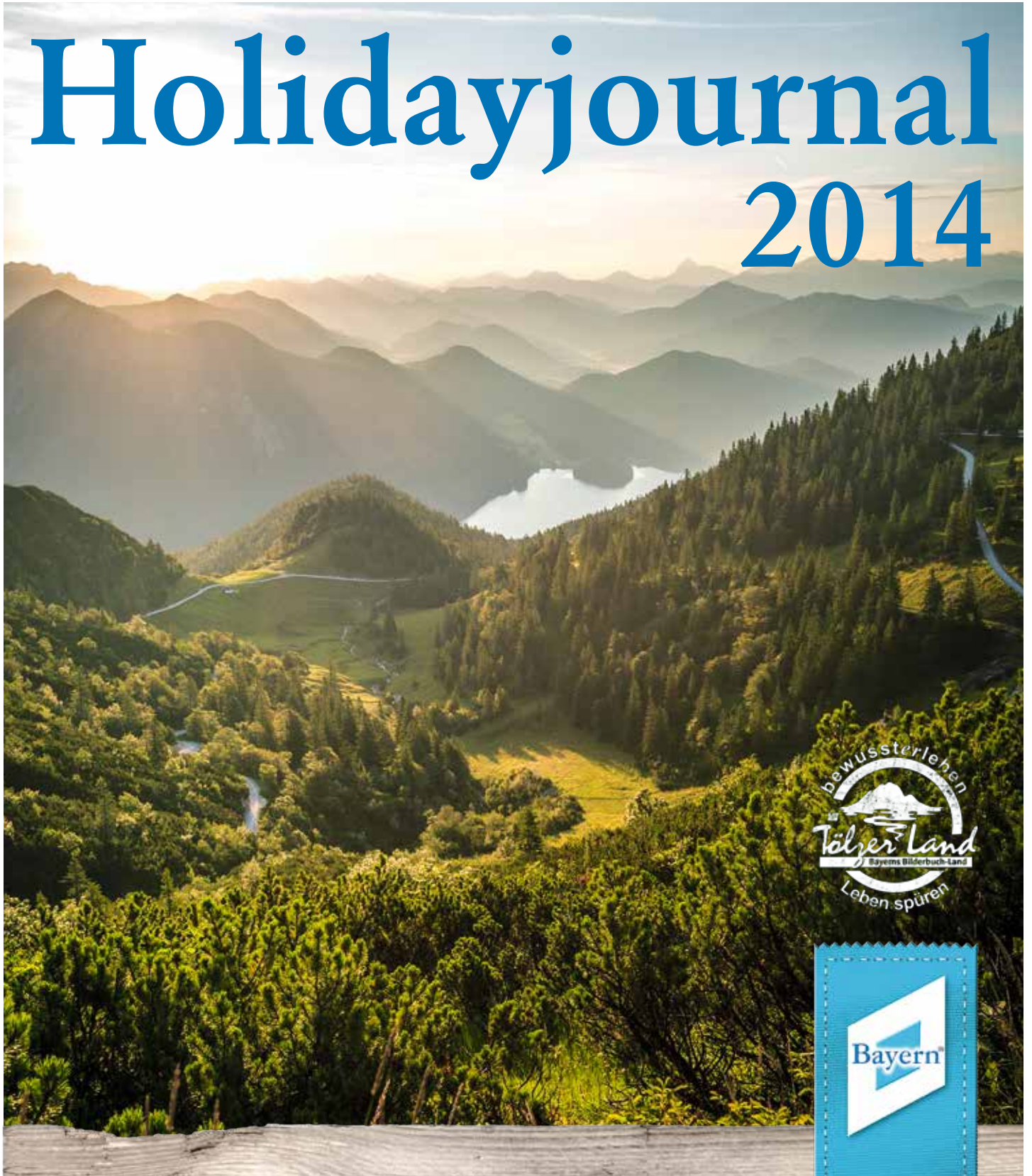


Kochel a. See
Walchensee



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A respite for the soul

OUR FAVOURITE PLACE

In the front part we point out the most beautiful sights and places. At the back of our brochure „Urlaubsjournal“ you can find more information in the form of an overview of the regional restaurants and accommodation in alphabetical order, as well as a street map of the village.



