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Maschsee Lake



Royal Gardens of Herrenhausen | Great Garden

## Hannover - a state capital of great charme

There is scarcely any other region that can offer such diverse and attractive leisure amenities as Hannover: You can stroll through the Royal Gardens of Herrenhausen with the rebulit Herrenhausen Castle including a museum or enjoy the unbridled greenery of the Eilenriede city forest; while the Maschsee Lake has a Mediterranean feeling that visitors revel in. The meadowlands along the River Leine entice ramblers and cyclists to explore their wide expanses. And all these things are to be found right in the heart of the city. At the same time, the surrounding Hannover Region offers a wealth of tourist highlights such as Lake Steinhude, the Deister Hills or the charming Burgdorfer Land.



Old Town

Hannover's lively city centre attracts shoppers with its extensive pedestrian zone, the Ernst-August-Galerie and a series of elegant arcades and shopping malls. In the Old Town quarter you can stroll through narrow medieval streets and relax on the banks of the River Leine or in one of the countless cafés.

Lovers of the arts from all over the world are drawn by Hannover's theatres and concerts, the outstanding offerings of its art galleries and its numerous museums and noted buildings.

As a city of trade fairs, events and sport, Hannover is a place of international encounter. Among the summer events that attract visitors in their thousands are the Maschsee Lake Festival and the biggest Marksmen's Funfair in the world. Hannover is a state capital of great charm — why not come and discover its diversity?

Come along and enjoy yourself in Hannover: our hotel and group packages as well as the modules, guarantee a wonderful time out in Hannover. Our attractive guided tours of the city bring alive all the most interesting aspects of the state capital of Lower Saxony. Or put together your stay in Hannover the individual way: choose from a wide selection of excellent hotels in Hannover!



Discover Hannover in 360 degree!

At **www.vist-hannover.com/en/360** interactive 360 degree sightseeing tours show you the most beautiful spots of the city. Watch out for the 360 degree icon



Current information on availabilties, business hours and offers at **www.visit-hannover.com/en**.

# Hannover – in the heart of Europe



Hannover - transportation hub in Germany



Arrival by Train



Arrival by long distance bus



#### Hannover - all roads lead to Hannover

Whether you come by road, by ICE high-speed train or by air — Hannover is one of the most important hubs of transportation in Germany and the whole of Europe — the place where the whole world meets.

Hannover's outstanding transportation infrastructure makes it both a popular destination in itself, and also a starting point for many attractive excursions into the surrounding region: to the Lüneburg Heath, for example, or the historic towns and cities of Lower Saxony such as Hildesheim. Hamelin or Celle.

Thanks to Hannover's central location, the great metropolises of Berlin and Hamburg can also be reached in a very short time.

#### By train:

Hannover is the most important railway hub in Germany: You reach Hannover with fast InterCityExpress train connections from Hamburg in just over an hour, the journey from Berlin to Hannover takes about 1.5 hours. From the Ruhr area, you are in Hannover within 2.5 hours. Even from Munich you reach Hanover in just 4.5 hours. In addition, many international long distance lines run via Hannover, so the city is also easy to reach from abroad.

Hannover is also within easy reach from all destinations in Lower Saxony in a short time by public metropolitan and suburban commuter railway trains. The Hannover Region is fully developed by new light rail traffic lines which run far beyond the city limits.

#### Hannover Airport your holiday airport in Northern Germany

Hannover Airport is the one of the leading airports in Northern Germany with more than 6 million passengers per year. The air traffic hubs Frankfurt/Main, Munich, London and Amsterdam as well as the cities ofParis, Zurich and Copenhagen are only a few examples for the excellent direct connections within Europe. Further highlights are many connections to leisure travel destination around the Mediterranean Sea e.g. in Turkey, Italy and Spain as well as several direct connections within the CIS states. Thanks to its central location Hannover Airport is the ideal starting point for a journey through Northern Germany. The airport has a direct connection to the motorways A7 (Hamburg-Kassel) and A2 (Berlin-Dortmund) as well as good railway relations via Hannover main station (approx. 17 minutes) to the high speed railway network of Deutsche Bahn. For more information go to www.hannover-airport.de.

#### By car:

Hannover lies on a major German motorway intersection. The A2 motorway links Hannover to North Rhine-Westphalia and Berlin. The A7 motorway opens up the north-south axis for all people travelling from the direction of Hamburg or Munich.

Hannover's city centre is a clean air zone. You can only drive your car within the inner city ring if your vehicle has a clean air sticker on the windscreen. Coaches do not need a clean air sticker.



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Relax at the banks of River Leine



Maschsee Lake

# Highlights

#### In the heart of the Old Town

Here you can breathe the city's history: the historic timber-framed buildings of the Old Town are among the very special sights of the city centre. The imposing Market Church and the Old Town Hall are the most southerly examples of the redbrick Gothic style which is typical of northern Germany. Wander through picturesque narrow streets and discover exclusive boutiques and inviting cafés and restaurants. Among the most pleasant squares in the Old Town is Ballhofplatz, where there is also a theatre, and where openair parties take place in the summer. A few yards further on you can relax in secluded spots on the banks of the River Leine. On Saturdays, Germany's oldest flea market takes place here — an Eldorado for lovers of art and curiosities, set against a historic backdrop.

#### **Around Maschsee Lake**

A maritime paradise right in the city centre! The Maschsee Lake offers the people of Hannover a recreational area in the heart of the city, both on the water and all around it: for yachting, canoeing and pedal-boating, for joggers, skaters and strollers. Right opposite, you can stroll through the idyllic Maschpark to reach the magnificent New Town Hall where four 3D models impressively show the eventful history of Hannover. Travelling up to the 97-metrehigh Town Hall dome in the unique curving lift is an experience in itself: from the top, you can see as far as the Deister Hills. And every visitor who is not already convinced of the fact can clearly see from here that Hannover is Germany's greenest city!



Ballhofplatz



Graffiti art in the city's districts



### Art in public places

At the beginning of the 1970s, an art project was launched on the streets of Hannover that attracted widespread attention. Since then, the townscape has been uniquely characterised by the works of art that are to be seen there, and which in the meantime have come to number 170, including a series of specially designed tram and bus stops. Buxom curves, luminous colours: the three Nanas on the Leibnizufer have become one of Hannover's most popular landmarks since 1974. They were not always so celebrated: many Hannoverians took a distinct dislike to the voluminous sculptures created by the artist Niki de Saint Phalle. This grass roots protest gave rise to intense debate about art in public spaces — with a happy end: Hannoverians now consider the "buxom girls" to be part of the family.

Colorful districts: In Hannover's city districts you can discover colourful graffiti art — take a look at our "Culture for free" tours!



Right in the heart of the city of Hannover you will find an unique paradise for more than 2,000 animals. A discovery trail leads you around the world through lovingly shaped thematic worlds. Shows and commented feedings add to this great experience.

SEA LIFE Hannover, the first tropical SEA LIFE aquarium in Germany, will take you on a fascinating, breathtaking journey — from the banks of the River Leine across the Caribbean Sea into the Amazon rainforest. Discover an underwater kingdom alive with shimmering colours — the world of tortoises, sea horses, sharks, rays & others!



SEA LIFE



Hannover Adventure Zoo



Royal Gardens of Herrenhausen | Great Garden

# Royal Gardens of Herrenhausen

#### Supreme garden art & culture

Hannover has a most extraordinary woman to thank for this masterpiece of baroque garden art: Kurfürstin Sophie von der Pfalz. Inspired by the sun king Louis XIV, she had the Great Garden laid out at the end of the 17th century in the French style, and it became her life's work. Today, around half a million visitors a year enjoy the flair of this baroque garden, which can rightly claim to be one of the best preserved in the whole of Europe. The Great Garden now also boasts a new top attraction since 2013: the new Herrenhausen Castle Museum — a building belonging to the state capital Hannover and funded by the State of Niedersachsen — which invites visitors to enjoy in a very entertaining way the enormous diversity of the castles and gardens in the fascinating Herrenhausen ensemble.

The Royal Gardens of Herrenhausen are also famous for their very diverse programme of events, such as the International Fireworks Competition, the "Kunstfestspiele Herrenhausen" music and arts festival, and many other top quality concerts, musicals and dance performances.

Come along and see the magic for yourself! The Berggarten next door is also very well worth a visit – this outstanding botanical garden boasts around 12,000 different species of plants. Its glass houses are open throughout the year displaying up to 800 flowering orchids, rare tropical plants, and a wide range of cactuses and succulents amongst other botanical treasures.

## Opening times

The Great Garden and the Berggarten botanical gardens open throughout the year at 09:00.

The museum opens daily in the summer season from 11:00 to 18:00.

In the winter season (1 November to 31 March) the museum is open from Thursday to Sunday from 11:00 to 16:00.



Royal Gardens of Herrenhausen I Berggarten



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Maschsee Lake Festival

# Always something happening!

## **Entertaining Herrenhausen**

At the International Firework Competition the best pyrotechnists from all over the world compete against each other with a combination of music, drama and fireworks accompanied by a supporting programme of cabaret and music. "KunstFestSpiele" brings a unique festival delight to Hannover: international artist boast concerts, musical theatre, art installations and film music in the summerly Herrenhausen Gardens. After dark the Great Garden is festively illuminated, and there is scarcely a visitor able to resist the invitation to enjoy a romantic stroll.

On the stage of the 300 years old Garden Theatre impressive events take place. For several weeks in the summer, it is the "Little Festival in the Great Garden" that is the great hit with the public. More than 100 artists, performing on thirtyfive different stages, provoke merriment and amazement with their impressive acts, all of which display the highest level of artistry.

#### The Maschsee Lake Festival

Concerts, artistry and culinary specialities: every year since 1986, the people of Hannover have been joined by guests from far away for a gigantic party. With some two million visitors, the Maschsee Lake Festival is one of northern Germany's biggest open-air parties. Right on the banks of the lake, a number of stages offer programmes for every age and every taste. The Mediterranean atmosphere gives wings to the soul it's difficult to believe that it's all taking place in northern Germany.



Royal Gardens of Herrenhausen I Garden Theatre

#### Marksmen: quick march!

The biggest marksmen's fair in the world lasts ten days and ten nights. Breathtaking rides will make you" high" in the truest sense of the word, while the drinking of the traditional Hannover tipple "Lüttje Lage" lends a touch of merry and bibulous local colour. The traditional climax is the Grand Parade of the Marksmen, in which some 12,000 people take part: marksmen and women, marching bands, festively decorated floats and horse-drawn carriages process from the New Town Hall to the Schützenplatz fairground – while tens of thousands of people line the route to cheer them on!

#### **Christmas coming**

Hannover's Christmas Market diffuses a unique atmosphere through-out the historic Old Town. Glassblowers, potters and candlemakers demonstrate their skill in their respective crafts. Visitors can stroll and browse among no less than 150 stalls, enjoying delicious Christmas treats or simply observing the busy scene. In the historic Christmas village, a medieval town is brought to life again in all its olde-worlde quaintness. The Finnish Christmas Market on Ballhofplatz square exudes a charm all of its own as delicious "flammlachs" - slow-grilled salmon - is prepared on an open fire.

# **Dates 2023**

- 0, 000		July	
January		02.07.	Parade of the Marksmen / City centre
•	DOMOTEX fair / Hannover fair grounds	07.0709.07.	PS Days Hannover fair / Hannover fair grounds
	3 · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	05.0730.07.	Little Festival in the Great Garden / Royal Gardens of Herrenhausen
February		13.07.	P!ink / Heinz von Heiden Arena
	ABF fair / Hannover fair grounds	14.0715.07.	Hannover Klassik Open Air
09.0211.02.	"besser schlafen" fair / Hannover fair grounds	26.0713.08.	Maschsee Lake Festival / Maschsee Lake
March		August	
21.0323.03.	Tire Technology Expo fair / Hannover fair grounds	_	Summer Nights in the Garden Theatre / Royal Gardens of Herrenhai
26.03.	ADAC Marathon Hannover / city centre		Festive Weekend / Lake Steinhude
April		19.08.	
09.04.	Easter Walk / Royal Gardens of Herrenhausen	19.06.	31st Int. Firework Competition (Switzerland) / Royal Gardens Maker Faire / HCC
	Frühlingsfest Hannover / Schützenplatz	19.0020.00.	IVIAREI FAITE / NOC
	Hannover Messe fair / Hannover fair grounds	September	
17.0421.04.	Hallilovel Messe Iali / Hallilovel Iali grounds	02.09.	31st Int. Firework Competition (Belgium) / Royal Gardens of Herrenhause
May		10.09.	Hannover Region Discovery Day / city centre & Hannover Region
07.05.	Deister Day / Deister municipalities	16.09.	31. Int. Firework Competition (Austria) / Royal Gardens of Herrenhauser
09.0511.05.	LABVOLUTION fair / Hannover fair grounds	18.0923.09.	
11.0528.05.	KunstFestSpiele Herrenhausen / Royal Gardens of Herrenhausen		Oktoberfest Hannover / Schützenplatz
15.0519.05.	LIGNA fair / Hannover fair grounds		
18.05.	enercity swinging hannover / Trammplatz	October	
20.05.	31st Int. Firework Competition (Germany) /	14.1022.10.	infa fair / Hannover fair grounds
	Royal Gardens of Herrenhausen		
22.05.	Grönemeyer / ZAG Arena	November	
26.05.	NDR 2 Plaza Festival / Expo Plaza		Herrenhausen Winterzauber / Royal Gardens of Herrenhausen
luna			AGRITECHNICA fair / Hannover fair grounds
June		18.1122.01.	Wintervariety / Royal Gardens of Herrenhausen

#### Current event information at www.visit-hannover.com/en

December





03.06.-06.06. Herrenhausen Garden Festival / Georgengarten

17.06.-18.06. Arts and Handicraft Market / Market square

Fête de la Musique / city centre

30.06.-09.07. Marksmen's Funfair / Schützenplatz fairground

31st Int. Firework Competition (France) / Royal Gardens of Herrenhausen

10.06.

21.06.





18.11.-22.01. Wintervariety / Royal Gardens of Herrenhausen

23.11.-22.12. Hannover Christmas Market / city centre

07.12.-10.12. Pferd & Jagd fair / Hannover fair grounds

08.12.-09.12. Show "Night of the Horses" / Hannover fair grounds

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Fête de la Musique





Hannover State Opera



GOP Variety Theatre



Ballhof Eins

## Kissed by the muse

The city's programme of cultural events is more diverse and more exciting than ever, offering a comprehensive spectrum of everything from light entertainment to stage productions of the highest calibre.

The State Opera and the State Theatre both occupy leading positions in international rankings, and celebrated conductors and orchestras of international renown can always rely on enthusiastic receptions from their devotees in Hannover.

For many years now, the GOP Variety-Theatre has offered entertainment of the highest calibre. Top international artists meld acrobatic performances on the highest level, baffling conjuring and offbeat comedy into a modern show experience that is constantly new. This is a place with cult character: such great names as Zarah Leander and Heinz Erhardt appeared here in days gone by.

Furthermore theatre workshops, cultural centres, cabaret and private theatres present exciting productions from boulevard to avantgarde.

There are also many excellent offers in the Hannover Region such as the "Hermannshof" in Springe or the "Alte Schlosserei" in Lehrte. The annual "Theatre Night" gives people the chance to enjoy a fascinating look behind the scenes at more than 20 theatres.





Museum August Kestner



Kunstverein Hannover

#### A Mecca for art lovers

Art, history or treasures from other cultures or nature – Hannover's landscape of museums and art galleries enjoys an outstanding reputation.

