

# THE ALBULA RAILWAY MUSEUM

## Permanent Exhibition

Our permanent displays show a wide spectrum of exhibits from the Rhaetian Railway's cultural and social history.

Visitors walk through valleys and tunnels, find out interesting facts about the pioneering days during construction, visit workshops or listen to stories from the RhB's first conductress.

## Clà Ferrovia Children's Tour

«I lost my wonderful whistle over 100 years ago in Railway Land in Bergün. As I'm sure you know, I can't do without my whistle.

I need it to send the Rhaetian Railway's steam trains off on time. Sadly, up until now, my whistle has never been found and I really must find it. Please come and help me with my search in Railway Land in the Albula Railway Museum, in Bergün.

Together you will solve tasks at the adventure sites, fill up your stamp card on the Clà Ferrovia Children's Tour and when the whistle is finally found you get a little reward at the museum's cash desk».

## The Model Railway Layout

Over decades, Bernhard Tarnutzer has been building a miniature of the meter-gauge network. The layout on a scale of 0m (1:45) shows minutely detailed models of buildings, viaducts, landscapes and tunnels as they were in the 1950's and 1960's.

Bernhard Tarnutzer is often to be found in his open workshop where he is more than happy to talk to visitors about building the layout. The trains usually run in the afternoon and the exact departure times are displayed on site.

## Show depot and archive

A paradise for inventors and amateurs. The continuously expanding collection comprises over 750 objects from the RhB's operations.

## Attic Floor

There is a large event room for seminars and events on the attic floor and also a cinema, a library with a view across Bergün as well as the railway's line in a model landscape.

The sanitary facilities are situated on the attic floor.

## The Crocodile Locomotive Drive Simulator

One of the museum's biggest highlights stands right in front of the museum entrance: the crocodile locomotive Ge 6/6 I with the operating number RhB 407. After more than 50 years in service and three decades as a monument, the famous «Croco-Loco» has been revived and equipped with a driving simulator so that visitors can stand in the cab with the original controls and drive it virtually through the Albula valley.

The operating times can be found on our homepage: [www.bahnmuseum-albula.ch](http://www.bahnmuseum-albula.ch)

## Model Railway Experience Bergün

The Model Railway Experience will be a significant extension to the existing museum, presenting the Rhaetian Railway's diversity amid Graubünden's mountainous topography on a scale of 1:22.5. The extensive piece of land to the west of the museum is the perfect location for the realisation of this future visitor magnet.

The centrepiece will be Albula/Bernina highlights, for example: the Landwasser viaduct, bridges and tunnels on the line between Bergün and Preda or the circular viaduct in Brusio, in Puschlav. A walkway will lead visitors through the attraction.

The basic concept for the model railway layout is at the planning stage and we are also evaluating various other ideas: a grotto with a shop in the

historic RhB motor coach BDe 4/4 491 from Misox, a children's playground, photo-points or night-time operations.

The Model Railway Experience project is estimated to cost around CHF 900,000. The financing will be provided in part by public money, fundraising, sponsors, patrons and donors.

The Albula Railway Museum Foundation is dependent on your support and we thank you in advance for your contribution.

## Shop

Come and visit the Albula Railway Museum shop. Our exclusive postcards, gifts, toys, souvenirs, books and DVDs make wonderful presents from Bergün.

## Büfèt

Relax in our Albula Railway Museum Büfèt on some of the RhB's original wagon seats and enjoy a big selection of freshly prepared foods, regional products as well as homemade cakes, coffee and various sorts of tea.

## Getting to us

The RhB's hourly train service will bring you comfortably to the museum. We offer a 20% reduction on the admission price to the museum with your railway ticket. These special tickets are available at all RhB and SBB ticket counters. Parking for cars and coaches is also available.

## Museum opening times

Tues - Fri, Sun	10.00 am - 17.00 am
Sa	10.00 am - 18.00 am
Mondays (Feb. / July- Sept.)	10.00 am - 17.00 am
Mondays (other month)	closed

## Museum holidays:

14. November - 8. Dezember 2022.

## Büfèt und Shop opening times

Tues - Fri, Sun	9.30 am - 17.30 am
Sa	9.30 am - 18.30 am
Mondays	9.30 am - 17.30 am

## Admission fees

Adults:	CHF 15.- / person
Juniors:	CHF 11.- / person (6-16 years)
	0-6 years free
Groups:	From 10 persons CHF 13.- per person
School classes:	Child CHF 9.- Teacher CHF 13.- Reservation required
Guided tours:	CHF 85.- (max. 20 pers. per guide) Reservation required.

## Handicapped visitors

Our Albula Railway Museum has been examined by Procap Switzerland and is easily accessible.

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