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HISTORIC ALPINE HOTEL GRIMSEL HOSPIZ
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Dear bride and groom

There is almost nowhere else in the world where the primal forces of nature are so archaic, unfettered and real – making for a natural spectacle in a class of its own. It is akin to being in a giant cauldron of the elements, a place where the sky, rock, water and sun all meet. The result is a natural cinema in which we get to experience the different weather the region has to offer in all of its unspoilt, all-encompassing and uninfluenceable glory set against a unique lofty mountain backdrop, in which we humans realise we are each insignificant in the grand scheme of things.

Winter at the Grimsel Hospiz is all about winding down and relaxing. Nestled deep in the snow, the historic building is a treasure in these unspoilt natural surroundings. Guests can already leave behind the stresses and strains of everyday life during their unique journey to the hotel – a trip on the PostBus through the deep tunnels of the power plant.

The hotel features a welcoming atmosphere with a crackling fireplace, with a steaming hot tub and a Finnish barrel sauna under a magnificent starry sky also awaiting guests.

Where else will you find a more powerful symbolism to celebrate the bond of marriage?

We are delighted that you have found us in your search for a suitable wedding venue.

Markus Meier
Grimsel Hotel Manager

Michelle Rufibach
Head of Banqueting & Events

A WINTER OASIS IN THE HISTORIC ALPINE HOTEL GRIMSEL HOSPIZ



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General information

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| Address | Hotel location Historic Alpine Hotel Grimsel Hospiz Am Grimselpass 3864 Guttannen | Meeting point for arrival and postal address Kraftwerke Oberhasli AG / Grimselhotels Grimselstrasse 19 3862 Innertkirchen |
| Arrival | By car When travelling from Bern or Lucerne, head towards Meiringen and then continue on to Innertkirchen and the main building of Kraftwerke Oberhasli AG. On-site parking is available. By public transport Take the train to Meiringen. Continue your journey on the Meiringen-Innertkirchen railway line all the way to the last stop on the line "Innertkirchen Kraftwerk (Bahn)". It is now just a short walk to the main building of Kraftwerke Oberhasli AG. From Innertkirchen, you will continue your journey in groups accompanied by a tour guide, taking a PostBus and going underground through the power station tunnel up to the winter oasis. | |
| Season | January to the end of March | |
| Note | Please note the Winter operation of Grimsel Hospiz section in our General Terms and Conditions. | |
| Contact | Feel free to contact us if you have any questions or are unsure about anything. We'd be happy to answer your phone or email enquiries. +41 33 982 26 14 events@grimselwelt.ch | |

Rent a hotel – exclusive use

With us, you can celebrate your marriage exclusively and in a very personal atmosphere. The following services are included:

- ♥ Exclusive use of the hotel from 4 pm. to 8 am. on the following day
- ♥ Coffee and cake served upon arrival at the winter oasis
- ♥ Overnight stay in a fantastic room equipped with a shower, toilet, TV, radio and telephone
- ♥ Extensive breakfast buffet from 9 am. to 12 midday
- ♥ Organisation and supervision by the Grimselwelt Events department
- ♥ Supervision and coordination of the marriage witnesses, decoration team, musicians and DJ on the wedding day
- ♥ Support during setup and dismantling work
- ♥ Services and VAT, excluding taxes

Exclusive rental for a maximum of 54 persons

Historic Alpine Hotel Grimsel Hospiz

CHF 18'200.00

Transport fee per person

CHF 64.00



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Hotel rooms

We have a total of 28 hotel rooms. The hotel rooms are divided into the following categories in the winter season:

- 2 single rooms with a mountain view, with a shower/toilet, radio-TV and telephone
- 7 double rooms with a lake view, with a shower/toilet, radio-TV and telephone
- 15 double rooms with a valley/mountain view, with a shower/toilet, radio-TV and telephone
- 4 double rooms with no daylight, with a shower/toilet, radio-TV and telephone

Kitchen philosophy

Our head chef Roman Crkon's field, forest and meadow cuisine is a real labour of love! With 15 Gault & Millau points, his kitchen is a feast for all the senses. Here, he offers guests an honest and authentic culinary experience.

