

2011  
**Advent** in  
*Klagenfurt*  
am Wörthersee

Christkindl

The most beautiful  
**Christmas Market**  
in the Alpine-Adriatic region

CHRISTMAS MAGIC



Dear Citizens of Klagenfurt,  
Esteemed Guests of our city, the capital of Carinthia:



The most beautiful Christmas Market in the whole Alpine-Adriatic region is held in Klagenfurt. The market on Neuer Platz square opens at the end of November and puts the whole city under the magic spell of Christmas. Streets, lanes and squares glisten in fairy lights and create a magical, festive atmosphere. Shops sparkle with Christmas decorations, an open invitation for people to stroll through the city centre and enjoy the incomparable Advent atmosphere. Afterwards, you can meet your friends over a glass of mulled wine at one of

the outdoor stands. The Christmas Market offers all the typical Carinthian culinary delights and you will be certain to find a Christmas gift at one of the stalls offering arts and crafts. Many charming, traditional events will take place around the Christmas market at Neuer Platz – such as Austria's biggest "Krampus" run. "Krampus" is Saint Nick's terrifying companion.

The capital of Carinthia is certainly worth a visit in Advent through the Christmas season. I invite you to enjoy the "most peaceful time of the year" and to get into the Christmas spirit in Klagenfurt!

Yours,  
Christian Scheider, Mayor of Klagenfurt am Wörthersee



The Exhibition Ground of Klagenfurt, a buzzing venue of business, training and cultural events, is a top destination for visitors from near and far. Not only - but very much so - at Christmas time. The capital of Carinthia has a unique location where three cultures meet and this city has become a vibrant hub in the south of Austria over the past few years. The festively decorated city centre of Klagenfurt is particularly attractive during Advent. The tempting range of products on offer, exciting cultural events plus all the great packages our hotels and catering trade

offer together with the festive atmosphere make for an unforgettable time in Klagenfurt.

I invite you to come and be enchanted by the magic of Advent in Klagenfurt.

Vice-Mayor Albert Gunzer  
City Councillor for Business, Finance, Culture,  
Markets and Real Property  
President of the Exhibition Centre of Klagenfurt am Wörthersee



This year as every year, the Christmas Market at Neuer Platz will again host various events during the festive season. Enjoy the wonderful atmosphere that shortens the time until Christmas. The Christmas Market is also the perfect place to unwind after a shopping spree through the many shops of Klagenfurt.

In addition to the many cultural events at the Christmas Market, the city has a range of other events, such as exhibitions, concerts, and more to offer. And the accommodation providers of Klagenfurt have prepared some attractive

packages for guests of our city.

I would like to wish all the people of Klagenfurt am Wörthersee and the guests of our „Advent City“ a pleasant time at all the many events and a Peaceful and Merry Christmas 2011.

Yours,  
Herbert TASCHEK  
City Councillor for Tourism  
Klagenfurt am Wörthersee

## FOR THE YOUNG

### AND THE YOUNG-AT-HEART

#### **FAMILIENMESSE**, Klagenfurt Exhibition Centre

The Familienmesse trade show attracts the entire family and includes a hobby section and exhibitions on model-making. **Date:** 18 to 20 November, daily from 9 am - 6 pm.

#### **GESUND LEBEN**, Klagenfurt Exhibition Centre

More than 160 exhibitors exhibit every year at the biggest and most important health trade show in the south of Austria. The trade show for health, beauty and well-being. **Date:** 18 to 20 November, daily from 9 am - 6 pm.

#### **ERLEBNISSESSE**, Klagenfurt Exhibition Centre

The family and folk culture trade show together with the "Gesund Leben" health show is the most popular trade show event in Carinthia, with more than 25,000 visitors every year. **Date:** 18 to 20 November, daily from 9 am - 6 pm.

#### **ARTS AND CRAFTS FOR CHRISTMAS**, Municipal Gallery, Theatergasse 4

Creative fun for children from 4 years; 10 am - 12 noon and 2 - 4 pm.

**Dates:** 26.11., 3.12., 10.12. and 17.12. **Fee:** EUR 2

#### **CREATIVE WORKSHOP**, Municipal Gallery, Theatergasse 4

On the shopping Saturdays in Advent, Klagenfurt Municipal Gallery offers creative workshops for the young artists of tomorrow at 10 am, 12 and 2 pm.

**Duration:** 2 hours max., age: from 4 years; **fee:** EUR 2

#### **CHRISTKINDL POST OFFICE IN DOMPLATZ**

The Christkindl postmark 2011 and stamps are available: Monday to Saturday from 10 am to 12 noon and from 3 to 5 pm; and on Sunday from 10 am to 12.30 pm. Between these times, the Christmas mail is stamped at the priest's office of the Cathedral (Lidmanskýgasse 14). 14 to 24 December 2011

#### **INDOOR SWIMMING POOL**, Gasometergasse 1

Klagenfurt's indoor swimming pool has a lot to offer: seven great pools, including kids' pool, romantic waterfall, exciting white-water tube and - as a special attraction - a 68 m long giant slide.

For the various other events for children please refer to the programme of Brauchtumsbühne at Neuer Platz.

## O COME LITTLE CHILDREN...

#### **FUN IN THE ADVENT WORKSHOP**

To make sure that our little guests never lose interest on long strolls through the city, Klagenfurt offers a special Advent Workshop for children. Kids will have fun while their parents and grandparents enjoy relaxed Christmas shopping. The Workshop at Rennplatz 2 (phone 05 05 44 4000) welcomes children from 2 to 10 years; child-care contribution 2,20 euros/hour.

