

Media information // Shuttleberg Flachauwinkl - Kleinarl 2019/20, Ski amadé, Salzburg.



## A grand variety of offers for sporty families

Action-packed special slopes, easy, wide family slopes, natural ski routes and snow parks for beginners and advanced riders: on the Shuttleberg, winter sports enthusiasts can not only ski excellently groomed slopes, but also discover something new in a playful way. On a total of 40 kilometres there are many highlights for families, e.g:

- 19 kilometres long Family Run with 19 colourful Crazy Dolls stations
- An exciting scavenger hunt on the whole mountain
- Weekly events to participate in
- Family-friendly places to take a rest
- Discounts for families

But it's not just the pistes that are varied, the team is also colourful: the Shuttleberg is proud to employ people from many different nations and to offer them high-quality and secure jobs. The different languages and cultures benefit both the company and its guests.

## Unique features for snowboarders and freeskiers

The Absolut Park on the Shuttleberg is one of the largest snow parks in the world. Freeskiers and snowboarders can enjoy a huge area with around 100 perfectly shaped kickers, boxes and rails. The

park has its own areas for beginners, advanced riders and pros, so that kids and teenagers can slowly and safely approach the freestyle sport.

National and international snowboard and freeski contests confirm the high quality of the Absolut Park, as does the Absolut Park Team, which consists of international top athletes, Austrian champions and local newcomers, and regularly rides in the Absolut Park.

The Chill House at the bottom of the Absolut Park is a popular meeting place for snowboarders and freeskiers – for relaxing, bouldering or skating in the Mini Ramp.

## All the amenities of a modern ski resort:

On the Shuttleberg you will only find modern, comfortable chairlifts. Each lift has at least two well-groomed runs, in addition, there are several natural freeride routes.

The Shuttleberg has its own motorway exit in Flachauwinkl (A10, Tauernautobahn) and in Kleinarl the valley station is located directly at the entrance to the village. Besides, free ski buses run at short intervals to Flachauwinkl and Kleinarl.

### The Shuttleberg facilities in a nutshell:

- 40 approved kilometres of pistes - with guaranteed snow and top conditions
- Fast, comfortable chairlifts with weather protection hoods
- Excellent ski and snowboard schools
- Easy access by car or with the free ski bus
- Austria's largest snow park: Absolut Park

## One ticket – 760 kilometres of slopes

The Shuttleberg Flachauwinkl - Kleinarl is located in the centre of Ski amadé, Austria's largest ski association. Multi-day ski passes are valid for five top ski regions and 760 kilometres of groomed slopes in the province of Salzburg and in neighbouring Styria – an additional plus for skiers and snowboarders who like to go for miles.

## The news for the 2019/20 season:

- Start of construction "Panorama Link": In December 2020, the "Panorama Link" will open, a direct connection between the three valleys of Snow Space Salzburg and the three valleys of the Shuttleberg Flachauwinkl - Kleinarl and the ski resort Zauchensee. In just nine minutes, the fast, comfortable ten-seater gondola takes winter sports enthusiasts from Wagrain - Flachau to the summit of the Shuttleberg, from where they can choose all the descents to Kleinarl and Flachauwinkl or continue directly to Zauchensee.
- After four decades, the Kleinarl valley station has been given a facelift: the information and cash desk building at the valley station has been rebuilt and extended with new offices, a conference room and 14 studios for employees. The entrance to the ski area gets a new look - a contemporary facade on a charming, completely renovated square. The bottom station of the "Champion Shuttle" is thus more visible and offers a more attractive entrance to the ski area.
- New mountain meeting and showroom: An additional floor in the Chill House, with an excellent view of the mountains surrounding Flachauwinkl, has been converted into a 160 square metre meeting and showroom. In addition, the Absolut Park shape crew will get an office and a workshop directly below the park.

## Events 2019/20 on the Shuttleberg

Throughout the winter there are fun events for children, adults and freestylers on the Shuttleberg.

### January 2, 2020: Crazy Dolls Party

Shortly after New Year's Eve, the Shuttleberg hosts a fun party with its mascots, the Crazy Shuttleberg Dolls. There are different challenges, a funny rally over the whole mountain and a children's party at the Sun House with a great surprise for all kids.

### February 9 to 12, 2020: Local Kids Camp

The Local Kids Camp is a snowboard freestyle and freeski camp for local children. For four days they train with pros from the snowboard and freeski scene in Absolut Park and learn new tricks. Finally there will be a film and photo shooting with professional photographers and filmmakers.

### February 12, 2020: Mega Ski & Snowboard Test

If you would like to test the latest skis and snowboards, our Mega Ski & Snowboard Test is the right place for you. Renting and testing of the equipment is free of charge and includes competent advice. The event starts at 10 a.m. in front of the Chill House.

### February 25, 2020: Clown Party

The Salzburg ClownDoctors will make you laugh on Shrove Tuesday: They play with tuba, costumes, balloons and other equipment at the Sun House on the Shuttleberg. Don't miss this!

### March 7 to 8, 2020: SAAC Basic Camp

The SAAC Basic Camp is a two-day avalanche safety camp including theory and practical training for backcountry fans. You can sign up for the camp in fall at [www.saac.at](http://www.saac.at).

### April 8, 2020: Easter Rabbit Party

At the Easter Rabbit Party, bunnies are strapping on skis and boards. As well, a fun egg hunt, huge Easter statues built of snow, an exciting scavenger hunt and a special surprise will entertain all kids.

## Contests in the Absolut Park

### December 14 to 15, 2019: Jib King

The Jib King is a freeski and snowboard contest for amateurs, riders with sponsor contracts and masters over 30. Both categories are open to men and women, the sponsored riders can win prize money, while the other categories compete for high quality prizes.

### March 14 to 20, 2020: Spring Battle

Freeski and snowboard pros from all over the world will meet at the end of March for the Spring Battle, a World Snowboarding Elite Level and AFP Gold Event. The Follow Cam format is very popular with the riders: Every participant who submits a video of his best run will be judged on the last day of the contest. Riders can film each other for a few days and have plenty of time to get the best out of the setup.

### April 4, 2020: ZSAEP Experience

The ZSAEP Experience is a one-day freeski event for rookies aged 18 and younger, who get a chance to show their skills at the Medium Line in the Absolut Park. You can register for free in the Chill House on the day of the event.

## Facts & information 2019/20

### Web:

[www.shuttleberg.com](http://www.shuttleberg.com)

[www.absolutpark.com](http://www.absolutpark.com)

### Operation hours

Planned season start: November 30, 2019

Cash desks: 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. daily

### Ski lifts:

December to January: 8:45 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. daily

February to end of season: 8:45 a.m. to 4:15 p.m. daily

### Ski pass prices:

[www.shuttleberg.com/en/tickets](http://www.shuttleberg.com/en/tickets)

### Photos & videos

We are happy to provide you with press releases, photos, and videos about the Shuttleberg and the Absolut Park. To download them, follow these links:

[www.absolutpark.com/de/media](http://www.absolutpark.com/de/media)

[www.shuttleberg.com/de/presse](http://www.shuttleberg.com/de/presse)

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