Let us know about any requirements or ideas you may have, and our head chef would be delighted to create an individual menu that your guests are sure to enjoy on your big day.

Ceremony

Are you interested in holding your ceremony here in the winter oasis?

Your ceremony can be held in the warm and friendly atmosphere of the Arvensaal.

Aperitif

We would be happy to serve the aperitif in our Salon Aaretal with its huge panorama window overlooking the Haslital, in the Arvensaal with its crackling fireplace or in our Felsenkeller among our collection of rare wines.



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Dinner

At the Grimsel Hospiz, we will serve you and your guests dinner in the Turmsaal.

Depending on the size of the wedding party, we can arrange the tables and seating in a variety of ways.

Party & bar

Would you like to enjoy a nightcap in a cosy atmosphere sat in front of a crackling open fire?

If so, then you are more than welcome to use the Arvensaal for your subsequent celebrations.

An exciting arrival and departure

During the winter season, your arrival at Grimsel Hospiz is that little bit out of the ordinary. Switzerland's most remote 4-star hotel is only accessible when accompanied by one of our personal guides.



We meet at the arranged time at the headquarters of Kraftwerke Oberhasli AG in Innertkirchen, before setting off together on the trip up to the Grimsel Hospiz.

Your trip with the Postbus from Innertkirchen to the Handeck power plants is organised and reserved for you. The trip will then continue as you enter the underground power station tunnel and pass Gerstenegg before continuing underground to the Grimsel 1 power plant. The Hospizbahn then takes you on the final leg up to your destination, the Grimsel Hospiz.

Here, a world far away from the hustle and bustle of everyday life awaits you.

We recommend sturdy footwear, winter clothing and light luggage for your arrival and departure. The path is not accessible by wheelchair or suitable for people with disabilities. Don't forget your swimsuit for a dip in our wooden hot tub and sun cream for when the sun shines here at the Grimselwelt.



Photo: Grimselhotels, Dominik Murko

WILDLIFE RESERVE

The Historic Alpine Hotel Grimsel Hospiz is located in a nature reserve and can only be opened in the winter months under strict conditions. For this reason, guests are not permitted to leave Grimselnollen. Furthermore, all winter sports and the setting off of fireworks are prohibited.

The Grimsel Hospiz is not suitable for a ski tour. This oasis of calm for both man and animal should be maintained. In order to protect the wildlife, winter sports equipment is not transported on the railways leading to Grimsel Hospiz. Likewise, access to the hotel with touring skis is not permitted.



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WEDDING A-Z

Aperitif- and menu-recommendations

Please do inform us of any preferences or requirements you may have as well as of your budget. Our head chef would be more than happy to put together an individual and personal recommendation for you.

Appointments

We recommend that you come take a look at the hotel and the surroundings yourself. We will be happy to take the time to give you a tour of our Historic Alpine Hotel Grimsel Hospiz.

In the winter season, it is only possible to make an appointment to visit the hotel if you also book an overnight stay with us.

Please make an appointment in advance for a tour. We look forward to hearing from you.

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Beverages

If you would like to bring your own wine, champagne or spirits, we charge a tap fee as follows:

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| Wine (0.75l bottles) | CHF 35.00 per bottle |
| Champagne (0.75l bottles) | CHF 55.00 per bottle |
| Spirits (0.7l bottles) | CHF 180.00 per bottle |
| Other drinks | On request |

Breakfast

You and your hotel guests can look forward to a delicious and extensive breakfast on the morning after the wedding.

You can enjoy our breakfast buffet from 9 am. to 12 midday at the latest. Breakfast can also be served earlier upon request.



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Check-in / check-out

The rooms will be available for check-in from 3 pm. at the latest.

If the rooms are ready earlier, you can benefit from an early check-in.

On the day of departure, we ask that you free up your hotel room by 11 am. at the latest.

Children

Guests up to the age of 15 can choose their meals from the children's menu on the day. Meals from the children's menu are included in the room rate. Upon request, we can create a special set menu just for children.

