



## Burg-Timer

February 2011

29.01 - 04.02.2011

*Ski Club Arlberg Week in Lech and Zürs*

20.12 - 13.03.2011

*Snow flurries on 4 wheels –  
the off-road experience in the Zugertal valley.*

Detailed information can be obtained from the Mercedes-Benz Pavillon at the Hotel Arlberg.

01.02.2011

*Vintage car cocktails*

View pictures and moving images of the 1st Arlberg Classic Car Rally at the Hotel Arlberg in Lech, from 17.00

03.02.2011

*By the spoonful - Mary Monte*

Hotel Gasthof Post, Lech

08.02.2011

*Torch-lit ski show by the Lech ski school*

A foray through the history of skiing at 21.30 at the Schlegekopfareal

10.02.2011

*ARLBERG FILM TOUR STOP OF 'As We Are'*

presented by Gore-Tex®, 19.00 – 22.00 - Postgarage Lech

15.02.2011

*By the spoonful - Lobster & Co*

Hotel Montana, Oberlech

18.02.2011

*Celebratory concert by the Lech traditional band*

um 21.00 Uhr im Burg Vital Hotel in Oberlech

18.02.2011

*By the spoonful – Drop by drop for a delicious treat*

Kristiania, Lech

19.02.2011

*By the spoonful - Midnight tasting*

Fux Restaurant+Bar, Lech

25.02 - 26.02.2011

*zibob® world challenge*

Cross and downhill challenge at the Lech – Oberlech mountain railway

26.02.2011

*By the spoonful - Gantenbein & Gantenbein*

Hotel Almhof Schneider, Lech

29.04. – 01.05.2011 BURG SPRING FESTIVAL!

Friday, 29.04.2011

from 13.00: at the Kriegeralpe – Das Tauern Echo  
from 22.30: at the Burg Bar – Concord

Saturday, 30.04.2011

from 13.00: Burg Open Air – Die Partyvögel  
from 22.30: at the Burg Bar – Die Rock Pirates

Sunday, 01.05.2011

from 13.00: Burg Open Air – Dolce Vita

## Franz Profanter "The Professional" - the man for everything at BURG for the past 34 years

He did his mechanics apprenticeship as a young man in Southern Tyrol. When asked the question of how he came to work at Burg, he answers in his charming, shy way. "I was signed off sick due to a car accident. And it meant I could go and see my sister at Burg. And she already worked back then for the Lucian family."

Franz has been in charge of all repairs and that the guests have their luggage in their rooms quickly.

Almost for the same time he has been married to his wife Gerlinde now for 31 years. "Gerlinde was a chambermaid at Burg," says Franz with a cheeky smile on his face when asked on how he met his wife. "Gerlinde works today at Burg Vital," he adds.

Their sons Florian (19), who does his university entrance exam this year and Markus (30), who lives in Vienna, are the couple's pride and joy. And Franz is also very proud of the Lucian family and on how Burg developed

**Only his bosses and Franz know every nook and cranny of the Burg.**

"Since I worked at Burg, there has been renovation,

extension and refurbishment every single year. No stone remained untouched. Every season there is something new. This year for example we get a new fitness room and new rooms," comments Franz the innovative power of the Lucian family.

**Did you know, that without Franz you probably would get lost in the Burg?**

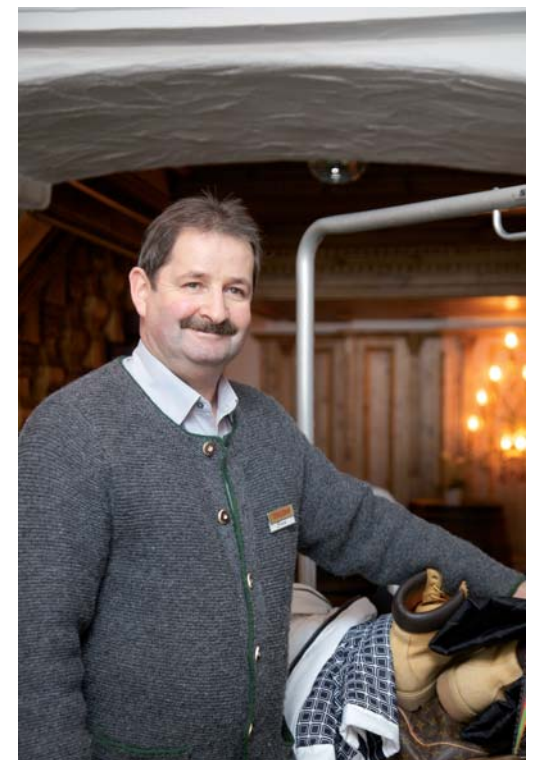
Franz installed the entire signage in the Burg and is therefore responsible for the fact that each guest can find his or her way around the hotel easily.

