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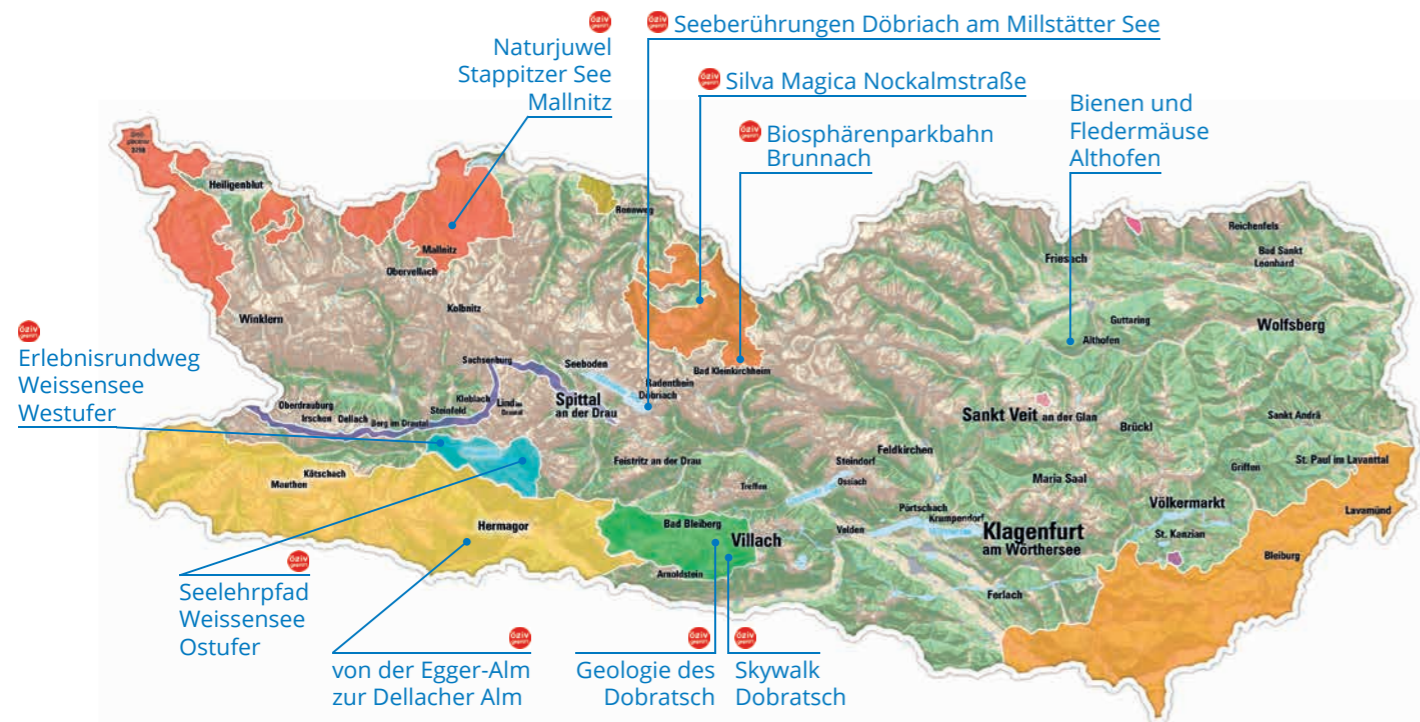
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Barrier-free hiking trails in Carinthia



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- Nationalpark Hohe Tauern
- Europaschutzgebiet Obere Drau
- Geopark Karnische Alpen
- Naturpark Weissensee
- Naturpark Dobratsch
- Geopark Karawanken
- Europaschutzgebiet Sablatnigmoor
- Schutzgebiet Mittelkärnten
- Ramsar-Gebiet Hörfeld-Moor
- UNESCO Biosphärenpark Nockberge
- Schutzgebiet Pöllatal

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Moments of Happiness in Nature for Everyone

Experiences in nature without barriers in the heart of the Austrian Alps: In Carinthia you can find it. Throughout the region, attractive, barrier-free nature experiences have been created, offering relaxing places of peace and tranquillity for people with and without disabilities.