#### **OPENING TIMES**

Monday to Friday: 9 am - 8 pm

Saturday: 9 am - 6 pm

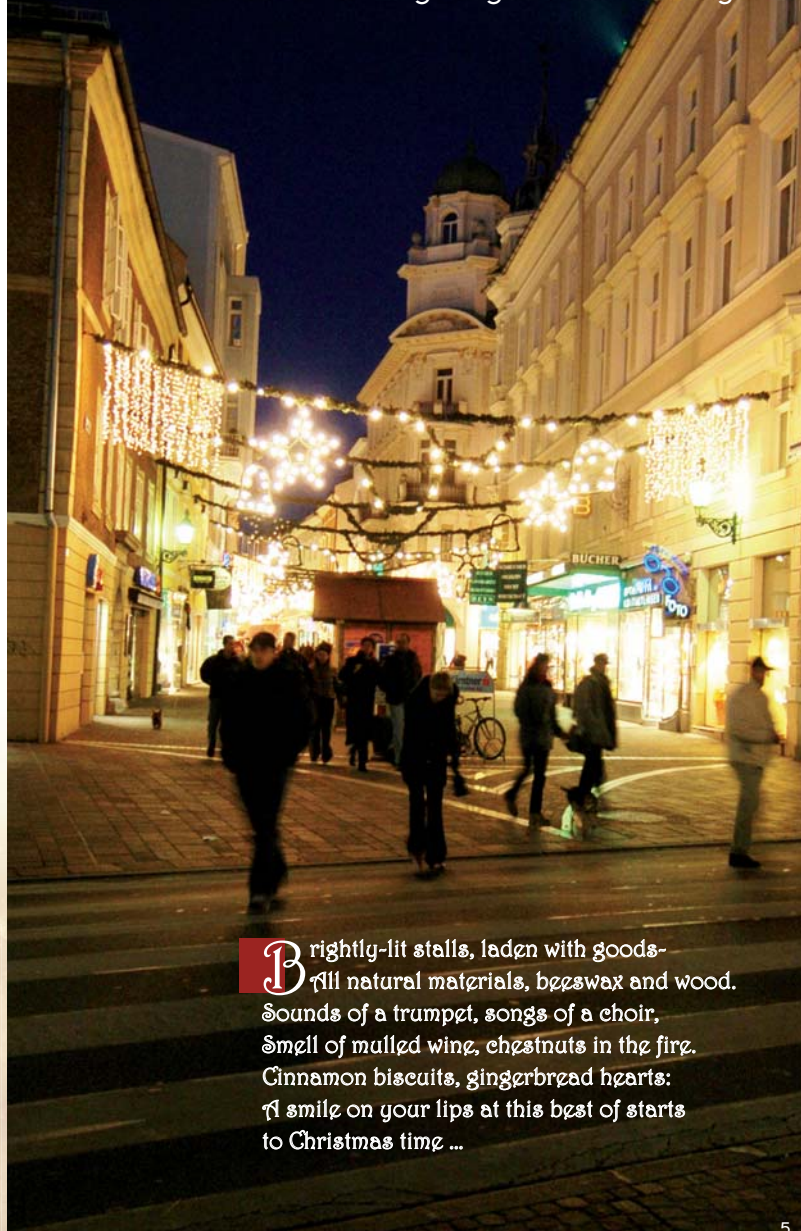
8 December 2011: 9 am - 7 pm

Open from 8 in the morning on days when there is no school.



## Klagenfurt Christmas Market

Bright lights over the city



**B**rightly-lit stalls, laden with goods -  
All natural materials, beeswax and wood.  
Sounds of a trumpet, songs of a choir,  
Smell of mulled wine, chestnuts in the fire.  
Cinnamon biscuits, gingerbread hearts:  
A smile on your lips at this best of starts  
to Christmas time ...

## PROGRAMME 2011

### TRADITIONAL FOLKSTYLE CHRISTMAS AT THE CHRISTMAS MARKET STAGE NEUER PLATZ

#### SATURDAY, 19 NOVEMBER

- 4.30 pm: TRADITIONAL CHRISTMAS CAROLS AND MUSIC played by the brass ensemble of Heimatwerk folk culture association conducted by Gerald Juritsch
- 4.45 pm: CHILDREN'S DREAMS IN WINTER TIME performance by the Moser-Riff musical studio, Klagenfurt  
CONCERT of the Klagenfurt Sängergau Singers  
Köttmannsdorf Singers conducted by Horst MOSER

Presented by: Carl-Hannes PLANTON

Welcoming words: City councillor Herbert TASCHEK, 1<sup>st</sup> Vice-Mayor Albert GUNZER  
2<sup>nd</sup> Vice-Mayor Dr. Maria-Luise MATHIASCHITZ

BLESSING OF THE CHRISTMAS MARKET by cathedral priest Dr. Peter Allmaier  
Official opening: Mayor of the Carinthian capital Klagenfurt am Wörthersee  
Christian SCHEIDER

- 7 pm: TRADITIONAL FOLKLORE WELCOME "Die Dämonen kommen"  
conducted by Heimatwerk folk culture association
- 7.30 pm: CONCERT by DIETER THEMEL and friends
- 9.30 pm: DREIKÖNIGSDISCO with RICHI URANK

#### SUNDAY, 20 NOVEMBER

- 11 am: PUNCH & JUDY show with Christa LASSNIG
- 5 - 6 pm: "JETZT KOMMT DIE STILLE ZEIT" Carinthian melodies and poems – Hubert Stefan – Singers of Klagenfurt Municipality  
conducted by Anton PISTOTNIK – chairman Franz TRAINACHER

#### THURSDAY, 24 NOVEMBER

- 7 - 8.30 pm: Top concert by "REMOTE CONTROL"

#### FRIDAY, 25 NOVEMBER

- 5 - 7 pm: MUSIKFREUNDE EBENTHAL (waltz, polka, modern music)  
conducted by Werner KATOLNIG  
TOP CONCERT with "PIA VANELLI"
- 8.30 pm: DREIKÖNIGSDISCO with RICHI URANK

#### SATURDAY, 26 NOVEMBER

- 9.30 - 12 am: MAKING AN ADVENT WREATH – Maria und Harald GOLOB  
BLESSING OF ADVENT WREATHS by cathedral priest  
Dr. Peter ALLMAIER, Klagenfurt cathedral
- 5 - 6 pm: TRADITIONAL CHRISTMAS CAROLS AND MUSIC played by the brass ensemble of Heimatwerk folk culture association  
conducted by Gerald JURITSCH
- 7 pm: 20 years KRAMPUS MONSTER RUN in KLAGENFURT –  
MEGA PARADE with participants from abroad – grand  
anniversary party on Klagenfurt Exhibition Grounds – one of  
the largest Krampus runs in Austria – with 100 Krampusses at  
the Klagenfurt Christmas Market
- 6.30 - 7.30 pm: TOP CONCERT by STAY IN ALIVE
- 8 - 9.30 pm: TOP CONCERT with BIRGIT PLESS

