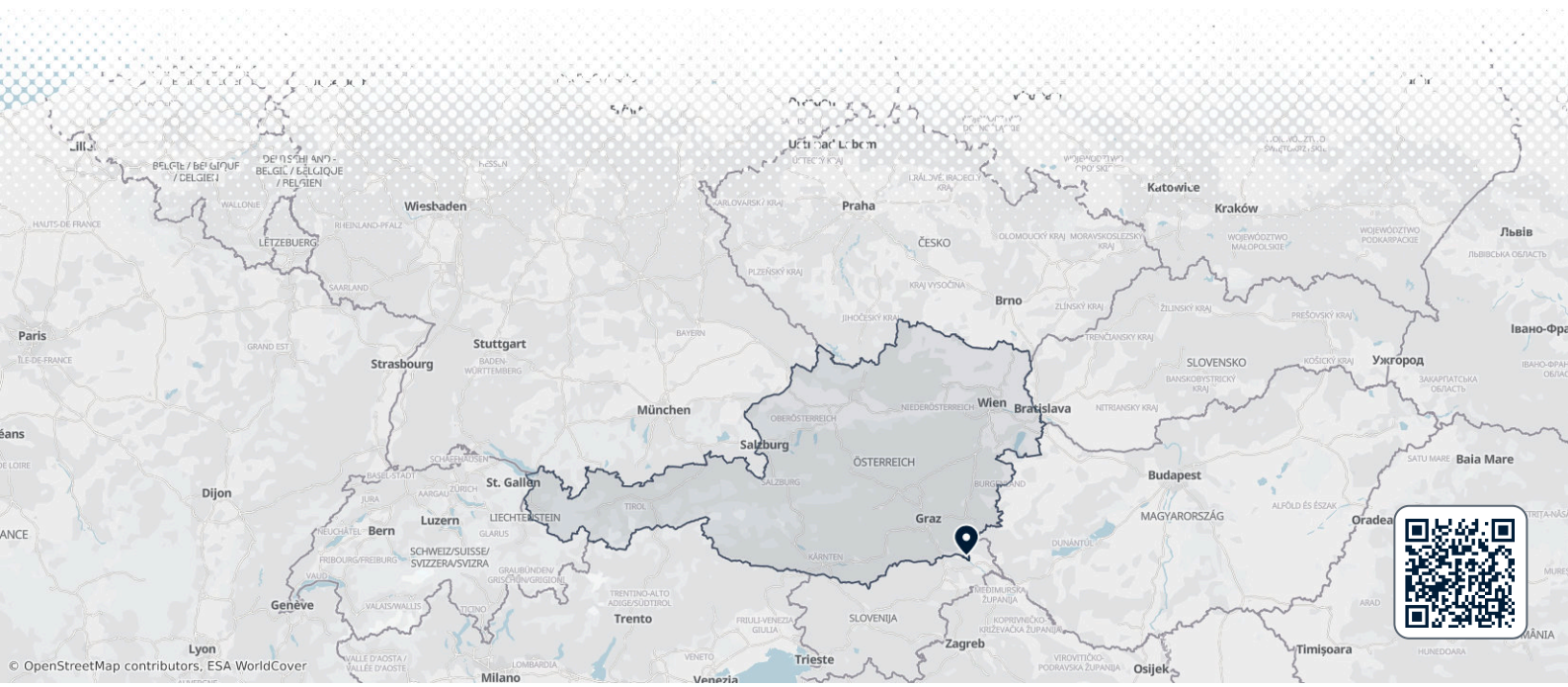


Bad Radkersburg

Styria · Austria

TRAVEL GUIDE

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Overview

Bad Radkersburg is a small thermal spa town on the Mur river, on the border with Slovenia in south-east Styria. The old town is a compact grid of painted houses and arcades, surrounded by old defences. Across the river lies the Slovenian town of Gornja Radgona.

It is a calm place, known for its thermal spa and for vineyards and cycling in the green hills around it. It suits a slow weekend.