Emerald-green lakes, soft forest floors, fragrant herb meadows, energising views: Carinthia's landscape guarantees relaxation on the one hand, adventure on the other and an unforgettable break from everyday life. In order to make such moments of happiness accessible to everyone, facilities have been created in Carinthia that enable anyone who needs them to reach special places in selected protected areas and experience nature with all their senses.

Barrier-free together

These offers range from adventure trails on Lake Weissensee and in the Nockberge Biosphere Park to a geological trail on the Villach Alpine Road and barrier-free lake access, all of which offer easy and relaxing hikes or visits to special natural sites.

Unique. Pure. Special.

In addition, guided tours are offered at these locations that take people with and without disabilities to special places in Carinthia's nature. These tours offer an insight into the protected areas and, like the barrier-free facilities where they are located, are not only suitable for wheelchairs, but can also be run with a stroller. For this reason, the programme does not cover long distances and focuses on the small features along the way.

Accessible Carinthia

Carinthia should be for EVERYONE. Guests of all ages, with and without disabilities can enjoy the unique natural scenery between mountains and lakes. Whether you are travelling with a wheelchair or a stroller, whether with a blind person's cane or a walking stick: all the accessible facilities, hiking trails, programmes and businesses you will find here have been tested and recommended by the Austrian Association for disabled persons.



Barrier-free Nature Experience Trails

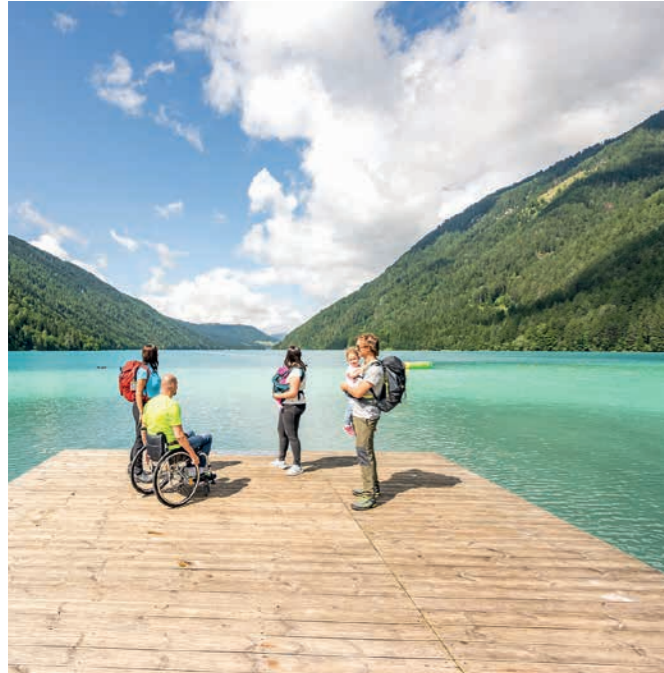
The Austrian Association for People with Disabilities (ÖZIV), developed verifiable criteria which guarantee carefree, barrier-free enjoyment. Based on these criteria, 10 such trails have now been created that promise to offer „Nature experience for EVERYONE“.



Nature Trail Weissensee/Ost

Suitable for: Wheelchair/stroller
Difficulty: easy
Distance/duration: 0.4 km / 35 min

The world under and on the water are mysterious worlds full of inspiring beauty. Enjoy the view of the lake along the nature trail and learn interesting facts about the Weissensee Nature Park.



Mountain promenade – circular trail Brunnach

Suitable for: Wheelchair/stroller
Difficulty: easy
Distance/duration: 2.5 km / 40 min

The hiking trail starts at the Brunnach mountain station, which is also barrier-free. Passing by barrier-free information boards about the Speik topic and panoramic rest areas it leads right to the summit, rewarding you with an impressive panoramic view.



