

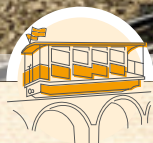
THE NEROBERG MOUNTAIN RAILWAY

Wiesbaden at its most romantic

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RIGHT TO THE TOP ON THE NEROBERG MOUNTAIN RAILWAY.

Enjoy a unique experience – a ride on the Neroberg Mountain Railway, a historic monument! It is the oldest water ballast-driven cog-and-rack railway in Germany. Since the service opened in 1888, Germany's Year of the Three Emperors, the two original wagons – bearing Wiesbaden's brightly coloured blue and yellow livery – have been rumbling up and down the Neroberg, Wiesbaden's landmark mountain. The ride along the viaduct to the upper station is like a journey back in time. At the top, there are a multitude of fun things to do for old and young alike. While some may bravely take on the heights of the high ropes course, others can choose more leisurely options such as going on a walk to the "Leichtweisshöhle" (white cave), visiting the Russian church or discovering the forest on the Neroberg adventure trail. It is also possible to book guided tours at the Wiesbaden Marketing Department, which can include other Wiesbaden sights alongside the Neroberg attractions on demand.

SOPHISTICATED TECHNOLOGY: Experience our history in the museum.

Powered by sophisticated technology, the Neroberg Mountain Railway tram travels several thousand kilometres every year. By dint of a well-designed system involving water ballast and backed by gear wheels, the trains pull themselves up to the top. Detailed information on this complex system would be provided to you in our museum. You are also welcome to book a personally guided tour for your group.

EXPERIENCE HISTORY CLOSE-UP.

In 1999, the City of Wiesbaden entrusted a historic toilet building built by the city architect Genzmer to the "Friends and Patrons of the Neroberg" Society, which will celebrate its 15th anniversary in 2013. Both the interior and exterior of the building were completely refurbished. During this 2-year renovation period, it was converted into a small yet attractive museum, which was officially opened in August 2000. The museum's exhibits were kindly donated by Neroberg railway employees and the Wiesbaden utilities company.

- *It provides insights into how the railway and its braking system operate.*
- *The exhibition includes a model of a train built to scale and two ticket vending machines.*
- *Old tickets, instructions for employees, postcards and tools are displayed in showcases.*

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SCHEDULE

The Neroberg Mountain Railway travels every quarter hour.

APRIL, SEPTEMBER AND OCTOBER

Daily 10 a.m. – 19 p.m.

FROM MAY TO AUGUST

Daily 09 a.m. – 08 p.m.

FARES

ONE-WAY TICKET

Adults	2,70 €
Children*	1,35 €

TICKET UP AND DOWN

Adults	3,50 €
Children*	1,75 €

FAMILY TICKET

(Two adults and their own
children under fifteen)*

Ticket up and down	7,50 €
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GROUPS (TEN PERSONS OR MORE)

One way (per adult)	2,20 €
Up and down (per adult)	2,60 €
One way (per child*)	1,10 €
Up and down (per child*)	1,30 €

* Children under fifteen (children under six are free)

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GENERAL INFORMATION

Railway first opened for business	25 September 1888
Operating times	April to October
Number of passengers per annum	approx. 300,000
Journey time one way	3,5 minutes
Journey speed	2.16 m/sec. – 7.78 km/h

THE TRACK

Track gauge	1,000 mm
Rail profile	S20
Track length	438.5 m (with 70 m passing loop)
Racks	Width 110 mm, separation 100 mm, Riggerbach system
Difference in altitude	83 m
Slope	15 %, 26 % halfway, 19.5 % on average

THE CABLE

Material	8-braided cable with compressed outside braidings and a plastic layer
Cable construction	8 x 19 cable + SESUG, compressed braidings
Cable diameter	28 mm
Cable length	452 m
Type of lay	Regular lay
Cable weight	1,655 kg
Breaking strength	74.55 t
Traction force on cable lever	3,406 kg

THE BRIDGE

Length	97.30 m
Clear height	7.75 – 15.55 m
Number of pillars	4

THE BUILDINGS

Lower station	157 m above sea level
Upper station	241 m above sea level

THE WAGON

Maximum capacity	40 passengers uphill, 50 passengers downhill
Wagon weight	Empty: 8,100 kg, 50 persons (each 75 kg): 3,750 kg
Weight of water	3,500 – 7,000 kg
Maximum load	18,850 kg
Water ballast	3.5 – 7.0 m ³
Pump – engine power	37 kW for 2,900 U/min
Capacity	60 m ³ /h 123.5 m

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Our service for you!

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- ✦ Sightseeing tours
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Opening hours (year around):

April – September

Monday – Friday 10 a.m. – 6 p.m.

Saturday 10 a.m. – 3 p.m.

Sunday 11 a.m. – 3 p.m.

October – March

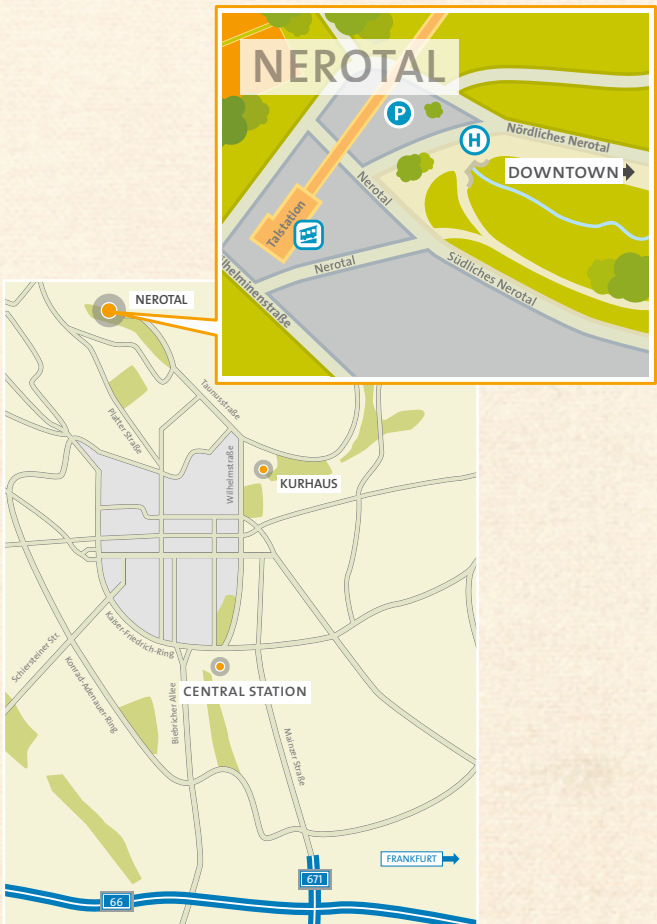
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As owner of the Neroberg Mountain Railway, as well as local provider of public passenger transport, the ESWE Verkehrsgesellschaft mbh (ESWE Transportation Company) is pleased to welcome you to Wiesbaden.

If you have any questions, please don't hesitate to contact us: at the Neroberg Mountain Railway or dial (0611) 2 36 85 00.