

## Long-distance hike Architecture Trail Bregenzerwald



The Bregenzerwald is famous for its innovative and sustainable timber architecture. This five-day long-distance hike will take you in five stages from Krumbach through Schwarzenberg to Au and to several structures that are particularly worth seeing. You'll only be travelling with a light backpack for the day because your luggage will be transferred from hotel to hotel for you.

The package includes six nights in selected \*\*\* and \*\*\*\* hotels, a hiking brochure with architectural highlights, luggage transport, transfer back to the starting point and the Guest Card Bregenzerwald & Großes Walsertal.

From € 798 per person in a double room with breakfast

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# Itinerary



## Day 1 Welcome to the Bregenzerwald

Krumbach is the starting point for the Bregenzerwald Architecture Trail. A strong awareness of architecture, craftsmanship and design has emerged in the village with a population of 1,000 in recent decades. Over the next few days, you'll be hiking through the Bregenzerwald's unique cultivated landscape and exploring the special features of its timber architecture and regional crafts.

- Parking at the first hotel
- Arrival by rail: taxi transfer from the railway station in Dornbirn, Bregenz or Oberstaufen to your first hotel
- Accommodation with breakfast: Gasthof Adler or similar.
- Krumbach



## Day 2 BUS:STOP, Moor Landscape and Forests

Today, you'll be hiking past special bus stops created for the international BUS:STOP Krumbach architecture project and discovering the unique moor landscape to be found in the Nagelfluhkette Nature Park. You'll be taking in other outstanding architectural highlights, such as the Salgenreute Chapel and the Moorraum (Moor Room), along the way. The route goes on through the continuous cover forest on the Rotenberg to the centre of the village of Lingenau.

- Accommodation with breakfast: Hotel Gasthof Adler or similar.
- Lingenau



## Day 3 From St. Anna to Angelika Kauffmann

The trail descends from the St. Anna Chapel in Lingenau to the Subersach Gorge and on to Egg. It goes on from there through the beech forest to Maien and into the picturesque village of Schwarzenberg on which Angelika Kauffmann, the world-famous classicist painter, left her mark. The entire village square in Schwarzenberg and its surrounding buildings are listed. This is where you'll be able to enjoy a special experience of the interplay between landscape, nature and the culture of rural crafts.

- Accommodation with breakfast: Hotel Gasthof Hirschen or similar.
- Schwarzenberg



## Day 4 To the Werkraum Haus and over the Bezegg

Today, you'll be hiking from Schwarzenberg to Andelsbuch. That's where you'll find the Werkraum Haus, the 'showcase' for innovative trades and crafts in the Bregenzerwald. The hike continues along the former route of the Bregenzerwald Railway to the Bersbuch reservoir. An old pass leads from there up the Bezegg and into the centre of the village of Bezau.

- Board: Breakfast
- Accommodation: Hotel Sonne or similar
- Bezau

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## Day 5 Over the Schnepfegg to the hamlet of Tempel

Today's hike will take you past the local history museum in Bezau and along the stream to Bizau. A beautiful forest path leads from the Bizauer Moos up to the Wendelin Chapel on the Schnepfegg. The hike continues from there with magnificent views of the Kanisfluh by way of the Rosenberg to Mellau. Many architectural highlights, such as the famous hamlet of Tempel and the Dorfsaal Mellau (village hall), await in the village.

- Accommodation with breakfast: Hotel Bären or similar.
- Mellau



## Day 6 Alpine transhumance and baroque master builders

The high-altitude trails with great views take you past a variety of alps to the idyllic Ahornenvorsäß (alpine pasture settlement) and to Au-Rehmen. That's where, at the end of your long-distance hike, the Museum of Baroque Master Builders, which was opened in 2022, awaits.

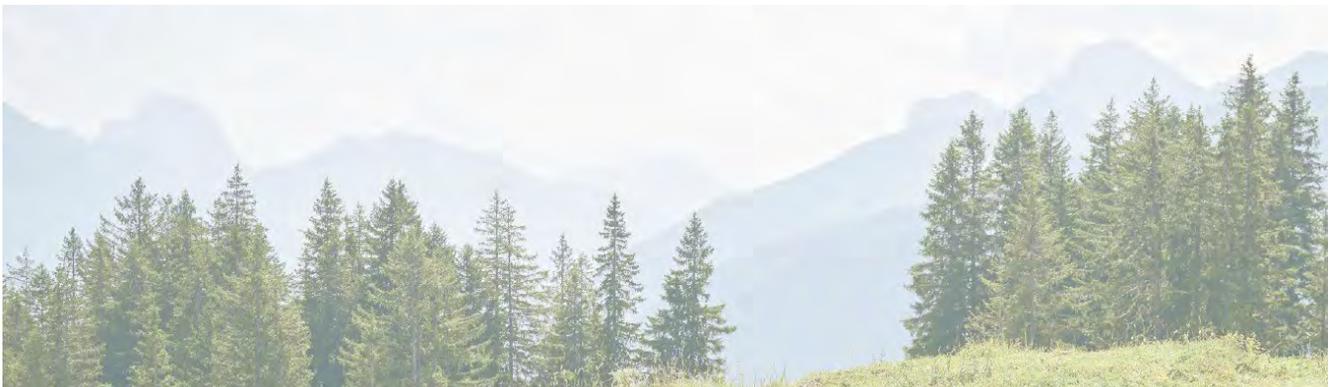
- Trip with the Mellau cable car
- Accommodation with breakfast: Hotel Schiff or similar.
- Au



## Day 7 Bidding farewell to the Bregenzerwald

We'll be taking you back to the starting point after your days of impressive long-distance hiking through the Bregenzerwald.

- Taxi transfer back to the first hotel
- Arrival by rail: taxi transfer back to Dornbirn, Bregenz or Oberstaufen railway station



# Overview

## Route:

- 1st day: Individual arrival  
2nd day: Krumbach – Langenegg – Lingenau; walking time: approx. 4 ½ hours; ascent: 338 m, descent: 407 m  
3rd day: Lingenau – Egg - Schwarzenberg; walking time: approx. 3 ½ hours; ascent: 476 m, descent: 466 m  
4th day: Schwarzenberg – Andelsbuch – Bezau; walking time: approx. 3 ¼ hours; ascent: 244 m; descent: 294 m  
5th day: Bezau – Bizau – Mellau; walking time: approx. 4 hours; ascent: 335 m; descent: 300 m  
6th day: Mellau – Au; walking time: approx. 4 ½ hours; ascent: 312 m; descent: 872 m  
7th day: After breakfast, you are taken back to your first hotel or to the Dornbirn or Bregenz station

## Services included:

- 6 nights with breakfast in selected 3- and 4-star hotels
- Luggage transport from hotel to hotel
- Arrival by car: Car park at the first hotel and transfer back to the car at the end of the tour
- Arrival by bus/train/plane: Transfer from the Dornbirn or Bregenz station to the first hotel and transfer back to the station
- Hiking Brochure including architectural highlights
- Book and Folder "Umgang Bregenzerwald" - 12 village walks
- GPS Tracks & digital discovery room
- Bus schedule and village map
- Hiking map Bregenzerwald
- Guest Card Bregenzerwald & Großes Walsertal

## Bookable:

4. June – 23. October 2022

## Price per person:

from € 798 in a double room with breakfast

from € 915 in a single room with breakfast

This arrangement is only available on request. We would be happy to forward you a tailor-made offer. Please fill out the contact form or send your request to [info@bregenzerwald.at](mailto:info@bregenzerwald.at)

