

# **PRESS RELEASE**

# Winter hiking nights in the Stubai Valley

2020 on five dates: NEW also in the area of the Serlesbahnen

Stubai Valley, 2019: Strolling through the snow-covered landscape, enjoying absolute silence, only interrupted by the snow creaking under your feet – for many people this is what makes winter hiking so fascinating. The experience of night hiking is even more appealing. This is exactly what the winter hiking nights offer four times in the Nature Active Park "Klaus Äuele" near Neustift and even once on the mountain at the Serlesbahnen in Mieders.

Stars are sparkling in the night sky, the snow-covered landscape mystically glittering in the moonlight and a quiver of expectation is in the air. The winter hiking nights boast of winter romance, tradition and lighting effects.

# Winter hiking nights in the Nature Active Park "Klaus Äuele"

On **January 9<sup>th</sup> and 23<sup>rd</sup>** as well as on **February 6<sup>th</sup> and 13<sup>th</sup>** the Winter hiking nights in the **Nature Active Park "Klaus Äuele"** offer picturesque snowy winter landscapes under a starry sky and incomparable natural impressions. On the trails lit by torches and lanterns, romantic hikes lead through the snow, accompanied by traditional music and real delicacies. In addition, exciting winter experiences await young and old: from guided torchlight hikes to curling and husky sleigh rides. Free shuttle buses run regularly from Schönberg to the event site and back. The program starts at 7.30 p.m. and goes until 10 p.m each night.

#### Serles hiking night on the mountain

How a winter hike feels like **at night on the mountain** can be experienced on the additional winter hiking night on **February 18 at the Serlesbahnen in Mieders** between 7:00 p.m. and 11:00 p.m. (last descent). It will be entertaining, fun and colorful when the area in front of the Koppeneck mountain restaurant and around the reservoir lakes is staged. The torch-lit hike, night tobogganing, sliding on the ice and curling are just as exciting as the alphorn players, DJ & live music and the children's entertainment program with jugglers, magicians and Co.

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## The STUBAITAL – Top winter pleasure

The Stubaital in Tyrol is close to the state capital of Innsbruck and can best be accessed via the Brenner motorway from Germany, Austria, Switzerland and Italy. With a length of 35 kilometres, surrounded by 80 glaciers and 109 three-thousand metre-summits, the Stubaital and its five main localities Neustift, Fulpmes, Telfes, Mieders and Schönberg presents itself as an ideal holiday region. The all-season offer attracts, above all, active holiday-makers: The Stubai Glacier, Austria's largest glacier skiing resort, offers guaranteed snow from October to June.

Since October 2016, the ultramodern **3S Eisgratbahn** with its new Valley Station, renovated intermediate and summit stations, reliably and comfortably takes 3,000 people per hour up to an altitude of 2,900 meters above sea level.

Everything young and older guests require to enjoy perfect skiing pleasures is on offer in the Stubai. Not for nothing the Stubaital has already been distinguished several times as the "family-friendliest skiing resort of the Alps". Skiing fun on perfectly groomed pistes outside the Stubai Glacier area awaits holiday-makers in three other skiing resorts as well: In the Schlick 2000 Skiing Centre in Fulpmes, the family skiing resort of the Serlesbahnen near Mieders, as well as the Elferbergbahn in Neustift. Alternative winter sports activities in the Stubai are just as popular as classical skiing.

One five-star hotel, four four-star superior hotels, 31 four-star establishments, three three-star superior hotels, 38 three-star guesthouses with high standards and approximately 4,700 beds in holiday apartments and guesthouses as well as in traditional farms and three camping sites offer comfortable accommodation for every taste.

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