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**Würzburg Christmas Market
 Guided Tours · City Train**



Würzburg Christmas Market

'Tis the season

Long tradition and lots of holiday cheer

In the heart of Old Town of Würzburg one of Germany's most picturesque and enchanting christmas markets attracts thousands of visitors every year. The tradition dates back to the early 19th century and the historical market square with its Gothic chapel and abundance of baroque architecture provide a charming christmas card scene. Choose from the large holiday ornament and décor display ranging from artful glass, straw, pewter and pottery to wooden toys. Sample the delicious christmas cookies and roasted almonds, and sip the traditional Glühwein, a famous hot spiced red wine. Get into the christmas spirit and join us for some holiday fun!

Overview

Booths: 100 traders

Locations: upper and lower market square

Dates: November 27 – December 23, 2015

Opening hours: Monday – Saturday 10 am – 8:30 pm

Sunday 11 am – 8:30 pm

Bus parking: Friedensbrücke, a 10-minute walk to the town center

Würzburg by City Train

Gain an understanding of Würzburg's art, history, and culture by taking one of the many regularly scheduled guided tours with the city train.

November 27 – 30, December 1 – 23 and 26 – 31, 2015

January 2 – 6, 2016

daily 11 am, 12 am, 1 pm, 2 pm, 3 pm

Duration: 40 minutes

Tickets: Adults € 8,- / Students / Children € 6, –

at the stop of the City Train in front of the Residence Palace (Residenzplatz / Balthasar-Neumann-Promenade) or

at the Tourist Information, Falkenhaus on Market Square,

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Guided walking tours for groups

First, you'll visit the chapel of St. Mary featuring late 15th century sandstone sculptures by Tilman Riemenschneider. Other highlights include the Falkenhaus and its elaborate Rococo façade, the historic town hall building and the Romanesque cathedral St. Kilian. From the old bridge Alte Mainbrücke, you will enjoy fantastic views of the fortress Marienberg, the pilgrimage church Käppele and the famous vineyards.

Next it is off to the Residence, one of Europe's most renowned baroque castles, a UNESCO World Heritage Site. The castle was built by Balthasar Neumann and features a much acclaimed staircase with awe inspiring frescos by the Venetian artist Tiepolo. Also, you will tour the imperial hall and the mirror cabinet. A visit to the Residence should be a mandatory part of any visit to Würzburg!

Duration: approx. 3 hours

Costs: € 119 plus entrance fee to the Residence Palace (adults € 7,50, groups of 15 participants and more € 6,50 per person) Group size limited to 35 persons.

Information, guided tours, hotel reservations:

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