

Attractions

- Eggersberg fortress ruins**
93339 Riedenburg / Obereggersberg · Accessible all year round.
- Altmühltal by boat**
www.schiffahrt-kelheim.de
Discover the rugged cliffs and grand castles of the Altmühltal by boat. Tip: The boat ride through the Kelheim lock is highly recommended.
- Falkenhof Rosenberg Castle**
Schloßweg 7, 93339 Riedenburg, www.falkenhof-rosenburg.de
Aerial flight shows with eagles, vultures, falcons, and owls. Castle museum with restaurant and beer garden.
- Prunn Castle**
Schlossprunn 1, 93339 Riedenburg / Prunn, www.burg-prunn.de
Tour one of the best-maintained castles in Bavaria. Family program during school holidays.
- Altmühltal Archaeology Park**
www.archaeologiepark-altmuehl.de
Between Kelheim and Dietfurt (39 km), cycle route along 18 stations that illustrate Altmühltal's history. With annual program and augmented reality.
- Randeck fortress ruins**
93343 Essing / Randeck, www.marktessing.de
Check opening hours.
- „Tatzlwurm“ wooden bridge**
93343 Essing · Wheelchair accessibility when accompanied.
- Schulerloch stalactite cave**
Parking: Am Schulerloch 1 a, 93343 Essing, www.schulerloch.de
Cave tours with fascinating wall projection and unique stalactite formations.
- Hall of Liberation**
Befreiungshallestraße 3, 93309 Kelheim, www.befreiungshalle-kelheim.de
Monumental hall of victory built by King Ludwig I.
- „Alter Hafen“ Old Harbor Industrial Monument**
Hienheimer Straße, 93309 Kelheim · A part of the Ludwig-Danube-Main canal.
- Ludwigsbahn Kelheim - Tram**
Ship docking area Kelheim / Donau, www.ludwigsbahn-kelheim.de
Drive through Kelheim's historical city center to the Hall of Liberation. Tip: "Maximilian Ticket" combi-ticket for tram and entry to Hall of Liberation. Departure: Ship docking area Kelheim / Danube.
- Danube Gorge by boat**
www.schiffahrt-kelheim.de
Enjoy the most beautiful view of the Danube Gorge on the boat ride between Kelheim and Weltenburg Abbey.
- Weltenburg Abbey**
Asamstraße 32, 93309 Kelheim / Weltenburg, www.kloster-weltenburg.de
Benedictine abbey with the world's oldest monastery brewery; the baroque-style Asam brother's church, visitor's center, tavern, and hotel Gästehaus St. Georg.
- Heinrichs Tower Bad Abbach**
Schloßberg, 93077 Bad Abbach · Entry not permitted.
- Limes Lookout Tower by Hienheim**
KEH 15, in the direction of Essing, 93333 Neustadt a.d. Donau.
Replica of a Roman watchtower.
- Abusina Roman military fortress**
Abusinastraße 1, 93333 Neustadt a.d. Donau / Eining, www.bad-goegging.de
Open to the public all-year-round, the military fortress is part of the Limes UNESCO World Heritage site. Tours available for booking. **Ground level and restroom are wheelchair accessible.**
- Kuchlbauer Brewery**
Römerstraße 5-9, 93326 Abensberg, www.kuchlbauer.de
Experience the World of Beer at the Kuchlbauer Tower, an architectural project by the world-renowned Austrian artist Friedensreich Hundertwasser.