When to visit

May to September is best for cycling, cafes and the spa garden. Autumn is good for wine and harvest festivals. Winters are cool and quiet, and the thermal baths are especially pleasant then.

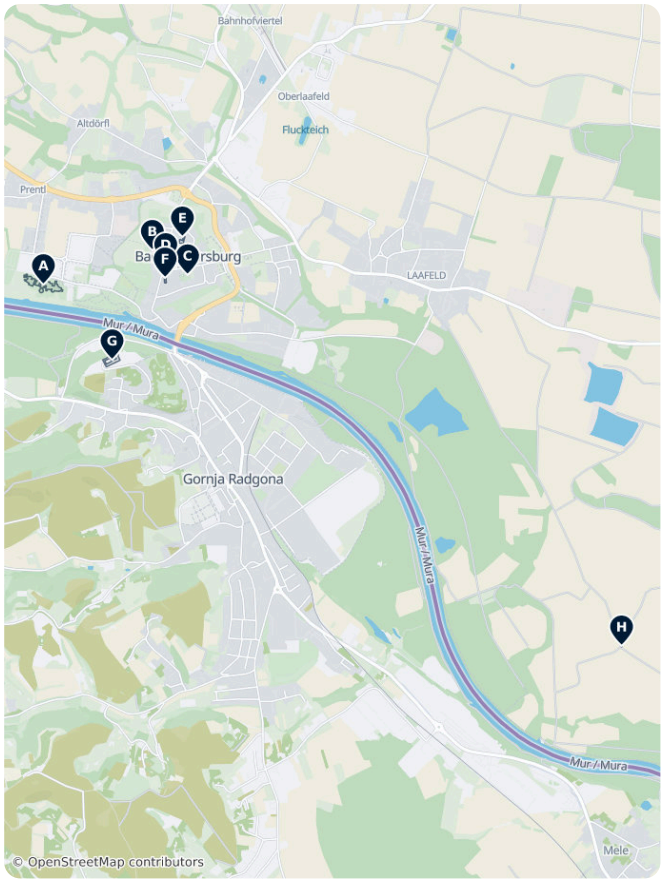
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January	Poor Poor for cycling	3° / 11° Feels like -1°	-3° / -11°	Dry air · Calm winds
February	Poor Poor for cycling	6° / 14° Feels like 2°	-2° / -11°	Dry air
March	Good Good for cycling	11° / 19° Feels like 7°	1° / -5°	Dry air
April	Great Great for cycling	16° / 23° Feels like 13°	5° / -1°	Dry air
May	Great Great for sightseeing	21° / 28°	10° / 5°	14 rainy days · Dry air
June	Great Great for sightseeing	26° / 34°	15° / 9°	13 rainy days · Calm winds
July	Good Good for sightseeing	29° / 35°	17° / 12°	13 rainy days · Calm winds
August	Good Good for sightseeing	28° / 36°	16° / 12°	12 rainy days · Calm winds
September	Great Great for sightseeing	23° / 30°	12° / 6°	Dry air · Calm winds
October	Great Great for cycling	17° / 24°	7° / 0°	Dry air · Calm winds
November	Fair Fair for cycling	10° / 17° Feels like 6°	2° / -4°	Dry air · Calm winds
December	Poor Poor for cycling	4° / 11° Feels like 0°	-2° / -10°	Dry air · Calm winds

Best months: May, June, September

Climate data: NASA POWER (MERRA-2) · 1996–2025

Top sights

- A Parktherme Bad Radkersburg is the thermal spa complex, with indoor and outdoor pools.
- B Stadtpfarrkirche Bad Radkersburg is the main church of the old town.
- C Frauenkirche is a smaller church on the old town square.
- D Rathaus Bad Radkersburg is the town hall.
- E Stadtmuseum Bad Radkersburg is in a former armoury and shows the town's history.
- F Kulturhof is a cultural venue in the old town.
- G Grad Gornja Radgona is a castle across the river in Slovenia.
- H Johannesquelle is a mineral spring in the countryside.