Geological trail on the Dobratsch at 1.700 m above sea level

On the Rosstratte at the foot of the summit hiking trail at approx. 1732m above sea level, a barrier-free geological trail has been set up where the various types of rock found in the Dobratsch Nature Park can be felt and viewed.

Suitable for: Wheelchair/stroller
Difficulty: easy
Distance/duration: 0.6 km / 20 min



Dobratsch – Skywalk Rote Wand

From here, visitors can enjoy a breathtaking view of the red wall and also have the opportunity to observe rare bird species such as the cliff swallow and the peregrine falcon.

Suitable for: Wheelchair/stroller
Difficulty: easy
Distance/duration: 0.6 km / 10 min



Touching the lake – Döbriach

Touch the lake in the truest sense of the word – via the accesible ramp or with the help of a swimming wheelchair! Always on the shore of Lake Millstätter See, you walk along the idyllic harbour edge, past the rose garden into the fishermen's park and on to the public lake access.

Suitable for: Wheelchair/stroller
Difficulty: easy
Distance/duration: 1.2 km / 40 min



Silva Magica – Nature Encounter Park in the Nockberge Biosphere Reserve

Suitable for: Wheelchair/stroller
 Difficulty: easy
 Distance/duration: 0.7 km / 20 Min.

Silva Magica Nature Encounter Park invites you to marvel and experience. Visitors are introduced to the world of nature spirits and the geology of the Nockberge.



Constellation hike Egger Alm – Dellacher Alm

Suitable for: Wheelchair/stroller
 Difficulty: easy
 Distance/duration: 7.7 km / 2h

The asphalted path between the two alpine pasture villages winds through a stunning high alpine landscape with lush meadows, views of Poludnig, and the shimmering Egger Almsee. Along the 3.8 km trail, accessible rest areas with benches invite you to pause and enjoy nature.



Accesible Hike to lake Stappitzer See in Hohe Tauern National Park

The hike starts at the Ankogelbahn car park. From here the trail continues gently upwards towards Lake Stappitz. The wheelchair (only with accompaniment – no self-propelled) or pram should be suitable for off-road use.

Suitable for: Wheelchair/stroller
 Difficulty: easy
 Distance/duration: 0.9 km / 30 min



Adventure trail Weissensee/West. The life in a drop of water.

The diverse shores are home to a variety of animal and plant species and have been a habitat and recreational area for people for generations. Clearly designed information boards describe the lake shores and their „sights“ in more detail.

Suitable for: Wheelchair/stroller
 Difficulty: easy
 Distance/duration: 3.2 km / 50 min



Weissensee fishing trail. Of fishermen and fish

Discover the biodiversity of the Weissensee Nature Park barrier-free with 5 display boards with haptic elements and in Braille.

Suitable for: Wheelchair/stroller
 Difficulty: easy
 Distance/duration: 0.4 km / 35 min



Accessible Programmes Nature Experience for Everyone

Through those programmes Carinthia's nature is explored in a special way. Our specially trained guides accompany you in the excellent protected areas (ÖZIV recommended).



Life in a Waterdrop at Lake Weissensee

This leisurely tour starts at the Weissensee Information in Techendorf-Süd. Along the way we taste and smell enchanting wild plants. After a short hike (approx. 1 km) to the viewing platform, we relax and listen to the ranger who tells us fascinating facts and information.

Nature experience in the Grundalm – Biosphärenpark Nockberge

Accompanied by a Biosphere Park ranger, you will explore the area and learn interesting facts about nature and the special features of the Nockberge Biosphere Park. In the nature encounter park „Silva Magica“ you can experience the unique landscape you are in with all your senses. After visiting one of the most popular exhibitions on the Nockalm Road „Trees as survival artists“, you will make your own personal souvenir of this day in nature. *Guided tour in: German/English, for visitors with hearing disabilities written information will be provided during the hike.*

The Natural Wonder of the Forest

This tour illustrates the tree as a marvel of nature nature in all its diversity, shows its positive effect on us humans and lets us experience the forest atmosphere as a whole with all our senses. We feel, sniff and realise how amazing the world of trees is.

