

Alpine Park Karwendel

Bookable as individual single tour - minimum of 2 participants - 7 days/6 nights or 6 days/5 nights

Champs, pros and athletic mountain bikers will love this tour. However, the actual “star” of the tour is the Karwendel mountain range itself. Not for nothing is the Alpenpark Karwendel the oldest and one of the biggest nature reserves of Tyrol. No other region of the Northern Limestone Alps has preserved its natural wilderness and diversity to that extent. There are numerous scenic highlights in the region: Like a fjord, Lake Achensee nestles between impressive mountains and shines in a Caribbean turquoise. Impressive mountain ranges surround alpine pastures that are home to many beautiful alpine flowers and plants. Ancient giant trees welcome amazed bikers in the Eng. And still today the white rivers of the Karwendel follow their natural course. This variety and many other highlights make this tour – not only athletically – a tour of superlatives.

In a Nutshell | Distinctive Features

- Experienced and skilled handling of mountain bike is absolutely necessary.
- mostly wide transport roads;
- some stages can be extended to nearby pastures

Arrival

Daily from June 15th to September 15th 2021

Dates for guided group tours on request.

Course of the tour - 5 stages with approx. 215 km and 4.200 metres altitude gain

Day 1: Individual Journey to Innsbruck

Day 2: Innsbruck – Schwaz (approx. 40km /altitude gain: approx. 1,000m)

From the alpine pasture paradise of the Innsbruck Nordkette Mountain Range to the silver town along the Inn Cycle Route. Fancy some more? Then you can climb Nordkette optionally to Arzler Alm (1,067m), Höttinger Alm (1,487m), Bodensteiner Alm (1,661m) or even up to Seegrube (1,905m).

Day 3: Schwaz – Achensee (approx. 20km /altitude gain: approx. 600m)

To warm up you leave the miners’ town of Schwaz and head towards Jenbach. You are then ready to tackle the ascent to the lakeside shore of Lake Achensee (930m). From there you can optionally continue towards Pertisau and the Karwendeltäler Valleys with their numerous homey huts.

Day 4: Achensee – Hinterriss/Eng (approx. 55km / altitude gain: approx. 650m)

You elegantly avoid the steep ascent up Plumsjoch (1,650m) by taking a route along flat or slightly ascending forest trails and roads with little traffic along Lake Sylvensteinsee and Risstal Valley. You get to Hinterriss and the mountain village of Eng (1,200m) and the “Große Ahornboden” nature reserve. If you still want to make some more metres in altitude difference you can climb Plumsjoch from the backside (less difficult ascent). Overnight stay in Hinterriss.

Day 5: Hinterriss - Scharnitz (approx. 50km / altitude gain: approx. 950m)

From “Große Ahornboden” to “Kleine Ahornboden” and then to Karwendelhaus hut that majestically towers at an altitude of 1,770m. Hopefully you can still pay attention to the unique play of colours of Karwendelbach brook on your racy downhill ride to Scharnitz.

Day 6: Scharnitz – Innsbruck (approx. 50km / altitude gain: approx. 1,000m)

From the Karwendel Mountain Range to the Olympic regions of Seefeld and Innsbruck.

After a fantastic downhill from Seefeld to the intersection to Inntal Valley near Zirl you can continue your ride along Inn Cycle Route (labour saving) or if you've still got some energy left ride across the Innsbruck Mittelgebirge. Up there you are rewarded with a downhill that leads almost into the centre of the Alpine capital of Innsbruck.

Day 7: Individual Journey Home or Extension

Included Services | Price per Person | Extras

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- ✓ Accommodation in carefully selected 3-Star hotels
- ✓ 6 resp. 5 Overnight stays including large breakfast buffet
- ✓ Luggage transport from hotel to hotel
- ✓ Extensive travel papers
- ✓ GPS-data available on demand
- ✓ Phone service daily from 8:30 am to 6:30 pm

Prices per Person

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| - Accommodation in double rooms | Euro | 736,00 |
| - Leaving on day 6 | Euro | 678,00 |
| - Single room surcharge | Euro | 154,00 |
| - Any local taxes that may be due are not included and are payable locally | | |

Extras

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| - Bike rental (27-gear mountain bike – hardtail; tool kit) | Euro | 160,00 |
| - Electric Mountain Bike | Euro | 230,00 |
| - Bike guide (also for single stages) bookable on request | | |