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What to experience

- Soak in the thermal spa.
- Cycle the Mur Cycle Path.
- Walk the old town arcades.
- Cross the bridge to Slovenia.
- Visit a wine tavern in the hills.

Day trips

- A Graz is about 1 hour 15 minutes away by car.
- Gornja Radgona in Slovenia is a few minutes away across the river.
- Maribor in Slovenia is about 45 minutes away by car.
- The Styrian wine road is a short drive north.
- Ptuj, a historic Slovenian town, is about 45 minutes away by car.



Where to explore

- Graz is the nearest large city.

Getting there

- By air: Graz Airport is about 1 hour away by car. Zagreb and Vienna are alternatives.
- By train: The Radkersburg line connects with Spielfeld-Straß and Graz. The trip takes about 1 hour 30 minutes. Check times on ÖBB.
- By car: The A9 motorway, then the B69 road, reach the town.

Getting around

The old town is best on foot. A bus runs to nearby villages. Cycling is easy on flat paths along the Mur.

Getting around on foot & by bike

WALKABILITY

High

The old town is small and flat, and the spa is a short walk from the centre.

CYCLING INFRASTRUCTURE

High

The Mur Cycle Path passes through the town, and the countryside is flat.

Driving

A car is helpful for the countryside. The old town has limited parking. Motorways in Austria need a vignette. Crossing into Slovenia is simple, but Slovenia has its own motorway vignette.

Food & drink

Styrian food includes *Kürbiskernöl*, pumpkin seed oil, used on salads and soups, and *Backhendl*, fried chicken. Local wine and fruit brandy are common. Slovenian dishes are easy to find just over the border.

What to eat & drink

DINNER

Wiener Schnitzel
A thin, breaded and pan-fried veal cutlet, traditionally served with potato salad or parsley potatoes and a wedge of lemon.

Tafelspitz
Boiled beef in broth, served with roast potatoes and a sauce of apples and horseradish — a favourite of Emperor Franz Joseph.

Viennese Goulash · Wiener Saftgulasch
A rich beef stew slow-cooked with onions and paprika, typically served with a bread dumpling or bread roll.

SNACKS & STREET FOOD

Käsekrainer
A grilled pork sausage studded with melty cheese, a classic order at Vienna's ubiquitous Würstelstand (sausage stands).

Sausage Stand Snack · Würstel vom Würstelstand
Grilled or boiled sausages (Bratwurst, Frankfurter, Bosna) served with mustard, bread and a pickle from street kiosks.

SWEETS & DESSERTS

Apfelstrudel
Thin pastry rolled around spiced apples, raisins and breadcrumbs, usually served warm with vanilla sauce or cream.

Sachertorte
A dense chocolate cake with a thin layer of apricot jam under a dark chocolate glaze, famously served with unsweetened whipped cream.

Kaiserschmarrn
A fluffy shredded pancake caramelised with sugar and dusted with icing sugar, served with plum or apple compote.

Marillenknödel
Apricot dumplings wrapped in potato or quark dough, rolled in buttery breadcrumbs — a Wachau and Viennese summer specialty.

DRINKS

Viennese Melange · Wiener Melange
The signature Viennese coffee: espresso topped with steamed milk and milk foam, the centrepiece of coffeehouse culture.

Grüner Veltliner
Austria's flagship crisp, peppery white wine, widely poured in Vienna's Heuriger (wine taverns).

Sturm
A cloudy, lightly alcoholic partially-fermented grape must, available only for a few weeks in autumn.

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Safety & health

Bad Radkersburg is very safe. Thermal baths can be tiring, so drink water. Tap water is clean and safe to drink. The emergency number is 112.

History

Radkersburg was founded in the 13th century as a border fortress on the Mur. After World War I, the river became the border with the new Yugoslavia, and the southern part of the town became Gornja Radgona. Thermal water found in the 20th century led to the spa that now defines the town.