Monasteries & Churches

- Frauenbründl Church of Pilgrimage**
Idyllic location near Bad Abbach. **Wheelchair accessibility possible when accompanied.**
- Einsiedelei Monastery**
The Einsiedelei dates back to the 1400s with a church built into the cliff face located along the Danube route path from Kelheim to Weltenburg Abbey. Currently closed. **Path to the Einsiedelei is wheelchair accessible when accompanied.**
- Weltenburg Abbey**
see 🌟 · Built by the Asam brothers Cosmas Damian and Egid Quirin, one of the most important churches of the European baroque period.
- Paring Monastery**
Paring 1, 84085 Langquaid / Paring, www.propstei-paring.de
- Hellring Church of Pilgrimage**
84085 Langquaid / Hellring, www.hellring.org
- Redeemer Chapel Biburg**
Abensstraße 1, 93354 Biburg, www.angerer-der-aeltere.de
- Biburg Monastery**
Eberhardplatz 1, 93354 Biburg
- Monastery Church Rohr in Lower Bavaria**
Abt-Dominik-Prokop-Platz 1, 93352 Rohr i.NB, www.kloster-rohr.de · Baroque style church built by the Asam brothers. Audio guide and tours are available and there is a shop. **The church is wheelchair accessible.**
- St. Nikolaus – “The Hallertau Cathedral”**
Landshuter Straße 8, 93354 Siegenburg, www.siegenburg.de
- St. Salvator Monastery**
Salvatorberg 3, 84048 Mainburg, www.paulinerorden.de

Museums

- Crystal Museum Riedenburg**
Bergkristallstraße 1, 93339 Riedenburg, www.kristallmuseum-riedenburg.de
Largest rock crystal group, tourmaline collection and diamond replica collection in the world. With mini golf course and restaurant Fasslwirtschaft.
- Farm Museum Erlebnisbauernhof Böhm**
Echendorf 11, 93339 Riedenburg / Echendorf, www.ferienhof.net
- MEMU Essing**
Unterer Markt 22, 93343 Essing, www.memu.marktessing.de
- Organ Museum Kelheim**
Am Kirchensteig 4, 93309 Kelheim, www.orgelmuseum-kelheim.de
- Kelheim Archaeological Museum**
Lederergasse 11, 93309 Kelheim, www.archaeologisches-museum-kelheim.de
Archaeology and city history of Kelheim from Neanderthals to Celts to the early Middle Ages, alternating special exhibits. **Ground floor is wheelchair accessible.**
- Archaeological Museum on Roman Spa Culture**
Trajanstraße 8, 93333 Bad Gögging, www.bad-goegging.de
Part of the UNESCO World Heritage „Borders of the Roman Empire – Danube Limes (western section)“.
- KunstHausAbensberg**
Schulhausplatz 4, 93326 Abensberg, www.kuchlbauer.de
Colorful insights into the life and work of the artist Friedensreich Hundertwasser. Tip: Combi-ticket includes Kuchlbauer's World of Beer.
- City Museum of Abensberg**
Dollingerstraße 18, 93326 Abensberg, www.stadtmuseum-abensberg.de · City history in the historic Herzogskasten, alternating special exhibitions.
- Culture House Storchenvirt**
Stadtplatz 13, 93333 Neustadt a.d. Donau, www.vhs-neustadt-donau.de/kulturhaus-storchenvirt
Wheelchair accessible.
- History Experience Museum in Kastnerhaus**
Marktplatz 1, 84085 Langquaid, www.langquaid.de · Interactive exhibitions about the Bronze Age and the historical municipality Langquaid, from its foundation by the Wittelsbacher family to today.
- City Museum of Mainburg**
Abensberger Straße 15, 84048 Mainburg, www.stadtmuseum-mainburg.de
- Altmühltal Dinosaur Museum**
Dinopark 1, 85095 Denkendorf, www.dinosauriemuseum.de
Exploration nature trail with over 70 life-size dinosaur replicas. Museum with sensations such as a genuine T Rex skeleton. **Wheelchair accessible.**
- German Hop Museum Wolnzach**
Elsenheimerstraße 2, 85283 Wolnzach, www.hopfenmuseum.de

