



SUMMER IN ENGELBERG

TOP-EVENTS



FISHERMAN'S FRIEND STRONGMANRUN; 2 JUNE 2018

This June, the FISHERMAN'S FRIEND StrongmanRun comes to Engelberg for the 6th time. This extra-strong event takes competitors across scree, through icy-cold rivers, along deep crevasses, and over barbed wire. To master all these challenges, the participants need great physical stamina and mental endurance as well as impressive athletic ability. The woods and meadows of Engelberg, overlooked by the majestic Hahnen and Titlis, offer a poetic backdrop to this tougher-than-tough race.

Tip: Also for this event, we are putting together the popular package with many extras for quick-decision-makers.

www.engelberg.ch/en/events



WINNETOU II OUTDOOR SHOW; JULY AND AUGUST 2018

After making such a splash in 2017, the Winnetou live Western show will appear for a second run on the outdoor stage this summer – this time with a new story full of action, romance and humour, set against the backdrop of Engelberg's mountain scenery. Blood brothers Winnetou and Old Shatterhand ride again from 6 July to 12 August!

The timeless Western stories of German author Karl May have fascinated readers of all ages for almost 150 years. The stage is a gravel quarry close to the Wasserfall restaurant and the Fürenalp valley station. The peaks of Engelberg and the nearby waterfall make this a unique natural backdrop, which will be enhanced for the performance with an artificial creek and a small frontier town.

www.winnetou.ch



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PULLING THEIR WEIGHT

Since 1970, its founding year, Switzerland's oldest tug-of-war club SZC Engelberg has won 36 Swiss championships, eleven European championship titles, and eleven world championship titles. The proud champs are currently in training for the coming season, which should bring in another trophy. But when the tournaments begin in late April, it won't only be strength, stamina and mental fortitude that count – the boys will also have to watch their weight.

Tug-of-war tournament in Engelberg: 21-22 July 2018

www.engelberg.ch/en/events



ALPINE COW PROCESSION, 29 SEPTEMBER 2018

In the autumn, the slopes around Engelberg and the 3,238-metre-high Titlis glacier are transformed into catwalks – or should we say cattle-walks? The farmers of Engelberg will be making their cows look beautiful for this important annual procession, celebrated with great cheer by locals and guests. The cows' elaborate and colourful decorations are a way of bidding farewell to the summer and giving thanks that all went well. The first of the bovine beauties will be entering the Viktoriagärtli at about 11:30 a.m. Around 30 local farmers will be offering regional produce from stalls on the square.

www.engelberg.ch/en/events



BYE-BYE, BEARDY ON 20 OCTOBER 2018

This is a day that Swiss women look forward to every year. At the annual "Ängälbärgär Bartabhauätä" in the autumn, the men of Engelberg traditionally "get the chop". This old custom of publicly hacking off beards came about because of the Swiss herdsmen who would spend the whole summer up on the Alpine pastures without any need to shave or trim their facial hair. When they returned to the village in the autumn, the women had a hard time knowing which homecomer to fling their arms around as the men's faces were half-concealed by bushy thickets. These days, anyone can take part in the beard-cutting festival and competition, and the event is also attended by men from much further afield. The man whose discarded whiskers weigh the most is crowned king of the event, but no one comes away empty-handed as well as bare-faced. There are many useful prizes up for grabs such as cowbells, meat, cheese, and cattle feed pellets.

www.engelberg.ch/en/events



EVENTS ENGELBERG

All important informations to events, concerts and presentations of Engelberg can be found on the website of Engelberg-Titlis Tourismus.

www.engelberg.ch/en/events

PACKAGES



ROCK AND SAFETY DAYS, JUNE AND SEPTEMBER 2018

The Rock and Safety Days are a great event for anyone interested in via ferratas. On four occasions in June and September, our local mountain guides will introduce beginners to the world of climbing. Engelberg has six diverse via ferratas to suit the needs of everyone from beginners to pros.