MAJESTIC VIEWS

Come and join us in the surrounding mountains where there is plenty for you to discover and enjoy. Here nature has created a landscape of delightful beauty – two magnificent lakes, nestling in the foothills of the Bavarian Alps, against the backdrop of an imposing range of mountains. This is the kind of countryside where you can restore your body, soul and mind. We invite you to unforgettable experiences – to more than just a holiday.



REFRESHING SUMMER

Our two enticing local lakes are there for swimming, playing in the water, sailing, boating or just relaxing on their banks. Your soul, will also appreciate it. Take a relaxed and effortless walk in the woods and meadows. Cycle through the surrounding marshes or around Walchensee lake. Relax while angling. Explore the lakes by rowingboat or pedal boat and enjoy a leisurely trip by motorboat on Kochelsee lake. Treat yourself to a long day of bathing on one of the many beaches.



A NEW ADVENTURE FOR EVERY DAY

Get your children enthusiastic about cycling and hiking. You reach Schlehdorf by taking the rock path right on the banks of Kochelsee lake – and return by ship. Or you can climb up the Altlacher Hochkopf (1328 metres) by the Walchensee lake in 1½ hours with the promise of a good snack in your rucksack.



DISCOVER THE WORLD OF THE VIKINGS

One part of the original film coulisse „Wickie und die starken Männer“ and „Wickie auf großer Fahrt“ is positioned in Walchensee for visiting. The films were shoot in the bay called „Sachenbacher Bucht“ and on the peninsula called „Zwergern“. Today you can discover the film coulisse for free in the Village Walchensee. There you find also a exhibition about „The Vikings“ .



THE SPARKLE OF WINTER

Come and enjoy the chilly season with us in the region of the twin lakes On hiking paths cleared of snow. Romantically along the river Loisach. With snow shoes or crosscountry skis through enchanting snowcovered landscapes. On natural ice fields where you can play curling. Stress-free Alpine skiing for beginners and families at the Ötz lifts or at the Katzenkopf lift. Genuine downhill skiing enjoyment at the Herzogstand – up by lift and down to Walchensee lake at full pelt.



FOOD FOR THE MIND AND THE SOUL

Where cherished tradition is lived. And there is plenty of art and culture to be enjoyed. Customs and traditions are still something special here. Whether folklore evenings, processions in traditional costumes or when the maypole is set up – both old and young always get into the right spirit. When the band strikes up Alpine marches and then, in keeping with old tradition, stops off at the pub, it becomes clear, that customs here are not just a tourist attraction, but simply part of life.



TAKE ADVANTAGE OF THE NUMEROUS BENEFITS OF OUR GUEST CARD.

FREE OFFERS

- Free admission to evening concerts and reception for new arrivals (guests)
- Free access to various events within the activity programme for guests and the children's programme
- „Tourlaub“ information brochure for guests, as well as a schedule for events
- Free admission to the film set Viking village „FLAKE“
- Libraries: Kochel a. See parish library and books can also be taken out at the Tourist Information office in Walchensee

New: As of January 1st, 2014 the Guest Card also allows you to use the RVO bus service for the following bus lines free of charge: Bus line 9608 (Kochel - Mittenwald), Bus line 9611 (Kochel - Murnau), line 9612 (Kochel - Bad Tölz) and Line 9613 (Kochel - Penzberg).

PRICE REDUCTIONS OBTAINABLE WITH YOUR GUEST CARD

Herzogstand cableway • Franz Marc Museum • Traditional cultural evenings • Theatre (Walchensee) Events forming a part of the „Natursummer im Loisachtal“ • Kristal trimini Kochel am See (indoor/outdoor swimming pool) • Fishing permit (valid for 1 week of fishing in the Walchensee lake) Glentleiten open-air museum • Various guided tours of the Schloßmuseum in Murnau and Deutsches Museum in Munich • Use of the visitor's PC at the Tourist Information offices in both Kochel a. See and Walchensee

FURTHER PRICE REDUCTIONS CAN BE ENJOYED IN

Bad Heilbrunn • Bad Tölz, Benediktbeuern • Bichl, Gaißach • Jachenau • Lenggries • Wackersberg Reichersbeuern • Wolfratshausen • Wallgau



Sights around the lakes

FRANZ MARC MUSEUM

Kochel a. See · Our landscape as an inspiration for an entire epoch, for the beginning of expressionism in the early 20th century. Famous artists, such as Kandinsky, Macke, Münter, Klee and, of course, Franz Marc, worked here. The museum displays a large collection of paintings, drawings and woodcuts for Environment and Culture.