Experiences with hops & beer

- Riedenburger Brauhaus**
Hammerweg 5, 93339 Riedenburg, www.riedenburger.de
Organic specialty brewery. Tours including tasting.
- 360° Beer – Beer sommelier evening**
Marktplatz 5, 93339 Riedenburg, www.schwan-riedenburg.de
An evening with a beer sommelier including beer tasting in Gasthof Schwan.
- Schneider Brewery Essing**
Altmühlgasse 10, 93343 Essing, www.brauereigasthof-schneider.de
Experience the craft of brewing: Tours and brewing seminars are available in the brewery. Visit our restaurant and beer hotel.
- Weltenburg Abbey Brewery**
Stadtmaus TCH Veranstaltungs GmbH, www.stadtmaus.de
Tour including tasting in the oldest monastery brewery in the world.
- Kuchlbauer Brewery**
see 🌟 · Experience the World of Beer with brewery tours and the Kuchlbauer Tower. Art and Bavarian beer culture come together at Weissbierbrauer Kuchlbauer.
- Zellner Hops Farm – Live hops farm experience**
Flurstraße 2, 84091 Attenhofen / Pötzm, www.hopfenhof-zellner.de
- Stiglmaier Hops Farm - Live hops farm experience**
Pfarrer-Schmid-Straße 5, 84091 Attenhofen, www.hopfenfuehrung.de
- Lutzenburger Liqueur and Chocolate Manufacture**
Scharfstraße 1, 84048 Mainburg, www.lutzenburger.de
Hops are more than just beer – proven on tours and tastings at this family-owned business that is steeped in tradition.

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SmartGuide App: Download the SmartGuide app for free from the App Store or Google Play. Select one of the self-guided tours. Let's go!

Special bus / Freizeitbus with bike trailer: This bus fitted with a special bike trailer is available from March 1 to October 3 (Saturday, Sunday, and holidays) and travels between the Altmühltal and the Hallertau. Infos: www.freizeitbusse.de

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Book experiences online! Make your day unforgettable with unique experiences: a canoe trip, a sike skating course, or a guided tour with a ranger. Book online now at www.herzstueck.bayern/erlebnisse

Thermal Springs & Day Spa

- Kaiser-Therme Bad Abbach**
Kurallee 4, 93077 Bad Abbach, www.kaiser-therme.de
Sauna world partially barrier-free access, indoor thermal pools with lift.
- Limes-Therme Bad Gögging**
Am Brunnenforum 1, 93333 Bad Gögging, www.limes-therme.de
- Day SPA - Der EISVOGEL**** Hotel – SPA – Restaurant**
An der Abens 20, 93333 Bad Gögging, www.hotel-eisvogel.de
- Day SPA - DORINT MARC AUREL RESORT**
Heiligenstädter Straße 34-36, 93333 Bad Gögging, www.dorint.com/marcaurel
- Day SPA - The Monarch Hotel**
Kaiser-Augustus-Straße 36, 93333 Bad Gögging, www.monarchbadgoegging.com
- Stadler-Hof – Farm & oasis of health**
Dorfstraße 15, 84106 Volkenschwand / Großgundertshausen, www.gesundheitsoase-bauernhof.de

Action & Fun

- AltmühlBOB Tobaggan run & high ropes course**
St. Agatha 6, 93339 Riedenburg / Haidhof, www.altmuehlbob.com
Tobaggan run, SpeedBob, high ropes courses, quad track, hurricane, playground, petting zoo, kiosk, and beer garden!
- Mini golf & Crystal Museum**
Bergkristallstraße 1, 93339 Riedenburg, www.kristallmuseum-riedenburg.de
- Ghupft wia Gsprunga**
Goldtalstraße 8, 93077 Bad Abbach, www.ghupft-wia-gsprunga.de
Indoor playground with exciting sensory experience rooms.
- Bird watching tower**
Freizeitinsel, 93077 Bad Abbach
- Hanika canoe adventures**
Donaustraße 2, 93077 Bad Abbach, www.kanuerlebnisse-hanika.de

- Mini golf & petting zoo in Kurpark Bad Abbach**
Am Kurpark, 93077 Bad Abbach
Paths in Kurpark Bad Abbach are wheelchair accessible.
- Ahoi boat rentals**
Hemauer Straße 27, 93309 Kelheim, www.ahoi-bootsverleih.de
- Keldorado public pool**
Rennweg 60, 93309 Kelheim, www.keldorado-kelheim.de
Both the indoor & outdoor pools are wheelchair accessible.
- Erlebnismax**
www.verlebnismax.de · Outdoor adventures on the Altmühl, Danube and Abens rivers with canoes, kayaks, wooden zille boats, inflatable boats, SUPs, tepees, and scooters. New: boat-kickbike!
- Bird and animal park Abensberg**
Welschenbach 4, 93326 Abensberg, www.vogelpark-abensberg.de
- EISVOGEL mini golf**
An der Abens 20, 93333 Bad Gögging, www.hotel-eisvogel.de
Challenging 18 hole-mini golf course in a natural setting right next to the Abens river, perfect for mini golf fans and families.

