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# Munich Lakes

### ISAR CYCLE PATH AND BAVARIAN LAKES.

On the 9-day cycle tour from Munich over the <u>Bavarian</u> landscape, you can not only take in the special lifestyle of the region, but also enjoy the landscape, cuisine and culture on every kilometre on the bike. In the Bavarian capital you can soak up the pleasant big city feeling of the Isar metropolis, while you can recharge your batteries at Lake Starnberg, Sylvensteinsee and Tegernsee.

## Details about the Munich Lakes cycle tour

There is a lot to explore at the start in Munich. The city impresses with its diversity on the one hand, but also with typical Bavarian cosiness. Explore one of the numerous museums, stroll through the Viktualienmarkt and be sure to stop in a beer garden.

You continue to Murnau am Staffelsee, Garmisch-Partenkirchen, which is not only known for winter sport, and Gmund and Tagernsee where a wonderful panorama rewards you. Explore the enchanting villages, the 'Murnauer Moos' nature reserve and enjoy the views of the Karawendel and Wetterstein mountains.

## Highlights of the Munich Lakes Tour at a glance

- The English Garden in Munich: With 375 hectares, it is one of the largest parks in the world and offers plenty of space to relax and slow down. But the area also has a lot to offer historically and culturally. Visit, for example, the Chinese Tower, the Rumfordschlössl or the Japanese Tea House. Tip: Watch the professional surfers at the Eisbachwelle at the southern end of the English Garden.
- Swimming in the Bavarian lakes: Treat yourself to countless dops in the cool, and above all, clear water the Bavarian lakes impress with their good water quality. In addition to Tefernsee and Lake Starnberg, the smaller Osterseen or Riegsee await with equally beautiful bathing areas.
- **Magnificent views of the Zugspitze:** If you cycle the stage to Garmisch-Partenkirchen on day 4, turn your gaze to the southwest towards the imposing Zugspitze massif. If you want to go up high, you

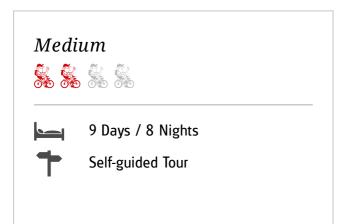
can take the cable car (on your own) to an altitude of 2,962m.

 Bavarian customs in Bad Tölz: Whether beautiful traditional clothing, richly decorated house facades or music – in the traditional Bavarian cities around Bad Tölz there is a white and blue attitude to life. Already know this? Every year at the beginning of November, the Leonhardifahrt, a horse pilgrimage in honor of the patron saint of farm animals, takes place on richly decorated carriages.

## Useful information about the 9-day Munich Lakes Tour

Thanks to the wonderful panoramas and the mostly flat terrain with few climbs, the Munich Lakes Tour is a cycle tour for <u>leisure cyclists</u>. The trip is also available for <u>families</u>.

- You can find tips and interesting facts about our cycle tours in Bavaria between Lake Constance and Wützburg here
- Discover also other cycling tours in Germany.



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# Itinerary

## Arrival in Munich

Welcome briefing and bike fitting. The capital city of Bavaria is awaiting you and invites you to visit its many attractions (English Garden, Town Hall, Hofbräuhaus,...)

Hotel (example): NYX Hotel Munich



DAY

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Munich – Lake Starnberg approx. 45-60 km

From Munich, the tour starts with a bike ride through Forstenrieder Park to Lake Starnberg. Then you will cycle on the lakeside road to Ambach or Bernried.

Hotel (example): Landhotel Huber am See

Lake Starnberg – Murnau

approx. 35 km

You will continue on wonderful ways through rustic Bavarian towns, past the Osterseen lakes and Lake Riegsee to Murnau am Staffelsee.

Hotel (example): Griesbräu



approx. 40 km

First, you will cycle through the natural reserve called Murnauer Moos (largest swamp area of Central Europe). Later, you will continue your tour through unspoiled nature following the River Loisach to Garmisch-Partenkirchen. The stage is intentionally brief. Therefore, there is still enough time for an individual trip with the Zugspitzbahn, a mountain railway. At an altitude of 2962 meters, you will have a wonderful view of the Alps.

