

Cycling Safaris

The Long Circuit around Lake Constance – 7Days 6 nights Self Guided Tour 2010



The Lake Constance cycle route is the most popular cycle route in Europe. The main highlights are the medieval towns of Konstanz, Stein, Meersburg and Lindau. In comparison to other cycle routes the daily routes are relatively short as there are a variety of places and attractions waiting to be discovered. You will be able to enjoy the amazing landscape of the lake against the backdrop of the Alps.

TOUR ITINERARY

Day 1 Individual arrival in Constance

Take the chance to visit Mainau island or take a walk through the old town of Constance. The aquariums in the Sea Life Center and the Archaeological Museum are also recommended.

Day 2 Constance – Öhningen/Diessenhofen ca. 50 km / 30 km

The first highlight is Reichenau Island, a world heritage site since 2001. A boat will then bring you over to the Höri peninsula where the writer Hermann Hesse and the artist Otto Dix once lived. You will then continue along the Upper Rhein to the medieval town of Diessenhofen with its wooden Rhein bridge.

Day 3 Öhningen/Diessenhofen – Überlingen ca.45 km / 55 km

The start of today's tour will lead you through the almost completely preserved medieval town Stein am Rhein. You will cycle along the Swiss shores of the lake back to Konstanz. In Wallhausen you will board a boat and disembark in Überlingen with its late gothic style cathedral and beautiful health resort park and lake walkway.

Day 4 Überlingen – Region Kressbronn ca. 50 km / 55 km

From Überlingen you will cycle to Friedrichshafen. You will pass by the baroque pilgrimage church of Birnau and the ancient town of Meersburg on the way. In Nonnenhorn you will reach the border crossing of the old Württemberg-Bavarian border.