WALCHENSEE MUSEUM

Walchensee · It contains not only paintings by local artists but also works of the painter Lovis Corinth. At the beginning of the 20th century he lived in Urfeld and there produced the notable Walchensee pictures.

WALCHENSEE POWER STATION

Walchensee · The Power Station, which came on stream in 1924, supplies around 300 million kilowatt hours of environmentally friendly energy each year. It is one of the largest high-pressure storage power stations in Germany. A modern information centre explains very clearly how hydroelectric power is produced.

KRISTALL TRIMINI POOL

Kochel a. See · This is the ultimate pool for the whole family. Bathing in all its forms: inside and outside, heated or refreshing, kneipp hydrotherapy, splashing and spraying and whizzing.

HERZOGSTAND CABLE RAILWAY

Walchensee · Enjoy a trip up the mountain with a unique view of Walchensee lake and the majestic Alpine setting. From the top terminal there are beautiful short paths to the peak and the mountain restaurant. Or, if you are feeling ambitious, take a walk along the demanding mountain ridge to Heimgarten.

OPENAIR MUSEUM GLENTLEITEN

A different kind of museum, where farmers' and craftsmen's beautiful old houses have been brought together and picturesquely rebuilt. Events and exhibitions convey how our forefathers lived, and craftsmen present occupations that died out long ago.

Places of excursions

BENEDIKTBEUERN

The oldest monastery in Upper Bavaria is today home to a university and the Centre for Environment and Culture.

BAD TÖLZ

In the foothills of the Alps has a very fine-historical centre with an attractive Market-Street and the famous murals, the „Lüftmalereien“, on the outside of the houses.

MURNAU

As in Kochel a. See, you can follow up the traces of the „Blauer Reiter“ in the Castle Museum and the Münter House. An attractive pedestrian precinct.

GARMISCH

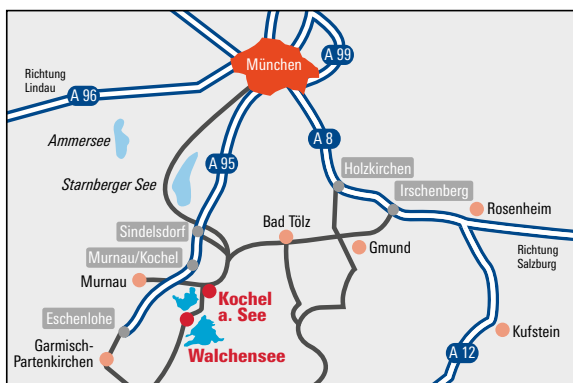
Once the venue of the Olympic Winter Games, is the Germany winter sportscentre at the foot of Germany's highest mountain, the Zugspitze.

MUNICH

The capital of Bavaria with its many attractions, is a good one hour's drive from us. Enjoy a sightseeing tour through Munich.

LINDERHOF PALACE

King Ludwig II's rococo palace in a spacious and beautiful park, not far from Oberammergau.



HOW TO GET HERE BY CAR:

From the A 95 motorway, take the Murnau/Kochel exit, then follow the signs first to Kochel a. See and from there to Walchensee. From the A 8 Motorway, take the Holzkirchen exit (when coming from Munich) or the Irschenberg exit (when coming from Salzburg or Kufstein for instance) and take the B 472 road to Bichl via Bad Tölz, then turn left onto the B 11 to Kochel a. See via Benediktbeuern before proceeding over the pass to Walchensee.

HOW TO GET HERE BY TRAIN:

Take the train from Munich to Kochel (changing trains in Tutzing). There is a regular bus service between Kochel a. See train station and Walchensee.

THE NEAREST AIRPORTS ARE:

Munich Airport (MUC), Innsbruck and Salzburg

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