#### SUNDAY, 27 NOVEMBER - 1<sup>ST</sup> ADVENT SUNDAY

- 11 am: PUNCH & JUDY show with Christa LASSNIG
- 5 - 6.30 pm: "WENN ICH EIN GLÖCKCHEN WÄRE" – Advent with the Mieger  
Singers conducted by Anneliese THEUERMANN
- 6.30 - 8 pm: TOP CONCERT by HELLO AGAIN

#### THURSDAY, 1 DECEMBER

- 5 - 6 pm: TRADITIONAL CHRISTMAS CAROLS AND MUSIC played by the  
brass ensemble of Heimatwerk folk culture association  
conducted by Gerald JURITSCH
- 6 - 7 pm: TRADITIONAL ALPINE MUSIC  
with the Golob family music conducted by Harald GOLOB

#### FRIDAY, 2 DECEMBER

- 5 - 6 pm: DIE ROSENTERALER aus Kärnten – Musical greetings  
from Upper Carniola
- 7 - 8.30 pm: TOP CONCERT by REMOTE CONTROL
- 9 - 10.30 pm: TOP CONCERT by STAY IN ALIVE
- 10.30 pm: DREIKÖNIGSDISCO with RICHI URANK

#### SATURDAY, 3 DECEMBER

- 10 - 12 am: ERWIN P. on the keyboard presents oldies, hits,  
Italo songs and country music FOR HANDICAPPED PEOPLE
- 5 - 6 pm: TRADITIONAL CHRISTMAS TUNES played by the brass  
ensemble of Heimatwerk folk culture association  
conducted by Gerald Juritsch
- 6 - 7 pm: SONGS AND CUSTOMS from the Lavanttal Valley – Sommerau  
Singers conducted by: Josef Steinkellner, customs and  
traditions: Sieglinde Talker
- 7.30 - 9 pm: ADVENT with Birgit PLESS
- 9 - 10.30 pm: TOP CONCERT by the LEND RIVER DIXIELAND BAND

#### SUNDAY, 4 DECEMBER – 2<sup>ND</sup> ADVENT SUNDAY

- 11 am: PUNCH & JUDY show with Christa LASSNIG
- 5 - 6 pm: Saint Nicholas & Krampus distribute gifts to children (4.30 pm:  
music – 5-6 pm St. Nicholas & Krampus – music until 6.30 pm)
- 7 - 8.30 pm: DIE ROSENTERALER aus Kärnten Musical greetings  
from Upper Carniola

#### WEDNESDAY, 7 DECEMBER

Performances by nursery and school children, see separate programme

#### THURSDAY, 8 DECEMBER (Feast of the Immaculate Conception)

- 10 - 11 am: TRADITIONAL ALPINE MUSIC  
with the Golob family music conducted by H. GOLOB
- 11 am - 12 noon: DIE HINTERKOFACHER
- 12 am - 3 pm: How to make a crib in Carinthian "household" style  
Walter GOVEKAR from the Klagenfurt crib-building centre
- 4 - 5.30 pm: OLDIES presented by the GROUP "W"
- 6 - 7 pm: TOP CONCERT BY "THE LADIES"
- 8 pm: DREIKÖNIGSDISCO with RICHI URANK

#### FRIDAY, 9 DECEMBER

- 4 - 5 pm: TRADITIONAL CHRISTMAS CAROLS AND MUSIC played by  
the brass ensemble of Heimatwerk folk culture association  
conducted by Gerald JURITSCH
- 5 - 6 pm: Advent concert of the Köttmannsdorf Singers conducted by  
Horst Moser. Thoughts on Christmas time: Ingrid Ofner
- 6 - 7 pm: Christmas magic with the SUNNYBOYS
- 7 - 8.30 pm: Top concert with PIA VANELLI
- 9 pm: DREIKÖNIGSDISCO with RICHI URANK

#### SATURDAY, 10 DECEMBER

- INTERNATIONAL CHRISTMAS presented by Carl Hannes PLANTON
- 2.30 - 4 pm: SEASON GREETINGS FROM GORIZIA, Amici della musica
- 6 - 10 pm: TOP CONCERT by the "WELKEN NELKEN"  
TOP ENSEMBLES FROM THE EU COUNTRIES

### SUNDAY, 11 DECEMBER – 3<sup>RD</sup> ADVENT SUNDAY

- 11 am: PUNCH & JUDY show with Christa LASSNIG  
 6 - 7 pm: ADVENT CONCERT of the MARIA RAIN SINGERS  
 conducted by Maria WIGOSCHNIG  
 7 - 8.30 pm: TOP CONCERT by REMOTE CONTROL

### WEDNESDAY, 14 DECEMBER

Performances by kindergarden and school children, see separate programme

### THURSDAY, 15 DECEMBER

- 5 - 6 pm: TRADITIONAL ALPINE MUSIC  
 with the Golob family music conducted by H. Golob  
 6 - 7 pm: GOSPELS-CHRISTMAS-LOVESONGS  
 Martina PITSCHKO, Ulli HOFER und Liane HOINIG

### FRIDAY, 16 DECEMBER

- 5 - 6 pm: TRADITIONAL CHRISTMAS CAROLS AND MUSIC played by the  
 brass ensemble of Heimatwerk folk culture association  
 conducted by Gerald JURITSCH  
 6 - 7 pm: ADVENT CONCERT of the Ebenthal Church Choir  
 conducted by Engelbert OGRIS  
 7.30 - 9.30 pm: TOP CONCERT by CASPAR "S" CHAMBER

### SATURDAY, 17 DECEMBER

- 5 - 6.30 pm: TOP CONCERT by HELLO AGAIN  
 7 - 9 pm: TOP CONCERT by STAY IN ALIVE

### SUNDAY, 18 DECEMBER – 4<sup>TH</sup> ADVENT SUNDAY

- 11 am: PUNCH & JUDY show with Christa LASSNIG  
 5 - 6 pm: "DIE ALPINOS" – the best of easy listening music  
 conducted by Robert DIJAK  
 6 - 7 pm: Alpine Christmas carols with FERNANDO