The recently extended Sprengel Museum Hannover is among the most important addresses in the world for the art of the 20<sup>th</sup> and the 21<sup>st</sup> centuries; the kestnergesellschaft, the Kunstverein (Arts Association) and the Ahlers Pro Arte/Kestner Pro Arte Foundation are further institutions for contemporary art with reputations extending well beyond the region. Visitors to the Lower Saxony State Museum (Landesmuseum) in Hannover will find Departments of Prehistory, Natural History and Ethnology, the State Art Gallery, the coin cabinet of the state of Lower Saxony and an aquarium. The Museum August Kestner presents the ancient world and ancient Egypt, while the history of the state and the city is recounted in the Museum of History. Wilhelm Busch — German Museum for Caricature and Drawings houses caricature, satirical art and an unique Wilhelm Busch Collection. The Herrenhausen Castle Museum brings the history of the Royal Gardens of Herrenhausen back to life.

There are also some very special institutions like the museum for the history of energy, the theatre museum, the aviation museum or the WOK – world of kitchen museum. All that adds to the unique and widepread spectrum of Hannover's cultural offer.



Herrenhausen Castle Museum



#### **Culinary delights**

Gourmets can make a culinary trip around the world without ever leaving Hannover. Specialities from all over the globe, cheerful cafés and bistros, authentic pubs and inns, smart bars and restaurants – the amazing choice guarantees something to suit every taste and every budget. International chefs invite you to sample creative cuisine ranging from distinctive Afghan flavours to delicious Vietnamese specialities. Discerning connoisseurs will be delighted to find haute cuisine that regularly earns top marks from restaurant guides. The renaissance of regional products is evident in many restaurants and traditional dishes from Lower Saxony appeal in particular to fans of substantial plain fare, such as curly kale with a special type of pork sausage, Calenberger Pfannenschlag (minced meat with groats) or fried or smoked eels from Lake Steinhude. But there are also specialities which are guaranteed to please more delicate palates, such as local asparagus from the famous growing regions of Burgdorf and Nienburg, or Welfenspeise (blancmange with a wine sauce similar to zabaglione) for dessert.



Nightlife



Manyfold gastronomy offer

#### Dance the night away

Traditional pubs, elegant cocktail bars, clubs playing every kind of music — Hannover's party district exerts a magnetic pull — and not only at the weekend. Every evening, creative actors put on a range of fantastic music events, either live or with a DJ at the desk. From small select clubs to huge dance halls, the city has something for everyone. There are regular club sessions featuring highly diverse music styles and amazing performances. The density and diversity of the dancefloor scene is in a class of its own.



Party Glitterbox

#### The relaxing shopping experience

Whether a lengthy shopping spree or a quick errand – the vast selection of shops, all within easy reach thanks to convenient transport services, make Hannover a great place to shop and one that attracts people from far beyond the region. The pedestrian precinct is one of the most popular shopping venues in Germany and hardly any other city boasts such a high concentration of shopping malls and arcades, specialist stores and eateries: every conceivable retail sector is represented within a radius of just 400 metres.

The Ernst-August-Galerie is a cutting-edge shopping mall with 150 stores and catering outlets and exudes a modern urban lifestyle. Niki de Saint Phalle Promenade, Kröpcke Passage and Galerie Luise offer a diverse mix of shops to meet all of life's requirements. Opposite the Opera House, haute couture and high-class jewellery attract shoppers to Georgstrasse, the exclusive boulevard where the people of Hannover love to stroll; the line-up of superior establishments continues on into Luisenstrasse, Theaterstrasse and Königstrasse. And everywhere there are restaurants, bistros and cafés, where you can relax and recharge the batteries.

Shopping in the area around the Market Church is a particular pleasure, where the half-timbered houses of the Old Town, the elegant boutiques, art galleries and authentic pubs never fail to delight.

The iconic flea market along the banks of the Leine is a must every Saturday. The Hannover Region boasts attractive and surprising shopping experiences in its historic towns.



Exclusive shopping worlds



Ernst-August-Galeri





Unforgetable animal encounters

# Hannover Adventure Zoo

At Hannover Adventure Zoo you can travel around the world in just one day. Almost 2,000 animals live in unique themed worlds from Africa to North America, which are based on the natural habitats with a lot of love for details.

#### Sambesi – a boat trip through Africa

Suddenly you see her! Kiboko – the largest female hippotamus in Hannover Adventure Zoo – rises to the surface directly behind the tree trunk. Passengers on the small Zambezi boat automatically move over when Kiboko yawns and displays her impressive teeth. The boat trip on the Zambezi makes Africa close enough to touch. The boats move soundlessly through the water and open up completely new insights into the world of the animals living on the African shore. The boundaries between humans and animals disappear: flamingos, giraffes, lions, zebras, rhinoceroses, and last but not least, the hippos, seem to be able to climb into the boat at any time. Experience Africa with all your sense.

#### The call of wild - Canada

Along the way to the small picturesque port town, the winding path takes you through old mines, around wolves with amber eyes, safely grazing caribous and bison. This is Yukon Bay, where polar bears play in the waves. And you can see what these majestic animals get up to under water by looking through the huge panorama windows in the "Underwater World": in the green-blue shimmering water, polar bears swim along directly in front of the glass windows, and penguins show off how well they can fly underwater. Grey seals, sealions, and fur seals glide slowly in front of the underwater windows.

#### **Magically Indian**

The ruins of a stately palace somewhere in India: overgrown walls, aqueducts and statues appear to have been decaying for generations. Where once mighty maharajas held court, there are now only bathing elephants, enjoying the luxurious palace pool, and the sumptuous kingdom is now ruled by tigers, leopards and holy hanuman langurs. Inquisitive baby elephants, who know more than a trick or two, make sure the elephant family is always up to something new!

#### Home of endangered species: Afi Mountain

Past the realm of the chimpanzees, through a lush, humid savannah waterfall and mighty baobabs, the path meanders deep into the rainforest. A group of threatened drills lives here in a peaceful neighborhood with lively monkeys. Just a few meters further you are welcomed in a walk-in aviary the polyphonic chirping of colorful parrots and avocets. High up on the mountain the forest thins out and you see the gorilla family. The lively young animals romp about happily the clearing, always under the watchful eyes of the imposing silver back.

# Zoologicum – The new section that creates knowledge

Did you know? Macaws are very skillful with their beak and claws and can even crack extremely tough nuts. In the Zoologicum (new from summer 2023) the zoo keepers introduce their protégés personally and reveal exciting facts on animals, their biology, their habitat and species protection. Look forward to fascinating and touching animal encounters. By the way: You can leave your own mark in the natural grandstand - get seat sponsor in the new world of knowledge!

More about this at www.erlebnis-zoo.de/zoologicum

#### Zoo school - Entertaining education!

In Hannover Adventure Zoo, education is lurking around every corner! Lessons in our zoo school which has been awarded multiple times becomes an adventure, because the pupils and students can observe the animals very closely on site, they can listen, smell and feel! The courses offered are based on the curricula of different school types and grade levels and also raise awareness for the preservation of threatened animal species and habitats! The zoo school offers exciting courses and workshops.

For registered partner schools, online entry costs just € 3.50 per person. Further information at: www.erlebnis-zoo.de/zooschule

# A full programme all day

Inspire. Educate. Preserve. This guiding principle is carried out by the dedicated team of the Hannover Adventure Zoo every day with a clear mission: inspiring people for animals. The zookeepers present their protégés with commented feedings and shows — personally and sustainably impressive. Exciting edutainment stations inform about conservation projects and invite you to get to know the animals and their biology in a memorable way

#### Our special tips for groups:

Time for an adventure! Book your own personal zoo-safari and become a VIP. Thrill to animal family stories (and secrets), exciting information about species protection projects, and enjoy your VIP status as you bypass the queue to board a boat for the Zambesi river cruise

We offer different tours for your specific interests. Please visit our website for further information.

#### **Attractive offers**

Buy your tickets conveniently from the online shop of Hannover Adventure Zoo. It's worth booking early!

Discounted prices for groups of 20 or more paying people are also available online

All offers, tickets, dates and information are always up-to-date at www.erlebnis-zoo.de

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Open all year round





Exciting animal show



Boat trip on River Sambesi



Close encounters with your favourite animals

# Maritime holiday pleasures

You love water sports, cycling, horse riding, golf, and are interested in ancient and modern architecture, art and music, fish and wine? You are active, but also like to chill out occasionally, and enjoy the maritime flair of a large lake? Then we have the perfect place for you!

From quiet and peaceful in Mardorf, Rehburg-Loccum and Hagenburg, or more lively in bustling Steinhude – this highly popular local beauty spot has something for every taste. And of course, just the right accommodation: from cosy holiday flats and cottages, to guest houses and hotels, as well as attractive farmstays out in the countryside.

#### Highly varied landscape

The countryside around Steinhuder Meer is unusually diverse, with a delightful patchwork of forests, peatbogs, heather-covered moors and ice-age shifting sand dunes. Steinhuder Meer has a large bathing beach on its northern bank, and a bathing island in Steinhude for a perfect beach holiday – especially for families with small children, because the shallow water warms up quickly at the beginning of summer. So come on in, the water's lovely! You can expect a warm welcome to your memorable stay with a large variety of holiday and leisure experiences all around the Steinhuder Meer. The cultural centres around the lake are the towns of Neustadt am Rübenberge and Wunstorf.





Auswanderer Boats at Lake Steinhude

Paddock in Schillerslage | Burgdorf



Cycling around Lake Steinhude

Lots to discover

Ride out during the day, a small city tour in the afternoon, and a traditional barn festival in the evening - a typical day on holiday in the Equestrian Region Hannover: Burgdorf attracts many visitors to its picturesque half-timbered buildings and top quality events, and the St. Petri church in Burgwedel is well worth a visit.

Equestrian region Hannover

Pony trekking, coach rides, idyllically situated riding stables and

numerous unspoilt parts of the countryside: the northeastern part of

the Hannover Region has a sandy soil, and is therefore ideal for horses

and riders. The bridal paths wind through areas of outstanding natural

beauty, past picturesque half-timbered farms, across varied countryside,

beside lakes and rivers. Depending on the time of year, riders can disco-

ver heather in full bloom, fields of asparagus, peatbogs, forests and rare

hagen, Langenhagen, Uetze and Wedemark offer you a warm welcome.

birds. The horse-loving rural districts of Burgdorf, Burgwedel, Isern-

Isernhagen's Altwarmbüchener See is a lake with many recreational activities. Langenhagen not only boasts Hannover Airport but also the "Neue Bult" racecourse, and a colourful cabaret programme - culminating in the "MIMUSE" variety festival. Uetze boasts a working historic post windmill, and the countryside around Wedemark is known for its outstanding natural beauty with extensive moorland and forest



Altwarmbüchener See I Isernhagen



Sunset at Lake Steinhude



Windmill in Wettmar



Nordmannsturm in the Deister Hills



The Deister Hills are a hiking paradise



Springe Bison Paddock at the Deister Hills

# Enjoy a green paradise

All information on the

Hannover Region www.visit-hannover.com /urlaubsregior

> The most northerly ridge of Germany's central mountain range lies around 30 kilometres southwest of the state capital Hannover: the Deister. Birdsong, rustling leaves, delightful hiking tracks: nature and culture abound here in and around the largely beech-covered slopes of the Deister reaching up to 405 metres above sea level. The hillside paths offer many glimpses of the Calenberger Land stretching out into the distance below, and the many ridges of the Weserbergland. And picturesque clearings provide romantic settings for a picnic – or enjoy a refreshing stop at one of the many rustic restaurants. The path is also the goal here – as enjoyed throughout the year by hikers, walkers and cyclists.

#### Attractions for the whole family

Walkers with picnic baskets feel just as much at home here as cyclists for instance, along the Deisterkreisel route that circles the Deister hills. Each section of the 100 kilometre long circular path can be enjoyed individually, and boast many attractions in their own right: stately homes, beautiful village churches and half-timbered houses stand witness to the centuries-old history. Imposing parks, interesting museums, numerous water mills and old wind mills, as well as the opulent Weser Renaissance architecture, form highlights for the whole family. Barsinghausen and Wennigsen are culturally and historically famous for their notable monasteries. And the area is also dotted with fascinating reminders of the busy coal mining that used to take place here.

## Marienburg Castle – a fairytale destination

When King George V of Hannover gave Marienburg Castle to his wife Queen Marie as a gift, he could not have known that one day it would become one of the most impressive and important neo-Gothic architectural monuments in Germany.

The castle in the neo-Gothic style was built between 1858 and 1867. But fate wanted it different: even before the castle was finished, the Prussians forced King George V in exile to Austria. Queen Marie followed her husband one year later - she should never see her castle again.

The reawakened sleeping beauty castle enchants its visitors today with its fairytale appearance with towers and turrets as well as by the almost completely preserved interior.

#### A varied program

During summer the castle is transformed into an open-air venue in the Hanover region. The event programme starts with the colourful fantasy festival Annotopia - a must see not only for fans of Star Wars or the Middle Ages. In August, the inner courtyard of the castle offers the backdrop for the big stage, on which, in addition to concerts, cabaret, acrobatics and comedy find their place.

The Summer Festival at the end of the summer season is also a highlight like the winter fairy tale that takes place in the Christmas season and brings the fairytale castle rooms back to life again.

Parts of the castle can also be used for private celebrations or professional events.

Information on the programme and opening hours at:

www.schloss-marienburg.de



Event in the castle's courtyard



A winter fairy tale







Fairgrounds | Hannover Messe fair



H'Up - Hybrid Event Hub

# Trade fairs & exhibitions

#### Innovations for the whole world

Hannover has been a leading international trade fair venue for more than 75 years. The exhibition centre is one of the most modern of its kind, with striking architecture and 24 halls and pavilions with multifunctional facilities and equipment as well as perfect transport connections. Visitors from all over the world come here year in, year out to make the most of its excellent exhibition capacities.

This is where technology events such as the HANNOVER MESSE or EMO Hannover serve as effective innovation hubs. Other flagship fairs, such as DOMOTEX, LIGNA, AGRITECHNICA, INTERSCHUTZ and the IAA Transportation, are regular reminders of the city's role as a major impetus provider for the economy. The exhibition centre is also a popular location for conferences and conventions, first and foremost the futuristic Convention Center, winner of the "Location Award", whose extremely flexible design makes it suitable for events of all kinds.

#### H'Up - Hybrid Event Hub

The H'Up is a multifunctional event location with a permanently installed but variable streaming studio. Ready to play for ONLINE, HYBRID & LIVE events. The venue for digital and analog live communication.

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Let us show you how reliable our services are, from the initial inquiry, on to price negotiating right through to contracting your event. Try out our motto as we invite you to be "a guest of professionals" and we will deal with all your questions and wishes regarding business events, catering, side events, shuttle services and hotel bookings. With our "one-stop shopping" propositions, you will save a remarkable amount of time, money and effort, as you seek to plan a successful event. We would like to present Hannover to you as the perfect location for trade fairs, conventions, conferences, presentations, incentive tours, exhibitions and social, cultural and sporting events.

We look forward to receiving your request! Your Hannover Congress and Events Team

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Companies planning their next event can take advantage of a practical service in Hanover: The "Congress Selected Hotels" offer hotel capacities in selected 3 and 4-star hotels at attractive prices.In addition to high bed capacities, our selected hotel partners also boast a large and varied range of meeting and event rooms.

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- Best Western Premier Parkhotel Kronsberg
- Congress Hotel am Stadtpark
- Courtyard by Marriott Hannover Maschsee
- Designhotel Wienecke XI.
- DoubleTree by Hilton Hannover Schweizerhof
- GHOTEL hotel & living Hannover
- Maritim Airport Hotel Hannover
- Sheraton Pelikan Hotel Hannover



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Watch out for the 360 degree icon!



# Perfectly accommodated

Whether you are visiting Hannover privately or on business, we have hotels of all categories available for your overnight stay – from practical to luxurious accommodation. The following pages present a selection of the hotels in Hannover sorted according to location. A map showing the location of each hotel can be found in the middle of this catalogue.