Dates: 25-27 June and 3-5 September 2018. *free of charge with Guest Card / number of places is limited

www.engelberg.ch/en/rock+safety



RIDE AND SAFETY DAYS, SEPTEMBER 2018

The Ride & Safety Days in September show cyclists how to play safe. Local bike guides teach course participants basic rules, introduce them to various types of terrain, and allow them to test what they have learned on trails across the region. With plenty of knowledge about cycling safely, you'll have even more fun on your bike. Good to know: the course is free of charge for overnight guests.

Dates: 8-9 & 15-16 September 2018. Free of charge for guest card holders. Places are limited.

Tip: Early bookers will again be rewarded with our popular Ride & Safety deals including lots of tempting extras.

www.engelberg.ch/en/ride+safety



WINNETOU-PACKAGE

The timeless Western stories of German author Karl May have fascinated readers of all ages for almost 150 years. Also this summer, we take you back to the cowboys and Indians games of your childhood, with Apache brave Winnetou from May's stories riding through the Engelberg mountain landscape in our exciting open-air show. Our package deal gets you reduced admission to the event.

The package includes your chosen number of nights in the hotel of your choice including breakfast buffet, discounted admission to the Karl May open-air show (Category 1 – covered seating), an Engelberg Guest Card, tourism taxes, service, and VAT.

www.engelberg.ch/packages



REDUCED PRICES & LAST MINUTE SPECIALS

(Family) Vacations can be expensive, but with our special deals and Last Minute offers they don't have to be! Our highlight: The Cableway Adventure Deal. Book for 3 or 5 nights. The package includes a Hike & Bike Pass so you can discover the surrounding mountain area.

www.engelberg.ch/en/packages-deals

TITLIS



TITLIS ROTAIR – 360° CRYSTAL CLEAR

The TITLIS Rotair, the first rotating cable car in the world, has been in operation since 1992. In November 2014 the two round cabins, which were by then more than 20 years old, were replaced. With the new gondola, the whole cabin turns during the ride. The huge panorama windows allow for a perfect panoramic view of the mountains. Also there is no longer a console in the middle of the cabin so that getting in and out of the gondola is now much faster and more efficient.

www.titlis.ch/en



TITLIS XPRESS – UP TO TITLIS IN RECORD TIME

The new TITLIS Xpress cable car system has greatly reduced both travel time and waiting at the valley station. The new 8-seater gondolas have platform-even boarding, so that getting in and out of the cabin is smoother and more efficient. Now that guests only have to change cable cars once at Stand, the ride from Engelberg (1000m) up to TITLIS (3000 m) takes a mere 30 minutes. Highlight, of course, is the ride on the panoramic TITLIS ROTAIR, the first rotating cable car in the world.

www.titlis.ch/en



TITLIS GLACIER CAVE

This glacier cave forms the frosty heart of TITLIS. The ice here was frozen long before prehistoric man discovered how to make fire using pyrite. The cave's 150-metre-long walkway branches out in several directions and descends 20 meters below the surface of the glacier. Entry to the glacier cave is free of charge.

www.titlis.ch/en/glacier-cave



TITLIS ADVENTURE PARK

If you've ever imagined being a stuntman or stuntwoman, the BagJump Tower at Trübsee could make your dream come true. At the Adventure Park, you can jump onto a big cushion of air from a height of three, four or six metres. All you need is a little courage – and a valid ticket to Trübsee.

www.titlis.ch/adventurepark



TITLIS CLIFF WALK – HERZKLOPFEN IN LUFTIGER HÖHE

3,041 meters above sea-level. 500 meters off the ground. 150 heart-pounding steps. This is what awaits you on the TITLIS Cliff Walk, the spectacular suspension bridge high up on the summit. To cross the bridge, you'll need nerves as strong as the steel cables from which it hangs. On arriving at the summit, the route leads you through an underground tunnel and on to the viewing platform at the south wall window. The suspension bridge stretches from here to the ICE FLYER glacier chair lift station. The TITLIS Cliff Walk is just one meter wide and 100 meters long. The views into the abyss below are breathtaking! The TITLIS Cliff Walk holds the record for being the highest suspension bridge in Europe. Entry to the Cliff Walk is free of charge.