Country facts

Quick practical facts for Austria at a glance:

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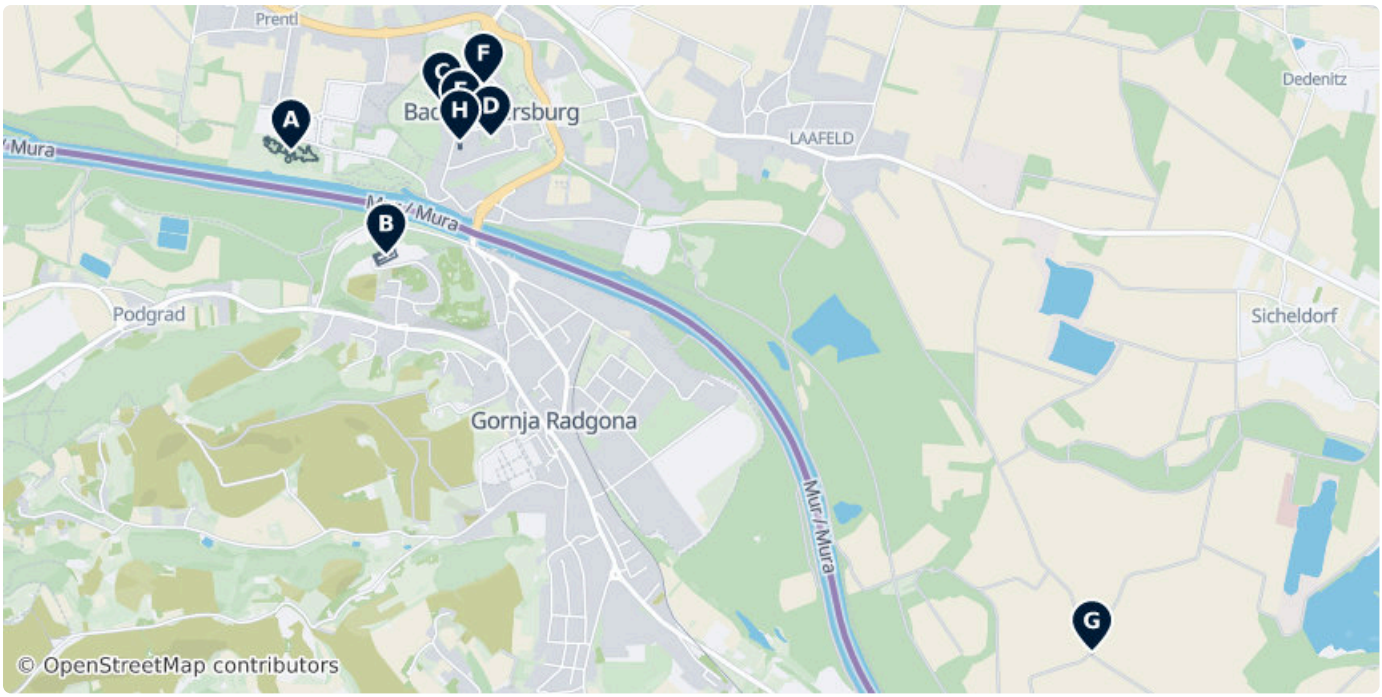
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Type C / Type F
230 V · 50 Hz

LANGUAGES
German

TAP WATER
Safe to drink

Top sights



A Parktherme Bad Radkersburg

Alfred Merlini-Allee 7, 8490 Bad Radkersburg
(46.68669, 15.97759)

parktherme.at, +43 3476 267 70



B Gornja Radgona Castle

Gornja Radgona Castle is a castle in Gornja Radgona, Slovenia.

26 Grajska cesta, Gornja Radgona 9250, Slovenia
(46.68295, 15.98256)

chateau-agata.com



C Stadtpfarrkirche Bad Radkersburg

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D Frauenkirche

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E Rathaus Bad Radkersburg

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F Museum im Alten Zeughaus Bad Radkersburg

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May-Oct Tu–Sa	14:00–18:00
Feb-Apr We–Fr	Closed

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G Johannesquelle

(Unnamed Road), 8490, Austria (46.66873, 16.01943)

H Kulturhof-Johannes-Aquila

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