

EAGLE'S STAGE AHORN

IN HARMONY WITH THE MOUNTAINS

At 2,000 metres above sea level and picturesquely framed by the magnificent Zillertal Alps, the Eagle's Stage Ahorn perfectly blends into the surrounding natural landscape of Leisure Mountain Ahorn. In order to ensure the best possible integration into the environment, only natural building materials such as wood, stone and earth were used to construct this unique Birds of Prey station. The Eagle's Stage is freely accessible to young and old alike in fine weather, from 10.00 a.m. to 12.00 midday every day (except Wednesdays). Free access to the Eagle's Stage is not permitted during the Birds of Prey Show.

Starting at Ahornbahn mountain station, the Birds of Prey Path leads to the Eagle's Stage Ahorn. Info stations about the Birds of Prey appearing on the Eagle's Stage are positioned along the path and get you in the mood for the show.

TRANSPORT TO THE EAGLE'S STAGE AHORN FOR HANDICAPPED PERSONS AND WHEELCHAIR USERS IS AVAILABLE ON REQUEST.



BIRDS OF PREY SHOW

EXPERIENCE EAGLE & CO. GRIPPINGLY CLOSE

At the Birds of Prey Show you can experience our Birds of Prey up close and in action. During this spectacular one-hour show, professional falconers from the Eagle's Stage Ahorn provide you with information about the habits and skills of these majestic acrobats of the air.

THE BIRDS OF PREY SHOW TAKES PLACE EVERY DAY FROM WEDNESDAY TO MONDAY AT 2.00 P.M. NO SHOWS ON TUESDAYS.



10 YEARS OF BIRDS OF PREY UP CLOSE

**Anniversary year
10 YEARS OF EAGLE'S
STAGE AHORN**

At an altitude of 2,000 meters, the unique natural stage has been home to eagles, hawks, falcons and owls for 10 years already. To celebrate the anniversary year, all children (born after 01/01/2004) get free admission to the Birds of Prey Show on 10. June, 10. July, 10. August and 10. October.

FALCONRY BACKSTAGE

BE A FALCONER FOR A DAY

The Falconry Backstage program is held every Wednesday, giving you the opportunity to spend a very special day with our majestic Birds of Prey. You accompany the falconers from 10.00 a.m. to 12.00 midday, during which you find out interesting facts about falconry, how the birds are handled and the subject of animal conservation in general. You will also gain insights into how these impressive birds are fed and looked after. To finish off your Falconry Backstage program you are guaranteed the best seats for the highlight of the day – the Birds of Prey Show.

- Registration: at any of our cash desks by Tuesday 4.00 p.m. every week
- Meeting point for the Falconry Backstage program: 10.00 a.m. at the entrance of the Eagle's Stage Ahorn
- Minimum age: 16 years
- Can be booked with or without lunch in the Café-Bistro Kunstraum at the Ahornbahn mountain station



THE LITTLE FALCONRY PRIMER

FROM EAGLES TO OWLS

At 2,000 metres above sea level, the Eagle's Stage Ahorn is the highest-located Birds of Prey station in Europe and offers Birds of Prey an ideal natural habitat in an alpine environment. The alpine environment and the Birds of Prey station, which is perfectly integrated into the mountains, provide these kings of the air with ideal conditions. But this is not the only reason why our bird family is always worth a visit.



THE LITTLE FALCONRY PRIMER

FROM EAGLES TO OWLS

Red-tailed hawks “Ashok & Laika”

(*Buteo jamaicensis*)

Length: 45–60 cm; wingspan: 107–141 cm; weight: 800–1,200 g

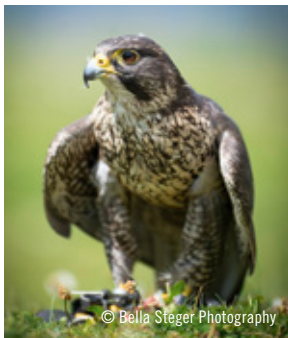


The red-tailed hawk is representative of the real hawks, which belong to the family of the accipitrids. It is the most common hawk in North America and feeds on rodents. In adult birds, the base colour of the top of the torso and wings is dark brown to red. The tail is unbanded, generally rust-red on the top and pale red underneath. Unlike adult birds, young birds have a grey-brown tail with numerous, continuous dark cross-streaks.