Decorations

We can offer the following decorations upon request:

- ♥ table setting for your wedding dinner
- ♥ white table linen and napkins
- ♥ glass vases filled with granite stones
- ♥ tea-light glasses with white tea lights
- ♥ easel for the seating plan (subject to availability)

We are happy to help with organizing your decorations.

Exclusive rental

The exclusive use of the entire hotel is valid from 4 pm. until 8 am. on the next day.

If you would like your exclusive use of the hotel to start earlier on the first day, we charge a flat fee of CHF 800 for every extra hour.

Flowers

Are you still looking for the right flowers and decorations for your big day? We would be happy to recommend all of the contacts we have listed below to provide heart-filled and enchanting wedding flower arrangements.

Blumen Aebi AG Meiringen
aebi@blumen-aebi.ch
www.blumen-aebi.ch

Karin Mani Flowers Design & more
karinmani83@gmail.com
www.karinmani.ch

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General Terms and Conditions

Please note our General Terms and Conditions. They are an integral part of all reservations and quotes. Please read through them carefully. If you have any questions or are unsure about anything, we would be more than happy to help.



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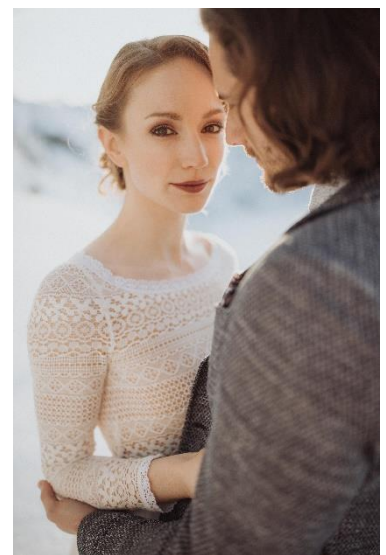


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Guest list

Please send us the guest list in advance of the big day. This list should include the names of the guests, any allergies, intolerances or special dietary requirements, as well as the ages of any children, etc.

Host gifts

Surprise your guests with a small gift from the Grimselwelt. We would be happy to inform you about our possibilities on request.

Should you so wish, we can help you to hand out the wedding favours. Please provide the wedding favours labelled with each guest's name and room number.

Insurance

In order to protect yourself financially in the event that your wedding needs to be cancelled or postponed, we recommend that you take out a wedding insurance policy with a Swiss insurance company.

Menu cards

Would you like us to provide menu cards? We will provide you with information about the options available.

Midnight snack

A midnight snack is an ideal solution to satisfy hungry guests at wedding celebrations that go on late into the night. If you would like to serve a midnight snack, the order must be for at least 50% of the wedding guests. If the order is cancelled at short notice, you will still be charged in full.

Music

Simply let us know if you would like tips or contacts for musical entertainment – we would be happy to help!

The Grimsel Hospiz has a Pleyel grand piano available for use free of charge.

Upon request, we can also provide a Mipro-MA music system as well as two microphones free of charge. Use of the grand piano and the music system is subject to availability.

Night fee

With us, you can party all night long as the mood takes you. However, from 00:30 am. onwards, we will charge a night surcharge of CHF 80.00 per hour and per employee on duty.

We reserve the right to have an employee supervising the celebrations at all times until the end of the party. The clean-up work after the meal may also be subject to the night surcharge.

Photographer

Do you like the photographs of our hotels and the Grimselwelt?

We would be happy to recommend a talented local photographer, David Birri, as well as two avid wedding photographers, Marc Lüthi and Phil Wenger.

We would advise you to contact the photographer you would like to hire well in advance.

Phil Wenger Photography
hello@philwenger.ch
www.philwenger.com

davidbirri photography
info@davidbirri.com
www.davidbirri.com

Cramarts by Marc Lüthi
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www.cramarts.ch



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Prepayment and invoicing

If you would like to make a definitive booking, we will require a deposit of CHF 8'000. This amount will be deducted from the final bill for your wedding ceremony.

The deposit must be paid two months before the wedding day at the latest. After the wedding day, we will present you with an invoice for any additional costs less any payments already made.