www.titlis.ch/en/cliffwalk



SPRING SKIING

If you're the kind of person who can never get enough of winter sports, Engelberg-Titlis is the place for you! Up on the glacier, the winter season lasts until 22 May 2016. Sunshine into the evening and pleasant temperatures are sure to make your spring skiing experience awesome and unforgettable.

www.titlis.ch/en



BIKE DAY-PASS, TRÜBSEE – JOCHPASS – ENGSTLEN

TITLIS is truly a paradise for fans of mountain biking. It doesn't matter whether you're looking for an adrenaline kick from doing the single trails or whether you just want to barrel straight downhill. Around Lake Trübsee are easier paths which are attractive for family tours. TITLIS cableways will transport you and your bike to the top - comfortably and conveniently!

www.titlis.ch/en



HIKE PASS

Hiking and biking fans will get a deal with the Hike Pass. Valid for just 1 or up to 6 days, this pass can be used within a two week period. It's good for rides on mountain cable lifts in Engelberg (Titlis-Trübsee cable car excluded).

www.titlis.ch/en



SUMMER CURLING AT TRÜBSEE

The terrace of Berghotel Trübsee houses Switzerland's first-ever outdoor summer curling facility. The curling sheet, made from plastic rather than ice, is 15 metres long and three to five metres wide. A six-centimetre-high border around the edge stops the curling stones from shooting off the sheet. During this just-for-fun competition, two teams take turn to play, with four stones each and as many rounds as they like. The team with the most points in the end wins. Use of the summer curling facility at Trübsee is free of charge.

www.titlis.ch/en

BRUNNI



BRUNNI (elevation 1860 m)

Brunni - the sunny side of Engelberg and the place for families to have fun! Climbing paths, awesome playscapes, a summer bobsled run, and "Härzlisee" - a man-made lake with a great view of Mount Titlis - are just a few of the attractions there. For those seeking real challenge, there are exciting climbing routes and hiking trails with spectacular views. Take time out to kick back up at the Brunni "Hütte" Lodge or enjoy a delicious meal and a cool drink on the spacious sun terrace at Restaurant Ristis.

www.brunni.ch/en/activities



HÄRZLISEE AND THE "TICKLE TRAIL"

Want a different kind of "wellness" experience? Walk around "Härzlisee", the idyllic little man-made lake up at 1,860 m above sea level. Various materials such as sand, wood chips, gravel, soft clay and water form the textured surface for a barefoot walk along the 220 meter long "Tickle Trail" - a one-of-a-kind mountain walkway. At the end of your walk, relax your feet in the bubbling tub! The new trail for barefoot hiking goes from Hüttismatt ob Ristis up to Lake Härzlisee.

www.brunni.ch/en



GLOBIS WHITE WATER WORLD UP AT RISTIS

Kids can play to their heart's content with water: Little streams, waterfalls, ponds, water canals with little boats, water pumps and wells. Watch their eyes light up when they see this fantastically fun waterscape!

www.brunni.ch/en/activities



GLOBALIS ALPINE PLAYGROUND

Globis Alpine Playground, situated in the middle of the bobsled area, offers so much for children: a small rope park with a variety of climbing elements, a groundhog slide, an Alpine chalet, and numerous other things to play on. And there's also a fire pit where they can roast hot dogs on a stick!

www.brunni.ch/en



GLOBALIS TREASURE HUNT

Once again there's a Globi Treasure Hunt, this year with all new hiding places. With your treasure map in hand, start searching for the 11 hidden treasure chests, each containing a clue to the whereabouts of Globi's Treasure. Great prizes for the kids!

www.brunni.ch/en



HIKING BAREFOOT UP AT BRUNNI

It's a tickly affair for the whole family! The new barefoot walking trail goes from Hüttismatt above Ristis up to Lake Härzlisee and has 11 stations along the way for the barefoot experience! Several stretches of the trail are being prepared for barefoot walking. This walkway is the ideal extension of the Lake Härzlisee "Tickle Trail", which has been quite popular for the last 15 years.