Falcon “Hansi”

(*Falco*)

Length: 38–51 cm; wingspan: 89–133 cm; weight: 630–1,100 g



The falcon belongs to the hawk family and is mainly characterised by a long tail and pointed wings. One of its key features is the hook-like upper beak which is bent down. The genus of the falcon exists all over the world and includes 39 species with countless subspecies.

THE LITTLE FALCONRY PRIMER

FROM EAGLES TO OWLS

Harris’ Hawk “Lanny”

(*Parabuteo unicinctus*)

Length: 55–60 cm; wingspan: 110–140 cm; weight: 750–1,100 g



The Harris’ Hawk is a medium-sized Bird of Prey of the Accipitridae family. The long and strong beak is yellow at the base, with the colour change to light grey in the middle and dark grey at the tip.

Eagle owls “Billi & Virginia”

(*Bubo virginianus*)

Length: 46–63 cm; wingspan: 91–151 cm; weight: 750–1,300 g



The Virginia owl is a type of eagle owl belonging to the family of true owls. As with all owls, their ear tufts have no hearing function. Their large eyes are yellow.

Eagle “Steppi” (*Aquila nipalensis*)

Length: 62–74 cm; wingspan: 165–200 cm; weight: 2,400–3,800 g



The steppe eagle belongs to the genus of true eagles. Steppe eagles are fast and agile flyers and can reach maximum speeds of up to 300 km/h. They usually fly at speeds of 50 to 60 km/h.

EAGLE'S STAGE AHORN

GROUP PACKAGE

Services included in the offer:

- ▶ **Ascent and descent with the Ahornbahn:**
Austria's largest gondola with a capacity of 160 persons
- ▶ **Eagle's Stage Ahorn:** experience the Birds of Prey up close when you visit the Birds of Prey Show. During this approx. one-hour flight show you find out about the habits and skills of these majestic acrobats of the air.
- ▶ **Suggested hike – Leisure Trail Ahorn:**
easy hike through spacious mountain pastures with four viewing platforms and the delightful water oases of Lake Ahornsee and the Ahornbachl stream along the way.
- ▶ **Group Package “Eagle's Stage Ahorn”:**
€ 32.30 adult, € 15.60 child; 1 ticket is free in groups of 10 full paying persons
- ▶ The package can be booked from the middle of June to the middle of October; no Birds of Prey Show on Tuesday (rest day at Eagle's Stage Ahorn).



only
€ 32.30
per person

Booking

For details of the Group Package “Eagle's Stage Ahorn”:
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DAIRY DELIGHTS & FEARFUL FLIGHTS

GROUP PACKAGE

Services included in the offer:

- ▶ **Admittance to the show dairy with taste experience**
- ▶ **Grass-Fed Raw Milk Cheese Tasting:** selected cheese specialities of the Zillertal Experience Dairy, including fresh dairy butter and stone-baked bread
- ▶ **Tour of the show farm:** find out about the origin of the highly valued hay pasture milk.
- ▶ **Ascent and descent with the Ahornbahn**
- ▶ **Eagle's Stage Ahorn:** Birds of Prey Show lasting approx. one hour
- ▶ **Group Package “Dairy Delights and fearful flights”:**
€ 43.80 adult, € 24.50 child
- ▶ Minimum group size: 20 people
- ▶ The package can be booked from the middle of June to the middle of October; no Birds of Prey Show on Tuesday (rest day at Eagle's Stage Ahorn).
- ▶ Bad weather alternative by arrangement
- ▶ Individual offers available on request from € 27.80



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Booking

For details of the Group Package “Dairy Delights and fearful flights”:
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STEAMING INTO THE MOUNTAINS

GROUP PACKAGE

Services included in the offer:

- ▶ Rail ride with the **Zillertalbahn to Mayrhofen** and back again
- ▶ Can be booked as a one-way ride to Mayrhofen
- ▶ **Ascent and descent with the Ahornbahn**
- ▶ **Eagle's Stage Ahorn:** Birds of Prey Show lasting approx. one hour
- ▶ The package can be booked from the middle of June to the middle of October; no Birds of Prey Show on Tuesday (rest day at Eagle's Stage Ahorn)
- ▶ **Group package: "Steaming into the mountains"** from € 39.20 per adult; € 19.10 per child; 1 free ticket for groups of 20 full paying persons
- ▶ Bad weather alternative by arrangement
- ▶ Individual offers available on request from € 30.00

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Booking

For details of the Group Package "Steaming into the mountains":
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SINNESPFAD AHORN

AHORN NATURE DISCOVERY TRAIL

The Sinnespfad Ahorn allows nature-loving explorers both young and old to put their skills and coordination to the test. Balance along tree trunks and overcome other natural obstacles! After each adventure you take a brief pause to look for hidden wild animals around you – with alert eyes and heightened awareness. Explore the home of the marmot at the end of the nature discovery trail and find out interesting facts about this wild animal.