Discover the power of alpine herbs on the Egger Alm

From spring to autumn, a variety of alpine herbs bloom on our Gailtal cheese alpine pastures! Immerse yourself in a wealth of different herbs in the „EGGER ALM“ alpine hut village. After a guided hike along the Egger Alm lake, you will get to know the alpine herbs from Isabella, the herb expert. Following the principle of „smell it, feel it, taste it“, the herbs presented by her will be processed together. *The Almshuttleservice offers the opportunity to visit the nature experience with barrier-free transport.*

On the Tracks of the Skylark

Experience the fascinating diversity of the bird world up close on our birdwatching hike hike through one of the last breeding areas of the of the once most common meadow bird, the skylark.

Natural jewel Lake Stappitz

In the Mallnitz visitor centre our National park ranger Gabi awaits you to explore the spirit of research in the Inspiration Nature' laboratory laboratory. Afterwards we will to the Seebachtal valley 2 km away to the Ankogelbahn car park car park (with your own car). An easy hike starts here hike in a breathtaking natural scenery at 1,300 m altitude to the „Stappitzer See“ lake.

All programmes bookable on www.kaernten.at/erlebnisse

Herbalism at Lake Millstatt

On this herbal tour, you will not only learn what the saying „3,3,3 are with the goutweed“ is all about, but you will also get to know herbs with all your senses. The tour takes you to locations right by Lake Millstätter See, where you can discover several beneficial plants.

Herbal knowledge for the whole family

The plants and herbs of the Nockberge Biosphere Park hide many secrets. Plenty of them have the power to heal, while some are better left aside. Once the spirit of discovering is awakened, it is easy to find the right ingredients for herbal candies. Making them on your own you can experience the healing effects and flavour of nature.

Barrier-free facilities in the regions

These facilities have been tested according to ÖZIV criteria and guarantee you the appropriate barrier-free facilities



Region Villach – Faaker See – Ossiacher See

Hotels and Camping Sites

harry's Home, Bahnhofplatz 5, 9500 Villach	www.harrys-home.com/villach
BLEIB BERG F.X. Mayr Retreat, Thermenweg 28, 9530 Bad Bleiberg	www.bleib-berg.com
Seminarhotel eduCARE, Eichrainweg 7-9, 9521 Treffen	www.educare.co.at
voco Villach, Europaplatz 2, 9500 Villach	www.villach.vocohotels.com
B & B Hotel Villach, Gaswerkstraße 22, 9500 Villach	www.hotel-bb.com/de/hotel/villach
CampingBad Ossiacher See, Seeuferstraße 109, 9520 Annenheim	www.camping-ossiachersee.at
Strandcamping Anderwald, Strand Nord 4, 9583 Faak am See	www.campinganderwald.at
Ferienwohnungen Theresienhof, Egger Straße 19, 9581 Ledenitzen	www.theresienhof-faakersee.at

Restaurants

Restaurant Lagana im Hotel voco, Europaplatz 2, 9500 Villach	www.villach.vocohotels.com
zum Treffner, Eichrainweg 7-9, 9521 Treffen bei Villach	www.zumtreffner.at

Excursion sites

Affenberg, 9523 Burg Landskron	www.affenberg.com
Kärnten Therme, 9504 Warmbad-Villach	www.kaerntentherme.com

Lido and thermal baths

Panorama Beach Faaker See, Strandbadstraße 61, 9580 Drobollach	www.villach.at/stadt-erleben/freizeit/baeder-badeseen/panoramabeach-faaker-see
Kärnten Therme	www.kaerntentherme.com
Campingbeach, Seeuferstraße 109, 9520, Annenheim	www.campingbeach.at/strandbad

Region Klopeiner See – Südkärnten – Lavanttal

Hotels and Camping Sites

Strandhotel Orchidee, Klopein am See VIII/3, 9122 St. Kanzian	www.orchidee.at
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Restaurants

