

Excursions at the Kaiserstuhl



Welcome into the Kaiserstuhl-Tuniberg region!

Discover the Kaiserstuhl and the Tuniberg! Regardless of the season, the region has its own charm!

1 Canoe - Rhine Kanu

It is possible to practice canoe at several places. Information on the location centers and guided tours: Tourist Informations.

2 Litzelberg Chapel - Sasbach

Pilgrimige chapel

Suggestions: Moorings on the Rhine at Marckolsheim; Ruins of the Limburg Castle

3 Ruins of the Sponeck castle - Sasbach-Jechtingen

This medieval castle is a private property. The garden is open all the day and can be visited. Open doors days: 1st of May, 2nd Sunday of September.

4 Leiselheim Chair - Sasbach-Leiselheim

At this place, Otto III, who became later Emperor ("der Kaiserstuhl" = "the Emperor's chair"), is supposed to have hold a court day. This chair may be photographed.

5 Ruins of the castle - Vogtsburg-Burkheim

The small town of Vogtsburg, thanks to his baroque city gate, his old castle, his numerous historical houses and his church, is one of the Kaiserstuhl's most beautiful places. Suggestions : Corkscrew museum, gardens of Burkheim, the night watchman's guided tour

6 St Michael's cath. Church - Vogtsburg - Niederrotweil

This church is among the Breisgau's oldest ones. It contains many treasures: the paintings, the altar, the organ (1758)

Suggestion : St Pantaleon's Chapel

7 „Auf dem Eck“ - Vogtsburg-Oberrotweil

Between Kiechlinsbergen and Oberrotweil, there is a serpentine road called « Texaspass » by the population. It is possible to stop in order to take a photo. From the "Mondhalde", gorgeous overview on the Kaiserstuhl and on the Vosges. A nice panoramic photo with the Totenkopf (highest elevation 557m) may be taken.

8 Das Baldloch (bath hole - Oberbergen)

The curative source with an all-year temperature of 21° was already enjoyed by the Romans in the first century to Chr. In the bath one can enjoy a little travelling break to his feet. There is also a comfortable picnic place

9 Pasture of Schelingen - Vogtsburg-Schelingen

Remarkable and various flora. Guided tours: see program of the Kaiserstuhl nature center. Access through the "Katharinenpfad" path or from Oberbergen (follow the indications). Suggestion: sundial at the ground in Schelingen

10 Loess-hollow-path called « Eichgasse » - Vogtsburg-Bickensohl

These paths are created by viticulture and erosion and are specific to Kaiserstuhl. These steep walls are also the houses of the bee-eater ("Bienenfresser"), who digs his nest into the loess. Specific maps are on sale at the Tourist-Info. Other hollow-pathes can be reached through the "Bienenfresserpfad" ("bee-eater path").

11 Kaiserstuhl viticulture museum - Vogtsburg-Achkarren

Information about wine, viticulture but also geology and landscapes (Opening hours: 0049 7662-68940) Tipp: Ölmühle Fessinger, Herstellung kaltgepresster Öle mit Saaten aus der Region. Führungen /Besichtigungen auf Anfrage (07662-947287)

Suggestion : Fessinger oil mill ; Visits and guided tours on request (0049-7667-2071184)

12 Historic observation tower "Neunlindenturm" - Ihringen

Nice panoramic overview on the Kaiserstuhl. Access through the pathes: « Kaiserstuhlpfad » and «Neunlindenpfad»

13 St. Roman's church - Alt-Vogtsburg

Very harmonious church.

Suggestion : resting place with bathing spot between Oberbergen and Alt-Vogtsburg.

14 City gate and gatekeeper's house - Endingen

Interesting small town with medieval historic center, baroque church etc.

Suggestions : Further Austria museum (occidental Austrian territories), Cheese museum St Catherine's chapel (access through the « Kaiserstuhlpfad » path) Beginning/end of the certified path « Kaiserstuhlpfad »

15 Cherry museum - Endingen-Königsschaffhausen

This museum presents the different cultivation techniques and uses of the cherry.

16 Castle - Former provost house - Endingen-Kiechlinsbergen

This house is known as the region's biggest manor house. The castle is a private property.

Suggestion : St. Petronilla's Church (baroque church)

17 Amoltern heath - Endingen-Amoltern

One of the Kaiserstuhl's oldest natural parks, with several orchid varieties. Information about the vegetation on the "Amolterer Kräuterpfad" path (0049-7668-689990.)

Suggestions : half-timbered houses, St Vitus' cath. Church

18 messmer foundation - Riegel

Interesting art exhibitions in a beautiful neo-baroque building. Tipp: Michaelskapelle, Römisches Mithräum (Freilichtmuseum)

Suggestions : St Michael Chapel, Roman mithraeum (open air museum)

19 mountain church - Bahlingen

Early protestant church; with an old tower.

Suggestion : Town Hall (half-timbered house from the Renaissance, 1550)

20 Water tower- Eichstetten

This romantic-looking water tower may be the topic of a nice photo.

Suggestion : Kaiserstuhl seed garden

21 Eichspitze tower - Eichstetten

By clear weather, there is a nice overview on the Kaiserstuhl, the Vosges and the Swiss Jura.