www.brunni.ch/en



GLOBI VISITS

During the summer, much to the delight of the little ones, Globi makes an appearance up on Ristis every Wednesday, Saturday and Sunday at around 2 p.m. - but of course, weather permitting only! If you invite him, Globi will gladly attend your birthday party!

www.brunni.ch/en



WHERE KIDS ARE KING

Brunni is the most family-friendly mountain in Central Switzerland. This summer children up to 15 years accompanied by at least one adult (excluding school groups and clubs) can once again ride the aerial cable car and chair lifts for free. At the top they'll find hiking paths, a bobsled run and a whole lot more fun. It's worth a visit to the sunny side of Engelberg!

www.brunni.ch/en



SUMMER BOBSLED RUN

Directly next to the Ristis cableway station, with Globi's Alpine Playground in the middle, there's a 660 meter bobsled track - exciting rides for young and old! The track is open daily from spring to fall, operating in dry weather conditions only.

www.brunni.ch/en



VIA FERRATA-ELDORADO

For the ultimate experience in rock climbing there are four via ferrata on the Brunni: Brunnistöckli, Zittergrat, Rigidalstockgrat and Rigidalstockwand. All of varying degrees of difficulty, they invite anyone from beginners to experts to discover the magnificent mountain world surrounding Engelberg.

www.brunni.ch/en



BEGINNERS' CLIMBING ROUTE ON THE BRUNNI

Local mountain guides are offering two new simple climbing routes on the north-west face of the Bettlerstock.

This climbing route for beginners leads participants over three pinnacles and on to the fourth, the Grosser Bettlerstock. The pinnacles are easy to navigate, with plenty of secure hand and footholds, making them ideal for people who are new to multi-pitch climbing and for families with children. It's a great opportunity to practise handling ropes and carabiners.

The route also offers something new for via ferrata fans who have already completed all the via ferratas in Brunni. The Beginners' Climbing Route (Kletterlernpfad) and the Mungg Route lead over the pinnacles parallel to one another and can be used by two rope teams at the same time.

www.engelberg.ch/en/klettern

FÜRENALP



FÜRENALP (ELEVATION 1,850 M)

Fürenalp is an "insider tip" and considered one of the gems of Engelberg. Off the beaten path, you'll enjoy the peace and quiet of Nature at its best. A glittering reflecting pond, an impressive panoramic view of the mountains, hiking paths and quaint mountain restaurants will help you to leave behind the stress of your everyday routine and to relax in this marvelous mountain world.

www.fuerenalp.ch/en

MEETING , INCENTIVES, CONVENTIONS & EVENTS



COMBINING WORK AND PLAY!

Engelberg offers ideal conditions for lending new perspectives to your daily professional routine. Raise enthusiasm through team building challenges in an adventure park, heighten awareness on carving skis or spark motivation around a group campfire. Whatever the activity, make it a meaningful learning experience carried out by professional trainers, experienced adventure-organizers, and real-life craftsmen, such as cheese makers, forest rangers and Alpine farmers.

www.engelberg.ch/en/mice

HEALTH



ALPINE DAIRY AND WHEY BATH, GERSCHNIALP

Sälmi Töngi of Engelberg has travelled around the world, but for almost 40 years he has spent every summer at his Alpine dairy on the Gerschnialp. Here, he regularly turns up to 300,000 litres of milk into speciality cheeses, such as Sbrinz. Because making this Alpine delicacy is such a complicated process, it is only produced in select dairies in Central Switzerland. The raw milk cheese takes at least 22 months to develop its full flavour – and some of the coveted wheels of cheese in Sälmi's cellar are up to six years old. Töngi is also a fan of whey, which has been used to treat and soothe skin problems for many years. It probably works twice as well when you bathe in it while sitting in the wooden tub outside the Gerschni mountain hut, with beautiful views of the Titlis glacier.

