

# Your perfect day in "Breisach am Rhein"



# **History and Culture**

Let's begin with a tour of the historic town center. We start at the tourist office "Breisach-Touristik", situated in the market square (Marktplatz). Take a map (available in German, French, Italian, Spanish and English) and off we go! The red tour - in the map called "Münsterberg Tour" (tour of the cathedral hill) - leads you up to Breisach's landmark, the cathedral "St. Stephan" <a href="https://se-breisach-merdingen.de/">https://se-breisach-merdingen.de/</a>

Along the way you will pass many other historical buildings and places. They are signposted in 3 languages (German, French, and English). Besides, several signs carry a QR-code with further photos and information in your language.

After a brief visit inside the cathedral, take a rest in the former **Franciscan monastery garden** in Kapuzinergasse, not far from the church. Enjoy the calmness among flowers and herbal plants as well as the marvelous view of the Kaiserstuhl wine region and the Black Forest mountains. You may be lucky to be there during a concert. <a href="www.franziskaner-klostergarten-breisach.de/">www.franziskaner-klostergarten-breisach.de/</a>

At the end of the street Kapuzinergasse you'll arrive at the site of Breisach's **open air theatre**. Performances in German normally from mid June until mid Sept. on weekends. More info and tickets: www.festspiele-breisach.de.

In the middle of the Radbrunnenallee (street parallel to Kapuzinergasse), you'll see a tower which is called the **Radbrunnen**. It is open to the public during art exhibitions and concerts. More info www.kunstkreis-radbrunnen.de

At the foot of the Münsterberg you will arrive at the **Museum of City History in the historic "Rheintor" (Rhine gate).** Numerous objects provide an overview of about 4000 years of Breisach's and the region's history. Open: Tuesday until Friday 2 pm -5 pm, Sat. + Sunday 11.30 am – 5 pm

https://stadt.breisach.de/de/kultur/sehenswuerdigkeiten/museum fuer stadtgeschichte

Following the Rheintorgasse (formerly called the Jewish Street) you will come to the **Blaues Haus/Blue house.** It used to be the Jewish Congregation Rooms and is now used for documenting the Jewish history of Breisach and the region. Please check out the website for events and opening hours: <a href="http://www.blaueshausbreisach.de">http://www.blaueshausbreisach.de</a>

**Kunstweg Breisach/Open-air gallery:** artists from Breisach and the region exhibit some of their artwork on the walls of private houses, public buildings and historic walls. Map and more info: <a href="https://www.kunstwerk-breisach.de/kunstweg-breisach/">https://www.kunstwerk-breisach.de/kunstweg-breisach/</a>



#### **Guided tours:**

Book your personal guide in advance of your stay with Freiburg Kultour or download their app for an English speaking audio guide tour:

https://freiburg-kultour.com/tour/digitale-stadtfuehrung-breisach/

# **Culinary delights**

On the Münsterberg there are 3 places where you can take a rest and enjoy a coffee, a cold drink, a light meal, homemade pastry or a delicious cake:

- Coffee & more, at the back of the Rathaus, not far from the monastery garden. They also sell their home-roasted coffee beans: www.coffeeandmore.de.
- Café Etoile, art café with a lovely terrace situated below the cathedral: <a href="www.cafe-etoile.de">www.cafe-etoile.de</a>
- Restaurant Augustins in the hotel opposite of the cathedral, with a lovely terrace and a marvelous view over the Rhine, <u>www.hotelstadtbreisach.de</u>

Opposite of the Rheintor/museum the Café Leone is situated in the intimate and colorful garden of Gordana who is your host. Check out Instagram and Tripadvisor for café.leone.breisach

At the Rhine riverbank you can enjoy a glass of local wine, beer and non-alcoholic drinks at the "Breisacher Weinbrunnen", a stall situated at landing stage No. 1. The restaurant "Rheinpromenade" with a large terrace overlooking the Rhine is situated at a distance of approx. 5 minutes along the Rhine, passed the bridge.

Around the Marktplatz/market square and in the streets nearby you will find a wide range of restaurants, cafés and ice cream parlours:

https://tourismus.breisach.de/de/badische\_genuesse/gastronomie

Or you snap a sandwich with the famous Black Forest bacon or a Laugenbrezel (regional pretzel) from the butcher or the bakery close-by.

If you are here on a Saturday morning you can browse around the stalls of the open-air market, taste some regional fruits, yummy bread or a traditional German sausage. Have a look at this video: <a href="https://vimeo.com/547154214">https://vimeo.com/547154214</a>

**Geldermann Sektkellerei:** daily at 2 pm, the "Geldermann" sparkling wine cellar offers a 1-hour guided tour including tasting. Fee: 8 €. Please register by phone: +49 7667 834-258. Apart from the regular tour you can also visit the shop and taste and buy the winery's "Sekts" which are produced according to the champagne method. <a href="https://www.geldermann.de">www.geldermann.de</a>.

**Sonnenplätzle:** in this pleasant shop you can taste and buy wines from the Badischer Winzerkeller. The "Sonnenplätzle" is situated in the middle of our town at the Marktplatz (market square) next to Breisach-Touristik. Don't miss the "Kalte Sofie", a cold wine-based drink. Perfect for a hot summer day and only available in Breisach and Freiburg. www.badischer-winzerkeller.de

The "Badische Winzerkeller" itself is situated outside of town at a distance of approx. 2 kms from the Marktplatz. In the shop you find a wide range of wines from many vineyards along



the famous Baden Wine Route. The wine terrace is open in summer from Thursday until Saturday. Treat yourself with a traditional Flammenkuchen (regional kind of pizza) accompanied by a glass of delicious Baden wine. For additional information please consult <a href="https://www.badischer-winzerkeller.de">www.badischer-winzerkeller.de</a> or call +49 7667 900-0. Please call a taxi to take you there: Tel. +49 7667 374 or +49 7667 912700.

# Are you up to some sports?

Take a walk up to the **Eckartsberg**, the hill which is situated opposite of the Münsterberg (cathedral hill). From the top – watch out for the European flag - you'll have wonderful views of the "Münsterberg", the Rhine and the surrounding region reaching from the Vosges Mountains until the Black Forest. Along the walk you'll come across some poetry and also paintings from the open-air gallery.

Do you prefer to cycle? Then hire an e-bike for a few hours and explore the region along the Rhine and around the Kaiserstuhl wine region. Sid, who owns the bike rental place, will have the perfect bike and some tour suggestions <a href="http://www.fahrradverleih-breisach.de/?i18n=en">http://www.fahrradverleih-breisach.de/?i18n=en</a>

# **Shopping**

Would you like to take something home with you as a souvenir for yourself or a present for friends and family. Are you looking for some nice clothes, shoes, jewellery or sports equipment?

Most of Breisach's shops are situated in the streets near the Marktplatz and you can easily reach them on foot from your ship.

# Free Wifi

Available at the following places: Marktplatz, Münsterplatz, Heinrich-Ulmann-Platz and Neutorplatz. Select "Online2local" and register by clicking on the button "Anmelden".

We look forward to welcoming you to Breisach

# Your team of Breisach-Touristik!



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