



## Azorcan Information for MUNICH, GERMANY

### Munich websites

German National Tourist Board

Munich, Germany

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[Tourist Info Centre at the Munich City Hall](#)

<http://www.germany.travel/en/index.html>

<http://www.muenchen.de/int/en.html>

<https://www.destination-munich.com>

<https://www.munich.travel/en>

### Munich General Information

German Phrases

Tipping in Restaurants 10-12%

Munich population- approx. 1,500,000

Voltage 220V/50Hz

Emergency Number – 112

<https://www.rosettastone.com/languages/german-phrases>

### Transportation

Munich Airport

Munich Airport Transfers

Munich Public Transportation

<https://www.munich-airport.com>

<https://www.munich-airport.com/public-transport-260822>

<https://www.mvv-muenchen.de/en/index.html>

### Tours and activities

Bicycle Tour

Munich Walk Tours

<https://www.mikesbiketours.com/munich/>

<https://munichwalktours.de/en/english-tours/>

### Must Things to See

Olympiapark

Nymphenburg Palace

Neues Rathaus

Altes Rathaus (Old Town Hall)

Marienplatz

Frauenkirche

St. Peter's Church

Karlsplatz

<https://www.munich.travel/en/pois/sports-leisure/olympiapark>

<https://www.schloss-nymphenburg.de/englisch/palace/>

<https://www.muenchen.de/int/en/sights/attractions/new-town-hall-neues-rathaus.html>

<https://www.muenchen.de/int/en/sights/attractions/altes-rathaus.html>

<https://www.muenchen.de/int/en/sights/attractions/marienplatz.html>

<https://www.muenchen.de/int/en/sights/churches/cathedral-church-of-our-lady.html>

<https://www.muenchen.de/int/en/sights/churches/church-of-st-peter.html>

<https://www.munich.travel/en/pois/urban-districts/karlsplatz-stachus>

Odeonsplatz <https://www.muenchen.de/int/en/sights/attractions/odeonsplatz.html>  
Residenz <https://www.residenz-muenchen.de/englisch/residenc/index.htm>

### **Things to See If They Interest You**

BMW Welt <https://www.bmw-welt.com/en.html>  
BMW Plant Tour <https://www.bmwgroup-werke.com/muenchen/en.html>  
Munich Olympics 1972 <https://muenchen1972-2022.de/en/home/>  
Deutsches Museum <https://www.deutsches-museum.de>  
Deutsches Museum Verkehrszentrum <https://www.deutsches-museum.de/verkehrszentrum>  
Alte Pinakothek <https://www.pinakothek.de/en/visit/alte-pinakothek>  
Neue Pinakothek <https://www.pinakothek.de/en/visit/neue-pinakothek>  
Pinakothek der Moderne <https://www.pinakothek.de/en/visit/sammlung-moderne-kunst-der-pinakothek-der-moderne>  
Museum Brandhorst <https://www.pinakothek.de/en/visit/museum-brandhorst>  
Sammlung Schack <https://www.pinakothek.de/en/visit/sammlung-schack>  
Jewish Museum <https://www.juedisches-museum-muenchen.de/en/museum/your-visit>  
Hellabrunn Zoo <https://www.hellabrunn.de/en/>  
Hall of Fame & Bavaria Statue [https://www.schloesser.bayern.de/englisch/palace/objects/mu\\_ruhm.htm](https://www.schloesser.bayern.de/englisch/palace/objects/mu_ruhm.htm)  
Bavarian Opera <https://www.staatsoper.de/en/>  
Alter Hof <https://www.muenchen.de/int/en/sights/attractions/alter-hof.html>  
Blutenburg Palace [https://www.schloesser.bayern.de/englisch/palace/objects/mu\\_blut.htm](https://www.schloesser.bayern.de/englisch/palace/objects/mu_blut.htm)  
Field Marshal's Hall [https://www.schloesser.bayern.de/englisch/palace/objects/mu\\_feldh.htm](https://www.schloesser.bayern.de/englisch/palace/objects/mu_feldh.htm)