www.engelberg.ch/en



ENGELBERG AS A HEALTH RESORT

In the 18th century, increasing numbers of tourists from all over the world started visiting the Engelberg valley, enticed here by the impressive Alpine landscape. The Titlis, a peak of over 3,200 metres, was first scaled in 1744. Back in 1650, Abbot Plazidus had described the Titlis as "terrifying and extremely high", and in the 18th century climbing a mountain like the Titlis must have been quite an adventure, especially given the primitive mountaineering equipment of the day. During the 19th century, Engelberg developed into a modern health resort. Its fresh mountain air, good drinking water and salubrious climate were prized highly by guests from near and far who were seeking relaxation and relief from their ailments. Soon, the few boarding houses in the village could no longer take in all the visitors, and large hotels started to be built – veritable palaces with gorgeous gardens. Some advertised the health benefits of "taking the waters". It wasn't until the early 20th century that Engelberg started developing into a winter sports resort as well.

www.engelberg.ch/en



WELLNESS OASES

Let your mind wander, take in the fresh mountain air. Relax, for example, in a whey bath up on Gerschnialp. Or spend a wellness day at one of the town's three wellness hotels: Hotel Waldegg, Ramada Hotel Regina Titlis or Sporthotel Eienwäldli. Also at the TITLIS Resort is relaxation possible. They all offer a palette of wellness treatments. Why shouldn't you indulge? Return to your daily routine fully relaxed!

www.engelberg.ch/en

CULTURE



HERRENHAUS GRAFENORT

Interesting lectures and presentations on a variety of topics take place regularly at the Herrenhaus in Grafenort. Program details are available at Engelberg-Titlis Tourism or online on their homepage. The matinee concerts, readings, and exhibits that take place there simultaneously provide a great opportunity to view the historic building. Take a tour of this summer residence of the Benedictine monks. The Herrenhaus rooms and halls are also ideal for seminars, conferences, lectures, banquettes - both large and small - and for weddings.

www.grafenort.ch



ENGELBERG MONASTERY

The Benedictine Monastery of Engelberg has influenced the local history of this beautiful mountain valley since 1120, the year the monastery was founded. The modern day activities of the monks grew out of the essential needs of the locality: education (Stiftsschule), pastoral duties, crafts and handiwork, cultural, agricultural and environmental development and maintenance. In all of these areas, the monks - as well as the other men and women who work in the monastery - have had a hand.

The Benedictine Monastery of Engelberg offers public tours year round to visitors and guests. (Mondays through Saturdays, no tours Sundays or holidays.) Tours last about one hour, and highlights include the Baroque Hall, the guest refectory, the 'Room of Virtues' with its exquisite inlaid woodwork done by Br. Columban Louis and the renovated monastery church.

www.kloster-engelberg.ch



TALMUSEUM - ENGELBERG'S FOLK MUSEUM

Go back in time when you visit Engelberg's Folk Museum and get a glimpse of what local life was like "back in the day".

There is an impressive exhibit about the history of luxury hotels in Engelberg, chronicling the opening of the first luxury hotel up to the closing of the most noteworthy one.

www.talmuseum.ch

AKTIVITÄTEN



NEW BUIRÄBÄHNLI SAFARI TOURS

The recently introduced Buiräbähkli Safaris are proving to be a big hit with summer guests. These multi-day hikes through the Engelberg valley incorporate rides on the rustic "Buiräbähkli" cable cars, enabling walkers to quickly gain altitude while enjoying an unusual mode of transport. There is now a new Safari between Brändlen and Oberrickenbach, with two additional quaint and quirky cars to quicken your pulse. The open-topped car from Spies to Sinzgäu offers a particularly bracing ride. There's also good news if you'd like to stay awhile on your own two feet: walking is still the only way to traverse the Haldigrat ridge!

www.engelberg.ch/en/safari



FREE SUMMER PROGRAMME WITH MORE WILD WEST FLAIR

Engelberg's outdoor entertainments programme has become an integral part of the summer season. This year again, we welcome Winnetou and his entourage to Engelberg. Watch the Apache chief and his blood brother Old Shatterhand as they go on the hunt for lost treasure, and find out more about the open-air show on a tour behind the scenes. You can also paddle across the lake in an Apache-style canoe, and even catch your own fish. Engelberg's summer activities programme is available free of charge to overnight guests, and there are two activities each day from Monday to Friday. First come, first served – places are limited.