### WEDNESDAY, 21 DECEMBER

- 4 - 6 pm: Prominent people from public life tell stories of their childhood  
 time with music of the Klagenfurt Police Choir

### THURSDAY, 22 DECEMBER

- 5 - 6 pm: Die BÄREN AUS KÄRNTEN sing Christmas tunes  
 6 - 7 pm: THE CHOIR OF KLAGENFURT JUDICIAL OFFICERS  
 sings Christmas tunes  
 7 - 9 pm: Closing the day with Christmas music  
 conducted by Sonja KULMITZER

### FRIDAY, 23 DECEMBER

- 5 - 6 pm: TRADITIONAL CHRISTMAS CAROLS AND MUSIC played by  
 the brass ensemble of Heimatwerk folk culture association,  
 conducted by Gerald JURITSCH  
 6 - 7 pm: ADVENT CONCERT with Gabalier

### SAMSTAG, 24. DEZEMBER

- 9 am - 12 noon: HOW DO VIPS CELEBRATE CHRISTMAS?  
 Music to tune into Christmas Eve - Bernhard Andres

### FREITAG, 30. DEZEMBER

- 7 - 8 pm: MUSIC to celebrate THE END OF THE YEAR  
 Edith FILLER "Die Zeit zieht weiter" (hits and pop songs)  
 8.30 - 10.30 pm: TOP CONCERT

### SATURDAY, 31 DECEMBER

- from 8.00 pm: MUSIC to celebrate THE END OF THE YEAR

## Arts and cultural events during Advent in Klagenfurt

Events and trade shows



Traditions, still observed by young and old,  
 Customs observed and stories told,  
 Like Krampus and St. Nicholas,  
 the devil and the saint,  
 And Advent wreaths, marking out the wait,  
 And songs, still sung by young and old,  
 In chambers warm and churches cold,  
 The carols of Advent and mountain melodies:  
 Grand choirs and small groups charm with  
 their harmonies.  
 With trumpet sounds ringing in your ear,  
 Before you the Christmas market, full of cheer,  
 You look up to the starry skies,  
 breathe in cold mountain air,  
 And understand why it is  
 Advent's so special here.

## EVENTS

### SATURDAY, 26 NOVEMBER

- 7 pm: **Mega Krampus parade** with grizzly "Krampusses" from all the Carinthian valleys and their horrifying cousins from other parts of Europe. Meeting point: Office of the Carinthian Government, Arnulfplatz  
"Camerata Carinthia", Concert Hall, Großer Saal, Mießtalerstr. 8

### SUNDAY, 27 NOVEMBER

- 3 pm: **Advent Concert** "Koschat Hamat". St. Florian Viktring Parish Church, Steiner Weg  
4 pm: **Traditional Advent Concert** with the "Harmonie" women's choir. Old Catholic Church, Kaufmangasse  
5 pm: **Blessing of Christmas trees** Waidmannsdorf community centre, Luegerstr./corner Ginzkeygasse

### FRIDAY, 2 DECEMBER

- 8 pm: **"Surfing Christmas"** the Xmas show of the Beachband, Eboard Museum, Flörian-Gröger-Str. 20

### SATURDAY, 3 DECEMBER

- 5 pm: **Singing with the Cathedral's Choir**, uplifting Christmas carols at the Cathedral, Domplatz

### SUNDAY, 4 DECEMBER

- 3 pm: **Concert** of the Municipal Band of the Austrian Railway Employees, Konzerthaus/Klagenfurt Concert Hall, Großer Saal, Mießtalerstr.  
4 pm: **Traditional Advent Concert** with the "Harmonie" women's choir, St. Margarethen Church in Hörtendorf  
5 pm: **Saint Nicholas celebration** for families, Klagenfurt Cathedral, Domplatz  
7 pm: **Evensong** with uplifting Advent music at the Cathedral, Domplatz

### MONDAY, 5 DECEMBER

- 8 pm: **STS and Band Tour 2011** Austro pop concert, Wörtherseehalle, Exhibition Grounds

### THURSDAY, 8 DECEMBER (Feast of the Immaculate Conception)

- 10 am: **Holy Mass** with Diocesan Bishop Dr. Alois Schwarz, Dvorak's Mass in D with the Cathedral's choir; Domplatz  
6 pm: **Advent Concert** of the Klagenfurt Men's Double Sextet with its mixed ensemble. Viktring Collegiate Church, Stift-Viktring-Str. 25

### FRIDAY, 9 DECEMBER

- 8 pm: **"BBCTLES"** – the best songs of John Lennon and the Beatles Eboard Museum, Flörian-Gröger-Str. 20

### SATURDAY, 10 DECEMBER

- 5 pm: **"Witness"** – the slightly different Christmas Concert; a collage of spirituals, Konzerthaus/Concert Hall, Großer Saal, Mießtalerstraße 8  
6 pm: **"Mundus cantat"** Christmas carols from all over the world with Vokalkreis Klagenfurt. Christkönig Church, Taviser Str.

### SUNDAY, 11 DECEMBER

- 10 am: **Holy Mass** music: Michael Haydn's Missa Tempore Adventus, Cathedral, Domplatz  
5 pm: **Advent Concert** of the mixed "Koschatwiege" choir, Viktring Collegiate Church, Stift-Viktring-Straße 25  
7 pm: **Holy Mass** with uplifting Advent music at the Cathedral, Domplatz  
7.30 pm: **Nik P. & Band – Tour 2011** "der Junge mit der Luftgitarre", Messearena, Exhibition Grounds

### TUESDAY, 13 DECEMBER

- 7.30 pm: **The Christmas Gospel** songs from the repertoire of "The Christmas Gospel". Konzerthaus/Concert Hall, Großer Saal, Mießtalerstraße 8

### THURSDAY, 15 DECEMBER

- 7.30 pm: **Organ concert** in the "OrgelDONNERstag" Thursday series, Cathedral, Domplatz

