

# Austria 2017

- Carinthia / Maltatal -



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## Hunting in Austria

Austria can be counted among the traditional hunting destinations. Besides the relatively short travel distance from Germany, the same language and hunting-related mindset, the Alps offer extraordinary hunting opportunities in beautiful landscapes. Where else can hunting, vacation and nature experiences be combined as ideally as in this unique mountain world? Whether you opt for the cozy guest house, a vacation home or a stylish hunting lodge as starting point of your hunt – you will be delighted by the hospitality and the hunting skills of your guides. Being mountain experienced hunters, they guarantee your personal safety, and soon the hunting guide becomes a good friend, for whom the hunting experience is as important as hunting success.

Due to many years of own experience and numerous exciting hunts, which we could witness ourselves in these hunting areas, we can guarantee that you will be delighted as well!



### Hunting grounds

Our Partner Dr. Zundel'sche Forstverwaltung offer unforgettable hunting experiences in the border area of the High Tauern National Park. The hunting ground has a total size of approximately 3,200 ha and is located at heights of between 1,100 and 3,000 m.

The area is characterized by spruce, larch and Swiss pine forests, which give way to steep mountain pastures and cirques towards the timber line.

The dense forest road network of about 50 km is open to traffic up to a height of 1,800 m, where two comfortably furnished hunting lodges are available for hunting guests if required.

### Game species/ Hunting seasons

Chamois:	1 <sup>st</sup> August – 31 <sup>st</sup> December
Stag:	1 <sup>st</sup> August – 31 <sup>st</sup> December
Roebuck:	1 <sup>st</sup> June – 30 <sup>th</sup> October
Marmot:	1 <sup>st</sup> August – 15 <sup>th</sup> October





The prevalent game species in this area is Chamois. Its habitat is mainly on steep mountain pastures above the timber line. Hunting Chamois is strenuous and demands technical ability from the marksman. With good basic fitness of the hunter, it is a unique and memorable experience for everyone.

The same is true for stag hunts during the **rutting season (20<sup>th</sup> Sept. –10<sup>th</sup> Oct.)**, when the deer call trails off as an interminable echo in the cirques and steep forest sides. Hunting is done from raised stand or stalking. Trophy quality equates to the typical „mountain stag“, thin and short-beamed, but with many points (antler weights of 2.5 to 4 kg).

**Accommodation** There are two possibilities for accommodation. For reservation and payment you are responsible yourself:

**Farm stay accommodation with the Amlacher family**

incl. breakfast, own room with shower and toilet

Haus Hofer ·  
Familie Amlacher  
Koschach 1  
A-9854 Malta  
Tel.: +43 (0) 4733-320

(Very homelike, almost all our guests are lodged here.)

In the close by hotel **Gasthof Zirmhof**,  
with half- or full-board,  
also very neat and comfortable:

Familie Egger  
Koschach 4  
A-9854 Malta  
Tel: +43 (0) 47 33 / 330  
Fax: +43 (0) 47 33 / 330 – 8  
E-Mail: office@zirmhof.com



**Hunting lodge**

The hunting lodge is located at a height of approximately 1,900 m and is equipped with a bedroom (4 beds), kitchen, toilet and shower. Having returned from the hunt you can take a relaxing open-air steam bath in a wooden bathtub in front of the lodge!



<b>Hunting methods</b>	On Chamois and Stag hunts occasionally exhausting stalking. On all other hunts stalking or stand hunting.
<b>Trophy assessment</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• All trophies are assessed and charged according to CIC points.</li> <li>• Antlers are weighed with large braincase 24 hours after boiling.</li> <li>• After consultation with the head of game keeping it is sometimes possible to have trophies assessed as „green“ and take them home immediately.</li> </ul>
<b>Entry formalities</b>	Passport or identification card, hunting license, gun ownership license, European fire-arms pass
<b>Test shot / Trophies</b>	<p>To ensure compliance with hunting principles and above all to be able to guarantee a successful hunt, a test shot should be made with the hunting guide prior to the hunt.</p> <p>Shooting game of a specific desired class or quality cannot be guaranteed. Instructions of hunting guides and shooting range staff are to be followed at all times. They strive to enable you to enjoy carefree and successful hunting days and they always give their best. Please trust in their experience and guidance.</p>

<b>Game species</b>	<b>Chamois:</b>	Probably the most interesting mountain game for the dedicated hunter. The appeal of the hunt does not lie in the trophy score, but in the overall hunting experience.
	<b>Red Deer:</b>	Strong mountain stags reach antler weights of about 8 kg. An interesting and exciting hunt in the highlands, especially during the rut or before during the "fat-time".
	<b>Mouflon:</b>	Hunting season from 1 <sup>st</sup> June. Mouflon Ram with horn lengths of 70–85 cm. However, each year stronger rams are shot as well.
	<b>Roebuck:</b>	Can be found area-wide, apart from in the highlands. Antler weights of more than 300 g are the exception though.
	<b>Mountain Cock/ Black Cock:</b>	Grouse hunting is one of the most interesting hunting types in the highlands.



