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## SkiWelt News Winter 2008-09

### SkiWelt Brixen im Thale:

#### **New 8-seater gondola lift From the new valley station up to the Westendorf Choralpe**

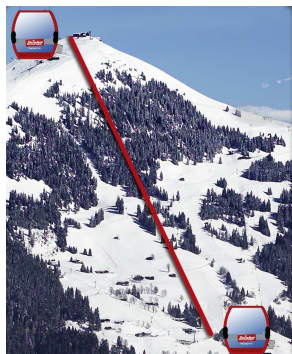
Descent: 5.5 km with 1,020 m difference in altitude

Starting in the 2008/09 winter season, a conveyor belt and drag lift will take skiers and boarders from the end of the ski run in the vicinity of the Brixen bathing lake directly to the new valley station. This is being built on the opposite side of the road from the existing sun-facing lift station. The two buildings will be connected by a bridge over the Brixental main road.



### **For the first time in the world!!!**

The drag lift – called the **Sonnenlift** – is **solar**-powered. The solar panels are fitted to the south-facing side of the new valley station. The energy produced means that the lift can be powered **100%** by solar energy. Even in bad weather, the facility will have enough stored energy to be capable of operating only by solar power.



### SkiWelt Hopfgarten-Itter-Kelchsau:

#### **REAL hot...the new 8-seater cable car with heated seats!**

A highlight at SkiWelt – the first cable car equipped with heated seats! The new lift transports skiers from the middle lift station straight up to the Hohe Salve in **just 5.67 minutes!** It replaces the 1-seater chairlift from Rigi on the Hohe Salve. The 3-seater chairlift from the middle lift station to Rigi will continue to run.

### SkiWelt Westendorf: **New 8-seater Choralmbahn gondola lift:**

From Windau station up to the Choralpe - this replaces the 1-seater chairlift (No.112) and goes to the new mountain station.



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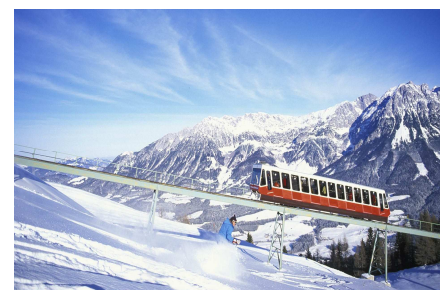
REALLY orange...is the new detachable 6-seater chair lift **Siller-Keat**, additionally equipped with a heated seat and a hood.



### **SkiWelt Scheffau:**



The Jochstuben reservoir is being extended from approx. 70,000 m<sup>3</sup> to **170,000 m<sup>3</sup>**. The artificial snowmaking capacity is thus being increased from 250 l/sec to **410 l/sec**. In Scheffau there are in total 150 snowmakers, of which 92 are lances and 58 canons.



### **SkiWelt Ellmau:**

Full complement of snowmakers with towers and lances on the Hartkaiservalley descent to the halfway station and on the blue "Köglbahn" ski run. Construction of a new fill pipe from the valley to the Rubezahl pumping station. Improvement by **50 l/sec** at the Rubezahl pumping station, also with new equipment up to the mountain.

## **SkiWelt Events in Winter 2008-09**

### **SkiWelt Winter Opening in Söll:**

From **12th to 14th December 2008** with live bands



**12.12. 2008 - Söll Zwoa-Light-Parallel Race** (Night slalom) ([www.wilderkaiser.info](http://www.wilderkaiser.info))

The **"Die Jungen Zillertaler"** get the weekend off to a rousing start on the opening evening (12.12.08) with familiar pieces such as "Auf der Bruck trara" or "Tannenzapfenzupfen". On Saturday one new highlight after another adds to the action and ambiance till deep into the night: after tough ski tests in Hochsöll, the atmosphere on the Saturday evening then reaches boiling point- even if the thermometer outside is registering quite different temperatures. The band "Frontal", recognised as the best party band in Germany in 2007, intensifies the mood until finally the "Hermes House Band" with party favourites such as "Che Sera Sera" and "I will survive" brings everything to a mighty climax.



**Entrance Friday: Free!**  
**Entrance Saturday: Advance purchase €11.00 On the door €13.00**

**Attractive package deals from €119.00 per person** (2-day ski pass, 2 nights accommodation, entrance to the party tent) to be found at [www.skiwelt.at](http://www.skiwelt.at)!

### **Super ski weeks 2008/09**

From the beginning of the season **to 21st December 2008** & **from 15th March 2009** to the end of the season you can enjoy special cheap skiing at SkiWelt Wilder Kaiser-Brixental, with a week's package offered by selected providers. More information at [www.skiwelt.at](http://www.skiwelt.at)

### **7th January 2009**

**Ladies' Skiing Day** - from **7th January 2009** women can ski every Wednesday with a day or part-day card at the child rate!