- Nordic-cross-skating/sike skating Hallertau**
Zur Umkehr 42, 84048 Mainburg, www.rollskisporthallertau.de · Nordic-cross-skating or skikes: Trial classes & rentals.
- Marktweiher local recreation area**
84085 Langquaid, www.langquaid.de
Pump track, disc golf course, agility course, playground with water play equipment, picnic areas, and more.

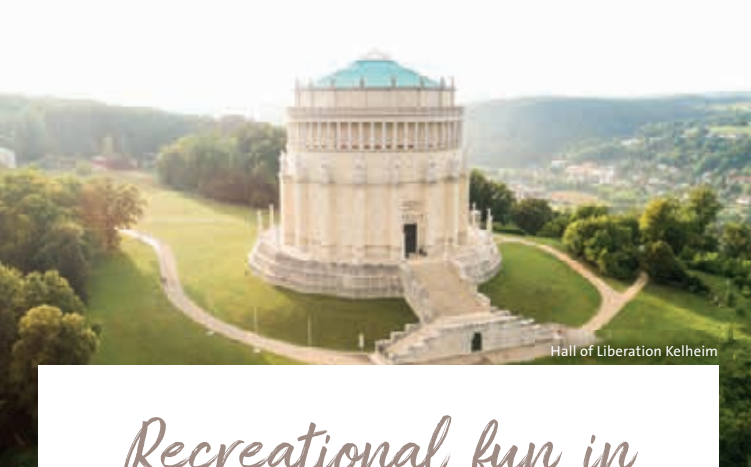
Summer by the water
Find our swimming lakes and outdoor pools at www.herzstueck.bayern/baden

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Educational nature trails

- Fishing and nature trail on the Main-Danube canal**
Nature trail from Meihern to Riedenburg along the canal and old riverbeds with informative stations about the local flora and fauna. Length: 12 km. **The trail and fishing locations are wheelchair accessible.**
- Adventure trails in the Jura**
Essing: Circular trail along an old riverbed of the Altmühl. 4.5 km
Ihrlerstein: Circular trail over the Jura plateau. Length: 3.5 km
- Painter mushroom nature trail**
Circular trail in Maierhofen near Painten with informative stations covering the subject of mushrooms, also called Schwammerl in Bavarian. Length: 5 km. **Wheelchair accessibility when accompanied.**
- Nature experience areal Tangrintel**
Grounds with sensory experience stations connected to nature and the history of Painten. Including barefoot path, herb garden, climbing ropes course, and more.
- Art trail along the riverside**
Trail along an old riverbed of the Altmühl with works of art and amazing views of the rock massif. Length: 1.3 km.
- Marterlweg Saal a.d. Donau**
Circular path in Saal a.d. Donau including 12 field monuments, so-called Marterl are memorials and wayside crosses. Length: 7 km.
- Moor trail Bad Gögging**
Circular trail near Bad Gögging through natural wetlands with reed areas, where Bad Gögging's fresh natural moor has its home. Length: 3 km.
- Panorama trail Abensberg**
Circular trail around Abensberg with informative stations about the city, landscape, historical events, flora & fauna. Length: 17 km. **Wheelchair accessibility possible when accompanied.**
- Pond trails – Langquaid**
Nature experience trail: Circular water-themed trail. Length: 3 km.
Educational forest trail: Circular forest-themed trail. Length 6 km.
Trail of myths & legends: Circular trail in Labertal. Length: 10 km.
Barefoot trail: 100 m „Learn to see with your feet“.
- Labertal stork route**
Cycle path from Langquaid to Rottenburg a.d. Laber with flora & fauna stations in the valley of the Große Laber. Length: 23 km.
- Orchard trail Rohr i.NB**
Educational trail with over 70 allergy-friendly apple and pear trees along the Rohrbach meadows. Length: 2 km.
- Discovery trail hops & beer**
Circular path from Mainburg to Ratzenhofen with informative stations about beer & hops. Length: 15 km.