Restaurant in Standhotel Orchidee Klopein am See VIII/3, 9122 St. Kanzian	www.orchidee.at
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Region Wörthersee

Hotels and Camping Sites

Hotel Post Wrann Velden, 9220 Velden, Europaplatz 4-6	www.hotel-post.ws
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Millstätter See – Bad Kleinkirchheim – Nockberge

Hotels and Camping Sites

Ferienhotel Trattnig, Seestraße 66, 9873 Döbriach	www.hotel-trattnig.com
Schwimmbad-Camping Mössler, 9873 Döbriach am Millstätter See	www.moessler.at/schwimmbad-camping
Bichl See Ferienhäuser, 9544 Feld am See	www.hausbichl.com
COOEE alpin Hotel, Dorfstraße 78, 9546 Bad Kleinkirchheim	www.cooee-alpin.com/bad-kleinkirchheim
Camping Brunner, Glanzerstraße 108, 9873 Döbriach	www.campingbrunner.at
Almgasthof Hiasl Zirbenhütte, Zirbenweg 10, 9571 Sirnitz/Hochrindl	www.zirbenhuetten.com

Restaurants

Restaurant im COOEE alpin Hotel Dorfstraße 78, 9546 Bad Kleinkirchheim	www.cooee-alpin.com/bad-kleinkirchheim
Restaurant Gellius, Dorfstraße 74, 9546 Bad Kleinkirchheim	www.gellius.at

Gasthof Cafe Nockalmhof, Innerkrems 91, 9862 Innerkrems	www.nockalmstrasse.at/na/de/nockalmstrasse/nockalmhof
Gasthof Postwirt, Hauptstraße 64-66, 9871 Seeboden	www.postwirt.at
Panorama-Restaurant Nock IN, an der Bergstation der Biosphärenparkbahn Brunnach, 9546 Bad Kleinkirchheim	www.berg-hof.at/nockin
Almgasthof Hiasl Zirbenhütte, Zirbenweg 10, 9571 Sirnitz/Hochrindl	www.zirbenhuetten.com

Excursion sites

Museum für Volkskultur, 9800 Spittal	www.museum-spittal.com
Biosphärenparkbahn Brunnach 9546 Bad Kleinkirchheim/St. Oswald	www.badkleinkirchheim.com/bergbahnen-sommer/preise-oeffnungszeiten
Sagamundo – Haus des Erzählens, 9873 Döbriach	www.sagamundo.at
Therme St. Kathrein, 9546 Bad Kleinkirchheim	www.therme-kathrein.at

Lido and thermal baths

Therme St. Kathrein, 9546 Bad Kleinkirchheim	www.therme-kathrein.at
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Hohe Tauern – die Nationalpark-Region in Kärnten

Hotels and Camping Sites

Das Marx, Döllach 5, 9843 Großkirchheim	www.dasmarx.at
Appartements Dullnig, Kleindorf 64, 9831 Flattach	www.dullnig-appartements.at
Houghton House, Mallnitz 221, 9822 Mallnitz	www.houghtonhaus.com
HOCHoben camp & explore, Mallnitz 226, 9822 Mallnitz	www.hochoben.at

Restaurants

Restaurant im HOCHoben camp & explore, Mallnitz 226, 9822 Mallnitz	www.hochoben.at
Gasthof Penkerwirt, 9816 Penk	www.penkerwirt.at

NLW – Nassfeld, Lesachtal, Weissensee

Hotels and Camping Sites

Ferienwohnung Jank, Rattendorf 36, 9631 Jenig	www.jank-nassfeld.at
Dobringer's, Chalet-Dorf Watschig 6, 9620 Hermagor	www.dobringers.at
Ferienhof Neusacher-Moser, Neusach 9, 9762 Weissensee	www.neusacher-moser.at

Restaurants

Gasthof auf der Egger Alm	www.nassfeld.at/de/Service/Nassfeld-A-Z/Egger-Alm-Gasthof-Zur-Alten-Kaeserei_az_30323
Restaurant Lerchenhof im Schloß Lerchenhof Untermöschach 8, 9620 Hermagor	www.lerchenhof.at/schloss/restaurant
Gasthof Löffle, Watschig 12, 9620 Hermagor	www.zerza.at