## Prices 2017

Game species	Points according to CIC	Price
<b>Chamois</b>		
Chamois Buck	65–80 points	EUR 894,– to 1,139,–
	80–90 points	EUR 1,139,– to 1,578,–
	90–95 points	EUR 1,578,– to 1,854,–
	Per additional point	EUR 60,–
Chamois Doe	55–70 points	EUR 868,– to 1,085,–
	70–80 points	EUR 1,085,– to 1,451,–
	80–85 points	EUR 1,451,– to 1,606,–
	Per additional point	EUR 60,–



Red Deer		
Stags class III:	1. to 4. years (spiker, antler, six pointer)	EUR 900,- to 1,800,-
Stags class II:	5. to 9. years (these are management stags with trophy under average, especially six pointer, eight pointer, ten pointer, under 2,50 kg antler weights)	EUR 1,800,- to 2,220,-
Stags class I & II.	Stags the mentioned class, but with good or stronger antlers, >2,50 kg to 3,50 kg antler weights	EUR 2,220,- to 2,760,-
Stags class I:	From 10. years (crown on one or both horns) and all stags over 3,50 kg antler weights without age limit	EUR 2,760,- to 3,600,-

<b>Roe Deer</b>
Due to the low game population, hunting Roe Deer is difficult, but combination hunts with Chamois or Red Deer are possible. EUR 180,- to 540,-

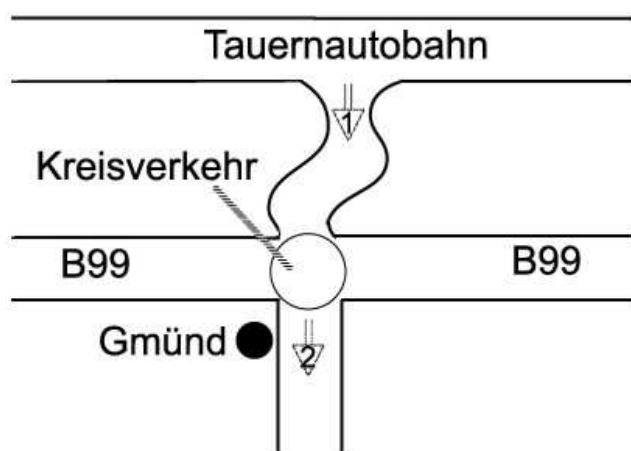
<b>Black Cock</b>	EUR 1,440,-
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<b>Marmot</b>	EUR 276,-
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<b>Hunting costs</b>	Hunting license	EUR 40,-
	Stalk guidance (half-day – from 12 noon the whole day is charged) / day	EUR 180,-
	stalk guidance (full-day or in case of tracking)	To EUR 336,-
	Travel expenses per km	EUR 1.10
	Trophy preparation	EUR 48,-
	Hunting lodge per day: max. 4 persons	EUR 144,-
	Cleaning of hunting lodge	EUR 120,-
	Organization fee per hunter	EUR 200,-
	Organization fee per accompanying person	EUR 100,-

- For wounded game 50 % of trophy fees are charged.