### FRIDAY, 16 DECEMBER

- 8 pm: **"Prix Mas Session"** – the Christmas session Eboardmuseum, Flörian-Gröger-Str. 20

### SATURDAY, 17 DECEMBER

- 8 pm: **Seitenheim Advent Singing** Concert Hall, Großer Saal, Mießtalerstr. 8

### SUNDAY, 18 DECEMBER

- 10 am: **Holy Mass** with music by the schola cantorum, Cathedral, Domplatz  
3.30 u. 7.00 pm: **Seitenheim Advent Singing** Concert Hall, Großer Saal, Mießtalerstr. 8  
4 pm: **"Mundus cantat"** - Christmas Carols from all over the World with Vokalkreis Klagenfurt. St. Egid Parish Church, Pfarrplatz  
7 pm: **Evensong** with uplifting Advent music at the Cathedral, Domplatz

### SATURDAY, 24 DECEMBER (Christmas Eve)

- 3 pm: **Christmas Mass** for children at the Cathedral, Domplatz  
3 pm: **Christmas Mass** for children at St. Egid Church, Pfarrplatz  
4 pm: **Christmas Mass** for children with nativity play at Viktring Collegiate Church  
10 pm: **Christmas Mass** at St. Ruprecht Church, Kirchengasse 29  
11 pm: **Christmas Mass** at Saint Florian Church in Viktring, Steiner Weg  
11.30 pm: **Feel the spirit of Christmas** followed by Christmas Mass with Diocesan Bishop Dr. Alois Schwarz, Cathedral, Domplatz  
11.30 pm: **Feel the spirit of Christmas** followed by Christmas Mass at St. Egid Parish Church, Pfarrplatz.  
Midnight: **Christmas Mass** at Viktring Collegiate Church, Stift-Viktring-Str. 25

### SUNDAY, 25 DECEMBER (Christmas Day)

- 10 am: **Pontifical Mass** celebrated by Diocesan Bishop Dr. Alois Schwarz, Cathedral, Domplatz  
10 am: **High Mass** Viktring Collegiate Church, Stift-Viktring-Str. 25

### MONDAY, 26 DECEMBER (Boxing Day)

- 10 am: **Festive Mass** high mass with blessing of "St. Stephen's Water", with music. Saint Florian Church in Viktring, Steiner Weg  
11.30 am: **Blessing of horses** in the inner courtyard of Viktring Collegiate Church  
3 pm: **Boxing Day concert** with "Die Khevenhüller" music association. Khevenhüllerkaserne, dining hall, Lendorf

### SATURDAY, 31 DECEMBER (New Year's Eve)

- 11 am - 1 pm: **Champagne reception** upon the invitation of the Mayor, on the stage at the Christmas Market, Neuer Platz  
5 pm: **Year's end mass** with Bishop Dr. Schwarz, Klagenfurt Cathedral, Domplatz  
6 pm: **Year's end mass** Saint Florian's Church (Viktring-Stein), Steiner Weg  
6.30 pm: **Year's end mass** at St. Egid Church, Pfarrplatz

**New Year's Carnival. At the turn of the years, the streets and squares bubble with life and fun. Live bands, shows, disco, and much more. [www.klagenfurt-tourismus.at](http://www.klagenfurt-tourismus.at)**

### SUNDAY, 1 JANUARY 2012 (New Year)

- 10.00 am: **New Year's High Mass** at the Cathedral, Domplatz  
11.30 am: **Mass** at the Cathedral, Domplatz  
3 pm: **New Year's High Mass** dispatch of the Star Boys' Singing Processions. Followed by a New Year's reception in the courtyard Viktring Collegiate Church, Stift-Viktring-Str. 25  
7 pm: **Mass** at the Cathedral, Domplatz

### TUESDAY, 3 JANUARY 2012

- 7.30 pm: **New Year's Concert "Watzerseligkeit zum Jahresbeginn"** Konzerthaus Klagenfurt Concert Hall, Mießtalerstraße 8

### FRIDAY, 6 JANUARY 2012

- 10.45 am: **New Year's Singing** with Carinthian songs Viktring Collegiate Church

Subject to changes.

## FROM FROZEN GROUNDS TO DISTANT STARS...

### KLAGENFURT HAS A LOT TO OFFER!

#### GUIDED CITY TOURS

The Klagenfurt Tourismus team is offering a great Advent series of free guided tours of the old city centre of Klagenfurt every Friday and Saturday in November and December. There is no better way to get into the Christmas mood than to discover the most beautiful inner courtyards, monuments and historic buildings of Klagenfurt together with a guide.

**Dates:** November and December, every Friday and Saturday  
**Meeting point:** 10 am in front of the tourist information office, Neuer Platz

#### ALPEN ADRIA GALERIE, Theaterplatz 3

**Exhibition:** "Michael Fuchs" – 08.12.2011 – 19.02.2012, portraits, nudes, landscapes and allegories in the style of the Vienna School of Fantastic Realism

**Open:** Daily, except Mondays, 9 am to 5 pm  
Public holidays, except Mondays, 9 am to 5 pm

**Closed:** Mondays, 24, 25 and 26 Dec. 2011

#### STADTGALERIE/MUNICIPAL GALLERY KLAGENFURT, Theatergasse 4

**Exhibition:** "Worpswede Masters – Impressionism in Germany"  
04.11.2011 – 26.02.2012

**Open:** Daily, except Mondays, 9 am to 5 pm  
Public holidays, except Mondays, 9 am to 5 pm

**Closed:** Mondays, 24, 25 and 26 Dec. 2011

#### LIVING STUDIO OF MUNICIPAL GALLERY, Theatergasse 4

**Exhibition:** "Wolfgang Walkensteiner – Russian Eggs"  
09.11.2011 – 08.01.2012

**Open:** Daily, except Mondays, 9 am to 5 pm  
Public holidays, except Mondays, 9 am to 5 pm

**Closed:** Mondays, 24, 25 and 26 Dec. 2011

#### EBOARD-MUSEUM, Florian-Gröger-Straße 20

Experience the musical instruments played by the stars hands-on. More than 1000 exhibits are a trip down memory lane, back to your past, your favourite songs and all your personal memories. Learn all the historic and technical details about this remarkable collection and enjoy pop music stories and anecdotes on a guided tour. The biggest keyboard museum in Europe!