www.engelberg.ch/en/sommerprogramm



HOLE-IN-ONE AND CLUBHOUSE/RESTAURANT

Engelberg's 18-hole golf course offers double the pleasure with its unique combination of sports & nature. There's a spectacular panoramic backdrop, plus a challenging course. Golfers drive, putt and hone their handicaps here from May to October. After a round, relax at the golf course restaurant.

www.golfclub-engelberg.ch



E-BIKE & HIKE TOURS

E-Bike & Hike it's a combination of e-mountain biking and hiking. Discover the beauty of the Engelberg area with less effort. Several local sports shops offer electric bikes that enable you to take on uphill routes - no sweat! Find out about diverse tour offers in Engelberg.

www.engelberg.ch/en



VIA FERRATA - FOR PEAK CLIMBERS

With its five exciting via ferrata trails Engelberg is a genuine eldorado for climbing fans. Both experienced and novice climbers will find a suitable challenge, thanks to the selection of paths varying in degrees of difficulty. The reward for reaching the cross at the top of the peak? A truly impressive view of the mountains surrounding Engelberg!

www.engelberg.ch/en/viaferrata



BUNGEE JUMPING FROM A GONDOLA

An experience for adventure lovers! A bungee jump of 140 meters into the breathtaking Engelberg landscape will literally turn your world upside down!

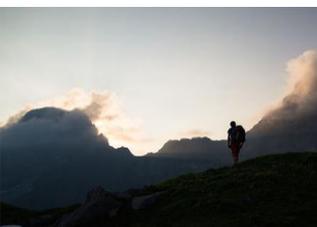
www.outventure.ch/en



ROPE PARK ENGELBERG

Rope Park Engelberg, located at the end of the Engelberg valley, opens its doors from May to October to action-hungry nature-lovers seeking exciting heights and treetop adventures. This summer, families with small children will find the park - with its three new courses for 4+ year olds - quite attractive for their little ones. Designed to include special safety equipment the courses incorporate varied themes that offer youngsters an exciting educational experience.

www.seilpark-engelberg.ch/en



PRIME MOUNTAIN SPORTS GMBH...

...for the whole year. Prime Mountain Sports is the new name of the firm that supports a whole-year strategy for enterprises.

Activities now are spread out over the whole year: Summer activities are expanded and further developed. Mountain activities such as ski instruction, mountain biking, free-riding, ski touring, hiking, outdoor camps, via ferrata climbing and mountain tours can all be booked in one central office.

www.prime-engelberg.ch/en



MOUNTAIN CLIMBING: WHOLE FAMILY FUN

A tailor-made program of climbing geared toward families that like to climb together. A combination of affordable prices and vacation adventure in the mountains surrounding Engelberg.

www.engelbergmountainguide.ch/en



KAYAKING ON LAKE TRÜBSEE

Glide over the beautiful clear glacial waters of Lake Trübsee in a kayak. No experience is needed, though it's up to you to keep your feet dry! After your kayak adventure you can enjoy the quiet wonders of nature along the banks of the lake - and perhaps have a picnic at one of several campfire pits.

www.skischule-engelberg.ch/en



TARGET PRACTICE: BOW & ARROW / BLOWGUN

Set your sight on new targets and experience the shifting energy between power and relaxation. Under the supervision of our experts you'll quickly learn how to achieve total concentration and inner calm as you hone your target shooting skills. Who will be the most skillful archer of the day?

www.skischule-engelberg.ch/en



ALPINE GAMES

Mix fun with challenge! Tackle tough tasks in a team and relax while you have fun doing it. Fun and excitement are guaranteed!

www.skischule-engelberg.ch

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BIKING WITH A GUIDE

Whatever you're interested in: biking technique courses, day tours around Engelberg, multi-day tours or individual guided biking accompanied by one of our guides, you'll be well advised with us. When you participate in our mountain bike activities you will get to know your bike better—and your own self—under our optimal supervision. Your biking guide will plan a program according to your exact needs, abilities and wishes. Biking techniques, tours or trails: individual guiding is the bomb!

www.skischule-engelberg.ch/en