### **Day Trips**

Bavaria Studios Park <https://www.filmstadt.de/en/>  
Dachau, Germany <https://www.dachau.de/en/>  
Dachau, Germany – WWII Concentration Camp <https://www.kz-gedenkstaette-dachau.de>  
Chiemsee, Germany – Herrenchiemsee [https://www.herrenchiemsee.de/englisch/n\\_palace/index.htm](https://www.herrenchiemsee.de/englisch/n_palace/index.htm)  
Fussen, Germany – Neuschwanstein Castle <https://www.neuschwanstein.de/englisch/tourist/>  
Oberammergau, Germany - Linderhof Castle <https://schlosslinderhof.de/englisch/tourist/index.htm>  
Oberammergau, Germany <https://www.gemeinde-oberammergau.de/de/startseite>  
Oberammergau - Passion Play <https://www.passionsspiele-oberammergau.de/en/visit/oberammergau>  
Gunzburg, Germany – Legoland <https://www.legoland.de/en/>  
Lake Konigsee, Germany <https://www.berchtesgaden.de/en/nature/lake-koenigssee>  
Hitler's Eagles Nest <https://www.berchtesgaden.de/en/nature/eagles-nest>  
Zugspitze Mountain, Germany <https://zugspitze.de/en>  
Rothenburg ob der Tauber, Germany <https://www.rothenburg-tourismus.de/en/>  
Amberg, Germany <https://www.destination-munich.com/amberg.html>  
Partnachklamm, Germany <https://www.partnachklamm.de/en>  
Kloster Andechs Monastery & Beer Garden <https://www.andechs.de/en.html>

### **Shopping**

Viktualienmarkt (City Centre) <https://www.viktualienmarkt-muenchen.de>  
Pedestrian Zone <https://www.munich.travel/en/pois/shopping-design/fussgaengerzone-munich>  
Maximilian Strasse <https://www.munich.travel/en/pois/shopping-design/maximilianstrasse>  
Munich Shopping Guide <https://www.muenchen.de/int/en/shopping/shopping-guide.html>

### **German Food & Beverages**

What to Eat - <https://germanfoods.org>  
Types of Beer - <https://germanfoods.org/german-food-facts/german-beer-guide/>

### **Munich Restaurants & Cafes**

Café Glockenspiel <https://www.cafe-glockenspiel.de>  
Viktualienmarkt Biergarten <http://biergarten-viktualienmarkt.com>  
Hofbrauhaus [http://www.hofbraeuhaus.de/en/index\\_en.html](http://www.hofbraeuhaus.de/en/index_en.html)  
Hofbrauhaus - Die Schwemme <https://www.hofbraeuhaus.de/en/schwemme.html>  
Lowenbraukeller [www.loewenbraeukeller.com](http://www.loewenbraeukeller.com)

Zum Augustiner <https://www.augustiner-restaurant.com>  
 Schneider Weiss Brauhaus <https://www.schneider-brauhaus.de/de>  
 Munich Beer Gardens [http://www.munichbeergardens.com/Main\\_Page](http://www.munichbeergardens.com/Main_Page)  
 Munich Beer Garden - [Chinesischer Turm](#)  
 Munich Beer Garden – Seehaus <https://www.biergärtenmünchen.de/Seehaus>  
 Munich Beer Garden – Flaucher <https://www.zumflaucher.de>  
 Munich Beer Garden – Hirschgarten <https://www.hirschgarten.com>  
 Munich Beer Garden – Kloster Andechs <https://www.andechs.de/en.html>

**Recreation**

Munich Swimming Pools <https://www.swm.de/english/m-baeder>  
 Isar River Rafting <https://www.sport-piraten.de/en/>

**Professional Sports**

Allianz Arena <https://allianz-arena.com/en>  
 Bayern Munich FC <https://fcbayern.com/en>  
 Bayern Munich FC Museum <https://fcbayern.com/museum/en>  
 Bayern Munich Sabener Strasse <https://fcbayern.com/en/club/sabener-strasse>  
 Red Bull Munich – hockey <https://www.redbullmuenchen.de/en/club>



**Azorcan Information for OKTOBERFEST IN MUNICH**

Oktoberfest <https://www.oktoberfest.de/en/>

**About the OKTOBERFEST** from <https://www.destination-munich.com/oktoberfest-munich.html>

Munich’s Oktoberfest originated in 1810 as a horse race to celebrate a royal wedding. But everyone apparently enjoyed the drinking a lot more, and had such a great time they decided to do it all again the following year. The horse race is now part of history but the beer certainly isn’t and neither are those willing to drink it. Oktoberfest (with a *k*, not *Octoberfest*) is officially the world’s biggest party drawing about **six million visitors** a year to southern Germany.

The action takes place on Munich's fairgrounds, (officially called the **Theresienwiese**, informally, **d'Wiesn**), south-west of the city's Main Train Station.

