

German/Austrian Square Dance Tour Itinerary

September 15 – 29, 2026

Square Dancing daily with [Dan Sahlstrom](#), [Buddy Weaver](#) & [Tom Crisp](#) except when other activities are scheduled. Breakfast included every day. Dinners included daily except Sep 21 & 26. **Itinerary posted daily**, subject to change due to weather or scheduling conflicts. Dinners at the *Hotel Farbinger Hof*, normally at 5:30 pm.
Dance levels will be determined by at the discretion of the callers

- Tue, 15 Sep Day 1:** Depart on respective overnight flights to Munich.
- Wed, 16 Sep Day 2:** Meet busses at the Munich Airport. Once everyone is accounted, we will head to our hotel **Chiemsee – Hotel Farbinger Hof** near the village of **Bernau am Chiemsee** not far from **Grassau**. One welcome drink and introductions. Dinner and short evening of dancing.
- Thu, 17 Sep Day 3:** Morning free for sleeping in, shopping, relaxing or exploring. Credit cards can be used for most items. Afternoon, we'll visit the **Farmer's Museum** in Amerang. Square Dance after dinner.
- Fri, 18 Sep Day 4:** **Berchtesgaden: Salt Mines & Eagle's Nest Tour** - *weather permitting*
Great gift shop at lower parking lot of the Eagle's Nest. Dancing after dinner.
- Sat, 19 Sep Day 6:** Morning - **Alpine ski lift**, and the alpine Grassauer **Almen restaurant**. Home for dinner. Evening – **Invitational Dance** with our callers and German guest callers. Rounds, **Klaus Völkl** & daughter **Stefanie**.
- Sun, 20 Sep Day 5:** **Munich Oktoberfest** and **Opening Costume Parade**. Best **Oktoberfest beer tents**
Later – **Square & Round Dance & BBQ in Munich** - hosted by the **Tamara Twirlers**
- Mon, 21 Sep Day 7:** **Lake Chiemsee** boat cruise to visit **Herrenchiemsee Island** and **King Ludwig's Castle**.
Hotel Weßner Hof Free Schnapps Tour. **Dinner on your own** Caller's night off
- Tue, 22 Sep Day 8:** **King Ludwig's Neuschwanstein Castle**. Visit the village of **Oberammergau**, famous for woodcarving and the passion play. Our longest bus ride. Home in time for dinner and dance.
- Wed, 23 Sep Day 9:** **Innsbruck** capital of **Austrian Western State of Tyrol** and **Rattenberg am Inn** - famous for **Swarovski Crystal**. Square dancing after dinner.
- Thu, 24 Sep Day 10:** **Munich City Tour** with English speaking guide. Visit downtown **Munich** including **Marienplatz**, shopping & the famous Munich **Hofbräuhaus**. Home in time for dinner and dance.
- Fri, 25 Sep Day 11:** Morning: Visit the beautiful alpine village of **Reit im Winkl**. Afternoon dancing.
After dinner: No dance - Oom-pah music instead. **Bavarian Traditional Schuhplattlers Show**.
- Sat, 26 Sep Day 12:** Morning - **Michaeli-Markt Grassau** – Huge Village Market in Grassau
Afternoon – **Klaus Völkl's 50th Anniversary Dance in Munich** with our callers and German guest callers. Rounds, **Klaus Völkl** & daughter **Stefanie**. (Sign up for this special event - Dinner, dance & transportation cost not included.) **Dinner on your own**
- Sun, 27 Sep Day 13:** Church or short Sunday morning gospel dance before leaving for Salzburg.
Salzburg: City walking tour with English speaking guide. **St. Rupert's Day** festival.
Evening - **Salzburg Mozart Dinner Concert**. No dance, live Classical Music tonight!
- Mon, 28 Sep Day 14:** **Free time** for last minute shopping and time to pack. **Last dance 11 am – 1 pm**.
Please bring luggage to hotel lobby to be loaded onto busses no later than **4 pm**.
Auf Wiedersehen Banquet. No dancing after banquet – party or early to bed.
- Tus, 29 Sep Day 15:** **Munich Airport** – Early breakfast. Depart for respective flights back to the USA.