



INVITATION

33rd DACHSTEIN ALPENTROPHY 2.0

Gosau am Dachstein - 17-24 January 2026

Dear ballooning friends,

The 33rd Dachstein Alpentrophy 2.0 is starting off with fresh momentum for the coming year. Helmut Tucek, an extremely experienced Alpine pilot, will be with us on board and will support us with advice and hands-on experience. In addition, long-standing Trophy participants will share their expertise and accompany newcomers on Alpine flights.

What's new this year

- **Reduced entry fee € 100,00 | Short-stay 3 days: € 80,00**
- **Team bonus:** 20% fee reduction for every extra team you bring.
- Participation in the opening and closing evenings is optional and at your own expense.
- Please indicate this when registering for the event.
- Weather briefing with support from Helmut Tucek.

Winter ballooning in this region is a very special experience, often over the main Alpine ridge, with breathtaking views of the Dachstein massif, snow-filled valleys and majestic peaks.

What we offer

- Long-distance flights running throughout the week.
- Stiegl Cup Wednesday.
- Night Glow also on Wednesday (incl. free gas & beverages).
- Nitrogen is free and available on site.

Gas

Due to uncertainties on the global market we cannot provide a fixed price guarantee. Consumption per liter will be charged at the current daily rate. For Night Glow participants, gas will of course be provided free of charge! Please arrive with full gas cylinders.

Entry & Registration

- Registration: € 100,00
- **Please pay the entry fee in cash at check-in or by bank transfer.**
Bank: RAIKA Abtenau IBAN: AT69 3500 1000 0103 1145 | BIC: RVSAAT2S001
- Number of teams limited to 25. Please register in good time by 10 December 2025.

Fringe programme

- Tobogganing, depending on snow conditions.
- Horse-drawn sleigh rides.
- Discounted ski passes for the Dachstein West ski area.
- Barbecue evening in a cosy setting.
- Opening: Sunday, 18/01/2026.
- Closing: Friday, 23/01/2026.

Briefing

- Daily at Landhaus Koller (two people per team) and via the WhatsApp group „Dachstein Alpentrophy“.

Passengers

- Each pilot is kindly asked to take one guest of honour on board free of charge.

Passenger flights

Passengers on site will be flown exclusively with a ticket issued by the organiser. Any „self-organized“ arrangements should be coordinated with the organisers.

Exceptions: passengers and VIPs you bring with you.

Commercial pilots can, on request, be assigned passengers by the organiser. They act under their applicable regulations and are themselves responsible for launch/flight/landing and return transport.

Rooms / Accommodation Reservations

Landhaus Koller: www.hotel-koller.com - E-mail: office@hotel-koller.com

Tourist Office Gosau: www.dachstein.salzkammergut.at - E-mail: info@dachstein-salzkammergut.at

Organisation

- Organiser: Gottfried Koller
- Weather service: Andreas Flaggel, Helmut Tucek

Weather advisory

- Daily at the briefing
- Helmut Tucek
- Andreas Flaggel

Technical & Safety

- Applicable to all pilots:
- Valid licence/medical and an approved airworthy aircraft with valid insurance and certificate of airworthiness, up to AX 140 (larger by prior arrangement).
- Alpine equipment, transponder, 8.33 MHz radio.
- Oxygen for high alpine flights.
- Winter equipment is recommended. Please ensure you carry all required documents in full. Control checks by the Austrian Aviation Authority are possible!

We look forward to your participation, exciting flights and unforgettable moments in the skies above the Salzkammergut / Gosau!

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