There's often a mad rush to find a seat before the **beer starts flowing at 10am** (9am on weekends). The tents close at 11.30pm, with the last drinks served at 10.30pm. Käfer's Wiesenschänke und das Weinzelt are the exceptions, they stay open until 1am with last drinks called at 12.15am. Weekdays are much quieter than weekends, especially around lunchtime. There's a costume parade on the first Sunday.

### Which tent to pick

Most of the drinking is done in the 14 big beer "tents" - actually **big wooden halls**. You can reserve tables through [www.oktoberfest.de](http://www.oktoberfest.de) but most sell out months in advance.

The festivities officially start in the **Schottenhamel** tent and often reach their rowdiest in the **Hacker** (Heaven of Bavaria).

The Marstall tent is the first one you see as you walk through the main gates.

The **Hofbräu** tent is famed for pulling far more tourists than locals, the **Augustiner** might be the best for Bavarian authenticity and the **Löwenbräu** tends to fill up later than some of the others.

### What to wear to Oktoberfest

Practically anything goes, but for an extra layer of fun consider kitting out like a local. For guys, a pair of **Lederhosen** leather shorts start from €120. For gals, a traditional **Dirndl** dress cost upwards of about €100.

**Tip:** When worn correctly Dirndls also reveal the **wearers' availability**. Look just above the apron: If there's a bow on the right she's taken. A bow on the left means she's still to be had, and a bow bang on the front marks a virgin.

### What to eat and drink

Beer! The amber fluid is served exclusively in one litre glass mugs, called **Maß** (*mass*) that cost about €12.

The beer is slowly brewed through the summer and packs a six per cent alcoholic punch. For a change, try the beery-lemonade mixture called *Radler*, or head out to the wine tent.

Food is everywhere at Oktoberfest Munich. Popular picks are **grilled chicken** (*Hendl*), **pork knuckles** (*Schweinshaxe*) and **giant pretzels** (*Breze*).

### Fairground rides and showmen

Ferris wheel, Toboggan, Hau den Lukas or Teufelsrad: On the first day, the attractions are open from midday to midnight. Sundays to Thursdays you can ride the roller-coaster, enjoy the view from the Ferris wheel or be scared in the ghost train from 9 am to 11.30 pm at night, on Fridays and Saturdays as well as on the October 2nd (the eve before the public holiday) till midnight.

### Oide Wiesn (Old Oktoberfest) opening times

Oide Wiesn has its own area in the south of the festival grounds, and is open every day from 10 am to 10:30 pm. Beer is served daily from 10 a.m. to 9:30 p.m. at the Oide Wiesn, and you can enjoy the historic rides from 10 a.m. to 10:30 p.m.

### OKTOBERFEST TENTS

Marstall	<a href="https://www.marstall-oktoberfest.com">https://www.marstall-oktoberfest.com</a>
Fischer-Vroni	<a href="https://www.fischer-vroni.de/welcome.html">https://www.fischer-vroni.de/welcome.html</a>
Ochsenbraterei	<a href="https://www.ochsenbraterei.de/?lang=en">https://www.ochsenbraterei.de/?lang=en</a>
Schottenhamel	<a href="https://www.festhalle-schottenhamel.de/en">https://www.festhalle-schottenhamel.de/en</a>
Schützen-Festzelt	<a href="https://www.schuetzenfestzelt.com">https://www.schuetzenfestzelt.com</a>
Hofbräu-Festzelt	<a href="https://www.hb-festzelt.de">https://www.hb-festzelt.de</a>
Armbrustschützen-Festhalle	<a href="https://www.armbrustschuetzenzelt.de">https://www.armbrustschuetzenzelt.de</a>
Hippodrom	<a href="https://www.hippodrom.de/en/">https://www.hippodrom.de/en/</a>
Winzerer Fahndl	<a href="https://paulanerfestzelt.de">https://paulanerfestzelt.de</a>
Brauros	<a href="https://www.braeuosl.de">https://www.braeuosl.de</a>
Augustiner-Festhalle	<a href="https://www.augustiner-restaurant.com">https://www.augustiner-restaurant.com</a>
Käfer's Wies'n-Schänke	<a href="https://www.feinkost-kaefer.de/oktoberfest">https://www.feinkost-kaefer.de/oktoberfest</a>
Weinzelt (Wine Tent)	<a href="https://www.weinzelt.com/en/index.php">https://www.weinzelt.com/en/index.php</a>
Löwenbräu-Festzelt	<a href="https://www.loewenbraeuzelt.de">https://www.loewenbraeuzelt.de</a>