

# Children`s Areas

If you have children you can arrange each walk to end at one of the many excellent children`s areas in the mountains. All the areas are free except the Panoramabad at Söll, Ahornsee at Söll, the Kaiserbad at Ellmau, and Badesee at Going.

## **Hexenwasser (Witches` Water) at HochSöll.**

Children can play in the many excellent water features. These features follow the water downhill from the Gondola Station to the Stockalm Restaurant, with another path also going up the hill side towards Hexenwald. The children can also visit the Bee Centre at HochSöll, where they can safely watch the bees in their hives through glass. See also Walk 11.

## **Hexenwald (Witches` Wood) in the woods above HochSöll.**

At weekends and in school holiday time the children can meet the “witches” who show them around the witches` house, and cook with them over a camp fire. See also Walk 12.

## **Hohe Salve**

Hohe Salve is where the children can climb all over the giant`s head, and follow the Panorama Walk (Walk 10) just under the peak, with views over Söll, and views over the surrounding villages of Kirchberg, Brixen and Westendorf. The children can also see the marmottes which live just under the summit on the Westendorf side.

## **Filzamsee at HochBrixen**

Filzamsee at HochBrixen has Neptune`s head rising from the water if you pedal fast enough. The children can also climb on the frames, paddle in a shallow paddling pool and walk through the mudbath (hosepipe available for cleaning up afterwards). You reach this using Walk 24.

## **KaiserWelt at Scheffau, Brandstadl**

KaiserWelt at Scheffau, Brandstadl is at the top of the Scheffau Gondola lift. There is a new Panoramaweg (the Kaiserrundweg) and a large play area in the woods with all sorts of great climbing equipment and games. There is also a zip cord, swings, trampoline and pedal cars outside the Restaurant at Brandstadl.

## **Ellmi`s Zauberwelt at Hartkaiser, Ellmau**

Ellmi`s Zauberwelt at Hartkaiser, Ellmau, at the top of the HartkaiserBahn. This is a large play and educational area in the woods. Amongst the most popular features are the giant chairs and the talking trees! There is a huge climbing tower, trampolines, goblins squirting water, and educational books displaying pictures of the local flowers, animals and rocks, etc.

## **Badesee is at Going**

Badesee is at Going just beyond the terminus of the Kaiserjet. This is a brilliant swimming lake, specially adapted for children, with water slides and chutes, wobbly stepping stones, rope pulled boats, volley ball and all sorts of other things to keep children occupied for a whole afternoon or day, and it is very cheap. There is a vast expanse of grass for sunbathing and watching.

## **The Kaiserbad at Ellmau**

The Kaiserbad at Ellmau is on the Kaiserjet bus route, with indoor and outdoor swimming, and a large outdoor play area with trampolines etc.

## **Ahornsee at Söll**

Ahornsee at Söll opened in 2012, and is next to the **Söll Swimming Complex** which reopens in 2013 after refurbishment.

## **Westendorf**

Westendorf has a children`s area at the top of the Gondola and at Choralp, nearby.