Even more hiking tips at click the link www.herzstueck.bayern/wandern



Recreational fun in and around Kelheim

Experience breathtaking nature in the **Danube Gorge** and hike from castle to castle in the **Altmühltal**. Visit breweries steeped in tradition such as the oldest monastery brewery in all of Bavaria at **Weltenburg Abbey** and prepare to be amazed at **Weissbierbrauer Kuchlbauer** in **Abensberg**, where an incredible combination of beer and art awaits you. Pamper yourself at our thermal springs with moor spa treatments and baths infused with hop petals and explore our most beautiful excursion destinations and tourist attractions by bike!

We look forward to seeing you,
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- ✓ Restaurants and beer gardens
- ✓ Free brochures, i.e., detailed maps with cycling paths
- ✓ Overnight accommodations and camping sites
- ✓ Experiences that can be booked online

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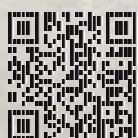
Weltenburg Narrows nature reserve

The **Weltenburg Narrows** nature reserve is a fascinating combination of water, woods, and cliffs that stretch between **Kelheim** and **Weltenburg**. It is best known for the **Danube Gorge**, breathtaking 70-meter-high cliffs that rise steeply up from the **Danube River**. Extremely rare plants, insects, and birds of prey, such as the peregrine falcon, still find a habitat there. With luck, you might even see a colorful kingfisher skimming over the water's surface.

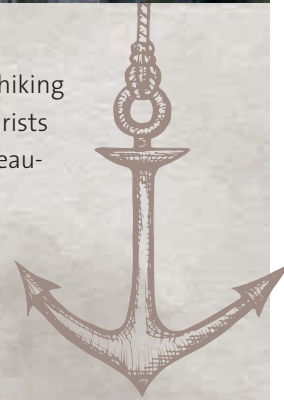
As early as 1840 **King Ludwig I** recognized how stunning the landscape is and personally ensured the preservation of the area by placing it under special protection. **Bavaria's** oldest nature reserve, the **Weltenburg Narrows** was awarded a European Diploma in 1978 and was elevated to **Bavaria's** first National Natural Monument in 2020.



Book a free guided tour with a ranger!



The **Weltenburg Narrows** is a popular hiking destination for both locals and tourists alike. Support us in maintaining this beautiful corner of the earth for future generations to come by following the basic guidelines of the nature reserve during your excursion: Stick to the paths, take your trash with you, and keep dogs on a leash.



Weltenburg Abbey

Sightseeing by bike

In a class by itself: **Kelheim** is located directly on three of **Germany's** most popular long-distance cycle routes – the **Altmühltal** cycle path, the **Danube** cycle path, and the **Five-Rivers** cycle path! Actually, it's a shame to stay only a day or two in the area. Because above and beyond these long-distance cycling routes, there are many other sightseeing attractions that can easily be discovered by bike. For example, the **Weltenburg cycle path**, one of our 16 circular paths, includes the historical center of **Kelheim**, a boat trip through the **Danube Gorge**, the **Weltenburg Abbey** and **Kuchlbauer's World of Beer** in **Abensberg**. If you like, you can even plan a trip to **Bad Gögging** and visit the **Limes-Therme**, a renowned spa & beauty treatment center.



Die schönsten Ausflugsziele in der Region stündlich mit agilis erreichbar



Abensberg and Gillamoos

People like to celebrate in **Abensberg**! The city center, with its magnificent town houses and narrow alleyways along the historical city wall, showcases many festivals and events in summer. The most well-known fair takes place every year on the first weekend of September, always located on large fairgrounds just outside the city gates: **Gillamoos**, **Bavaria's** oldest fair!



The scent of hops and the art of brewing

It begins in spring when the chestnut trees are blooming: the beer garden season. Experience the quintessential **Bavarian lifestyle** like nowhere else – in a shady beer garden enjoying a regionally brewed beer and a **Bavarian Brotzeit** (cold snacks and fresh bread). Taste the different beer varieties and try your best to describe their flavor profiles more precisely. Depending on the hops' varieties used for brewing, the beers' aroma varies, i.e., with a hint of banana or a note of mandarin. Beer sommeliers and hops experts will happily accompany you into the cultivated world of hops and beer.