Our flexible and highly trained team of tourism experts will be happy to help you and your guests find the ideal accommodation. This service is naturally free of charge. You can book your accommodation by telephone or via the

Tel. +49 511 12345-555 Our service team will be hotels@hannover-tourismus.de happy to provide you www.visit-hannover.com/en/hotels with advice! Mon - Thur 09:00 - 17:00 & Fri 09:00 - 16:00

#### Caption

Distance to Hannover central railway station

M Distance to Hannover fair grounds

★ Distance to Hannover Airport

A Hotel is situated within low emission zone

нс Point of sale of the HannoverCard tourist

Gastronomy available

P Hotel parking

Wellness- or sports offer available

WLAN / Internet available

Handicapped accessible hotel

EP Hotel partner for our packages

German Hotel Classification

\*\*\*\* Other classification or self-concept of the hote

#### B&B Hotel Hannover-City | 146 rooms

The B&B Hotel is centrally located in the city center. There are a total of 146 single, double and family rooms available, equipped with soundproof windows, air conditioning and private bathroom (shower/toilet). Free WiFi & Skv TV as well as ours hotel bar "Everyone's" offer additional comfort.

Philipsbornstraße 2 | 30165 Hannover Prices from: SR 65 € I DR 75 €





#### CITYHOTEL AM THIELENPLATZ \*\*\*\* | 55 rooms A hot spot right in the heart of the city. Make

your stay a special occasion and stay overnight in Hannover's cult hotel. Right in the middle of the shopping and banking district, our privately run Cityhotel is situated on one of the most important squares in the centre of Hannover between the Opera House and the central station.

Thielenplatz 2 | 30159 Hannover Prices from: SR 75 € I DR 79 €

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City centre hotel situated between the cen-

City Hotel Hannover\*\*\* | 47 rooms



#### Best Western Hotel Der Föhrenhof \*\*\* | 78 roo

This family lead hotel is situated in the quiet suburb of Lahe and has good road and tram connections to the city centre and many tourist attractions. The hotel offers modern rooms. 120 car parking spaces, free internet access, two restaurants, and six function rooms.

Kirchhorster Str. 22 | 30659 Hannover Prices from: SR 101 € | DR 115 €





## Central-Hotel Kaiserhof \*\*\* | 78 rooms

The Kaiserhof in the heart of Hannover is a boutique hotel with tradition and one of the most beautiful family-run 4-star hotels in the trade fair and state capital. The central location the excellent gastronomic offer and modern event rooms make the Kaiserhof a perfect starting point.

Ernst-August-Platz 4 | 30159 Hannover Prices from: SR 99 € I DR 129 €





tral station and the Old Town in a quiet pedestrian area surrounded by shopping streets. restaurants, bars, and cultural highlights. In addition to the generous breakfast buffet, the room price also includes telephone calls in the German fixed telecoms network, WLAN, and a ticket for the local public transport system.

Limburgstr, 3 | 30159 Hannover Prices from: SR 72 € I DR 85 €

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#### Cityhotel Thüringer Hof☆☆☆ new CLASSIC

A 3 star hotel in the best city location with an unique design. The 2018 freshly renovated stylish non-smoking rooms - including six cosy Junior Suites - all offer in-room safe, refrigerator, large Smart TV and modern guest tablet.

Osterstr. 37 | 30159 Hannover Prices from: SR 85 € I DR 95 €





#### Cityhotel Thüringer Hof \*\*\* design | 40 room

A 3 star hotel designed in the style of the 1950s with e-charging station. All rooms this present themselves from a very special stylish side: colorful with chic seating, comfortable beds, flatscreen, safe, refrigerator and guest

Osterstr. 37 | 30159 Hannover Prices from: SR 85 € | DR 95 €



#### Eilenriedestift Appartements\*\*\* | 26 rooms

Our modern premium rooms offer a terrace or a balcony. On request we are happy to reserve a room with an integrated kitchenette. Free Wi-Fi, free pay TV, toiletries in the bathroom and a kettle including preparations complete

Bevenser Weg 10 | 30625 Hannover Prices from: SR 85 € I 105 €





#### Concorde Hotel am Leineschloss\*\*\*\* | 84 roo

Right in the heart of the idyllic Old Town of Hannover, rubbing shoulders with the Market Church, state parliament building and the Old Town Hall, our hotel is the perfect starting point for long shopping trips or excursions in and around Hannover. Our hospitality is highlighted by our generous breakfasts in the morning and our Vinothek in the evening.

Am Markte 12 | 30159 Hannover Prices from: SR 80 € | DR 105 €





#### FORA Hotel Hannover☆☆☆☆ | 110 rooms

A modern and comfortable city hotel for business and individual guests, conveniently located between city and airport. A restaurant with modern kitchen and a hotel bar invite you to enjoy your stay. Arrive and feel good!

Großer Kolonnenweg 19 | 30163 Hannover Prices from: SR 85 € I DR 95 €





#### Congress Hotel am Stadtpark☆☆☆ | 258 room

This privately run 4-star Congress Hotel at the municipal parc boasts a central and leafy location. With its 258 rooms, Panorama 17, and direct proximity to the neighbouring 41 function rooms at the HCC, we offer an individual and professional service for business travellers and holiday makers.

Clausewitzstr. 6 | 30175 Hannover Prices from: SR 72 € I DR 89 €





#### Gästeresidenz Pelikanviertel | 172 rooms Situated right in the heart of the List district of

Hannover aside the tourist paths. Behind historic brick walls in the unique Pelikan Quarter you will have a relaxed good time. With rooms full of character, a long-lasting breakfast and attention to details, we are the homebase for individual travellers in Hannover.

Pelikanstraße 11 | 30177 Hannover Prices from: SR 47 € | DR 65 €





# Courtyard by Marriot Hannover Maschsee

The hotel is located quietly and idyllically on the banks of the beautiful Maschsee Lake. Situated directly opposite the HDI Arena and the Schützenplatz, we offer 149 spacious air-conditioned rooms with high speed internet access and comfortable beds. The city centre and many tourist attractions are reachable within walking distance.

Arthur-Menge-Ufer 3 | 30169 Hannover Prices from: SR 109 € I DR 109 €



Welcome to the Double Tree by Hilton Hanno-

ver Schweizerhof – your home in the heart the

city. Art, culture and shopping are within wal-

king distance. Enjoy the feel-good atmosphere

in our renovated rooms and our exceptional

Hinüberstr. 6 | 30175 Hannover

Prices from: SR 110 € | DR 130 €

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#### GHOTEL hotel & living Hannover☆☆☆® | 329 roo This hotel is situated in the quiet district of

Kleefeld. Distance to the central station and the city centre is only 5 km, and the Hannover Exhibition Grounds are located 7 km from the hotel. The airport at Hannover-Langenhagen is only 13 km away. Attractive hotel facilities include sauna and bicvcle hire.

Lathusenstr. 35 | 30625 Hannover Prices from: SR 56 € I DR 76 €







#### The hotel (100 per cent non-smoking rooms) is located directly opposite the central station right in the centre of Hannover. You stay in the most creative hotel rooms in the city with top

class comfort. The Hannover Exhibition Grounds are only 6 minutes away by S-Bahn (LRT), and the airport is also only 18 min. away. Ernst-August-Platz 7 | 30159 Hannover

Prices from: SR 114 € | DR 144 €





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#### Haus Sparkuhl Hotel Garni | 25 rooms

Cosiness with a heart! Located in the middle of the city and yet in a quiet location, we are the ideal starting point for visits to trade fairs or shopping and sightseeing tours. Strengthen yourself with our rich breakfast buffet! Good service is our priority!

Hischestraße 4 | 30165 Hannover Prices from: SR 69 € I DR 79 €





#### Hotel Alpha \*\*\*\*\* | 60 rooms

Thanks to its location right in the centre of Hannover, you are just a few minutes walk away from the central station, the town centre, numerous tourist attractions, art, culture, theatres and nightlife. The Hannover Exhibition Grounds and the airport are also easily and quickly reached by S-Bahn (LRT) and tram!

Friesenstr. 19 | 30161 Hannover Prices from: SR 69 € I DR 79 €



#### Hotel Amadeus☆☆☆☆ | 130 rooms

The only 4-star hotel in the trendy district of Linden. It is conveniently located at the Westschnellweg. That fully air-conditioned hotel has 130 rooms in various categories: from single rooms to family rooms. It also offers a restaurant, a courtyard terrace as well as a fitness and conference area. Bus and train connections in short distance.

Fössestr. 85 | 30451 Hannover Prices from: SR 115 € I DR 125 €







#### Stay in a guiet but central location in the centre of Hannover and enjoy the cosy atmosphere of our hotel. The favourable transport connections guarantee fast journeys to the Hannover Exhibition Grounds, the central station, and the airport. Enjoy the comfortable, individually furnished rooms

Hindenburgstr. 16 | 30175 Hannover Prices from: SR 45 € I DR 75 €



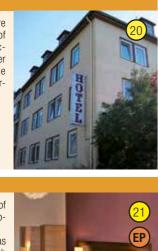
#### Hotel Flora\*\* | 22 rooms

The family-run Hotel Flora is situated in one of the most beautiful parts of Hannover, directly located at the city forest "Eilenriede".

We offer modern renovated standard rooms as well as simple economy rooms and as a rich breakfast buffet. Dogs are also welcome on re-

Heinrichstr. 36 | 30175 Hannover Prices from: SR 60 € | DR 85 €





#### Hotel in Herrenhausen☆☆☆ | 42 rooms

The family-run Hotel garni offers:

- Modern single & double rooms, Deluxe, Junior Suite & Serviced Apartments
- close to the Royal Gardens of Herrenhausen and numerous restaurants
- balanced vitality breakfast from the buffet

Markgrafstr. 5 | 30419 Hannover Prices from: SR 69 € I DR 89 €



# S-Bahn station nearby, only 10 min. to the center

#### Hotel Kleefelder Hof \*\*\* | 86 rooms

This family-run hotel welcomes you at the edge of the Eilenriede city forest. Visit the hotel bar in the fover or be active in the fitness room. 2 conference rooms offer enough space for your event. Enjoy the comfort of a town hotel in traffic-favourable location with free WLAN and narking.

Kleestr. 3 a | 30625 Hannover Prices from: SR 68 € I DR 98 €





## Hotel Königshof am Funkturm Business\*\*

The 4-star Hotel Königshof am Funkturm Business in Hannover offers the cozy and individual atmosphere of a family-run house. The 62 single and double rooms offer bath/shower, WC, hairdryer, safe, telephone, refrigerator, satellite TV and free WIFI

Friesenstr. 65 | 30161 Hannover Prices from: SR 86 € I DR 116 €





#### Hotel Königshof am Funkturm Comfort☆

The family-run "Hotel Königshof am Funkturm" boasts a central but quiet inner city location only a few minutes walk away from Hannover central station, and therefore has excellent connections to the Hannover Exhibition Grounds and the airport. We use renewable energy sources to help protect the environment.

Friesenstr. 65 | 30161 Hannover Prices from: SR 66 € I DR 96 €



With its 140 rooms our hotel is the perfect starting point for your stay in Hannover. According to our reviews, we offer probably the best breakfast downtown. We look forward to vou!

Fernroder Str. 9 | 30161 Hannover Prices from: SR 69 € | DR 89 € (inkl. Frühstück)





#### Hotel Savoy Hannover ☆☆☆☆ | 22 rooms

Our English style 4-star-hotel offers 22 rooms an free WiFi. Relax in the wellness area with a sauna, saunarium, a steam bath and an adventure shower.

Exercise in the fitness room or discover the city with our hire bikes.

Schloßwender Str. 10 | 30159 Hannover Prices from: SR 119 € I DR 169 €



#### Me and all hotel hannover | 165 rooms

The me and all hotel hannover in a vintage style welcomes its quests at the Aegidientorplatz, All 165 rooms offer high speed WIFI and minibars without extra cost. The hotel offers cool events with great local heroes, local artists and partners in the sprawling lobby lounge bar.

Aegidientorplatz 3 | 30159 Hannover Prices from: SR 110 € | DR 140 €



The Hotel Mercure boasts good transport con-

nections with its location close to the motor-

way, and not far from the famous Royal Gar-

dens of Herrenhausen in the north-western part

of Hannover, Enjoy our large, gujet rooms and

the gym and spa facilities.

Eichsfelder Str. 4 | 30419 Hannover

Prices from: SR 90 € I DR 99 €



#### Hotel Waldersee\*\*\* | 29 rooms

Welcome to our quiet family run house in a central location. Our house has 29 cosy rooms with free WiFi and flat screen TV. Enjoy our indoor swimming pool and sauna as well as in the self-service cellar bar.

11 different restaurants are located in the immediate vicinity.

Walderseestr. 39 | 30177 Hannover Prices from: SR 69 € I DR 99 €



The InterCity Hotel Hannover welcomes its quests directly in the city centre close to the central railway station.

Our 148 rooms provide air-conditioning and free Wi-Fi.

Rosenstr. 1 | 30159 Hannover Prices from: SR 79 € I DR 94 €



Intercity Hotel Hannover Hbf.-Ost\*\*\* | 220 r

The new 4 star hotel opened in 2020 in a Matt-

heo von Thun style is centrally located at the

main train station and close to the shopping

areas. Our rooms are equipped with air conditio-

Restaurant, bar, conference rooms, business

ning, SAT-TV, telephone, refrigerator, safe.

Andreas Hermes Platz 1 | 30161 Hannover

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corner and complete the offer.

Prices from: SR 79 € | DR 94 €

**□** 8km **M** 16km **★** 10km **TI P ○ ▼** 

Modern comfort, conveniently located and calmly situated near the Maschsee Lake -that's what our hotel offers, 145 rooms fashionably furnitured with AC, flatscreen TV and free WiFi. Our service includes a fitness area with sauna and relaxation room and modernised restaurant. Give vourself a treat!

Willy-Brandt-Allee 3 | 30169 Hannover Prices from: SR 88 € | DR 98 €





With good connections to the motorways, this modern hotel is located only 6 km from the central station and 7 km from the Hannover Exhibition Grounds, All 112 rooms are air-conditioned and have WLAN internet access. Relax on the terrace of the outdoor swimming pool, and in the sauna.

Feodor-Lynen-Str. 1 | 30625 Hannover Prices from: SR 83 € I DR 93 €





This luxurious hotel with exclusive furnishings and very good connections to the Hannover Exhibition Grounds is situated centrally between the central station and the Opera House. Enjoy the pure relaxation and first-class service in the generously equipped and tastefully furnished rooms and suites

Luisenstr. 1-3 | 30159 Hannover Prices from: SR 139 € I DR 169 €





The Mercure Hotel Hannover Mitte Hotel is located in Hannover's city centre. Enjoy a modern house with 171 air-conditioned rooms, 70 parking spaces and meeting rooms for up to 120 participants, with a view over Hannover Start the day with our rich breakfast buffet.

Postkamp 12 | 30159 Hannover Prices from: SR 85 € I DR 85 €





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#### Motel 24h Hannover | 60 rooms

The Motel 24h offers a comfortable, modern accommodation. Wake up in your bright, friendly room. A rich breakfast buffet awaits you. In the evening you can relax with other hotel guests in the lobby area and exchange ideas.

Rendsburger Str. 28a | 30659 Hannover Prices from: SR 37 € | DR 48 €



#### NOVOTEL Hannover ★★★★ | 205 rooms

The family-friendly and architecturally prizewinning Novotel Hannover provides all the comfortable facilities of a 4-star hotel with a spa. With its central location only 5 minutes from the central station and 50 metres to the U-Bahn, our hotel is ideally positioned to explore the city. 2 children up to 16 years of age stay free of charge in the room with their parents.

Podbielskistr. 21-23 | 30163 Hannover Prices from: SR 74 € I DR 84 €







Welcome to the conveniently located Plaza Inn Hannover! From our hotel Garni vou have perfect connections by car and tram to all parts

Plaza Inn Hannover City Nord \*\*\* | 45 room

Enjoy the comfort of our modern furnished rooms, some even with private balconies. We are looking forward to your visit!