Hotel (example): Vier Jahreszeiten



### Garmisch-Partenkirchen – Wallgau

approx. 20 - 70 km

By bike you cycle from Garmisch Partenkirchen via Klais to the beautiful Barmsee. Afterwards you have the option of cycling directly to your overnight accomodation or taking a detour via Mittenwald and Scharnitz to the source of Isar. A total of 300 metres in altitude are covered to Scharnitz, from there slightly uphill through wild and romantiv gorges and lush alpine meadows to the source of the Isar. Afterwards, you will cycle back through a sunny valley where you will have a marvellous panoramic view of the mountains of Karwendel and Wettersteingebirge, passing Mittenwald and finally arriving in Wallgau – a place where the Bavarian tradition is still a part of everyday life.

Hotel (example): Gasthof Post

DAY 6

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Wallgau – Bad Tölz

approx. 50 km

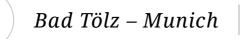
Passing the Isarwinkel, you will follow the crystal-clear, turquoise waters of the impressive Lake Sylvenstein. Cycling through charming landscapes, you will pass Lenggries and finally arrive in Bad Tölz. The location at the crossroads of two trade routes - the River Isar and the old salt route from Reichenhall to Allgäu - quickly became a thriving trading centre. The ornate mansions testify the golden age.

Hotel (example): Kolberbräu

Bad Tölz – Tegernsee – Bad Tölz

approx. 45 km

You will cycle through the scenic Tegernsee countryside to Gmund at Lake Tegernsee where you will have a beautiful panoramic view of the lake. Following the valley Gaißbach, you will come back to Bad Tölz. The thermal waters of the famous spa "Alpamare" will help you to refresh your tired muscles. The Tölzer Market Street invites you to learn more about the famous television series "Der Bulle von Tölz".



approx. 60 km

The Isar bike way leads you from Bad Tölz over Geretsried and Wolfratshausen directly to Grünwald. After a few short climbs you will arrive back in Bavaria's state capital Munich, where you can explore its countless sights and attractions

Hotel (example): NYX Hotel Munich



## Departure or extension

# Tour character

Overall, this is a rather easy tour. A few short climbs can be conquered easily by pushing the bike. You will cycle on beautiful bike ways and minor roads. Main roads will only be used for short distances. The route is mostly paved; some longer passages are on natural roads which are in good condition.

## Prices and events

### Place of arrival: Munich

	<b>Season 1</b> 08.04.2023 - 14.04.2023   Arrival daily	<b>Season 2</b> 15.04.2023 - 12.05.2023   Arrival daily	<b>Season 3</b> 13.05.2023 - 09.09.2023   Arrival daily			
Munichs lake tour, 9 days, DE-MURMM-09X						
Base price	1,149.00	1,229.00	1,279.00			
Surcharge half board evening meal 8x (mostly multi-course, sometimes outside the property, payable with voucher)	235.00	235.00	235.00			
Surcharge single room	369.00	369.00	369.00			

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# Additional nights

### Place of arrival: Munich

	<b>Season 1</b> Apr 8, 2023 - Apr 14, 2023   Arrival daily	<b>Season 2</b> Apr 15, 2023 - May 12, 2023   Arrival daily	<b>Season 3</b> May 13, 2023 - Sep 9, 2023   Arrival daily
Munich			
Double room p. P.	99.00	99.00	99.00
Surcharge single room	75.00	75.00	75.00

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Prices per person in EUR

# Services and infos

### Services

#### Included:

- Accommodation as already mentioned
- Breakfast
- Welcome briefing (German, English)
- Luggage transfer between the hotels
- EUROBIKE developed route
- Detailed travel documents 1x per room
- 1x veal sausage breakfast
- GPS-data is available
- Service hotline

#### **Optional extras:**

- Half-board evening meal (mostly multi-course, sometimes outside the property, payable with voucher)
- Bike rental, including rental bike insurance

### Infos

#### Arrival / Parking / Departure:

- Munich central train station
- Munich airport
- Hotel garage EUR 15 per day, to be paid for at the time, no reservation possible
- Free car park close to the hotel, no reservation possible/necessary

#### Things to note:

- Tourist tax, if due, is not included in the price!
- Bike ticket for train journey to Garmisch Scharnitz approx. € 5/bike
- Further important information according to the package travel law can be found <u>here!</u>

## Contact & booking

Do you still have questions about the tour? We are happy to help and look forward to your inquiry.



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