Tourismusregion Mittelkärnten

Hotels and Camping Sites

JUFA Hotel Stift Gurk, Domplatz 11, 9342 Gurk	www.jufa.eu/gurk
Gasthof Winkelwirt, Edlingshoferstraße 12, 9330 Althofen	www.winkelwirt.at

Restaurants

JUFA Hotel Stift Gurk, Domplatz 11, 9342 Gurk	www.jufa.eu/gurk
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Region Klagenfurt am Wörthersee

Hotels and Camping Sites

Select Hotels Moser Verdino Klagenfurt 9020 Klagenfurt, Domgasse 2	www.select-hotels.com/select-hotel-moser-verdino-klagenfurt
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Excursion sites

Strandbad Klagenfurt, Metnitzstrand 2, 9020 Klagenfurt	www.stw.at/privat/baeder/strandbad-klagenfurt
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Accessible package deals

These hosts have been tested according to ÖZIV criteria and guarantee you the appropriate barrier-free facilities.



Holidays without any objections in the World of Mountains & Lakes

How wonderful that all our guests can discover and experience the Nassfeld-Pressegger See and Weissensee living spaces in the same way. Even if one has physical limitations.



- » 3 nights in a flat with self-catering (ÖZIV-certified accommodation)
- » 2 dinners in an ÖZIV-certified restaurant
- » 1 guided tour at a barrier-free nature adventure trail in the region
- » 1 Slow Food Travel surprise parcel
- » +CARD holiday or Weissensee PREMIUM Card
- » Optional: free hire of the towing device for the wheelchair „Swiss Track“, barrier-free shuttle in the region

from **€ 300,-**

Experience the Hohe Tauern National Park

The Seebachtal valley with the natural jewel Stappitzer lake is one of the most beautiful high mountain valleys of the Hohe Tauern – an almost flat valley floor, thundering waterfalls, the crystal-clear Seebach creek and imposing peaks. The hiking trail to the lake is barrier-free and invites you to enjoy and experience NATURE.



- » From 2 nights in the chosen category
- » Admission to the BIOS National Park Centre/Mallnitz National Park Centre
- » Barrier-free hike into the Seebachtal valley in Mallnitz
- » Admission to the House of the Ibexes in Heiligenblut

from **€ 280,-**

Experience the magic of the Nockberge mountains

The gentle alpine world of the Nockberge mountains becomes a barrier-free experience with the Silva Magica enchanted forest in the Grundalm. The park along the Nockalm road was awarded the ÖZIV certificate in June 2022. It is a place of power that is home to mythical creatures and nature spirits.



from **€ 350,-**

- » 3 nights in the category of your choice in Bad Kleinkirchheim
- » Barrier-free mountain experience on the Brunnach, or hiking in the biosphere park
- » 1 hiking snack pack to take away
- » A little surprise on arrival at the hotel
- » Sunshine card for the duration of your stay

Natur and Porsche Experience for EVERYONE

The Gurktal valley is one of the most unspoiled spots in Carinthia and has always inspired visitors with its gentle hilly landscape and historic cultural monuments. The Red Bull Ring in the Murtal also offers wheelchair users the opportunity to take part at unique driving experiences as part of the Porsche 718 Experience.



from **€ 431,-**

- » 2 nights single room incl. half board at JUFA Gurk
- » Welcome drink at the JUFA Gurk
- » Guided tour of the Gurk Treasury and the Gurk Cathedral
- » Pleasure tour in the Gurktal herb paradise
- » Familiarisation with seasonal wild herbs and shrubs
- » Campfire at the fireplace with herb roast
- » Herbal aperitif and digestif
- » Porsche 718 Cayman S Experience at the Red Bull Ring (30 min) for wheelchair users
- » Red Bull Ring Tour (90min)



Information about your holiday in Carinthia available at:

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