Vahrenwalder Straße 181 | 30163 Hannover Prices from: SR 55 € I DR 65 €





#### Sheraton Hannover Pelikan Hotel \*\*\*\* | 147 room:

Stay at our hotel in the creative atmosphere of an industrial heritage site: the Pelikan fountainpen factory built in 1906. On the site where the famous fountainpens were previously manufactured, our hotel welcomes you with its individual design, 3000 m2 gym, and the legendary

Pelikanplatz 31 | 30177 Hannover Prices from: SR 89 € I DR 89 €



# Smartcity Designhotel ☆☆☆☆ | 30 rooms

Matteo Thun - the stararchitect and designer created the SMARTDESIGN HOTEL which is situated in the heart of Hannover - between the opera and the Central Station. The classy hotel is part of the famous CITYHOTEL AM THIELEN-PLATZ and offers 12 comfort rooms and 6 suites, up to a size of 45m2.

Thielenplatz 2 | 30159 Hannover Prices from: SR 79 € I DR 109 €





#### Werkhof Hotel ★★★ | 39 rooms

The Werkhof Hotel is located in the middle of the university district in a lovingly revitalized elevator factory. Our team convinces with individual service for individual guests. A restaurant and an ecological conference center Werkhof complete the offer.

Kniestr. 33 | 30167 Hannover Prices from: SR 81 € I DR 96 €







#### Best Western Premier Parkhotel Kronsberg \*\*\*\*\*\* | 200 rooms

The hotel lies close to the TUI-Arena and the Hannover Exhibition Grounds and has good transport connections by car/tram to the city centre and many tourist attractions. Our hotel has modern rooms, 400 car parking spaces, a free swimming pool, sauna, steam bath, two restaurants, a bar and 14 function rooms.

Gut Kronsberg 1 | 30539 Hannover Prices from: SR 133 € | DR 144 €



#### Hotel Alt Oesselse | 30 rooms

The hotel is located idyllic in the centre of the village Alt Oesselse. Our hotel is easy to access: The fair grounds are only a few minutes away by car. All rooms in the guest house are equipped with shower, toilet, telephone and television.

Dorfbrunnenstr. 5 | 30880 Laatzen Prices from: SR 72 € I DR 100 €





The Hotel Wiehberg with 18 rooms offers the highest level of comfort in the smallest space. Situated behind historic walls, it is an oasis of quietness although situated central. Enjoy taking a rest in our newly arranged garden with its old tree population.

Wiehbergstr. 55a | 30519 Hannover Prices from: SR 70 € I DR 80 €



#### Hotel Birkensee | 13 rooms

2018 newly built hotel under private management with several single and double rooms. The hotel offers light-flooded rooms with adjoining terrace on the ground floor and coziness in the attic. Located at the idyllic Birkensee, surrounded by forest and nature with very good transport links.

Campingplatz Birkensee | 30880 Laatzen Prices from: SR 57 € I DR 89 €





Our 140 non-smoking rooms offer both premium design and modern technical facilities a pleasant stay is guaranteed. The Wiencke XI. furthermore offers manyfold digital and sustainable services such as electrical charge bases or door opening via smartphone.

Hildesheimer Str. 380 | 30519 Hannover Prices from: SR 85 € | DR 105 €





Our Hotel Near By offers 43 friendly rooms including comfortable furnishings, shower, WC, cable TV, hairdryer, telephone and Wi - Fi. The location to the fairground, the EXPO Park and the ZAG-Arena are "nearby". The traffic routes via the A2, A7, A37 and B6, B3 are ideal. The city railway station (Laatzen center) is just 2 minutes away.

Würzburgerstr. 17 | 30880 Laatzen



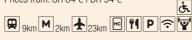
# Prices from: SR 65 € I DR 75 €





Located on the south-eastern edge of Hannover the hotel has good connections to the motorway and the public transport network. It takes only 5 min. to reach the fairgrounds and 20 min. to reach the city center. The hotel is newly renovated and offers air conditioning, free parking and free internet.

Bergstr. 2 | 30539 Hannover Prices from: SR 84 € I DR 94 €





# Hotel Westerfeld | 37 rooms

The privately run Hotel Westerfeld is located in Hemmingen, only 7 km from Hannover city centre and 5 km from the exhibition grounds. 37 comfortable furnished double and single rooms, a junior suite and 21 apartments are available Disposal. An extensive one prepared with love Breakfast buffet in the morning and a hotel bar in the evening round off the offer.

Berliner Str. 4 | 30966 Hemmingen Prices from: SR 63 € I DR 86 €





The hotel lies close to the Hannover Exhibition Grounds and the ZAG-Arena. The city centre, central station and airport are easily reached thanks to the good transport connections. Enjoy the exclusively furnished, air-conditioned rooms, an international restaurant, as well as an Irish pub with a smoking lounge, and a free spa with a swimming pool, sauna & steam bar.

Würzburgerstr. 21 | 30880 Laatzen Prices from: SR 89 € I DR 99 € (incl. breakfast)





#### Kretschmanns Hotel am Kamp | 45 roo

Cozy hotel with lots of wood and antique furniture. We offer a nice fireplace room where you can sit relaxed in the winter. All rooms offer WIFI, desks, TV and a private bathroom. Free parking available. The hotel is run with love by a small team.

Am Kamp 12 | 30880 Laatzen Prices from: SR 69 € | DR 89 €





#### Leonardo Hotel Hannover \*\*\*\* | 178 rooms

Stay in one of our comfortable rooms with a panoramic view of the Tiergarten.

Enjoy culinary delights with our 7-course menu in the restaurant or let the day end with the happy hour at our bar. Free WiFi and digital newspapers complete your stay.

Tiergarten Str. 117 | 30559 Hannover Prices from: SR 69 € | DR 89 €



#### Median Hotel Hannover Messe\*\* | 132 room:

The perfect base for your visit to the fair in the capital of Lower Saxony! The attractive, yet quiet location, the excellent transport links and the proximity to many important locations, make the hotel equally interesting for all business and private travelers, as well as trade fair and concert visitors.

Karlsruher Str. 8 | 30519 Hannover Prices from: SR 97 € I DR 107 €









#### Hotel Hennies\*\*\* | 185 rooms

Arrive and feel at home! Hotel Hennies offers the warmth and friendliness of a hotel that is family-run for generations. Whether you are looking for a convenient retreat during your visit to a fair or for your next city break – we are the right place for you! 20 conference rooms

Hannoversche Str. 40 | 30916 | Isernhagen Prices from: SR 85 € I DR 120 € (incl. breakfast)



#### Hotel Münkel☆☆☆ | 36 rooms

The family-run 3-star Hotel Münkel lies on the northern outskirts of Hannover. Elements of the interior design are tranquility, relaxation as well as comfort and quality. In the morning our guests enjoy a rich breakfast buffet.

Prices from: SR 79 € I DR 92 €



Fresh, modern design, excellent service - welcome to the Radisson Blu in Hannover! Located directly opposite the exhibition center, your reach the largest exhibition center in the world just over a bridge. The certified business and conference hotel offers 15 light-flooded function rooms with over 1.100 m<sup>2</sup>.

Radissonblu Hannover ★★★★\$ | 250 rooms

Expo Plaza 5 | 30539 Hannover Prices from: SR 100 € | DR 100 €







#### Hotel Wegener \*\*\* | 86 rooms

This family run hotel offers good connections by car and tram both in the city centre of Hannover as well as to the fairgrounds or to the numerous sights. All rooms have their own bathroom, TV and free WiFi. In the restaurant Max'es we serve products of the best quality.

Walsroder Str. 39-41 | 30851 Langenhagen Prices from: SR 80 € I DR 95 €



Our hotel offers 27 lovingly furnished rooms, a modern meeting area for up to 20 people with terrace and garden and our "Lütte Bar" for your very own time out. The hotel is close to the the centre but in the middle of nature. In just a few minutes you reach the highway and within walking distance the train station.

Burgwedeler Straße 151 | 30916 Isernhagen Prices from: SR 89 € I DR 99 €



Royal Gardens of Herrenhausen



#### eonardo Hotel Hannover Airport\*\*\*\* | 214 rooms

The airport hotel delights with its inviting comfort, soundproof windows, free WiFi, air conditioning and much more. Relax with our digital newspapers - for all guests included - or indulge in culinary delights in the restaurant.

Petzelstr. 60 | 30855 Langenhagen Prices from: SR 79 € I DR 99 €





With a direct connection to Hannover Airport, the stylish Maritim Airport Hotel is an ideal meeting point for business travellers and conference guests. You can reach both the fairgrounds and the city centre easily by public transport. Air travelers enjoy the convenient park, Sleep & Fly offer.

Maritimstraße 1 | 30855 Langenhagen Prices from: SR 139 € I DR 149 €





### Booking: Tel. +49 511 12345-555 | www.visit-hannover.com/en/hotels | E-Mail: hotels@hannover-tourismus.de

## HannoverCard tourist -The discoveryticket for our guests

**Explore Hannover and the Hannover Region conveniently and** save money with the HannoverCard tourist. The HannoverCard tourist offers free travel in all buses and trains within the entire **GVH (Greater Hannover Transport). And the HannoverCard** tourist has a lot more to offer: discover the tourist highlights of the city and its region at reduced prices!

The HannoverCard tourist is, among others, available from many hotels in Hannover, the Tourist Information office at Ernst-August-Platz 8 or the Airport Service Center at Hannover Airport.

More information on the HannoverCard tourist and online booking at:

www.visit-hannover.com/en/hannovercard





## **Private accomodations**

As an alternative to our hotels we are also pleased to provide private rooms and holiday flats. Our private lessors offer a manifold choice from a plain room to apartments with kitchen and self-catering.

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Search & book online at: www.visit-hannover.com/en/hotels



Whether in a comfortable open top double-decker bus, or a relaxed walking tour of the city centre and Old Town, take your pick from the many varied city tours and discover the highlights of the town!

You can also stroll around in the footsteps of the Guelph aristocrats and discover the flair of one of the best preserved baroque gardens in Europe: the "Royal Gardens of Herrenhausen".

Come long and be amazed at the huge variety Hannover has to offer!

We will be very happy to provide you with advice: just call us on +49 511 12345-111. Information and Tickets at: www.hannover.de/en/citytours. Guided group tours from p. 36.

# Round tour of the town in a double-decker bus

Discover all of the choice sides of Hannover from the top of an open top double-decker bus and enjoy the New Town Hall, the Royal Gardens of Herrenhausen, and the Maschsee lake from an impressive viewing perspective. The varied tour is also accompanied by exciting stories about Hannover. The "Hop-on Hop-off" principle allows many opportunities to structure your city tour flexibly and individually: with seven different stops for getting on and off the bus, taking a break where you want when you want, and then continuing the tour from either the same stop or from a different location.

Languages: German / English and many more (see online)

Duration: 1 h 40 min.

Dates: 01.01.-31.03. & 01.11.-31.12.23 Wed/Fri/Sat 10:30, 12:30 & 14:30

01.04.-31.10.23 daily 10:30,

12:30 & 14:30, Sat. hourly 10:30 - 16:30

Meeting place: Tourist Information, Ernst-August-Platz 8

Prices: Hop-on Hop-off ticket 1 day: from 18  $\in$  (multiple exits,

valid for 1 adult), children up to 14 years old: 5 €
Group discount: from a group size of 11 persons one

persons gets a free ticket.

No reservations possible.



Save € 3 on the regular Hop-on Hop-off ticket with the HannoverCard tourist



City tour

#### City walk

On this entertaining round walking tour of Hannover's Old Town and inner city, you will get to know the many epochs which have shaped Hannover's history. Discover the historic half-timbered buildings of the Old Town between the impressive Market Church and the banks of the river Leine, and take in the Old Town's picturesque pubs and small cafes, ornate buildings, as well as the New Town Hall and the Opera House.

Languages: German / English

Duration: 2 h

Dates: January - December: Sat 14:00

April - October additionaly Sat 11:00 & Sun 14:00

Meeting place: Tourist Information, Ernst-August-Platz 8

Prices: 13 € adults, 10 € children up to 14 years old/

school children/students

Tickets: www.visit-hannover.com/en/citytours or

Tel. +49 51112345-111

Registration required.



Save € 2 with the HannoverCard tourist or the city tour ticket



City tour in the double-decker bus



Exciting Hannover

#### Hannover's crime tour

From Königsmarck to Haarmann, from Hanebuth to Düe - on our tour through the city center and old town of Hanover you will hear exciting background information from criminal history at the original locations. In addition to the thematic focus of historical crimes, our crime guides also provide lots of information on well-known sights in Hanover.

Language: German

Duration: 2 h

Dates: Fri 16:00 & Sat 15:00 on selected dates (see www.visit-

hannover.com/krimitour)

 $\label{thm:meeting place: Tourist Information, Ernst-August-Platz\ 8} \\$ 

Prices: 16 € adults, 10 € pupils/ students, min. age for

participation: 16 years

ickets: www.visit-hannover.com/en/citytours or

tel. +4951112345-111

Registration required.



Ernst-August Platz at night

#### **Royal Garden Ensemble**

Guided tour of the Royal Gardens of Herrenhausen (Great Garden)

This miracle of baroque gardening style owes its existence to a most unusual woman: Electress Sophia of Palatinate. Inspired by the sun king Louis XIV, she ordered the landscaping of this approx. 180 acre garden in the French style at the end of the 17th century. It became her life's work. Today about half a million visitors a year enjoy the special flair of the best preserved baroque garden in Europe.

Language: German
Duration: 1 ½ h
Time: 14:00

tes: Sat & Sun from April to October

Meeting place: Entrance to the Castle/Great Garden Prices:  $7 \in$  adults (+ entrance fee),  $4 \in$  children up to

14 years old/ schoolchildren/ students (+ entrance fee)

: www.visit-hannover.com/en/citytours or tel. +4951112345-111

Registration required.



Save € 1.50 with the HannoverCard tourist or the city tour ticket

#### **Hannover Christmas Splendor**

What better than to tour Hannover's festively illuminated Old Town and city centre and get in seasonal mood in the run up to Christmas. Enjoy the magical atmosphere and olde-worlde charm of the Christmas illuminations in the Old Town. The illuminations and decorations, and the historic setting, reflect the real spirit of Christmas — conjuring up a completely new look to the city centre, which you can explore with the professional accompaniment of our tour guides. Round off the tour with a glass of hot punch at the traditional Christmas Market (1 mulled wine or children's punch per person included).

Language: German

Duration: 1 ½ h (+ visit to the Christmas Market)

Time: 16:0

Dates: fridays, 25.11./ 02.12./ 09.12./ 16.12.2022

Meeting place: Tourist Information, Ernst-August-Platz 8

Prices: 16 € adults | 12 € children up to 14 years old/
school children/students (incl. one mulled wine/

children's punch)

Tickets: www.visit-hannover.com/stadttouren oder

Tel. +4951112345-111

Registration required.



Save € 2 with the HannoverCard tourist or the city tour ticket

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Culinary city tour

## Hannover - culinary walkabout

Discover traditional charming pubs and cosy cafés on a pleasurable guided walk. Served with thrilling anecdotes between the Market Hall and the New Town Hall, tasty delights of various gastronomers give this culinary guided walk the right spice. Let Hannover melt on your tongue!

Language: German

Duration: approx. 3 h

Time: 13:30

Dates: Jan - Nov.: every 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> Sat at 13:30 Meeting place: Tourist-Information, Ernst-August-Platz 8

Price: 35 € p. p.

Tickets: www.visit-hannover.com/en/citytours or

tel. +4951112345-111
Registration required prior to the tour.

#### Hannover for clever minds

Exciting round tour for children and young people in the school holidays: instead of dry anecdotes and boring facts, our guides will tell you funny and entertaining stories about Hannover. The tour ends with a trip on the inclined elevator high up to the viewing platform at a height of 98 m!. No chance for anyone to get bored on this tour!