Our tip: enjoy a relaxing end to the day at Lake Ahornsee or at the water oases along the Ahornbachl stream.



AUDIO DRAMA

"THE POACHER OF MOUNT AHORN"

Hello, I'm Albert Adler! **My tip:** use the "Locandy App" to go on an exciting discovery tour. Mystery fans both young and old can enjoy the interactive audio story of the "The Poacher of Mount Ahorn" as they stroll along the Leisure Trail Ahorn (German only).



GUARANTEED QUALITY

PEAK PERFORMERS

20 award-winning Tirolean Summer Cable Cars ensure a mountain experience of guaranteed quality. Whether adventurer, family person, athlete or panorama-lover – 20 Tirolean Summer Cable Cars give you a superb mountain experience. Tested according to rigorous criteria and bearing the “Best Austrian Summer Lift” seal of quality awarded by the Austrian Chamber of Industry and Commerce Association of Cable Cars, the theme-based mountains provide their own distinct mountain experiences of guaranteed quality. In Mayrhofen, the Ahorn has been awarded the specialist classification “Leisure Mountain” while the Penken has a special rating as an “Action Mountain”.

For full details see www.tyrol.com/things-to-do/attractions/summer-cable-cars



HOLIDAY MEMORIES

TO TAKE HOME WITH YOU

Our Albert Adler and Karl Kraxler mascots as plush figures, Birds of Prey books, falconer's gloves and all the many other holiday memories you can take home with you, are available at all our cash desks and in the online shop at www.mayrhofner-bergbahnen.com.

DIRECTIONS

HOW TO FIND US

By car: take the A12 motorway as far as the exit marked Zillertal or follow the Achenpass on the B181 Achenseestraße as far as Wiesing. Then take the B169 into the Zillertal valley.

By air: the airports Innsbruck (50 km), Munich (170 km) and Salzburg (150 km) are closest to Zillertal.

By rail: from Jenbach station where the Zillertal valley begins, there is a direct connection to Mayrhofen provided by the Zillertalbahn.



How to find us in Mayrhofen:

take the Zillertal Bundesstraße B169 to Mayrhofen. Go straight ahead at the roundabout (first exit). Follow the bypass and then turn left into Tuxerstraße, the southern link road which leads into the town. Turn left after 'Hotel Brücke'. 50 metres further on you will see the Ahornbahn car park on the right-hand side.

RATES

OFFERS AND IMPORTANT NOTES

Eagle's Stage Ahorn

TICKET TYPE ALL PRICES IN EUROS	ADULTS REGULAR PRICE	ADULTS WITH GUEST CARD	CHILDREN BORN AFTER 01/01/2004
Eagle Arena Ticket <i>Ascent and descent, incl. Birds of Prey Show</i>	32.30	30.10	15.60
Birds of Prey Show	11.40	10.60	6.30
Falconry Backstage <i>Ascent and descent, Falconry Backstage and Birds of Prey Show</i>	49.00 59.00 ¹	–	–
Falconry Backstage solo <i>Falconry Backstage and Birds of Prey Show</i>	29.00 41.00 ¹	–	–
Round trip ticket	21.50	20.00	10.80
One-way ticket	13.60	12.60	6.90

TICKET TYPE ALL PRICES IN EUROS	FAMILY TOTAL PRICE
Family Eagle Ticket² <i>Ascent and descent incl. Birds of Prey Show</i>	84.90
Family Birds of Prey Ticket² <i>Birds of Prey Show only</i>	31.80

1) With lunch menu in the Café-Bistro Kunstraum; 2) All children of a family incl. two accompanying adults; **Please note: all dogs must be leashed and muzzled.**

Eagle's Stage Ahorn: Dos and Don'ts

1. No admittance once the show has started!
2. Please help us keep the Eagle's Stage Ahorn clean!
Wastebins are available at the mountain station.
3. Please do not feed or touch the birds!
4. Please do not cross any boundaries such as chains, fences or ropes!
5. Be sure to carefully follow all of the instructions of the staff at the Eagle's Stage Ahorn!
6. Dogs must be kept on a leash and must be completely covered by a dog blanket which is provided!
7. Please do not leave your children unattended!
Parents are responsible for their children at all times.

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