



Camping Package Information Pack





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At Our Chalet we are aware that different guests have different wishes for their time here. As we want to be sure that we meet the needs of each person, we offer a number of different options for your stay. This can include a simple site for your tent all the way to a catered camping stay with camping equipment included. We are also able to add on programme activities, which you can read more about in the section “Programme”.

Please take a look at the options available and let us know which you would like when booking.

Booking

Please take the time to read through this Information Pack. For more information and to reserve your place, contact info@ourchalet.wagggg.org or make an online booking on our website at www.ourchalet.ch. We will then provide you with a booking contract and request a 10% non-refundable deposit which will secure your reservation. When booking your package please indicate how many adults and young people are attending and their genders.

Please note that Our Chalet is open to visitors of all genders from all over the world.

Yours in Guiding and Scouting,

Your Our Chalet Team



Cost

Prices in CHF

	1 night	6+ nights
1 person	10 CHF per night	9 CHF per night

Additional options

	1-5 nights	6+ nights
Tent for up to 3 people	8 CHF per night	7 CHF per night
Tent for up to 6 people	20 CHF per night	15 CHF per night
Patrol Box	5 CHF per night	5 CHF per night

Note: tent rental includes camping mats but no sleeping bags.

Luggage transport (roundtrip)	5 CHF per person
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Programme spaces and material: upon consultation with Programme Team

Eco Hut	Reserve for group use – no charge
Campfire Circle	10 CHF (includes fire wood) per use
Dining Hall	Reserve for group use – no charge
Conference Room with Projector	Reserve by the hour. 5 CHF per hour
Programme equipment	See extended list

Find out more about these options in the “*spaces and material rental*” document

Prices does NOT include

- Any meals unless booked
- Personal souvenirs and snacks
- Additional taxis or buses required in lieu of planned hikes on the itinerary
- Travel or health insurance
- Travel to and from your home to Our Chalet
- Additional nights' accommodation and meals at Our Chalet before or after the package
- Use of internet and personal laundry



Campsite: Options and rental equipment

The campsite of Our Chalet sits on the side of a hill overlooking the Engstlige Valley, giving you the perfect view to wake up to! It fits approximately 30 people and we are able to accommodate smaller groups as well as individuals.

Located on the campsite is the Camp House, which holds the kitchen and bathroom facilities as well as an emergency shelter space in case of heavy winds or storms.

As the campsite is open to anyone who would like to stay with us, please note that you may be sharing the kitchen and bathroom facilities with other guests staying at the campsite. An overview of the general facilities offered at the site is below.

Tents and camping equipment rental:

Our Chalet's Swiss canvas tents accommodate 6 people per tent. Included in the rental are inflatable camping mattresses. Tents can be rented at the cost of 20 CHF per tent and per night and will be set up for you before your arrival. We do not provide sleeping bags and tent rentals are limited based on availability.

Bathroom facilities:

The bathroom facilities consist of two shower stalls and two toilets with sinks in the shared space. The stalls lock individually and are unisex. The Main Chalet building has designated gendered bathrooms that campers are welcome to use as well.

Cooking facilities:

The **indoor kitchen** has a small dining area that fits about 15 people, with benches and tables indoors and outdoors that can be used for eating. The kitchen is equipped with a fridge, oven, crockery, cutlery and basic cooking equipment. In the event that the fridge is being shared between groups, there is the possibility of storing large orders in the walk-in staff fridge.

All campers have shared access to the Camp House kitchen. Please indicate upon booking whether you are planning to use the indoor kitchen.

You can also rent our **Patrol Box** at a cost of 5 CHF per day. It contains utensils to cook outdoors for about 6 people. Additionally we offer a contained and portable fire pit. If you have further questions about this please contact info@ourchalet.waggggs.org

Food option

Our Chalet offers a variety of food options so groups can be catered, self-catered, or a mix of the two.

Self-Catered

- Coop@Home - This is the preferred method of ordering food as it is cost effective and convenient. A wide range of food can be ordered online from **Coop@Home** and delivered to Our Chalet. To order from Coop@Home visit <https://www.coopathome.ch/en/>
- Shop for groceries in town and then book a "luggage transport" to get your items back to the camp site. This must be booked in advance and is only available one time per group per week.