Language: German

Duration 1 ½ h + travelling up the dome

Time: 11:30

Dates: Every Thur during sping, summer+autumn school holy-

days

Meeting place: Marktbrunnen fountain between Old Town Hall and

Market Church | End point: New Town Hall

Price:  $6 \in \text{per child}, 8 \in \text{per each adult accompanying person}$ 

plus dome lift

Registration required prior to the tour. tel. +4951112345-111

Children from 8 years can participate; parent's attendance is required for children under 12 years.

## Cycle tour through the green Hannover

Start with a guided bike tour and discover the green oases of the city! In addition to sights like New Town Hall, the Maschsee lake or the Eilenriede forest, discover exciting places along River Ihme. Our tour guide presents interesting stories about Hannover during the tour.

Language: German

Time: 14:00 | Duration approx. 3 h

Dates: April to October every first & last Sat a month

Meeting place: Tourist Information, Ernst-August-Platz 8

Prices: 18 € p. p. l 14 € children up to 14 y./pupils/students

Tickets: www.visit-hannover.com/stadttouren oder

Tel. +4951112345-111

Registration required prior to the tour.



Save € 3 with the HannoverCard tourist or the city tour ticket

## A culinary journey by bicycle

Enjoy an active tour through the city! Discover the city from the saddle and enjoy real treats. On this 3-hour round trip along Maschsee Lake and the Royal Gardens of Herrenhausen you will get to know the green Hannover and taste delicious samples in selected cafes and restaurants.

Language: German

Duration: approx. 3 1/2 h

Time: 11:00

Dates: April-Oct. every 1st and 4th week Sat 11:00 |

every 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> week Fri 16:30

Meeting place: New Town Hall. Trammplatz 2

Price: 33 € with own bike | 41 € incl. rental bike |

50 € incl. rental E-Bike

Tickets: www.visit-hannover.com/en/citytours or

tel. +4951112345-111

Registration required prior to the tour.



Bycicle tour through the green Hannover

#### **Through Hannover's districts**

If you want to get to know Hannover beyond the classical sights, book one of our district tours! Discover the city from a completely different side: experience the vibrant life in Linden, the relaxed Nordstadt or the List with a feel-good charm in a sophisticated atmosphere on an exciting tour.

Language: German

Duration: up to 2 hrs

Dates: April - October

**Tour Nordstadt:** every 1st Saturday a month Time: 15:00, Meeting place: Christuskirche

**Tour Linden:** every 2<sup>nd</sup> Friday a month, Time: 18:00, Meeting place: TAK

**Tour List:** every 3<sup>rd</sup> Saturday a month Time: 15:00, Meeting place: Lister Platz

Prices: € 14 € adults, €0 € children up to 14 years old /

pupils / students

Registration: www.visit-hannover.com/en/citytours or tel. +49 511 12345-111 (min. 5 pers.)

Registration required prior to the tour.



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New Town Hall

#### Discover the New Town Hall

Open doors in the New Town Hall: The tour tells you all about the opulent Wilhelmenian building and its construction in 1913. Several miniature town models give you a unique insight into Hannover's history and development. The tour also includes two splendid halls usually closed to the public.

Language: German

Duration: approx. 45 min

Dates: jeder zweite Samstag und jeder vierte Sonntag im Monat

Meeting place: New Town Hall

Prices:  $9 \in p.p.l. 7 \in children up to 14 y./pupils/students$ Tickets: www.visit-hannover.com/stadttouren oder

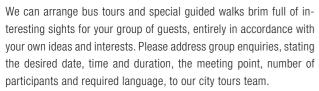
Tel. +4951112345 - 111

Registration required prior to the tour.



New Town Hall | Main Hall





The prices apply to tours in German language, for further prices, see page 54.

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Further tours at www.visit-hannover.com/en



## Hannover – the Grand Tour

A cultural/ historical trip through Hannover

Hannover's cityscape is an eclectic mix-a gothic, Hanseatic city; a former Royal Residence; a northern industrial town of the Wilhelmine epoch; a modern State Capital – its is these and other facets which make it the kind of place where many hidden cultural/historical germs are waiting to be discovered: the New Town Hall, the colourful Old Town and the baroque Royal Gardens of Herrenhausen are just a few of the tour's highlights.

**€ 125.-** per quide

plus admission Herrenhausen Gardens bis 10 pers. 21 € l 11-25 pers. 35 € l 26-40 pers. 54 € 41-75 pers. 68 €

Duration: 2 ½ h

Bookable: throughout the year For coach rental see page 54



Cycling in Hannover

## Cycle tour through the green Hannover

This tour which is approx. 25 km long and is partly identical to the "Julius Trip Ring" leads you to the highlights and the green oases of the city. From the starting point, the main station, the tour goes ahead through the Old Town, along Lake Maschsee and ends at the Royal Gardens of Herrenhausen. Discover these and many more sights with our tour guides on a sporty sightseeing tour through the wonderful city at River Leine.

**€ 165.-** plus bicycle hire charge where applicable

Max. 15 persons I Bookable: thoughout the year

Duration: 3-3 ½ h

This tour is also available to the general public.



#### Hannover's crime tour

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**€ 150.-** per guide

Max. 25 persons | Duration: up to 2 h

This tour is also available to the general public.



Aegidienkirche

#### Flashlight-Tour

When it's getting dark in the city, we'll turn on the flashlights with you and discover the sights in a completely new way. Along the Red Thread we discover the sights of the city in the light cone of the flashlight and learn exciting stories from our experienced guides — lots of fun is guaranteed! Flashlights will be provided.

**€ 130.-** per guide

Max. 20 pers. I Bookable: Jan - Mar/ Oct.- Nov. Duration: up to 2 h



Hannover is a city of short journeys. Take a walk through different past epochs, learn more about specialities and sites around the Leineschloss parliament building, discover some of the many and diverse picturesque corners nestled in the Old Town's medieval half-timbered houses and much, much more — Hannover per pedes is well worth the walk. It is also possible to book this tour with individual focuses (e.g. arts or architecture)

**€ 120.-** per guide

Max. 25 pers. | Bookable: throughout the year | Duration: approx. 2 h This tour is also available to the general public.



Old Townt | Holzmarkt

#### **Fabulous Hannover**

This tour through Hannover's inner city takes in historical curiosities, the unusual and some of the city's fabled history. The Borgentrickturm is a tower depicting the legend of brave citizen Borgentrick, the Aegidienkirche church with the "Seven-man Stone", the stone history book at the New Town Hall (Neues Rathaus) and the "Luderziehen" stone mask and relief (depicting two men and lots of trousers) at the Old Town Hall (Altes Rathaus), the unusual spire of the Marktkirche church and the fountain on Holzmarkt square with its wishing ring: just some of the stops on this tour through the Hannover of fable and legend.

**€ 120.-** per guide

Max. 25 persons | Bookable: throughout the year Duration: approx. 2 h





Old Town | Marktkirche

Young dsitricts

## Through the districts of Hannover

Book one of tours through the districts of Hannover to get to know our city away from the typical sights! Discover the city from a completely different view! Experience the vibrant life in Linden, the relaxed Nordstadt or the List with its feel-good charm in cultivated atmosphere.

**€ 120.-** per guide

Options: tour through Linden, List or Nordstadt

Max. 25 persons

Duration: 2 h

This tour is also available to the general public.

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We are happy to offer you tours with different thematic emphases, e.g. architecture, churches or arts

Please get in contact with us. Guided tours: max. 25 persons per guide.

Public city tours see from page 32.



Culinary tour

## Hannover – culinary walkabout

Discover traditional charming pubs and cosy cafés on a pleasurable guided walk. Served with thrilling anecdotes between the Market Hall and the New Town Hall, tasty delights of various gastronomers give this culinary guided walk the right spice. Let Hannover melt on your tongue!

**€ 35.-** p. P.

Min. 10 / max. 20 persons Dates: throughout the year

Duration: 3 hours

Meeting place: Tourist Information office,

Ernst-August-Platz 8

Samples: are being served at 5 selected stops

in the city centre / Old Town

This tour is also available to the general public.



Hannover at night



Culinary tour

#### Culinary city tour by bike

Enjoy Hannover the active way! Discover the city from the saddle and enjoy unique delicacies. Get to know the green districts of Hannover with Maschsee Lake and the Herrenhausen Gardens on this 3-hour tour. At several stops we will spoil your palate with delicious tastings at selected cafes and restaurants.

**€ 33.-** with own bike | 41 € with rental bike | 50 € with rental e-bike

Min. 10, max. 18 persons Bookable: all year round on request Duration: 3½ h

This tour is also available to the general public.

## **Nightwatchman Melchior**

When all honourable citizens of Hannover lie asleep in their beds, that is when Nightwatchman Melchior takes you on an fascinating walk through the darkest alleys and corners of the city. As he walks, he tells of murders, of gangs and the everyday trials and tribulations of a night watchman's life. He also knows a thing or two about the history of beer and the city's nightlife. *Organizer: Stattreisen Hannover e.V.* 

from € **150.-** je Gästeführer

Max. 10 persons, furher persons 15 € Duration: 1½ h



Get to know Hannover the playful way

#### Hannover's clever minds

Which tweet made Hannover world-famous? Why did Leibniz never get to know his cookie? Which mediaeval game is "Luderziehen"? Instead of dry anecdotes and boring facts, our guides will tell you funny and entertaining stories about Hannover. Our guides share many interesting facts and secrets for you!

The tour ends with a trip on the inclined elevator high up to the viewing platform at a height of 98 m. No chance for anyone to get bored on this tour!

€ 79.- without domelift

Max. 25 children | Duration: 1 ½ h + domelift bookable: all year round (dome lift Mar – Nov)

This tour is also available to the general public.



Illuminated city centre

#### **Hannover Christmas Splendour**

What better than to tour Hannover's festively illuminated Old Town and city centre and get in seasonal mood in the run up to Christmas. Enjoy the magical atmosphere and olde-worlde charm of the Christmas illuminations in the Old Town.

The illuminations and decorations, and the historic setting, reflect the real spirit of Christmas – conjuring up a completely new look to the city centre, which you can explore with the professional accompaniment of our tour guides. Round off the tour with a glass of hot punch at the traditional Christmas Market.

**€ 120.-** plus mulled wine (4 € p. p., optional)

Max. 25 persons | Bookable: Advent time | Duration: 1 ½ h

This tour is also available to the general public.



Discover the secrets of the Old Town



Christmas illumination in the Georgstraße



## Baroque palace and garden world

Stroll through the impressive baroque gardens, and through the exhibition rooms of the Palace Museum, where an expert guide will tell you all there is to know about the extensive gardens and the history of the royal palace and garden world. The tour finishes with either lunch, or coffee and cake.

#### Our offer

- Admission ticket Herrenhausen (all inclusive)
- Guided tour of the Great Garden
- Circular tour of the Herrenhausen Castle Museum
- Choice of either lunch or coffee and cake

from € 25.- p. p. incl. coffee & cake (1 piece of cake,

coffee+tea unlimited)

from **€ 36.-** p. p. incl. lunch (plate dish)

Min.15 persons

Bookable: throughout the year Duration: approx. 3 ½ - 4 h

#### **Our offer**

Castle Restaurant.

Hannover royal

- Guided tour through the Great Garden
- 2-course menu or coffee dish
- Guided tour in Marienburg Castle
- Admission to the Royal Gardens and Marienburg Castle

Walk in the footsteps of the Guelph royal family! First experience

the extensive palace and garden world in Herrenhausen. Get to

know the history of the gardens in the new Herrenhausen Palace

Museum. The tour then moves south to Marienburg Castle: the

former summer residence of the Guelph royal family, a present

from the Hannoverian King George V to his wife, is still owned by

the family today. The Guelph tour ends in relaxed fashion in the

from € 41.- p.p. incl. coffee dish (1 piece of cake and unlimited coffee/tea)

from € **52.-** p.p. incl. 2-course-menu and a drink

Min. 15 persons

Bookable: throughout the year

Duration: appr. 4 ½ h (incl. transfer time to Marienburg Castle)

# Wilhelm Busch

Visit the Wilhelm Busch – German Museum of Caricature ad Drawings and enjoy the work of Wilhelm Busch and other contemporary caricaturists on a guided tour. The splendid palais garden is also worth a visit before you proceed to the Royal Gardens of Herrenhausen with its magnificent baroque garden. Subsequently a delicious coffee and cake dish is being served in a restaurant near the Royal Gardens.

#### Our offer

- Admission to Wilhelm Busch German Museum of Caricature and Drawings
- Guided tour of the Wilhelm Busch Museum (Duration: 1 hour)
- Admission to the Great Garden
- Guided walk through the Great Garden (Duration: 1.5 hours)
- Subsequently: coffee dish

from € 32.- p. p. plus admission to the Gardens

Min.15 persons Bookable: throughout

the year

Duration: approx. 3 1/2 h



Marienburg Castle

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Royal Gardens of Herrenhauser

## Royal Garden opulence

Stroll through the extensive baroque gardens which won the European Garden Prize in 2015 as the best historical garden. Marvel at the impressive fountains, the maze, the huge cascade, and the many baroque ornaments. A special attraction is the grotto decorated with colourful glass mosaics according to the designs of the artist Niki de Saint Phalle. The Berggarten is also well worth a visit with its botanical treasures and unique collections of plants from all around the world.

**€ 105.-** p. group plus admission Herrenhausen Gardens on (on request)

Max. 25 persons per guide

Bookable: throughout the year within the business hours Duration: 1 ½ h

This tour is also available to the general public.



Royal Gardens of Herrenhausen | Berggarten

#### **Guided tour through the Berggarten**

The Berggarten botanical garden is known for its unique collection of plants from all over the world. Over 12,000 plant species can be seen all year round. In the showhouses opened all year round, up to 800 blooming orchids, tropical rarities, diverse cacti

and succulents are presented.

**€ 105.-** p. group plus admission Herrenhausen Gardens on (on request)

Max. 25 persons per guide

Bookable: throughout the year within the business hours

Duration: 1 ½ h

## Guided tour of the Herrenhausen Castle Museum

The new Herrenhausen Castle Museum – an amenity of the state capital of Hannover, sponsored by the state of Niedersachsen – invites visitors to entertainingly explore the many facets of the wide-ranging castle and garden world in Herrenhausen.

**€ 105.-** p. group plus admission Herrenhausen Gardens on (on request)

Max. 20 persons per guide

Bookable: throughout the year within the business hours Duration: 1 h

#### Sophie's Garden

A scenic tour through the Great Garden

Join a guided tour through the impressive baroque gardens of Herrenhausen, guided by none other than Electress Sophie herself. "The garden is my life", says the Electress. The story of her love for her gardens at Herrenhausen and her personal history paints a colourful picture. Her habit was to take a fast tour of her gardens every evening. We take a more leisurely pace... Organizer: Stattreisen Hannover e.V.

from € 170.- p. group plus admission Herrenhausen Gardens on (on request)

Max. 10 persons, further persons plus 17 €

Duration: 1 ½ h





Fun & Games

## City Tour, Fun & Games

The packages starts with an entertaining city walk and curious stories from Hannover. After the tour it's time for dinner in the Brewery Ernst August. Freshly strengthened, a playful challenge awaits the participants. Whether it's poker, darts, Krökel or a car racin track — the packages offers around 11 stations in the toy event house.

#### Our offer

- City tour "Fabulous Hannover"
- Rustic dinner
- Participation in the "Hanoverade" games evening in the toy store

  Event house incl. drinks

**€ 75.-** p. p.

Min. 15 persons | Duration: approx. 8 h bookable: all year round



Steinhude Catch & Ketch

Tour of the real Steinhude: Visit to an eel smokery with information on the special nature of Steinhude smoked eel. Followed by a tasty lunch in a traditional restaurant. Then off for a short sailing trip in a historic ketch to Wilhelmstein Island in the centre of the lake. Guided tour of the fortifications. This interesting tour comes to a pleasant close in a cosy café.

