



## Ginzling Faction

### Interesting facts about the Mayrhofen-Hippach Holiday Region

#### Geographical location:

Ginzling is situated in the Upper Zillertal Valley at 999 m above sea level, at the confluence of the Zemmtal and Floitengrund valleys. While the area to the west of Zemmbach River belongs to Finkenberg municipality and is known as the Dornauberg Faction, the area to the east appertains to Mayrhofen municipality, as the village of Ginzling. Zemmbach River, which flows into the Ziller, forms not only the municipal but also the diocesan border (the west belongs to the diocese of Innsbruck, the east to the archdiocese of Salzburg.) The Zillertal Road ends at the village, where it merges into the private, Schlegeis Alpine toll road. Pfitscher Joch can be reached from Ginzling. Ginzling has its own village council and postcode.

#### Getting there

- Car:** Via the Inntalautobahn A12 (Inn Valley Motorway) until the exit for Zillertal, then 30 km along the Zillertaler Bundesstraße B169
- Rail:** Travel to Jenbach (inter-city station) then take the Zillertalbahn train or bus service for the remaining 35km to Mayrhofen Ginzling is another circa 10 km from Mayrhofen.
- Plane:** Munich Airport / Franz-Josef-Strauß – 190 km  
Salzburg Airport / Max-Glan – 175 km  
Innsbruck Airport – 75 km

#### Places of interest

- “ Assumption of Mary” Parish Church
- Schlegeis High Alpine Road and Schlegeis Reservoir
- Nature Park House: where you will find the headquarters of Nature Park Zillertal, Ginzling Administration Offices, the alpine and regional library, as well as the family-friendly adventure exhibition, Gletscher.Welten (Glacier Worlds):
- Nature Park Glacier Trail, Berliner Hut
- Climbing- & Bouldering Region
- “Die Dornauberger Riesen - The Dornauberg Giants” themed trail
- Wonderful mountain refuge huts, such as the Olperer Hut, Greizer Hut, Berliner Hut, and many more.
- Floiten lift: small ski area in the heart of Ginzling.
- Ginzling Winter Magic: tobogganing, skiing, snowtubing, cross-country skiing, ski touring & snowshoe tours

#### Infrastructure

- Nature Park House
- Multi-purpose building
- Sports field & forest playground
- Guesthouses



## Cuisine

The range of culinary delights extends from snack bars and rustic alpine huts, to traditional inns.

Zillertal cuisine has its own inimitable flair, with traditional recipes handed down the generations: strange sounding but delicious tasting dishes such as Graukassuppe, Schlichtanudeln, Zillertaler Krapfen and Zerggl, simply melt on the tongue. Many inns and taverns still serve traditional Zillertal fare made to original recipes, such as “farmer’s roast, cheese and spinach noodles, dairyman’s omelette, roasted liver, potato pan, bacon dumpling soup, filled pasta served with browned butter and butter milk pancakes”.

## SUMMER

### Hiking in the Mayrhofen-Hippach holiday region.

Over 532 km of marked hiking trails, Zillertal Alps Nature Park summer programme, “Die Ewigen Jagdgründe” climbing and bouldering area in Ginzling, Adlerweg (Eagle Walk) Zillertal variant, Berliner Höhenweg tour, Peter Habeler Route, Alpine Crossing, reservoirs: Stillup, Zillergrund, Schlegeis; two mountain ascent options with state-of-the-art cable cars directly from the village, mounts Ahorn and Penken, large selection of hiking options (well signposted).

### Outdoor, adventures & more

Summer skiing on the Hintertux Glacier, rafting, flying fox, abseiling station, giant swing, canyoning, tubing, paragliding, hang-gliding, kayaking, paintball, mini-golf, tennis, squash, hunting, fishing, swimming, archery, geocaching, mountain bike, e-bike & racing bike tours, guided mountain & bike tours, run and walk park, easy trail, bouldering, via ferrata & climbing courses and much more.

## WINTER

### Mountain adventures

Zillertal Superskipass (use of all lifts in the Zillertal Valley including the Hintertux Glacier). Free ski buses throughout the entire Zillertal Valley! 2 cable car systems in the immediate vicinity: Penken: at 1,800 m and Ahorn: at 1,955 m; a total of 60 lifts and 142 km of slopes, the Horbergbahn lift in Schwendau (at 1,645 m) and Möslbahn lift at Schwendberg (at 1,915 m), 9 ski and 8 snowboard schools throughout the region.

### Away from the slopes

There is also plenty of opportunity to indulge in winter adventures of a special kind away from the regular slopes.

- 11 cross country ski trails with a total length of 35 km
- 98 km cleared winter hiking trails
- 4 natural toboggan runs, and the longest floodlit toboggan run in Zillertal (7.5 km)
- Ice skating and curling at the artificial ice rink
- Horse-drawn sleigh rides
- Snowshoe hiking, snow tubing, ice climbing
- Guided ski tours
- Swimming and sauna at Erlebnisbad Mayrhofen leisure pool and much more.

Further information can be found under: [www.mayrhofen.at](http://www.mayrhofen.at) or [www.mayrhofen.at/presse/](http://www.mayrhofen.at/presse/)