Supermarkets in the area:

“Coop” (Landstrasse 3) is the largest supermarket in Adelboden Town. It is approximately 45 minute walk away.

“Prima” (Landstrasse 78) is a small corner store next to the Oey bus stop. It sells basic groceries but does have a limited selection. It also contains a bakery with fresh bread. It takes around 30 minutes to walk to the store and back to Our Chalet.

Please note that in Switzerland supermarkets are usually not open on Sundays as well as holidays and will often close earlier on a Saturday.

Catered

- Catered meals may be available depending on the season. Meals must be booked at least 2 weeks in advance, but we do ask that you enquire about availability upon booking.

Programme

Participating in Programme will give your group the opportunity to get to know other guests, Guides and Scouts from all over the world staying in our other accommodation. Individual or specific Programme offers are dependent on the size of your group (minimum 10 for individual evening Programmes) and/or if we already have Programme scheduled.

If you are interested in any day or evening programme activities run by Our Chalet staff please contact the Programme Team: programme@ourchalet.wagggg.org

If you would like to run your own programme and need spaces, equipment or material for it, find a list of things to rent from us in the “spaces and material rental” list.

The use of supplies as well as spaces will need to be coordinated and confirmed with the Our Chalet Programme Team. **We recommend reaching out once a booking contract has been signed to ensure that the materials/spaces/programmes that your group would like are available.**



Preparation and Packing

Our Chalet is located in the Swiss Alps, 1353 metres above sea level, and the weather varies greatly on a daily basis. In order to fully enjoy this programme and feel comfortable with changing weather conditions, we advise you to be aware of this while packing, **as well as to build up your level of fitness prior to your arrival.** Being fit will help you to enjoy the activities which you will be participating in more. The human body at a higher altitude and colder temperatures needs more energy and stamina, so being fit will help you overcome weather and potential altitude challenges.

We are confident that once you dedicate time to your preparations, you will be able to fully enjoy your stay at Our Chalet. If you have any questions or concerns and would like to discuss the possibilities for accommodating different levels of ability, please contact programme@ourchalet.waggs.org.

Suggested Packing List

We advise you to bring clothes for all seasons, as even in summer we can get snow and cold nights. For weather forecasts, visit: www.meteoswiss.ch.

Clothing and Shoes

- Socks & Underwear
- Shorts
- Long Pants / Trousers (no jeans for hiking)
- Shirts / T-shirts
- Gloves
- Hat / Cap / Scarf (for warmth and sun)
- Pyjamas / Sleeping Wear
- Bathing Suit / Swimwear
- Warm Jacket
- Waterproof Rain Coat
- Waterproof Trousers
- Indoor Shoes
- Sturdy Hiking Shoes / Boots
- Uniform for Opening Ceremony (Scarf and Troop T-shirt or Shirt only is acceptable!)

Miscellaneous

- Sunglasses
- European Adapter
- Head Torch / Flashlight
- Badges for swapping
- Good-sized water bottle/s (at least 1 litre, 2 litres recommended)
- Lunch Box for packed lunch
- Money for souvenirs and snacks
- Backpack / Day Bag for excursions and hiking (20 – 30 L)
- Camera with extra batteries and plenty of memory
- OPTIONAL: water shoes for swimming in lakes

Toiletries

- Toothbrush and Toothpaste
- Shampoo and Conditioner
- Soap / Body wash
- Hair Brush and Hair Ties
- Feminine Hygiene Products
- Deodorant
- Other Skin Care Products (if needed)
- Sunscreen
- Personal Medication (as required)
- First Aid Kit: Leaders of each group must bring at least one per group



*Please ensure you bring **everything** listed above, as well as consider any individual requirements you may have. Please label your personal belongings. Our Chalet assumes no responsibility for loss or damage of any personal items while staying at the centre.*

Please ensure that you bring indoor shoes with you to Our Chalet as we change our shoes when we enter and when we leave the building.