**Maria from reception says about Franz:**

"Without Franz there would always be something broken. He is simply a nice guy and always in a good mood. Franz is also up for a joke. He supports our work on reception and is incredibly reliable."

**And what does Franz do when he doesn't work?**

He goes skiing, plays golf in summer and now and then he goes bowling.



# The best from the BURG Summer – a preview



## **BURG Golf Trophy 2011: 9 – 16 July** **Play with us on one of Europe's** **most beautiful greens**

Package price per person: € 1,160 including:

- 7 nights/ gourmet half-board package in a comfortable double room or single room
- Green fees on the listed courses
- Transfer to the golf courses
- Starting gift
- Catering during training and tournaments
- Alternative programme for non-golfers (package price for non-golfers without alternative programme € 750 per person)

### **Alternative programme for accompanying non-golfers:**

Sunday breakfast at the Kriegeralpe  
Daily guided walks, Nordic Walking...  
Individual beauty programme worth €410

**You can obtain detailed information from Monika Seelhofer at reception.**

## **Tennis and sport camp with** **Gilbert Schaller, 16. – 20.07.2011**

This 'Summer freshness with a difference' aims to improve tennis skill and personal fitness – with plenty of professional tips on offer, many an opponent will be surprised...

- Gilbert Schaller (former ATP no. 17, Davis Cup Captain and ÖTV Sports Director)
- Florian Matt – Technique analysis
- Claudia Nemeč (former synchronised swimmer) – Nutritional coach
- Thomas Ebster (former professional cyclist and BSA trainer) – strength and endurance training

Package price incl. 4 nights/ full-board (lunch & evening meal – adapted to training programme) and training programme as detailed above plus all of the usual Burg Hotel services.

Package price per person € 897  
in a comfortable double room

Package price per person € 949  
in a single room

## **For wine lovers – BURG young winegrower** **gathering 2011, 03. – 06.07.2011**

There are lots of excellent wine-growers in Austria and it's not easy to get established. The BURG young winegrower gathering 2011 aims to help young Austrian wine-growers to do just that. The name Lucian stands for a significant wine-growing tradition and as such the BURG young winegrower gathering is a matter of great concern for our family.

- Sunday, 3 July 2011, guests arrive
- Monday, 4 July 2011, Alpine Safari, extensive tasting of the winegrowers' wines
- Tuesday, 5 July 2011, mountain breakfast at the Kriegeralpe, public wine tasting, evening at the mountain hut
- Wednesday, 6 July 2011, breakfast together then guests depart

Package price per person: 3 days € 330



## Factbox

**278**

km of ski descents are available to Winter sports fans on the Arlberg in addition to 180 km of deep snow descents

**7,710**

guest beds in 288 establishments are available for guests in Lech to use as well as 1,424 beds in Zürs in 18 3 to 5 star hotels.

**6600**

members from over 44 different nations are part of the Arlberg ski club, which was founded in 1901. They include celebrities such as Lech Olympic champions Trude Jochum-Beiser, Othmar Schneider, Egon Zimmermann and Patrick Ortlieb as well as other skiing greats like Karl Schranz and Mario Matt. A new member needs to have been a guest at the Arlberg for at least 3 years and must have a good knowledge of skiing – 2 SCA members are also required as 'guarantors'.

**54**

medals have been won by members of the Arlberg ski club in world championships and at the Olympic Games since it was founded.

**5**

million people are transported by the cable cars and ski lifts to the ski resort of Lech in one Winter season.

**5**

ha of woodland space are protected by fences in the Lech ski resort and fostered using indigenous mixed forests.

**100**

km is the distance to the nearest airport from Lech in Altenrhein, Switzerland. The airports of Innsbruck (A/120 km), Friedrichshafen (D/130 km), Zürich (CH/200 km), Munich (D/330 km) and Memmingen (D/166 km) are also close to the heart of the Arlberg.

**25**

mg/l is the EU threshold for nitrate content in drinking water. Spring water in Lech is 20 times less than this. Each of the springs emanating from the Schwarzbach spring in the Zugertal valley also contains an ideal combination of important minerals such as calcium, magnesium and sulphates – water found only in mineral water flows freely from the tap here!



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