#### Our offer

- Guided walking tour through the historic town centre
- Lunch with the whole group choosing from the tour-bus
  menu.
- Crossing to the island in a traditional "Auswanderer boat" accompanied by our tour guide
- Guided tour of the island fortifications
- Afternoon coffee with delicious cakes

**Upon request:** eel smoke house tour, € 1 extra per person

**€ 58.-** p. p. (min. 15 persons) **€ 55.-** p. p. (from 30 persons)

Bookable: April-Oct. I € 10 surcharge on Sundays and public holidays per group Duration: 6-7 h

#### **Hannover traditional**

Get to know the traditional face of Hannover! Under competent guidance you get to know the picturesque corners of the Old Town and take a time journey through ancient Hannover. After this exciting city tour we will stop at a traditional brewery in the heart of the Old Town. There you taste the Hannoverian traditional drink "Lüttje Lage". In addition a hearty meal is served. A fun evening is guaranteed!

### **Our offer**

- Tour of the Old Town on foot, accompanied by a city guide
- 1 Lüttje Lage p. pers.
- Hearty meal in selcted gastronomy

**€ 29.-** p. p.

Min. 15 persons Bookable: throughout the year Duration: appr. 3 h



Historic wine cella

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## Cycling friends

Start with a guided bike tour and discover the green oases of the city! In addition to sights like New Town Hall, the Maschsee lake or the Eilenriede forest, discover exciting places along River Ihme. The Herrenhausen Gardens invite you for a short visit before your tour ends at a beer garden.

#### **Our offer**

- Bike tour through the green Hannover
- Short visit to the Herrenhausen Gardens
- Consumption vouchers (for meals) in a beer garden

**€ 25.-** p. p.

Min. 10 persons Bookable: all year round | Duration: approx. 4 ½ hours

### Hannover by land and water

This tour starts with a walk through the picturesque corners of the Old Town and the different chapters of the city's history. Afterwards have a maritime coffee break on board a Maschsee boat, where you can enjoy coffee and cake while watching the silhouette of the city drifts by on the lakeside.

#### **Our offer**

- Tour of the Old Town on foot, accompanied by a city guide
- Boat trip on the Maschsee Lake (1 hour)
- Coffee as much as you can drink and two pieces of cake

from **€ 19.50** p.p.

Min. 20 pers. (max. 45)  $\$  Bookable: Good Friday - end of October Duration: approx. 3 hours

#### **Historic & exclusive Hannover**

Old town tour and historic menu in an exclusive ambience

Discover the historic Hannover on a guided tour. Passing historic buildings like the Aegidienkirche, the Leibnizhaus or the New Town Hall you will get to know exciting stories about the landmarks of Hanover and marvel at the picturesque corners of the old town with its idyllic streets and charming cafes. Follow the historical trails to a wine cellar of a special kind. Enjoy a delicious 3 or 4 course meal served with more exciting stories about the underground Hannover in this exclusive ambience. The perfect accompanying programme for a unique experience, e.g. as an after-work event, corporate event or an evening with friends.

#### Our offer

- 1 ½ hour guided tour along the landmarks of Hanover
- stop in a historic wine cellar with a short introduction to the catacombs
- Welcome drink
- Choice of 3- or 4-course menu in exclusive ambience

**€ 75.-** p. p. (with a 3-course menu) **€ 89.-** p. p. (with a 4-course menu)

Min. 10 persons (max. 18 persons) | Bookable: all year round

#### Kitchens, creation & culture

Welcome to Europe's first kitchen museum! From the open hearth kitchens of the late Middle Ages, to the trends of the 50s and 70s, this museum showcases a wide range of kitchen cultures from all over the world. On the guided city bus tour through Hannover, our expert guides show you the highlights of this leafy city on the river Leine, including the Royal Gardens of Herrenhausen. A generous lunch buffet awaits you in the Palace Cafe of the kitchen museum.

#### Our offer

- City bus tour accompanied by a certified guide, including a short stop at the Royal Gardens of Herrenhausen
- Lunch in the Palace Cafe of the WOK kitchen museum (cold-hot buffet including one soft drink per person) or coffee dish
- Guided tour of the WOK (World of Kitchen)-kitchen museum including admission

**€ 32.-** p.p. incl. coffee dish

**€ 42.-** p.p. incl. cold-hot buffet and a drink

Price does not inlcude a coach. Coaches on request.

Min. 15 pers. | Duration: approx. 5 hours | Bookable: all year round

# Hannover easy to combine!

Combine your trip with even more highlights in the city and the region by for example visiting Hannover's Adventure Zoo or the Royal Gardens of Herrenhausen.

Hannover Region offers you the chance to explore the Marienburg Castle or enjoy the maritime flair of Lake Steinhude! Put together your own personal programme, for one day or several days. We'll be happy to help you pick individual items and provide information about suitable accommodation and restaurants.



#### **MariTime**

Tropical underwater worlds rubbing shoulders with baroque garden artistry – unique in Hannover! Take a trip beneath the waves in the Tropical SEA LIFE Aguarium, and then stroll like a king through the unique atmosphere of the Royal Gardens of Herrenhausen

from € 13.50 p. p. Combined ticket SEA LIFE/ Royal Gardens of Herrenhausen

Min. 15 pers.

Bookable: throughout the year



#### **Variety Theatre**

The GOP Variety Theatre thrills its audiences with spectacular shows and culinary highlights. Enjoy first class entertainment with famous artistes, dancers and comedians in one of the original locations of the "Golden Twenties"

from € 39.- p.p.

Admission ticket 1st price category | Bookable: throughout the year



#### Speed Games "classic"

Up to 32 people compete at 4 different stations (basketball, carrera track, darts & Kicker) against each other.

€ 20.- p. p. incl. 2 drinks

Max. 32 persons



#### **Marienburg Castle**

The former summer residence of the Guelphs still captivates visitors today with its fascinating history. Explore the fairy-tale castle on interesting guided tours through the royal state rooms.

€ 11.- p. p. castle visit (without guide) € 12.50 p. p. castle visit (incl. guide)

foreign language surcharge € 30,-

Min. 15 pers. per group I ookable: on request, guided tours currently only Tue-Fri



#### NeonGolf

Immerse yourself in three themed rooms into a completely new World brought to life by 3D chromadepth Glasses. NeonGolf Hannover offers Weather-independent recreational sport and lounge atmosphere on overall more than 1000 m<sup>2</sup> directly in the city centre.

**€ 12.70** p. p. Mon to Thu | pupils/students € 10.70 (Mon-Thu 10% discount)



#### **MoneySaver**

The HannoverCard tourist helps you discover the city's and region's attractions and save money. It gives you complete freedom to use the busses, trams and trains on the whole local public transport network. In addition, it entitles you to numerous discounts, for instance on city tours, in museums, theatres and restaurants.

## Prices 2023

Single ticket: 1 day 10,00 € | 2 days 16.- € | 3 days 19.- € Goup ticket (5 p.): 1 day 21.- € | 2 days 28.- € | 3 days 36.- €



#### **Coffee treasures**

Interested in a cosy journey through the different origins of coffee? Learn more about coffee roasting in the Hannoverian Coffee Manufacture and experience how raw coffee beans transform into absolute coffee enjoyment.

from € 24.90 p.p.

Min. 12 pers. / Max. 35 pers. | Duration: 2-21/2 h Bookable: all year round at the Wunstorfer Straße location



#### **BrewingArt**

Beers to your health! In this informative tour, a Hannoverian master brewer explains how the tasty Hannoverian beer is made in tavern breweries. Afterwards a delicious snack of bread, cheese and cold cuts is served for you.

€ 24.90 p. p. (incl. snack + 0.4 l Hanöversch Beer) € 14.90 p. p. (guided tour + 0,4 l Hanöversch Bier)

Min. 6 / max. 20 pers. per group | Bookable: throughout the year



## Animal **Experiences**

Follow us on an animal journey around the world in Hannover Adventure Zoo: explore Africa by boat, follow the trails of the gold-diggers in Yukon Bay and discover enchanted ruins in the Jungle Palace.

Attractive prices for groups of 20 or more persons at erlebnis-zoo.de



## **Autostadt** Wolfsburg

During this tour you will get to know everything worth knowing about automotive history and discover architecture and design in the Autostadt Wolfsburg!

from € 75.- per group

Max. 15 pers. per group Duration: approx. 1 h | Bookable: all year round on request



#### CastOff

Maschsee Lake is the maritime paradise in the heart of the city. Go onboard a Maschsee boat and have a rountrip with coffee and cake while the city's silhouette passes by.

from € 14.50 p.p.

Roundtrip on Maschsee Lake I coffee and 2 pieces of cake Min. 20 pers. | Duration: approx. 50 min. | only Good Fri to end of Oct



Bookable: all year round on request





Maschsee Lake

# Amangements for clubs & groups

Our accommodation arrangements – the all-round stress-free packages for your visit to Hannover. Discover Hannover's cultural highlights and tourist attractions the relaxed and easy way, and spend a night in the first-class hotels in the city. Travel conditions from page 57.

#### Get to know and love Hannover

Our package offers everything you need to discover the many faces of Hannover. Explore the unique Royal Gardens of Herrenhausen with new Herrenhausen Castle Museum, tour Hannover's lively Old Town, and risk the incomparable view from the "Roof of the City". So much to see and experience!

#### **Our offer**

- 2 overnight stays in a DR or SR incl. breakfast in a 4-star hotel
- Guided walking tour through the Old Town
- Admission ticket Herrenhausen (all inclusive)
- Guided walking tour of the Great Garden
- HannoverCard Group for 3 days
- Lunch or afternoon coffee

**€ 165.-** p. p. in a double room incl. afternoon coffee

€ 239.- in a single room

**€ 179.-** p. p. in a double room incl. lunch (plate dish)

€ 249.-

in a single room

Price for 3-star hotel on request | Min. 10 persons Bookable: throughout the year



GOP Variety Theatre

## **Magical Hannover**

On Friday evening, night-watchman Melchior takes you on a guided city tour of a special kind through his Hannover. On Saturday, you explore Hannover's "jewel": The Royal Gardens of Herrenhausen. And then, after enjoying a meal in the Gondel Restaurant, it's showtime in the GOP variety theatre.

#### **Our offer**

- 2 overnight stays in a DR or SR incl. breakfast either in a 3-star or 4-star hotel
- Guided city walking tour with night-watchman Melchior (Fri)
- Guided tour of the Great Garden incl. admission ticket (Sat)
- HannoverCard Group for 3 days
- GOP variety arrangement (3-course menu in the Gondel restaurant and an admission ticket for the show on Saturday in the 1<sup>st</sup> price category)

**€ 239.-** p. p. in a 3-star hotel (double room)

€ 299.- in a single room in a 3-star hotel

**€ 259.-** p. p. in a 4-star hotel (double room)

€ 329.- in a single room in a 4-star hotel

Min.10 persons I all year depending on availability



Royal Gardens of Herrenhausen



Vivid city district

## Hannover: typically untypical

You want to get to know Hanover off the beaten path? Look forward to a typical untypical and multifaceted weekend with many insights and experiences! Start the evening with an exclusive wine tasting accompanied by an experienced sommelier in a cozy atmosphere. Learn more about the wine culture and enjoy delicious wine and finger food.

On the following day experience the culinary diversity in the market hall, which is a real landmark of the city. Try the many delicacies and let yourself be inspired by the colorful bustle. In the afternoon your group gets to know one of the iconic neighborhoods of Hannover on an entertaining tour.

#### Our offer

- 2 nights in a double or single room incl. breakfast, in the 3-star or 4-star hotel
- Tasting in an owner-managed wine shop incl. 8 wines, bread and a small snack
- Visit the market hall with a guide including tastings
- District tour through a district of your choice (Linden, List or Nordstadt)
- Dinner in a restaurant in the city center (plate dish including 1 drink, on Saturday evening)
- HannoverCard Group 2 days (amongst others for the use of public transport)

€ 185.- p. p. in a 3-star hotel (double room)

€ 239.- n a single room in a 3-star hotel

€ 199.- p. p. in a 4-star hotel (double room)

**€ 259.-** in a single room in a 4-star hotel

Min.10 persons I all year depending on availability



Discover Hannover togethe

#### On tour with club & clique

Start the week-end with fun and games and spend Friday evening with your friends at Bowling World Hannover. Explore the green sides of the state capital on Saturday during a Maschsee Segway tour.

In the afternoon you will discover the Old Town on a guided tour. After that you can look forward to enjoying a hearty dinner in a cosy restaurant.

#### **Our offer**

- Two overnight stays in a double or single room including breakfast in a 3-star or 4-star hotel.
- Bowling evening on Friday (2 hours bowling including hire shoes, 1 beer or softdrink, 1 burger or 1 sausage with fries)
- Maschsee Segway tour on Saturday (duration: 2 h)
- City tour accompanied by a knowledgeable certified city tour guide
- Saturday: Dinner in a cosy restaurant (plate dish incl. 1 drink)

**€ 225.-** p. p. in a 3-star hotel (double room)

**€ 285.-** in a single room in a 3-star hotel

**€ 239.-** p. p. in a 4-star hotel (double room)

€ 310.- in a single room in a 4-star hotel

Min.10 persons I all year depending on availability

# 48 Arrangements for groups with overnight stay



Int. Fireworks Competition

#### **Variety meets fireworks**

The world's best pyrotechnicians light up the sky with their skills at the 30<sup>th</sup> International Fireworks Competition in the glorious baroque Royal Gardens of Herrenhausen. The accompanying programme of variety acts and live music attract visitors to the gadens long before the gala fireworks performances explode. This package also includes a GOP arrangement at the GOP variety theatre with their latest show and a 3-course menu in the Gondel Restaurant.

#### **Our offer**

- 2 overnight stays in a DR or SR incl. breakfast either in a 3-star or 4-star hotel
- GOP Variety arrangement (3-course menu in the Gondel restaurant and an admission ticket for the show on Friday in the 1st price category)
- Visit to the International Fireworks Competition on Saturday

**€ 219.-** p. p. in a 3-star hotel

**€ 275.-** in a single room

**€ 239.-** p. p. in a 4-star hotel

€ 309.- in a single room

Min.10 persons

Arrival: 19.05., 09.06., 18.08., 01. & 15.09.



Lake Steinhude

#### Hannover & Lake Steinhude

Would you like to get to know the Hanover region with your group? Discover the most interesting parts of the city on an entertaining tour and enjoy a delicious dinner in the evening a rustic restaurant in the city center.

Experience maritime flair at Lake Steinhude on the next day. With historic sailboats you will transfer to the island fortress Wilhelmstein and learn more about the life of the earl on an exciting tour.

Afterwards you will discover the historic center of Steinhude on a guided tour and taste delicacies such as eel canapé and Steinhuder peat chunks.

#### Our offer

- 2 nights including breakfast in a double or single room in a 3-star hotel
- on Friday: evening city tour "fabulous Hanover"
- Dinner in a selected restaurant in the city center (dish including soft drink)
- HannoverCard Group 3 days (also valid for the trip to Lake Steinhude)
- Saturday: transfer to the island fortress Wilhelmstein with historical sailboats incl. guided tour and admission
- guided culinary tour incl. 3 delicacies (duration: 2 hours)

**€ 200.-** p. p. in a double room **€ 270.-** p. p. in a single room

Min.10 persons all year depending on availability

#### Hannover is Variety! - ADVERTISEMENT -

It is well-known that Hannover not only attracts city travellers who want to see the New Town Hall, the Hannover Adventure Zoo, and the famous Royal Gardens of Herrenhausen. Hannover is also Germany's most prominent variety location. Since the GOP Variety Theatre Hannover reopened in 1992, this attractive venue has become the Mecca for variety fans from all over Germany. GOP Hannover succeeds in marrying the avant garde with tradition, to create a new world of variety.