Rehearsal dinner

You are more than welcome to do a menu-tasting session with us to try the menu and the wines you wish to serve at your wedding. Everything that you consume as part of this session (food, wines and other drinks) will be charged at cost.

If you have made a definitive booking and wish to do a menu-tasting session, we will also offer you a free overnight stay including an extensive breakfast in the run-up to the wedding.

Seating play

We can arrange the tables in a variety of ways depending on the number of guests attending. Let us know the number of guests and we will put together potential seating arrangement for you.

Sky lanterns, fireworks and confetti

Out of respect for nature and animals, the releasing of sky lanterns and the setting off fireworks is not permitted. Please also refrain from throwing synthetic confetti.

Sparklers are also not permitted to be used inside our hotel.

Nowadays, there are many sustainable alternative options such as soap bubbles, foam hearts, Swedish torches or the burning of wishes in a fire pit. Examples of suitable alternatives to synthetic confetti include flower petals and leaves.



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Styling

Something that is almost as important as finding the right wedding dress is having perfectly styled hair and the right make-up so that you can get a wonderful day off to the best start in a calm and peaceful atmosphere.

WoMen hairstyle
info@womenhairstyle.ch
www.womenhairstyle.ch

isaBELLE – Isabelle Zimmermann
info@isa-belle.ch
www.isa-belle.ch

Coiffure Les Trois
info@coiffure-lestrois.ch
www.coiffure-lestrois.ch



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Technical equipment

We can provide the following equipment and infrastructure in the Grimselhotels:

- ♥ Projector and screen
- ♥ Flip chart and coloured pens
- ♥ Pin board
- ♥ Music system (*see the Music section*)

Do you need our equipment for your party? Please let us know well in advance so that we can organise this for you.

Transport

When choosing decorations, flower arrangements, the wedding cake as well as your own equipment and other materials, please note that you should also consider that these will need to be transported to and from the hotel in the same way as guests.

Wedding cake

You will need to organise your wedding cake to be prepared by your confectioner yourself – in line with your wishes and ideas. Our partners for beautiful wedding cakes are:

Frutal Versandbäckerei Meiringen
info@frutal.ch
www.frutal.ch

Steininger Bäckerei GmbH
info@baeckerei-steininger.ch
www.baeckerei-steininger.ch

Confiseur Bachmann AG
kundendienst@confiserie.ch
www.confiserie.ch

We charge for the service of the wedding cake
When simultaneously consuming one of our homemade desserts

CHF 10.00 per person
CHF 5.00 per person



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Request



Please provide us with your full contact details and tell us your vision for your wedding:

| Bride | Groom |
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| Surname: _____ | _____ |
| Name: _____ | _____ |
| Street: _____ | _____ |
| Location: _____ | _____ |
| Mobile: _____ | _____ |
| E-Mail: _____ | _____ |

Preferred date and alternative date

Budget

Number of guests

Number of children and ages

What is most important for you on your wedding day?

How may we invoice our services?

| | Couple | Guests |
|-------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|
| Overnight stay | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Transport fee | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Aperitif & Dinner | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Drinks & Bar | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |

Have you read our General Terms and Conditions?

☐ Yes ☐ No

What would you like to celebrate with us?

- ☐ Wedding ceremony, aperitif & wedding celebration exclusive
☐ Aperitif & wedding celebration exclusive
☐ Only the wedding celebration exclusive

Number of courses and the budget for the wedding menu?

- ☐ 4-courses ☐ 6-courses
☐ 5-courses ☐

Wishes:

Budget:

Would you like a midnight snack during your party?

☐ Yes ☐ No

Would you like to have a wedding cake?

☐ Yes ☐ No

Would you like a bar service during your party?

☐ Yes ☐ No

Do you need technical equipment from us?

- ☐ Projector & screen ☐ Music boxes & microphone
☐ Piano ☐ Flipchart or pin board

Will you have a live band or DJ playing music?

☐ Yes ☐ No

Please send the completed form back to us via e-mail at events@grimselwelt.ch.



WE LOOK FORWARD TO SEEING YOU!

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