**Open:** Daily, 2 - 7 pm, Saturdays: by appointment.

**Closed:** 24.12., 25.12. and 31.12.2011, 1.1.2012

#### KUNSTVEREIN KÄRNTEN – KÜNSTLERHAUS, Goethepark 1

**Exhibition:** "Kunst schenken/Art as a Gift" Graphic work. 25.11.– 23.12.2011

**Open:** Tuesday - Friday, 12 - 6 pm, Thursday 12 - 8 pm, Saturday 9 am - 1 pm

**Closed:** Sundays and bank holidays

#### LANDESMUSEUM KÄRNTEN/RUDOLFNUM, Museumgasse 2

The natural history, folklore and historic heritage of Carinthia are on display here in more than 30 rooms. Discover history, archaeology, zoology, geology and much more for yourself in Carinthia's biggest museum.

**Exhibitions:** "Rats"  
"Fleischeslust /Carnivorat Desires"  
"Lingerie"

**Open:** Tuesday-Friday 10 am - 6 pm; Thursday 10 am - 8 pm;  
Saturday, Sunday and holidays 10 am - 5 pm.

**Closed:** 25.-26.12.2011, 01.01. and 06.01.2012

#### CARINTHIAN MUSEUM OF MODERN ART, Burggasse 8/Domgasse

**Exhibition:** "Melitta Moschik\_Reality Shapes"  
15.12.2011 – end of February 2012

**Open:** Tuesday to Sunday and public holidays 10 am – 6 pm,  
Thursday if a working day 10 am - 8 pm

**Closed:** 24.-26.12., 31.12.2011-01.01.2012

#### ROBERT-MUSIL-LITERATUR-MUSEUM – Bahnhofstr. 50

Permanent exhibitions on Robert Musil, Ingeborg Bachmann and Christine Lavant.

**Open:** Monday to Friday 10 am - 5 pm, Saturday 10 am - 2 pm  
**Closed:** Sundays and public holidays

#### FUCHS CHAPEL, Stadtpfarrkirche St. Egid

It took artist Ernst Fuchs twenty years to complete his work in the „Winter Chapel“ of St. Egid Parish Church ... and the result is well worth seeing!

**Open for visits:** Thursday, Friday and Saturday: 11.30 am.

At other times upon previous appointment made one day before the intended visit at the latest with St. Egid parish.  
Phone: +43/463/511308

#### OBSERVATORY, Kreuzbergl, Giordano-Bruno-Weg 1

Public guided tours in the evening. Explore the starry sky. Moon, planets, constellations, binary stars, star clusters, galaxies. High-point of each guided tour in the evening is the observation of attractive night sky luminaries.

**Dates:** Thursdays and Saturdays shortly before dusk falls.

No tours in absolutely inclement weather.

Children welcome.

#### PLANETARIUM KLAGENFURT, Villacherstr. 239

Take a relaxed trip to the most exciting destinations in the universe – visit planets, stars and galaxies.

**Presentations:** In November and December every Saturday and Sunday at 4 pm. Daily from 25 to 30 December.

For more information please visit [www.planetarium-klagenfurt.at](http://www.planetarium-klagenfurt.at)

#### HAPP'S REPTILE HOUSE, Villacherstr. 237

Visit Europe's biggest reptile zoo including dinosaur park and discover the fascinating world of crocodiles, turtles and snakes. See the insects house with its tarantulas and scorpions and other exotic creatures.

**Open:** December: Daily 10 am – 5 pm.

**Closed:** November

#### MAGEREGG DEER PARK, Mageregger Straße 175

**Open:** Open all year; free admission to the deer park with native game.

#### HERALDIC HALL AT LANDHAUS, Landhaushof

The Heraldic Hall in the Landhaus with the Prince's Stone (that played an important role in the ceremony surrounding the installation of the princes of Carantania in the Early Middle Ages) and the 665 coats of arms on the walls is one of the most important witnesses to Carinthia's history. Josef Ferdinand Fromiller, Carinthia's most famous Baroque painter, painted the coats of arms with artistry and Baroque opulence for numerous sovereigns and noble families and thus created one of the most beautiful and impressive halls of the region.

Opening times will be published in time on [www.klagenfurt-tourismus.at](http://www.klagenfurt-tourismus.at)

#### MUNICIPAL THEATRE KLAGENFURT

**PUSS IN BOOTS**, theatre play with music by Jan Demuth (for children from 6)

**November:** 10.30 am: 19, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26 - 2.30 pm: 22, 24

**December:** 10.30 am: 2, 3, 14, 15, 16, 17, 20, 21, 22, 23  
2.30 pm: 2, 14, 16, 21, 23

**THE NUTCRACKER**, Pyotr Ilyich Tchaikovsky's ever-popular ballet

**November:** 7.30 pm: 19, 23, 25, 29

**December:** 7.30 pm: 1, 3

**MY FAIR LADY**, musical by Loewe/Lerner

**December:** 7.30 pm: 15, 17, 20, 22, 29, 31

**January 2012:** 7.30 pm: 3, 5

## FLEA MARKETS

### AND BAZAARS

#### SUNDAYS AND PUBLIC HOLIDAYS

November and December big flea market with free children flea market on the METRO site, Klagenfurt Ost, 7 am – 3 pm.

#### EVERY SATURDAY

November and December big flea market with free children flea market, Schleppekurve, 7 am – 3 pm. No flea market on public holidays.

#### SATURDAY, 3 DECEMBER

Traditional Christmas Flea Market, Wörthersee Halle, Exhibition Grounds, 9 am - 5 pm.

#### SUNDAY, 4 DECEMBER

Traditional Christmas Flea Market, Wörthersee Halle, Exhibition Grounds, 9 am - 5 pm.

