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Tour 2 - scenic tour

BUS TOUR to Vienna Alps - Mount Schneeberg region: Heinisch Fisch and Oberwasser

Date: Monday, September 18th
Time: 09h00 to 17h00.
Cost: € 50 per person, including bus, visit to the farms, lunch at Hotel Kaiser Franz Josef
Maximum number of persons: 60

Book early to ensure your place! https://www.aquaeas.org/Registration/Submit/AE2023

The excursion departs from the Messe Wien Exhibition and Conference Centre. With the bus it is a scenic 1,5 hrs trip through the Piestingtal to Schwarzau im Gebirge. This region inspired poets, composers and painters in the first half of 19th century and is thus called Biedermeiertal. The Schneeberg with it’s 2076 m-high towers above the whole region.

Heinisch Fisch https://www.heinischfisch.at/ is a very romantic organic fish farm, breeding lake-, brown- and brook trout. Not only the material the farm was built of, also the water supply comes from the Schwarza well region.

In contrast Oberwasser is a very modern and new built trout farm with raceways with 650 l/s creek water and a hatchery with 35 l/s well water. The influent is protected with drum filters; automatic Schauer feeding system and water monitoring are standard. Also, fish slaughtering happens on the farm. Here chars, lake-, brown- and brook trout are reared.

After the farms there is a lunch at Hotel Kaiser Franz Josef in Rohr im Gebirge, with a menu made of organic trout from Heinisch Fisch, soup, salat and one drink in price included.

The bus will then take you back to the Messe Wien Exhibition and Conference Center.