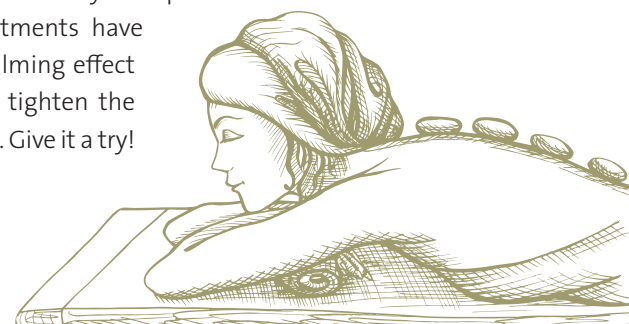
The **Kuchlbauer Tower** at **Kuchlbauer's World of Beer** in **Abensberg** pays homage to the culture of beer brewing in **Bavaria**. The colorful tower with its golden dome was designed by none other than the world-renowned artist, **Friedensreich Hundertwasser**.



Kuchlbauer Tower in Abensberg

Health and wellness

There are two health resorts in our region: The **Kaiser-Therme spa resort** in **Bad Abbach** just outside the city of **Regensburg** and the **Limes-Therme spa resort** in **Bad Gögging** in the **Hallertau**! Do something good for yourself and enjoy the beneficial effects of their three natural remedies: moor, sulfur water, and thermal water. Do you want to indulge yourself and book spa treatments in **Bad Gögging** that use hops? The essential oils and highly effective active ingredients in hops help you to relax, strengthen your cardio-vascular system, and stimulate blood circulation. Hop oil massages or hop cream body wrap treatments have a calming effect and tighten the skin. Give it a try!



„Tatzlwurm“ wooden bridge in Essing

Essing and Riedenburg

Both cities seem like something out of a fairytale: Essing is especially picturesque. The houses are nestled in the steep cliffside and the wooden bridge, the **Tatzlwurm**, sways over the water like a mystical creature. And high above all this towers the **fortress ruins of Randeck**. Anyone who hikes up to the ruins is rewarded with a magnificent view! **Riedenburg** is known as the **Three-Castle-City** and is just as extraordinary. The very impressive **Rosenburg Castle** and the ruins of both **Tachenstein** and **Rabenstein** are reminiscent of medieval times with proud knights in shining armor and noble counts. The **Minnesänger Monument**, an homage to medieval lyric- and song writing, guides your way to the boats that welcome you on board. Come and enjoy the enchanting **Altmühltal** from the water!



Three-Castle-City Riedenburg

Celts, Romans, and knights

Remnants from the **Altmühl** and **Danube Valleys'** former inhabitants date far back in time. Even the Neanderthals populated the caves of the steep limestone cliffs that are part of the Jura massif. In the stalactite cave **Schulerloch** near **Essing**, a modern wall projection impressively explains the origins of human life. Later, the Celts settled the area and founded **Alkimoennis**, modern day **Kelheim**. On a cycle path along the **Main-Danube canal**, you can explore their history at the 18 stations of **Altmühltal's Archaeological Park**. The Celts traded vigorously with the Romans who were on the other side of the **Limes**, the border between **Ancient Rome** and **Germania**. The remains of the Roman Military Fortress **Abusina** near **Bad Gögging** are part of the **Limes** and have been designated a **UNESCO World Heritage site**!

Fortified knight's castles in the **Altmühltal** are majestic reminders from the Middle Ages. **Prunn Castle** is one of the most well-maintained castles in **Bavaria** and at **Rosenburg Castle**, birds of prey excite their audience with spectacular aerial acrobatics in the courtyard.



Our region's most popular sights are the **Hall of Liberation**, built by the King of **Bavaria Ludwig I** and **Weltenburg Abbey**. The Benedictine monastery is the oldest monastic settlement in **Bavaria**. Visiting us is virtually travelling through time!