22 Mountain church - Nimburg

Some of the old church's elements (10th century) are still conserved in the choir and the sacristy.

23 Automobile museum - Bötzingen

25 old cars and motorcycles are exhibited in this small museum. Open from April to October (2.00-4.30 p.m.). Free admission.

Suggestion : village museum in Oberschaffhausen

24 Equestrian center - Gottenheim

This small center is particularly interesting for children. There are also shows like knight games etc. Info: 0049-7665-940459.

Suggestion: St Stephan's Catholic Church

25 St Vitus' Chapel - Ihringen- Wasenweiler

Beautiful frescoes from the 15th Century; small tabernacle in the choir. Visits: 0049-7668-5058.

Suggestions: Wasenweiler castle (former Water Castle) ; model airplane area; cath. Church of the Assumption

26 Liliental - Ihringen

The Liliental's numerous paths cross exotic tree plantations and orchid prairies. Open at all times.

Suggestion : Guided tour by the « Liliental's guardian » („Hüterin des Lilientals“); on request, 0049-174-6293839

27 Protestant Church - Ihringen

Gorgeous windows by V. Feuerstein. Visits and guided tours: 0049-7668-9343 ; open all the day.

Suggestions: Kaiserstuhl nature center, Heritage museum, beginning/end of the certified hiking-path « Kaiserstuhlpfad », **Candle workshop**: candles are handmade. Guided tours, groups on request (0049 7668-9962825)

28 Winklerberg volcanic rocks garden - Ihringen

A path presents the natural and geological specificities of this exceptional place, which house for instance green lizards, mantises and various cacti. One of the most famous vine area.

29 St Stephen's Cathedral - Breisach

Thanks to the frescoes by M. Schongauer and the altar in the cathedral but also to the nice historical town center, this small town on the Rhine is one of the Breisgau's most interesting places. Information and guided tours: Tourist-Info (market place).

Suggestion: boat tours on the Rhine

30 Car-driving training center - Breisach-Hochstetten

Accompanied by their parents, the young people preparing the driving license (age: 17 ½ years old at least) can practice in this center. ADAC: 0049-761-3688231; www.adac.de

Suggestions: St. Verena's Chapel, Hedwig-Brunnen (Hedwig's fountain)

31 St. Michael's Church - Breisach-Gündlingen

Interesting chapel with a beautiful altar from the Renaissance.

32 St. Remigius' catholic Church - Meringen

One of the region's most beautiful churches thanks to its baroque decorations, paintings and statues.

Suggestions : Deutschordenshaus (House of the Teutonic Order), old half-timbered houses, ruins of the Roman baths, art works (SkulptTour)

33 Greyhound racing track - Freiburg-Waltershofen

From April to October, a public training of the greyhounds takes place every Sunday (11 am - 3 pm).

There are also public races (planning: WRV-Breisgau.de).

34 Observatory - March

Observation of the stars, at the beginning of the night every 1st day of the month. Additional meetings when an exceptional astronomic event occurs.

35 English garden- March-Hugstetten

One part of the Hugstteten castle (private property) -the English garden, a little house and a small mill - is opened to visitors. Very romantic place.

36 St. Bartholomew's Chapel - FR-Opfingen-St. Nikolaus

The small chapel was completed in 1986 and is the successor to the old chapel of St. Bartholomew (1347) that once the moated castle (mid-14th century.) - Private property - belonged.

37 Observation tower - Freiburg-Opfingen

Overview on the Breisgau region and the south-western Black-Forest

Suggestion : Opfingen Town Hall (1791)

38 Corn maze labyrinth - Freiburg- Opfingen

Very funny, especially for families. Boots or washable shoes recommended. Open from the end of June to the corn harvest.

39 Collective houses „Hügelhäuser“ (« hill-houses ») - Freiburg-Tiengen

These curious buildings are especially recommended for people interested in architecture.

40 Erentrudi's Chapel - Freiburg-Munzingen

The chapel is the landmark of the Tuniberg Mountain. The history of the pilgrimage chapel goes back till 1000.

The chapel was equipped in 1748 with a relic of the holy Erentrudis and was formerly used as Hermitage.

Suggestions: Golf at Munzingen, „Burgunderpfad“ hiking-path

41 Attila's Rocks- Breisach-Niederrimsingen

This place became famous thanks to a joke pretending that the king of the Huns had been buried here.

42 Cabaret- Breisach-Oberrimsingen

The cabaret presents a various program in a baroque castle. Program: Tourist-Info.

Suggestion: Climbing-Area in Oberrimsingen

43 Bambutopia - Schallstadt-Mengen

The Bambutopia presents sculptures into a bamboo-wood. The art works can be seen at every time. A financial support is welcome.

44 Snow castle - Ebringen

Suggestions: Berghaus Chapel, St. Gallus' cath. Church, Sumsergarten orchid prairie, Erbringen castle.

45 Freiburg

Historic town center and cathedral. Information at the Tourist-Info (Town Hall Square in Freiburg)

46 Mundenhof - Stadt Freiburg

The Mundenhof is a free-admission zoo with numerous exotic animals. A financial support is welcome