Host with passion



GOP Show impression



Gondel Restaurant



GOP Hall

The GOP has been captivating the people of Hannover for more than 25 years, and plays an important part as a theatre institution in shaping the cultural landscape of the capital city. The productions in the main venue on the Georgstraße, the GOP Winter Variety in the Orangerie of the Royal Gardens of Herrenhausen, and the GOP Children's Christmas Musical attracted more than 180,000 visitors last year! And this means that GOP turns Hannover into Germany's capital city of variety.

GOP Variety Theatre and Restaurant Gondel Georgstraße 36 | 30159 Hannover Info-Tel.: +49 511 301867-10 www.variete.de www.restaurant-gondel.de





You find an overview on our hotel partners in the hotel directory (marked with EP). Our city tours team is happy to provide you with advice: Tel. +49 511 12345-333 | staedtereise@hannover-tourismus.de More offers, as well as an online booking form, are available at **www.visit-hannover.com/onlineshop** 

#### **Getting to know Hannover**

Spend an eventful weekend in the leafy city on the river Leine, and discover its many interesting facets: the Hannover Double-decker Bus is a comfortable way of getting to the highlights in Hannover including the Royal Gardens of Herrenhausen, the big Maschsee lake, and the picturesque Old Town. You also get to ride up the curved elevator to the top of the New Town Hall. The panoramic view from above the dome of the town hall will take your breath away. The Hannover Card also gives you free access to the public transport system to take you to all the sights, as well as giving you cheaper admission tickets for museums, and discounts in restaurants and many other attractions.

#### **Our offer**

- 2 nights in a DR or SR incl. breakfast in a 3-star or 4-star hotel
- 1 HannoverCard for three days
- 1 "Red Thread" brochure
- 1 admission ticket Herrenhausen (all inclusive)
- 1 ticket for the public hop-on hop-off city tour
- 1 ticket for the dome lift in the New Town Hall (only Apr Oct)

€ 179.- p. p. in a 3-star hotel (double room)

€ **249.-** in a single room in a 3-star hotel

**€ 205.-** p. p. in a 4-star hotel (double room)

€ 279.- in a single room in a 4-star hotel

#### **Variation** "compact"

- 1 night in a DR or single room with breakfast in a 3-star or 4-star hotel
- 1 HannoverCard for 1 day
- 1 brochure: "The Red Thread"
- Join a public city-tour bus, hop-on, hop-off
- Admission to the Royal Gardens of Herrenhausen

€ 109.- p. p. in a 3-star hotel (double room)

€ 145.- in a single room in a 3-star hotel

€ 125.- p. p. in a 4-star hotel (double room)

€ **159.-** in a single room in a 4-star hotel



View from the cupola of the New Town Hall



GOP Variety Theate

#### Variety experience

Enjoy entertainment for all senses in the GOP Variety-Theatre — shows on stage and culinary delights belong together! Be insprired by first-class artist while lovely comedians make you laugh. Before the show starts a delicious 3-course menu will be served in the GOP restaurant "Gondel".

Look forward to an entertaining evening full of great experiences – with your partner, friends or the whole family!

#### **Our offer**

- 1 night in a DR or SR incl. breakfast in a 4-star hotel
- 1 GOP Varieté-Arrangement including a 3-course menu in the Gondel restaurant and a ticket for the variety show in the 1st price category

**€ 159.-** p. p. in a double room

€ 190.- in a single room



Hannover Adventure Zoo

#### Family day in the Adventure Zoo!

A day in the zoo is a trip around the world. Enter seven different theme worlds — Yukon Bay, Meyers Hof, Mullewapp, Outback, Jungle Palace, Afi Mountain and Zambezi: each faithfully recreating the natural habitats of its inhabitants. Take an adventure in the wilderness of Africa, through the tranquil Canadian port town of Yukon Bay, enter the enchanted Indian jungle palace and experience animals close enough to touch. Definitely don't miss: a boat ride along the Zambezi.

#### **Our offer**

- 1 night in a DR with additional bed or in a family room incl. breakfast in a 4-star hotel
- 1 admission ticket per person for the Hannover Adventure Zoo

from € 179.- Price for 2 adults + 1 child

up to 14 years with add. bed in a DR

from € 205.- Price for 2 adults + 2 children up to 14 years in a family room

from € 149.- Price for 2 adults in a DR

Bookable: April – October

# Cycling pleasure

Explore the best corners in and around Hannover by bike! Enjoy the weekend in a quiet yet centrally located hotel and start your bicycle tour (incl. picknick set) after an extensive breakfast. Equipped with six varied routes you can experience the city away from the main roads.

You can also explore the Maschsee during a boat tour or stroll through the imposing baroque garden of the Royal Gardens of Herrenhausen. Back in the hotel, you can conclude the evening with a delicious 2-course menu.

#### Our offer

- 2 nights in a double or single room including breakfast in a 3 \*\*\* hotel
- a packed lunch picknick set
- 2-course menu in the hotel restaurant on an evening of your choice
- Round trip with the Maschsee boat
- Comprehensive set of cycling maps and information material
- Admission to the Herrenhausen Gardens

Optional: Participation in the public bike tour (from May to October every first and last Saturday of the month): 18, -  $\in$  p. p. We would be happy to arrange rental bikes for you on request.

**€ 180.-** p. p. in a double room in a 3 \*\*\* hotel **€ 250.-** in a single room

Bookable: April - October



Bicycle tour

<sup>\*</sup>If available, not during trade fairs. Hannover Marketing & Tourismus GmbH's terms and conditions apply.

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#### Hannover's explosive!

The hours before twilight finally envelops the Baroque Gardens at Herrenhausen and the crowd is tense with anticipation for the first firework signs offer are not empty hours: there are lots of things to do and experience. Live music, walking acts plus kid's fun and games keep visitors enthralled and amused. The support programme also includes catering offers. And suddenly its time: a new spectacle, a new round of Hannover's International Firework Competition is drawing in the crowds! And after five stages, five nations, five different fireworks choreographies we'll know the winner.

Admission time 18:00

VVK: 24 € Adults, 21 € concessionary incl. advance booking fee I **www.visit-hannover.com/en/fireworks** 

Dates 2023: 20.05. (Germany) I 10.06. (France) I 19.08. (Switzerland) I 02.09. (Belgium) I 16.09. Austria

#### Our offer

- 1 night in a DR or SR incl. breakfast in a 3-star or 4-star hotel in the city centre
- 1 admission ticket for the International Firework Competition

€ **89.-** p. p. in a double room im 3-star hotel

€ 125.- in a single room im 3-star hotel

€ **99.-** p. p. in a double room im 4-star hotel

€ 139.- in a single room im 4-star hotel

Bookable: see event dates above



Maschsee Lake Festival

# Maschsee Lake Festival – Take the time for a trip around the world

The days from 26 July to 13 August are reserved for the Masch-seefest: a party, a holiday at home, an international stage bringing maritime flair into the heart of the city. On these 19 days, visitors have the chance to be part of Lower Saxony's biggest fest and enjoy a culinary and artistic world tour. The banks of the Maschee lake — Hannover's "Blue heart" — transform themselves into a colourful promenade for young and old. The open-air festival is brimming with international accents: from Sushi by the Sea over Caribbean treats through to Mexican, Spanish, Greek and Italian specialties — everyone can enjoy dishes from the world over. A holiday feeling is to be had every single day, free of charge! A never-ending list of concert highlights, sporting activities on the water, evenings of dance under the stars and an exciting children's programme mean the holiday feeling never stops.

#### Banks of Maschsee Lake: 26.07.-13.08.2023

#### Our offer

- 1 night in a DR or SR incl. breakfast in a 3-star or 4-star hotel
- 1 roundtrip by boat on Maschsee Lake
- 1 Cocktail per person at a selected stand at the Maschsee Lake Festival

from € 89.- p. p. in a double room in a 3-star hotel

from € 119.- in a single room in a 3-star hotel

from € 99.- p. p. in a double room in a 4-star hotel

from € 129.- in a single room in a 4-star hotel

Bookable: see event dates above

# Culture package: discover theaters and museums

Spend a cultural weekend in Hannover and get to know the many facets of the city:

Explore the varied landscape of museums in Lower Saxony state capital. With the double-decker bus you can easily discover the highlights of Hannover, such as the Royal Gardens of Herrenhausen, the Maschsee Lake or the picturesque Old Town. Your adventure package is rounded off with a visit to the State Opera or the Schauspielhaus.

#### Our offer

- 2 nights in DR or SR incl. breakfast in 4-star hotel
- 1 small city guide "The Red Thread"
- Participation at the Hop On Hop-Off double-decker bus tour
- Entrance tickets to the Sprengel Museum and the Museum August Kestner
- Tickets for the State Opera (Category C) or for the Schauspielhaus (category B) on Saturday evening

#### Incl. State Opera

**€ 245.-** p. p. in a double room

€ 325.- in a single room

#### Incl. Schauspielhaus

Schauspielhaus

**€ 225.-** p. p. in a double room

€ 305.- in a single room

Bookable: all year round (Fri-Sun)

# Discover Marienburg Castle

Visit the castle rooms with their original furniture and learn a lot of interesting facts about Marienburg Castle, its inhabitants and the history of the House of Hannover.

Particular attention is also paid to the perspective of the women of the Guelphs presented in short illustration films.

#### Our offer

- 1 night incl. Breakfast in the DR or SR incl. breakfast in the 4-star hotel
- 1 bottle of water in the rooms
- Admission ticket to Marienburg Castle including a guided tour
- Information package

from € 90.- p. p. in a double room

from € 129.- in a single room

Bookable: all year round

\*Guided tours currently only Tue-Fri



Marienburg



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#### Further prices | Coaches for groups 2023 (incl. 19 % VAT)

#### Supplements\*

 Guide for an additional hour per add. hour or part of an hour € 40.-

• foreign language supplement per language

€ 15.-

Supplements for out-of-the-way meeting from

€ 25.-

\*Supplements per group and guide

#### **Coaches for groups**

We would be pleased to provide you with a comfortable coach for your city tou

 6 seats from **€ 289.-** • 32 seats from **€ 410.-**

• 16 seats from **€ 345.**- • 48 seats from **€ 460.**-

• 23 seats from **€ 380.-** • 77 seats from **€ 725.-**

(prices as a guideline 2 ½ hours use of the coach; prices during trade fairs/ major events on application)

#### Terms of cancellation

If a booked tour is cancelled (in writing) a basic cancellation fee will become due of € 15. If cancelled between 5 and 1 working days in advance, this fee rises to 50% of the agreed tour price. This fee is in each case in addition to any advance change booking charges.\* Cancellations on the day of the booking or no shows will be charged the full amount.

#### Change booking charge:

Each change in booking will be subject to a handling fee of € 10. Service charge: We bill a service charge of 2% of the total bill amount for payment by credit card. Please let us always know the correct billing address incl. further details, e.g. your cost center. We bill a service charge of € 10 for ex post change of your bill.

#### **HannoverCard tourist**

With the HannoverCard tourist, you can explore the city and the region of Hannover at a particularly favourable price. You can travel free on buses, trams and trains throughout the GVH (Greater Hannover Transport Authority) area. You are also entitled to reduced prices for city tours and at many museums, theatres and restaurants, the GOP Variety Theatre or Springe bison paddock.

Infos: www.visit-hannover.com/en/hannovercard

#### Prices 2023

Single ticket

1 day 10.- € | 2 days 16.- €

3 days 19.- €

Group ticket (5 pers.)

1 day 21.- € | 2 days 28.- €

3 days 36.- €





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#### City tours team

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Our experienced City tours team will be delighted to help you arrange your tourism programme to ensure you have an exciting time in Hannover. We can naturally help you arrange specific services (e.g. guided city tours) as well as handling complete group packages.

Our services include:

- City tours (also in numerous foreign languages)
- Customised configuration and organisation of your group packages and modules
- Organising transfers
- · Placement of competent city guides and assistants (e.g. to accompany transfers, translating, etc.)
- Booking highlight packages including hotels for single tourists and groups

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www.visit-hannover.com/en

Mon - Thur 09:00 - 17:00 & Fri 09:00 - 16:00

Current notice: all prices are subject to alteration.

# Business hours may vary, current information at www.visit-hannover.com/er

#### **Tourist Information**

Welcome to Hannover! We are here to answer your questions and supply you with information.

Our service includes:

- Information on attractions, tourism facilities, events, exhibitions, places to go, city, history, etc.
- We sell the HannoverCard tourist, city maps, brochures, post cards, books
- Sale of attractive Hannover souvenirs
- We sell tickets for city tours
- Instant room agency upon arrival

business hours: Mon-Fri 9:00-17:30. Sat 10:00-15:00

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Fax: +49 511 12345-112

E-Mail: info@hannover-tourismus.de

Web: www.visit-hannover.com/en/touristinfo



#### Accommodation service team

We are your professional partner for arranging accommodation. Our flexible and highly qualified staff will do all the necessary work to ensure that you and your guests find the type of accommodation you are looking for. We have a big selection of hotels and private rooms in and around Hannover.

Tel.: +49 511 12345-555

Fax: +49 511 12345-556

E-mail: hotels@hannover-tourismus.de www.visit-hannover.com/en/hotels

We are at your service:

Mon - Thur 09:00 - 17:00 & Fri 09:00 - 16:00

#### The Red Thread

The Red Thread is painted on the pavement, is 4,200 metres long, and weaves its way through the inner city joining up 36 prime attractions. All you have to do is follow The Red Thread. The brochure is available at the Tourist Information office in 10 different languages.



The Red Thread

<sup>\*</sup> Special conditions for 1-day-arrangements apply.

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#### General Terms and Conditions for travel services concerning package deals of Hannover Marketing und Tourismus GmbH

#### Dear Customer

The following terms and conditions have been formulated to provide you with detailed information about the package deals. These Terms and Conditions for Package Deals become an integral part of the travel contract where relevant, which you have concluded with Hannover Marketing und Tourismus GmbH – hereinafter "HMTG" – as the tour operator. These Terms and Conditions for Package Deals apply exclusively to the package deals organised by HMTG. **They do not apply to the arrangement of third party services (e.g. guided tours and admission tickets – insofar as they are not part of the package deal), and not to contracts for accommodation services or their arrangement.** 

#### 1 | Scope of application - subject matter of contract

- 1.1 The following General Terms and Conditions (hereinafter referred to as GTC) are applicable to the rendering of travel services under the contract between Hannover Marketing and Tourismus GmbH, Vahrenwalder Str. 7, 30165 Hannover, Germany (hereinafter referred to as HMTG) and the customer(s) booking a trip with HMTG (hereinafter referred to as Customer).
- 1.2 The Customer's contractual partner is: Hannover Marketing und Tourismus GmbH Vahrenwalder Str. 7, 30165 Hanover Managing Director: Hans Christian Nolte Registered office: Hanover, Germany Court of registry: Amtsgericht Hannover
- 1.3 These GTC of HMTG are applicable to both consumers and businesspersons, unless the respective clause differentiates between the two
- 1.4 Consumers are defined in terms of these GTC pursuant to Section 13 of the German Civil Code (BGB) as natural persons, who conclude a legal transaction with HMTG for a purpose that can be attributed neither to their commercial nor to their self-employed professional occupation.
- 1.5 Businesspersons are defined in terms of these GTC pursuant to Section 14 of the German Civil Code (BGB) as natural or legal persons or partnerships with legal capacity, who, in concluding a legal transaction with HMTG, are acting in performance of their commercial or self-employed professional occupation. A partnership with legal capacity is defined as a partnership that has the capacity to acquire rights and enter into liabilities. A customer, who constitutes a public special fund, shall also be deemed a businessperson in this sense.