#### Directions



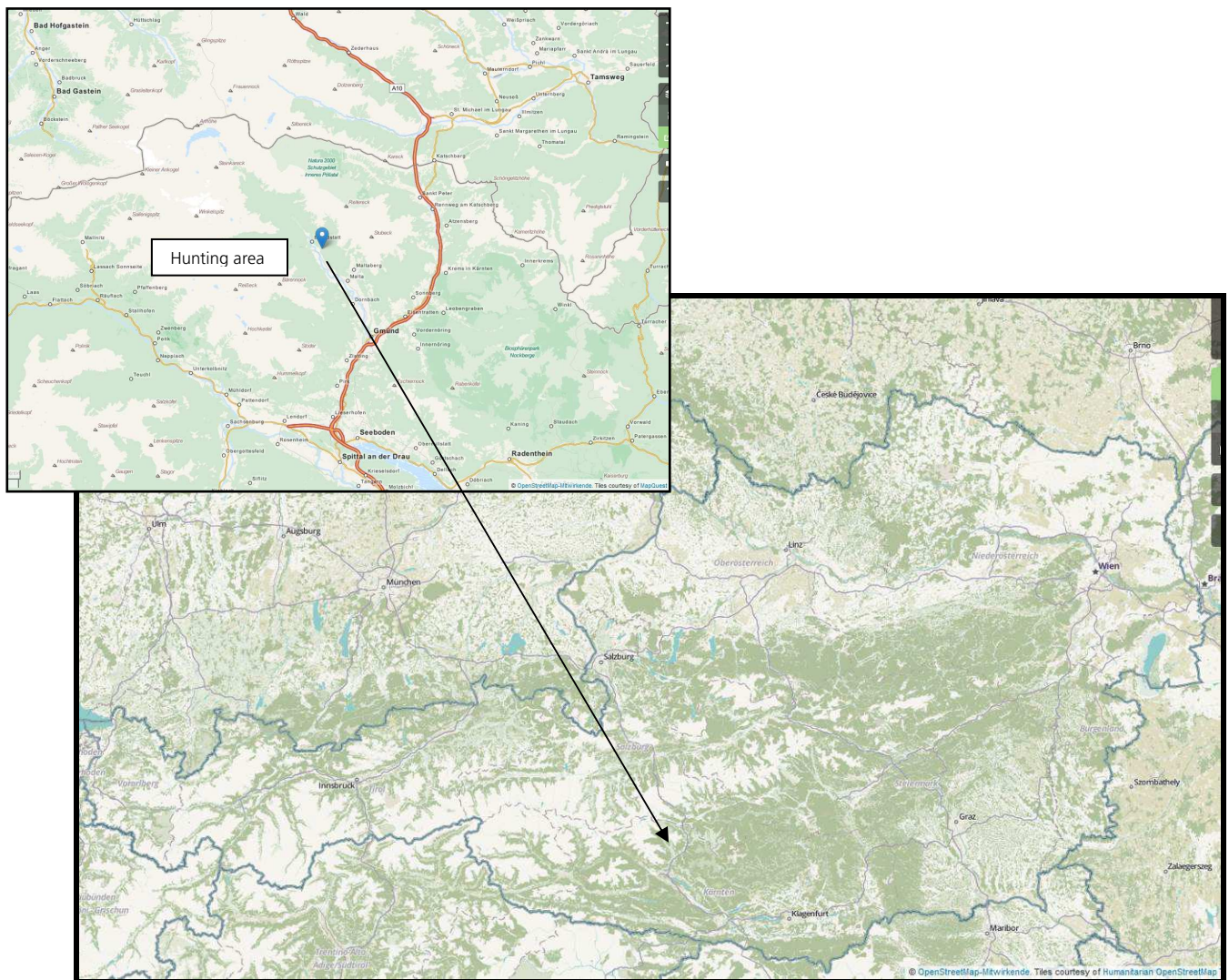
Via the Tauernautobahn, exit Gmünd.

At roundabout 2<sup>nd</sup> exit towards Maltatal.

About 4.5 km after the village Malta you reach Koschach.

In total it is 17 km from the autobahn exit to the accommodation.

The forester's house is located about 2 km from the accommodation



### Recommended Equipment:

#### Travel documents:

Passport, ID Card, Visa if needed  
Airline ticket or tickets  
Hunting license  
EU Firearms Pass  
Voucher  
Insurance policies in copy  
Important phone number. (for example doctor, insurance, etc.)

#### Medication / Toiletries:

First aid kit, personal medication  
Painkillers / aspirin  
Wound Creme (eg Bepanthen) wound disinfectant ointment (eg Betaisadona) for minor injuries  
Toiletries / paper handkerchiefs / Hakle Feucht

#### Equipment:

Weapon / ammunition / lockable gun case / riflescope  
Hunting knife max. 14 cm blade length  
Backpack  
Spotting scope / binoculars does not have to be, the professional hunter has a!  
Flashlight  
Photo Video camera / Movies

Travel Alarm Clock  
Replacement Batteries

**Clothing:**

breathable, lightweight clothing (best Sympatex / Goretex) /  
Lightweight Loden jacket / windbreaker  
2 light but tight pants  
Light sweater  
Spare clothes (underwear)  
Belts / Braces  
Handkerchiefs / towels  
very good, well broken in heavy mountain shoes (no sneakers)  
Socks / Tights / Spats

**Others:**

Sunglasses  
Dextrose (eg dextroamphetamine Energen) / multivitamin-mineral effervescent tablets  
Cereal bar / etc.

**Entry requirements**

Please note the entry requirements for the respective country. Information can be obtained at the responsible consulate. In case a visa is needed, please be advised, that the acquisition is your own responsibility.

**Vaccination requirements:**

Please note the vaccination requirements for the respective country. Information can be obtained at the responsible tropical institute. In case a vaccination is needed, please be advised, that the adherence is your own responsibility.

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