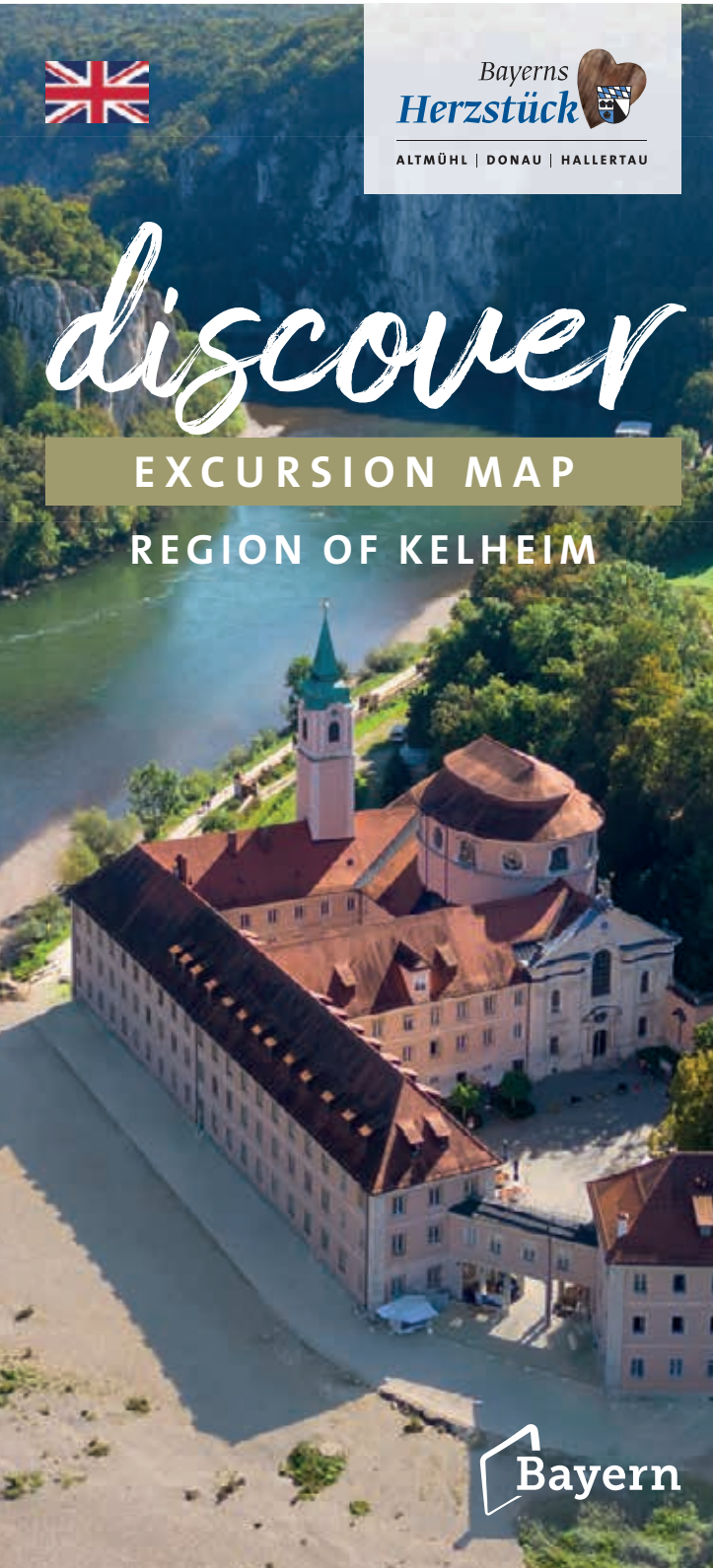
Prunn Castle near Riedenburg

Vacation time is family time

Together you can discover the beauty of the forest and conquer enchanted castle ruins, skip rocks over the surface of the **Danube** from the water's edge, and explore caves: There is so much to experience along our unbeaten paths! And if you want to pick up the pace, its "full speed ahead!" when you visit the **AltmühlBOB** toboggan run. Only a hop, skip, and jump away is **Lake St. Agatha**, where you can spend the day swimming, or you can visit the **Crystal Museum (Kristallmuseum)** and the birds of prey air show at **Rosenburg Castle**. The **Altmühltal Dinosaur Museum** is a must for all those dinosaur fans out there! Appreciate the high-spirited wildlife and fauna in **Vogel- and Tierpark Abensberg** and get ready to fall head over heels at the **Tiergehege**, the petting zoo in **Bad Abbach**.



Lake St. Agatha



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