#### 2 I Offer and contract conclusion

- 2.1 The travel offers that are presented on the website with the URL http://www.hannover-tourismus.de and in catalogues/brochures of HMTG, do not constitute an offer for concluding a contract. The Customer, however, may make a binding offer for the conclusion of a contract to HMTG.
- 2.2 When using the website with the URL http://www.hannover-tourismus.de, the Customer places a binding offer and the contract is concluded in accordance with the following procedure: the Customer chooses the desired travel services and the desired travel period. After clicking the "Details and Enquiries" button, the Customer is requested to enter his or her personal data. By clicking the "Enquiry" or "Make binding booking" button, the Customer makes an offer for concluding a binding contract. The Customer's offer is based on the services associated with the chosen travel as specified on the website with the URL http://www.hannover-tourismus.de. Until clicking the "Send" button, the Customer can correct his or her entries at any time by operating the mouse and keyboard in the usual manner. Furthermore, by clicking the back and forward buttons of the browser in use, the Customer can return to the respective previous page of the booking procedure. After clicking the "Send" button, correction of the entries is no longer possible. HMTG can accept the Customer's offer by sending a binding booking confirmation.
  An automatic response confirming receipt of the booking does not constitute acceptance of the Customer's offer.
  The contract is thus concluded by means of the Customer's offer and the acceptance of such offer by HMTG.
- 2.3 Alternatively, the Customer can also make a booking by usual means of correspondence (letter, facsimile, telephone, e-mail). In the event that a booking is made via e-mail, the Customer will receive an electronic confirmation that the booking was received without undue delay. Here, the declaration of acceptance does not require a specific form; oral confirmations and confirmations by telephone are also legally binding for the Customer and for HMTG.
- 2.4 The text of the contract is saved by HMTG, but is not accessible by the Customer. HMTG therefore recommends that Customers print the booking information for their own file.
- 2.5 The information specified on the website with the URL http://www.hannover-tourismus.de or in the brochures/ catalogues of HMTG forms the exclusive basis of the services offered by HMTG. Any information in hotel guides or similar directories that were not published by HMTG are not binding for HMTG and its obligation to perform, unless these specifications were agreed expressly between the Customer and HMTG.
- 2.6 In the event that HMTG makes a special offer at the Customer's request, then this special offer shall, notwith-standing the above provisions, constitute a binding offer to conclude a contract by HMTG to the Customer. In this case, the contract comes into force without requiring another confirmation by HMTG if the Customer accepts this offer within a period that is likewise specified in the offer without making any entries or changes or amendments and by either an express declaration, a down payment, final payment or by availing him or herself of the travel services.
- 2.7 If the brochure, the travel documents or any of the other declarations expressly or clearly state third-party services to be brokered, HMTG only acts in the capacity of travel agent. In the case of these brokered travel services, HMTG's contractual liability as agent shall be excluded, unless intent or gross negligence are in evidence, material duties under the travel agent contract are affected or if warranted characteristics are lacking. Here, HMTG is in principle only liable for the agency, but not for the brokered services (see Sections 675, 631 of the German Civil Code (BGB)). This limitation does not apply in cases of injury to travellers' life, limb or health.
- 2.8 The official languages of the contract are German and English.

#### 3 | No right of withdrawal under distance selling contracts for travel services

The right of withdrawal which consumers are generally entitled to when they conclude distance selling contracts, is, pursuant to Section 312g (2) Sentence 1 No. 9 of the German Civil Code (BGB), not applicable to services offered in the field of leisure activities if the contract provides that such services are rendered on a certain date or within a certain period. Due to the aforementioned statutory provision, the customer therefore has no right of withdrawal with regard to the travel services booked on the website with the URL http://www.hannover-tourismus.de or, if applicable, via telephone, letter, facsimile or e-mail, based on offers in brochures/catalogues of HMTG and the corresponding distance selling contract.

#### 4 | Services, changes to service

- 4.1 The services offered by HMTG are based exclusively on the contents of the booking confirmation in connection with the underlying specifications of the respective package deal and on all the notes and explanations included in the information that forms the basis of the booking. To the extent that the Customer expresses special wished when making the booking, such special wishes are not binding for HMTG, although HMTG will endeavour to meet these wishes.
- 4.2 Service providers, in particular companies offering accommodation, are not authorised to make promises or agreements that exceed or contradict the description of the travel or the booking confirmation or change the confirmed content of the travel contract.
- 4.3 Any material changes or amendments to the services specified in the description or to the travel conditions must be expressly agreed upon with HMTG.
- 4.4 Changes to or deviations of individual travel services from the contents of the travel contract that are required after conclusion of the contract and are not caused by HMTG in bad faith, are only admissible to the extent that such changes or deviations are not material and do not impact the overall design of the booked package deal.
  Any warranty claims that might exist shall remain unaffected to the extent that the changed service is defective.
- 4.5 HMTG shall be obliged to inform its Customers without undue delay on any changes to or deviations of the services. If applicable, HMTG shall offer the Customer a no fee rebooking or cancellation.

#### 5 I Down payment/final paymen

- 5.1 The Customer is obliged to pay the agreed price for the booked travel services. All prices include the statutory VAT of the Federal Republic of Germany.
- 5.2 A down payment amounting to 10% of the total price shall be due upon contract conclusion against handover of a confirmation and a guarantee certificate. The down payment shall be offset against the price of the travel package.
- 5.3 The final payment shall be due no later than four (4) weeks before commencement of travel, provided the guarantee certificate has been handed over and unless another payment date was agreed in individual cases. In the event of bookings at short notice that are made later than four (4) weeks before commencement of travel, the total travel price is payable in one sum immediately. Payment is also possible via PayPal or credit card (Visa or MasterCard), insofar as not stated otherwise in the booking instructions.
- $5.4\,\mbox{The}$  obligation to hand over a guarantee certificate does not apply if
- a) the travel has a duration of no more than 24 hours, does not include overnight stay and the price of the travel package does not exceed EUR 50.00 per person.
- b) the agreed travel services do not include transport from or to the travel destination or if it was agreed
  that the entire price of the travel package is only payable to HMTG or the accommodation after the travel
  or the end of the stay.
- 5.5 Provided that HMTG is prepared and able to render the contractually agreed services and the Customer fails to make the down payment or final payment or fails to make these payments in full at the agreed due dates, without there being a contractual or statutory right of retention, HMTG shall be entitled to withdraw from the contract after sending a reminder and setting a period for payment and to claim compensation from the Customer in the amount of the corresponding cancellation fee in accordance with item 8 of these GTC.

#### 6 | Liability for defects

- 6.1 HMTG shall be liable for travel defects in accordance with the statutory provisions.
- 6.2 The tour representative is not entitled to recognise any claims asserted by the Customer on the basis of warranty for defects.
- 6.3 HMTG does not give the Customer any guarantees as per the legal definition.
- 6.4 Claims due to defects come under the statute of limitations after one year, starting from the date on which the travel was scheduled to end as per the contract.
- 6.5 Item 7 of these GTC shall apply to claims for damages due to defect die HMTG verpflichtet, bei den Leistungsträgern die Erstattung ersparter Aufwendungen sowie erzielter Erlöse aus der Verwertung der nicht in Anspruch genommenen Leistungen zu erreichen. Dieses gilt nicht, wenn völlig unerhebliche Leistungen betroffen sind oder wenn einer Erstattung gesetzliche oder behördliche Bestimmungen entgegenstehen.

#### 7 | Liability for damage

- 7.1 The liability of HMTG for breach of contractual duties and tort shall be limited to intent and gross negligence. This does not apply to injury to life, limb or health of the traveller(s) and claims due to breach of material duties, i.e. duties that are based on the nature of the contract and duties, the violation of which endangers reaching the purpose of the contract. In this respect, HMTG shall be liable for every degree of fault.
- 7.2 To the extent that HMTG is liable for other damage due to the travel contract, the liability shall be limited to three times the price of the travel package. This limitation of liability shall apply even if the damage occurrence was caused by the fault of a service provider.
- 7.3 The contractual liability of HMTG shall be excluded entirely or limited to the extent that the liability of a service provider is likewise excluded or limited due to international treaties or statutory regulations that are based on such treaties that are applicable to the services to be rendered by such service provider.
- 7.4 HMTG shall be liable for claims for compensation of property damages based on tort that were not caused by intent or gross negligence up to an amount of EUR 4,100.00 per Customer and travel, or up to three times the amount of the price of the travel package if this exceeds EUR 4,100.00.
- 7.5 To the extent that liability for damage that is not based on injury to life, limb or health of the Customer is not excluded for ordinary negligence, such claims shall come under the statute of limitations after one year, starting from the date the claim came into existence.

#### 8 | Withdrawal by the Customer/cancellation

- 8.1 The Customer can withdraw from the contract at any time before commencement of travel by means of written declaration.
- 8.2 If the Customer withdraws from the contract, HMTG may request appropriate compensation for the preparation of the travel and expenses thus incurred. The cancellation compensation amounts to:
- up to the 31st day before commencement of travel 10%
- as from the 30th until the 21st day before commencement of travel 20%
- as from the 20th until the 12th day before commencement of travel 40%
- as from the 11th until the 3rd day before commencement of travel 60%
- as from the 3rd day before commencement of travel and failure to commence the travel 90% of the price of the travel package.

The Customer is free to provide evidence that HMTG did not suffer any or a lower damage.

8.3 Notwithstanding the above lump-sum compensations, HMTG reserves the right to demand higher, specific compensation of damages. In this case, HMTG shall be obliged to specify the exact amount of the requested compensation and evidence thereof, thereby accounting for any saved expenses and a potential other use of the travel services.

8.4 In the event that the Customer wishes to make modifications or change the booking after conclusion of the contract with respect to the travel dates, accommodation, type of board or other services, HMTG may request a lump-sum handling fee in the amount of EUR 15.00 if the modifications or booking changes are made, provided that HMTG does not provide evidence of a higher compensation request based on the respective information by the Customer, the amount of which is determined on the basis of the price of the travel package less the value of the expenses saved by HMTG and on the basis of the amount that HMTG can generate by using the travel services differently. The Customer only has a legal claim to the desired modifications or booking changes being carried out to the extent that the realisation is actually possible. Customers shall declare their wish to make modifications or change bookings by no later than the 31st day before commencement of travel. After this time, modifications and changes to bookings are only possible by withdrawal from the travel contract and rebooking in accordance with the cancellation provisions stated above. This does not apply to booking changes that incur only minor costs.

8.5 In the event of withdrawal and changes to bookings, any cost incurred in returning or changing booked admission tickets shall be paid separately together with the handling fee or cancellation compensation as per item
8.4, unless HMTG succeeds in using the tickets in another way.

8.6 Until commencement of travel the Customer may be replaced with a third party, provided that such third party meets the specific travel requirements and his or her participation does not conflict with statutory regulations or official orders and provided that we do not object to such participation for the aforementioned reasons. The Customer and the third party shall be jointly liable vis-à-vis HMTG for the price of the travel package. The Customer and the third party shall further be jointly liable vis-à-vis HMTG for any additional cost incurred by the third party's

8.7 In the event that a travel is discontinued due to circumstances that lie within the responsibility of the Customer (e.g. illness), HMTG shall be obliged to achieve that service providers reimburse saved expenses and any proceeds generated from the utilisation of the services that were not used by the Customer. This shall not apply, if entirely immaterial services are concerned of if reimbursement conflicts with statutory provisions or provisions by the authorities.

#### 9 | Withdrawal of travel organiser because the minimum number of participants was not reached

- 9.1 HMTG shall be entitled to withdraw from the contract if the minimum number of participants as specified in the offer or travel confirmation is not reached. HMTG shall declare its withdrawal to the Customer before the remainder of the travel price falls due, but no later than the 14th day before the agreed commencement of travel. If it becomes apparent at an earlier date that the minimum number of participants cannot be reached, HMTG shall exercise its right of withdrawal without undue delay.
- 9.2 The Customer shall receive repayments of the price of the travel package already paid, unless he or she exercises his or her right to book another travel from the offering of HMTG with at least equal value.

#### 10 I Note on data protection

- 10.1 The HMTG collects data on customers/guests within the context of contact processing. In so doing HMTG acts in compliance with the provisions of the German Data Protection Act BDSG and the German Telemedia Act.
- 10.2 The HMTG stores the following data whenever its website is accessed: name of accessed web page, file, date/time, data volume transferred, report on successful access, type of browser/version, operating system, previously visited page and IP address. The HMTG uses this data for statistical purposes in providing its offer.
- 10.3 The data transmitted by the customer is stored for the purpose of processing the enquiry or in the case of tourism bookings, to process the order/contract and data is sent to the service provider for the purpose of processing the booking and order/contract processing (e.g. because of payment/guarantee/contact) and is stored for this purpose.
- 10.4 If the customer leaves any comments or other contributions on the website, the IP address is stored. This has the purpose of making identification of the responsible party easier in the case of possible illegal comments/ contributions by third parties. The HMTG reserves the right to hide or delete any improper, unjustified, insulting or discriminatory comments.
- 10.5 If the customer has made personal data available to HMTG this data will be used for the purpose of answering enquiries or processing contracts and will only be transferred to third parties or otherwise forwarded if this is necessary for the purpose of contract processing. HMTG would also like to provide customers with written information in the future about current offers insofar as it is not apparent to HMTG that the customer does not wish this to happen. If the customer does not wish to receive such information, the customer may advise HMTG accordingly.
- 10.6 The online transfer of customer data takes place using SSL encoding. This ensures that customer data cannot be accessed by unauthorised third parties during transmission.
- 10.7 The HMTG is entitled at all times to contact the customer in response to service provider reports in order to check correctness of data.
- 10.8 Customer has the right to revoke the consent granted for the storage of personal data with future effect. The deletion of the stored personal data takes place if the customer revokes the consent to storage, if knowledge of such data is no longer necessary to fulfil the purpose intended for the storage of the data or if the storage of personal data is no longer permitted for other legal reasons. Data for accounting purposes and bookkeeping purposes are not affected by the request for deletion.
- 10.9 Upon written request HMTG shall inform customer and/or guest about personal data stored. The request should be addressed to: Hannover Marketing & Tourismus GmbH, Vahrenwalder Str. 7, 30165 Hannover

#### 11 | Termination due to force majeure and for reasons based on behaviour

- 11.1 In the event that the travel is hampered, endangered or impaired significantly due to reasons of force majeure that were not foreseeable upon contract conclusion, the travel contract may be terminated by either party. Section 651j (2) of the German Civil Code (BGB) shall apply with regard to restitution.
- 11.2 HMTG is entitled to terminate the travel contract without observing a notice period if the Customer disturbs permanently despite a warning by HMTG or if the Customer behaves contrary to the contract to such an extent that the immediate annulment of the travel contract is justified. In case of such a termination, HMTG is still entitled to receive the price of the travel package; HMTG must, however, offset the value of the saved expenses and the advantages that were obtained from using the services that the Customer did not use otherwise, including any amounts credited to the Customer by the service providers.

#### 12 | Required form of declarations

Legally material declarations to be made by the Customer vis-à-vis HMTG or third parties must generally be made in writing, unless otherwise agreed or otherwise stipulated in these GTC.

#### 13 l Place of performance – choice of law – place of jurisdiction

- 13.1 Unless otherwise provided for in the contract, the place of performance and payment shall be the registered office of HMTG. The statutory regulations regarding place of jurisdiction shall remain unaffected, unless the special provision in item 12.3 stipulates otherwise.
- 13.2 Only the laws of the Federal Republic of Germany are applicable. If the customer is a consumer, the mandatory provisions of the state where that customer has his or her usual abode remain unaffected thereby.
- 13.3 The court with competence for the registered office of HMTG shall be the exclusive place of jurisdiction for contracts with merchants, legal entities under public law and public special funds.
- 13.4 The remaining provisions of the contract shall not be affected in the event that individual provisions of this contract are invalid or conflict with legal provisions. The invalid provision shall be replaced in mutual agreement by the contractual parties with a legally valid provision that is as close as possible to the commercial intention and purpose of the invalid provision. The above provision shall apply correspondingly to loopholes. The German version of these GTC shall prevail.

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