Newsletter

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# PART 1: THE FACILITY

# Hotel, Region and Ballpark

### The Hotel

The hotel named "Zum Auerhahn" is located in the heart of Vöcklabruck in the middle of the main square. It consists of one main building directly at the

square in the beautiful pedestrian zone and two additional residences behind it. Our group will probably get one of these residences exclusively with single and double rooms each of them equipped with shower, toilet, TV, phone and free WLAN. We will have all meals at the Auerhahn: breakfast and lunch is obligatory for every participant, dinner only for those who booked it in addition. The others will find a lot of restaurants and supermarkets near the hotel to get dinner and some drinks. The seminar room is at the hotel too and will be equipped with modern multimedia tools. The fact that almost everything is concentrated at one location will save a lot of time and guarantees a tight and dense schedule. You as a student will get the most out of every minute spending with Jim and his crew!

## The Region

Vöcklabruck is the capital city and administrative center of the Vöcklabruck district

and has about 12.000 inhabitants. It is located in the western part of Upper Austria and close to the A1 highway and the main railroad line between Vienna and Salzburg. Its name derives

from the river Vöckla which runs through the town. The city has a lot of shops and is ranked in the top 10 most visited cities in Austria. During the clinic you will get possibility to visit same main sights, especially some of the beautiful lakes and mountains of the "Salzkammergut", a well-known tourism region.

### The Ballpark

The ballpark of Attnang-Puchheim is the home of the Attnang Athletics baseball club. The club was founded in 1991 and has played in the highest Austrian league for many years. In 2006 the construction of a new ballpark started which now includes a main field with international measures, a youth and softball field where you can play adult baseball too and a clubhouse with locker rooms and bar. The stands are big enough for approximately 600 spectators. Batting cages and bullpens are completing the facility. The ballpark is about 6 km away from the hotel, transfer between hotel and field will be performed with cars.



### Travelling to Austria

For those who travel with car it is very easy: just take the A1 motorway and take the exit "Regau". From there it is about 10 km to the hotel and 6 km to the field.

With train it is easy too: both Vöcklabruck and Attnang-Puchheim have a train station where most of the trains will stop.

By airplane take Vienna or Munich airport and catch a train: from Vienna to direction Salzburg and from Munich to direction Vienna. From Vienna train station to Vöcklabruck it is only a 1:30 trip.

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