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### **22nd January 2009**

#### **FIS – Night slalom in Westendorf at World Cup standard with stars close enough to touch**

First-class slalom and skiing stars within touching distance – that is what is on offer at the “Hahnenkamm Warmup Night Slalom” at SkiWelt Wilder Kaiser - Brixental in Westendorf. The best slalom skiers in the world use this FIS race, with arguably the strongest possible field for a “normal” event, as an opportunity for a last test under race conditions before the Hahnenkamm Slalom on the Ganslernhang slope. The 21st international FIS Alpenrosenpokal takes place on Thursday, 22nd January on the floodlit night ski run in the centre of Westendorf.



#### **The programme:**

- **6 pm: start of the first heat**
- **8.30 pm: start of the second heat**
- **followed by victory ceremony --- Entrance: €4.00**

### **31st January 2009**

#### **Mountains in Motion**

#### **At the valley station of the Bergbahn Scheffau am Wilden Kaiser**

A concert event of superlatives - with artists from the contemporary pop and rock scene!

### **13th February 2009**

#### **The “Jump & Freeze” in Westendorf celebrates its 13th event.**

From small beginnings the “Jump & Freeze” has developed over recent years into a top international event. All the major TV channels carry regular reports at carnival time on this fun event in the Tyrolean mountains. In line with the media attention there has been a constant increase in the numbers of participants and spectators. We are again expecting numerous participants to jump into the pool filled with 20,000 litres of ice-cold water, watched by nearly 10,000 spectators.



### **Boarders Playground - EVENTS 2008/2009**

#### **10 years BP Projects / a celebrity statement / 5. - 6. 12. 2008**

BP / WE AR.T Coop / Charityproject, Gala, 10 Jahresparty Alpenrosensaal

#### **SHRED DAYS + PARTY NIGHTS 17.01. + 14.02.2008**

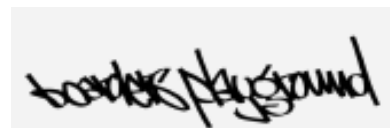
Shredheadz clubsession at boarders playground Foto+ Filmshooting, coaching, barbeque im BP Park / Party in der KARAT Bar

#### **Ä SHRED DOWN / 10 years anniversary / 6. - 7. 03. 2009**

Pro + Rookie slopestyle contest im BP / night session at the ‘Skiwiese’  
10 years Shred Down Party feat. MAT the ALIEN / Alpenrosensaal

#### **SPRING STYLE / BP OPEN / 28. 03.2009**

Brixentaler snowboard + freeski challenge im boarders playground



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## Overview:

### 279 kilometres of ski runs

124 km of **blue** ski runs  
128 km of **red** ski runs  
11 km of **black** ski runs  
16 kilometres of ski routes

### 70 refreshment stops

Over 70 ski lodges, inns, restaurants and bars throughout SkiWelt Wilder Kaiser - Brixental will provide for your physical wellbeing with food and drink!

### Winter season 2007/08

**The descents and all the important SkiWelt connections were continuously open from the first day (18.11.2007) to the last (30.03.2008).**

**Season:** High season from **22<sup>nd</sup> December 2008** until **20<sup>th</sup> March 2009**

Low season until **21<sup>st</sup> December 2008** and from **21<sup>th</sup> March 2009**

### Fun parks:

Ellmau: Intersport KaiserPark  
Söll: Emotion-Fun-Park  
Westendorf: Boarders Playground

### Speed measurement runs:

Brixen im Thale: Jochbahn (6)  
Ellmau-Going: Almbahn (98)  
Scheffau: Ostlift (65)

### Winter footpaths:

Brixen im Thale: from mountain station 6EUB Hochbrixen (1)  
Ellmau-Going: from mountain station Hartkaiser (80),  
from mountain station Astberg (100)  
Scheffau: from mountain station 4EUB/8EUB,  
Brandstadl (60/61/62), circular walk  
Hopfgarten-Itter: valley walk to Hopfgarten (20)

### 91 cable cars and lifts

17 baby lifts, 23 drag lifts  
22 chair lifts  
14 detachable chair lifts  
14 gondola lifts - 1 funicular railway

**137,100** persons/hr can be carried!!

### SENSATIONALLY certain of snow

approx. 1.000 snowmakers mean there are 210 km of ski runs with artificial snowing!