## WINING AND DINING

The restaurants and inns below are located in the city centre and are also open on Sundays and bank holidays:

#### RESTAURANT der SANDWIRTH

Pernhartgasse 9, 9020 Klagenfurt am Wörthersee, Phone: +43/463/56209  
Open: Monday to Saturday, 7.30 am to midnight;  
Sunday and public holidays, 7.30 am to 6 pm  
(warm meals served from 11.30 am to 2 pm, afternoon: snacks only)  
24 Dec.: 7.30 am to 2 pm

#### GASTHAUS IM LANDHAUSHOF

Landhaushof 1, 9020 Klagenfurt am Wörthersee, Phone: +43/463/502363  
Open: daily from 11 am to midnight (warm meals served from 11 am to 11 pm)  
Closed: 25 Dec. 2011

#### GASTHAUS WEISSES ROSS

St. Veiter Ring 19, 9020 Klagenfurt am Wörthersee, Phone: +43/463/55966  
Open: Sunday to Friday, 9 am to midnight  
Closed: Saturdays and on 25 Dec. 2011 and 01 Jan. 2012

#### HIRTER BOTSCHAFT

Bahnhofstr. 44, 9020 Klagenfurt am Wörthersee, Phone: +43/463/54444  
Open: Monday to Saturday, 10 am to midnight (warm meals served from 11 am to 11 pm); Sunday and public holidays, 11 am to 8 pm (warm meals served from 11 am to 6 pm)  
Closed: 25 Dec. 2011 and 01 Jan. 2012

#### KÄRNTNER HAMATLE

Linsengasse 1, 9020 Klagenfurt am Wörthersee, Phone: +43/463/555700  
Open: Tuesday to Saturday, 10 am to 11 pm; Sunday 10 am to 6 pm (warm meals served until 5 pm)  
Closed: Mondays and on Sunday, 25 Dec. 2011

#### DAS SALZAMT PALAIS HOTEL LANDHAUSHOF

Landhaushof 3, 9020 Klagenfurt am Wörthersee, Phone +43/463/590959  
Open: Monday to Sonntag, 7 am to midnight. Warm meals served all day.

## Autumn/Winter Special 2011/12

Stay in Klagenfurt am Wörthersee  
and let the sun shine in!



Be it romance in autumn or fun in winter – Austria's southernmost regional capital will fill your heart with warmth!

From EUR 110 per person  
4 days – 3 nights including

- Breakfast
- Welcome cocktail at the hotel
- Guided tour of the old city centre
- Tickets for Klagenfurt Municipal Gallery
- Tickets for the Carinthian Museum of Modern Art
- 4-course dinner

Choose between these EXTRAS to book with your package:

- Day trip to Venice
- Tickets for Klagenfurt Municipal Theatre
- KulTourGenuss – a tasteful and tasty guided tour!

Valid from 6 October 2011 to 29 April 2012  
Offer valid from Thursday (arrival) to Sunday (departure).

Subject to availability.

For further information, list of hotels and rates please refer to [www.klagenfurt-tourismus.at](http://www.klagenfurt-tourismus.at)

## CHRISTMAS PACKAGES

### ARCOTEL MOSER VERDINO\*\*\*\* - Domgasse 2, 9020 Klagenfurt am Wörthersee

Phone: +43/463/578780, fax: +43/463/516765  
moserverdino@arcotelhotels.com, www.arcotelhotels.com

- 2 nights including breakfast buffet
- Voucher for a glass of mulled wine or must on the Christmas Market
- Sweet surprise in your room

**PRICE:** Person/night in a double room **EUR 62.50**  
Surcharge for single occupancy/night **EUR 29.50**  
Valid: from 19 November to 18 December 2011

### HOTEL ATRIGON\*\*\*\* - Kinoplatz 6, 9020 Klagenfurt am Wörthersee

Phone: +43/463/35195-0, fax: +43/463/35195-20, info@atrigon.at, www.atrigon.at

- „Advent Magic“
- 2 nights incl. sumptuous breakfast buffet
- Welcome drink
- Free entry to sauna and 1 voucher for the sun bed
- Parking in the underground car park
- Farewell gift

**PRICE:** Person/night in a single room **EUR 79**  
Person/night in a double room **EUR 49.50**  
Valid: from 20 November to 22 December 2011

### HOTEL DERMUTH\*\*\*\* - Kohldorferstraße 52, 9020 Klagenfurt am Wörthersee

Phone: +43/463/21247, fax: +43/463/21247-17, info@hotel-dermuth.at, www.hotel-dermuth.at

- „Gourmet - Package“
- 2 nights incl. sumptuous breakfast buffet
- Surprise in your room
- Half-board with a 4-course meal
- Saturday: 6-course gourmet meal
- Free entry to indoor swimming pool and steam bath, free Internet access

**PRICE:** Person/night in a single room **EUR 77**  
Person/night in a double room **EUR 67.50**  
Valid: from 25 November to 20 December 2011  
Price includes all taxes and dues

### der SANDWIRTH\*\*\*\* HOTEL & MEETINGPOINT

Pernhartgasse 9, 9020 Klagenfurt am Wörthersee  
Phone: +43/463/56209, fax: +43/463/514322, hotel@sandwirth.at, www.sandwirth.at

- „Pleasurable Relax Weekend“
- 2 nights incl. breakfast buffet with home-made cakes, café, egg dishes à la carte ...
- 1 glass of sparkling wine at the Sandwirth bar to welcome you to Klagenfurt
- 1 four-course dinner at the Gautt-Millau toque-rated Sandwirth restaurant
- „Lust auf Klagenfurt“ – your guide to discover Klagenfurt and surroundings
- Relax zone with sauna, steam bath, massage bed
- Late check-out on Sunday according to availability

**PRICE:** Person/night in a single room **EUR 99**  
Person/night in a double room **EUR 72**  
Valid: from 23 September 2011 to 7 May 2012.  
Upon inquiry and according to availability;  
arrival on Friday, departure on Monday

### LINDNER SEEPARK HOTEL – CONGRESS & SPA \*\*\*\*

Universitätsstr. 104, 9020 Klagenfurt am Wörthersee  
Phone: +43/463/20 44 99 710, fax: +43/463/20 44 99 739  
info.klagenfurt@lindnerhotels.at, www.lindnerhotels.at

- 3 nights in a Business Class room
- Sumptuous breakfast
- 1 back massage
- Use of the 900 m2 Seepark spa

