



Munich

GATEWAY TO THE ALPS



TOP SIGHTSEEING HIGHLIGHTS

- 01 Marienplatz** – the heart of Munich, there's always something going on in this world-famous square, whether it's the Christmas market, the Glockenspiel, or another of FC Bayern's championship celebrations
- 02 Kunstareal** – world-renowned museums: 18 museums and exhibition houses, over 20 galleries, six universities and numerous cultural institutions
- 03 Englischer Garten** – more than just a city park. A green oasis right in the middle of Munich and one of the world's largest inner city parks
- 04 Residenz** – Bavarian centre of power: between 1508 and 1918, Bavaria's rulers governed the fates of their subjects from the Residenz
- 05 BMW Welt** – masterpiece of modern architecture: a real car heaven behind the futuristic facade, BMW's very own experience and delivery centre has been known to deliver up to 34,000 horsepower in one day



SEASONAL HIGHLIGHTS

- ★ **Feb./Mar.:** Strong Beer Season
- ★ **Apr./May:** Spring Festival
- ★ **June:** City Foundation Festival
- ★ **June/July:** Opera Festival
- ★ **Sep./Oct.:** Oktoberfest
- ★ **Dec.:** Christmas Markets



CITY'S HISTORY

- ★ **1158:** Foundation of the city
- ★ **1516:** Bavarian beer purity law is enacted
- ★ **1810:** Wedding of Crown Prince Ludwig to Princess Therese von Sachsen-Hildburghausen marked the celebration of the first Oktoberfest
- ★ **1845:** Birth of King Ludwig II at Nymphenburg Palace
- ★ **1916:** Foundation of the car company BMW



DID YOU KNOW THAT ...

- ★ ... there are surfers on the Eisbach River in the Englischer Garten?
- ★ ... Munich Airport has its own brewery? It's called Airbräu.
- ★ ... Munich has more than 35 different Christmas markets?



TOP DAY EXCURSIONS

- 01 Neuschwanstein Palace** – one of the most popular palaces in Europe
- 02 Zugspitze – "Top of Germany"** – tallest mountain peak in Germany
- 03 Herrenchiemsee New Palace on Lake Chiemsee** – known as the "Bavarian Versailles"
- 04 Regensburg** – UNESCO World heritage site
- 05 Salzburg (Austria)** – famous city of Mozart

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