START on 18.11.2007 - Snow cover valley, 20 cm  
Snow cover mountain, 100 cm  
END on 30.03.2008 - Snow cover valley, 30 cm  
Snow cover mountain, 105 cm

### Race tracks:

Brixen im Thale: Kälbersalve (2)  
Ellmau-Going: Almbahn (98)  
Kelchsau: Hagermoos (37), Hagerjoch (38)  
Scheffau: Eiberg (67)  
Westendorf: Zieplhang, Übungswiese (practice area),  
Laubkogel, Talkaser

### Night ski runs:

Brixen im Thale: Schusterbühel (17), easy, open THU+FRI til 7pm  
Westendorf: Schneeberg (126), easy, open Tuesdays  
Söll: Hochsöll (40), Keat (43), Hexen6er (45),  
Salvenmoos (47), medium-easy, 10km  
open Wednesday - Saturday from 6.30 pm -  
10.00 pm, descent till 10.30 pm

### Cross-Country-Track:

**180 km** of cross-country-tracks  
**108 km easy, 52 km intermediate and 20 km difficult**  
**High altitude cross-country track:**

Brixen im Thale: at the Hochbrixen mountain station(1),  
6EUB, 2,8 km long

### Night cross-country track:

Scheffau: floodlit and artificial snow in the village in  
Scheffau, 2km

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### Toboggan runs / floodlit:

Ellmau-Going:

**Astbergbahn-Going** (100) with course from the Hausberg (Going) or Treichlhof either to Ellmau (Naschberg - Hotel Bär) or to Going (near Café Ritterhof - practice area), **length 4.5km**, very safe;  
**Floodlit:** open daily, every Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday evenings from 7.30 - 9.00 pm, lift operation: till 2.00 am floodlit!  
Please note: in the evening the day ski passes and season cards are not valid!  
**Toboggan hire:** Bergbahn Going, Intersport Winkler, Goingsport

Söll:

**Gondola lift Hochsöll** (40) with course from the mountain station to the valley station, length 3km, very safe, with permanently installed snowmaking facility!!! Open daily from 8.00 am - 5.00 pm  
**Floodlit:** evening operation from Wednesday to Saturday, 6.30 - 9.30 pm - floodlit from 4.30 pm - 3.00a.m.  
Please note: in the evening the day ski passes and season cards are not valid!!  
**Toboggan hire:** next to the Bergbahn Söll valley station.

### Longest descent:

**Brixen:** Kandler Alm, valley descent, 5.5km long  
**Ellmau:** Valley descent (80b), Hartkaiser, 5.1km long, medium, 735m altitude difference  
**Going:** Astberg, 100b, 2.65km long, easy, 469m altitude difference  
**Hopfgarten-Itter:** Hohe Salve - Itter, 5.5km long, medium, 1,120m altitude difference  
**Scheffau:** Brandstadl valley descent, 6.5km long, medium, 898m altitude difference  
**Söll:** Valley descent Hohe Salve, Hochsöll, 40, 42e - 12km long  
**Westendorf:** Valley descent, 8km long, medium, 1,050m altitude difference

### Hardest descent:

**Brixen:** Kaslach descent, 4.4km, No. 1a  
**Ellmau:** Hartkaiser black descent, No. 80b 0.5km long, 400m altitude difference  
**Going:** Viehap, Astberg, 2km long, hard, 469m altitude difference  
**Scheffau:** Brandstadl, Moderer descent, 5.5km long, hard, 898m altitude difference  
**Söll:** Descent 40/45, 3.8km long, hard, 680m altitude difference  
**Westendorf:** Alpseite, 3km long, hard

### Deep snow/Free Ride Areas:

**Westendorf:** Fleiding/Hampfer  
**Scheffau:** Moderer Brandstadl - valley station (5.5km) Ski route - not prepared  
**Ellmau:** Köglbahn Südosthang (2km), Jägerhütte - Talstation (4,2km)

### Snow/Fun parks:

**Ellmau:** Intersport Kaiserpark for beginners to professionals with picnic-table, boxes, rails, slides, rollers & kickers, jumps and the Tanzbodenbahn;  
**Westendorf:** Boarders playground at the Gampenkogelbahn with tables, jumps, rail, roller, fun box and chill area

### Skiercross:

**Ellmau:** Waves, Jumps & steep turn, Almbahn (98)

### Best of SkiWelt ski runs:

With the Salven, Kaiser and Westendorf circuit you will get to know the most beautiful ski runs at SkiWelt Wilder Kaiser - Brixental!

### SkiWelt Ski Bunny Meet:

arrange, meet, ski - at the SkiWelt Ski Bunny Meet Partner Huts or in the forum on our homepage [www.skiwelt.at](http://www.skiwelt.at)

### Panoramic cameras:

live daily on Bayern-TV, TW1, 3Sat and at [www.skiwelt.at](http://www.skiwelt.at)

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