**PRICE:** Person/package in a single room **EUR 277.50**  
Person/package in a double room **EUR 204**  
Valid: from 1 October 2011 to 31 March 2012

### HOTEL PALAIS PORCIA\*\*\*\* – Neuer Platz 13, 9020 Klagenfurt am Wörthersee

Phone: +43/463/51190, fax: +43/463/5119030  
hotel@palais-porcia.at, www.palais-porcia.at

- 2 nights in a junior suite incl. sumptuous breakfast buffet
- Welcome cocktail, sparkling wine in your room
- One dinner in a restaurant in Klagenfurt
- Service, charges, dues and night fee of Lindwurm underground car park from 7.00 pm - 7.00 am

**PRICE:** Double room (junior suite)/person/night **EUR 80**  
Single room (junior suite)/person/night **EUR 97.50**  
Valid: from 12 November to 27 December 2011

### HOTEL KLAGENFURT – Hotel Klagenfurt group, www.hotel-klagenfurt.com

#### Hotel Aragia\*\*\*\*

Völkermarkterstr. 100, 9020 Klagenfurt am Wörthersee  
Phone: +43/463/515 717 27, fax: +43/463/515 717 37  
hotel@aragia.at, www.aragia.at

#### Carinthia Stadthotel\*\*\*\*

8.-Mai-Str. 41, 9020 Klagenfurt am Wörthersee  
Phone: +43/463/515 717 26, fax: +43/463/515 717 36  
carinthia@chello.at, www.stadthotel.co.at

#### Hotel Goldener Brunnen\*\*\*\*

Karfreitstr. 14, 9020 Klagenfurt am Wörthersee  
Phone: +43/463/515 717 25, fax: +43/463/515 717 35  
hotel@goldener-brunnen.at, www.goldener-brunnen.at

#### Hotel Rokohof\*\*\*\*

Villacherstr. 135, 9020 Klagenfurt am Wörthersee  
Phone: +43/463/515 717 24, fax: +43/463/515 717 34  
office@hotel-rokohof.at, www.hotel-rokohof.at

#### Magic Christmas package

- 2 nights incl. sumptuous breakfast buffet
- Welcome cocktail at the hotel
- Guided tour of the old city centre. Enjoy Christmassy Klagenfurt!
- A small souvenir

**PRICE:** Person/package in a single room **EUR 138 (Hotel Aragia\*\*\*\* EUR 124)**  
Person/package in a double room **EUR 99 (Hotel Aragia\*\*\*\* EUR 92)**  
Valid: November to December 2011

### CITY HOTEL KLAGENFURT ZUM DOMPLATZ\*\*\*\* – Karfreitstr. 20, 9020 Klagenfurt am Wörthersee

Phone: +43/463/54320, fax: +43/463/543206  
office@cityhotel-klagenfurt.at, www.cityhotel-klagenfurt.at

- Christmas Package
- 2 nights incl. breakfast buffet
- A small Advent surprise in your room
- Guided tour of the old city centre (Friday/Saturday)

**PRICE:** Person/night in a double room **EUR 43.-**  
Person/night in a single room **EUR 56.-**  
Valid: from 18 November to 18 December 2011

### HOTEL LIEBETEGGER\*\*\*\* – Völkermarkterstraße 8, 9020 Klagenfurt am Wörthersee

Phone: +43/463/56935, fax: +43/463/56935-6  
office@liebetegger.com, www.liebetegger.com

- Christmas Package
- 4 days/3 nights
- 1 bottle of Prosecco & Christmas cookies in your room
- 1 cup of mulled wine
- 1 elegant dinner in the city centre

**PRICE:** Person/package in a double room from **EUR 129.-**  
Person/package in a single room from **EUR 165.-**  
Valid: 24 November to 20 December 2011

### HOTEL RÖSCH\*\*\*\* – Wörthersee-Südufer-Straße 55, 9020 Klagenfurt am Wörthersee

Phone: +43/463/281604, fax: +43/463/2816044  
office@hotel-roesch.at, www.hotel-roesch.at

- Christmas Package
- 2 nights in a double room incl. breakfast buffet
- 1 candle-light dinner
- Free admission to the spa area and 1 token for the sun bed

**PRICE:** Person/package **EUR 110**  
with breakfast only: Person/package **EUR 90**  
Valid: from 18 November to 18 December 2011

### HOTEL FISCHGASTHOF JEROLITSCH\*\*\*\* – Jerolitschstr. 43, 9201 Krumpendorf / Wörthersee

Phone: +43/4229/2379, fax: +43/4229/237935  
hotel.jerolitsch@aon.at, www.jerolitsch.at

- Archerly Weekend in Advent
- Welcome drink
- Stay in a double, single or multi-bed room
- Rich breakfast buffet
- 1 "Carinthian archer's snack"
- Use of the 3D archery sports ground

**PRICE:** Person/package for 3 nights (Thu - Sun) **EUR 120**  
Person/package for 2 nights (Fri - Sun) **EUR 85**  
(50% reduction for children under 10)  
Valid: on the Advent weekends 2011

## THE MAGIC OF CHRISTMAS

can be felt all throughout the city centre.  
Take your time to discover the magic.

- 1 City Hall
- 2 Christmas Market - Neuer Platz
- 3 Wörthersee-Mandl
- 4 Holy Trinity Column
- 5 Seat of the Carinthian Parliament (Landhaus), fountain by Kiki Kogelnik
- 6 Zur Goldenen Gans
- 7 Municipal Theatre
- 8 Pfarrplatz square and St. Egid parish church
- 9 Domplatz square, statue of St. Mary and Cathedral
- 10 Steinerner Fischer, Benediktinerplatz square



Advent is a very special time in Klagenfurt. The whole city is under the spell of Christmas. The scent of mulled wine and roasted chestnuts wafts from the inner-city squares, shops sparkle with Christmas decoration, and the fairy lights over roads, lanes and streets create a magical, festive atmosphere. Every shopping trip, every gift lovingly chosen is a unique experience – like a small gift you give to yourself. And afterwards, when you meet with friends over a glass of mulled wine at one of the outdoor stands, you can discuss your shopping experience in detail.

**Allow yourself to be enchanted!**

Seasons greeting and a magic Advent in Klagenfurt!

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