We are excited to welcome you to the Miniatur Wunderland. We created this guide to help you find your way in the ever-growing Miniatur Wunderland. Over 500,000 working hours have been invested into the creation of miniature worlds (hundreds of details). Take a little time to enjoy this work before you start your fascinating tour.

The Miniatur Wunderland is mainly created from imagination. We didn’t attempt exact replicas of Germany, Austria, Switzerland, America and Scandinavia but used them as a guideline instead. Our intent was to make it possible for our visitors to recognize the various regions. Most buildings sprung entirely from the creative minds of our staff. However, some sights in the sections Hamburg and America were painstakingly recreated in detail. Over 8,000 hours of work were invested for the detailed recreation of seven Hamburg highlights (Imtech Arena, Landungsbrücken, Michel, Köhlbrand Bridge, historical warehouse district, Herbertstraße and the Hagenbeck’s Tierpark).

Facts

We are continuously constructing our life’s work since December 2000. Currently, there are 4 construction phases planned until 2020. On May 4th 2011, we opened our latest section – Knuffingen Airport. Since early 2012, we are working on a new theme: Italy. These are the latest statistics:

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... not to touch the layout in parts of it, nor the the vehicles, even if it may seem that the Wunderland is easier to ‘grasp’ this way.

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OUR WUNDERLAND
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Your guide to the Miniatur Wunderland:

Emergency exit (alarmed)
Stairs 2nd/3rd or 3rd/4th floor
Lift 2nd, 3rd and 4th floor
Landing (entrance/exit)
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Lockers
Ladies toilets
Gents toilets
Accessible toilets
Baby room

Working area
Smoking area
Information
Cash desk
Wardrobe
Shop
Meeting point for guided tours
We have hidden many interesting details on our model layout – over 20,000 hours were deliberately spent. But are they “Lost” a little closer during your visit and to the finalised details.

Good laugh.

The depictions in the Miniatur Wunderland really spring from the designation “Small Worlds of Fun” – the exhibits are for children and adults, and are so flexible that they are absolutely versatile, without making any claims of being complete or as an encyclopedia.

Enjoy and enjoy your stay in the Miniatur Wunderland.

THE NEXT PLANNED CONSTRUCTION PHASES ARE CURRENTLY:

HELP
Start of construction in early 2013
Great Britain: Start of construction in 2017
Great Britain: Start of construction in 2018

Your tip:
You can automatically receive the more personal atmosphere described in the Miniatur Wunderland, by our "Night in the Wunderland" in the Galaxy World. We are also planning to build a "Night in the Wunderland" without any hands and with only a limited number of scenics, as well as the chance to catch a glimpse behind the scenes. Tickets are available on our online shop:
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All this sightseeing and marvelling really whets other appetites.

THE PUSH BUTTON ACTIONS:
Spread over the entire model area, you’ll find more than 1,500 of these buttons on various facts. Once pushed, they activate animated scenes and effects. A green light means you push the button, a flashing button indicates that the action is already in progress, and a red light indicates, unfortunately, that something’s broken.

All push-buttons under are still built and equipped with sophisticated technology. Thus, any malfunctions may occur from time to time. We perceive errors as every opportunity to identify and eliminate such malfunctions.

THE WORLD TRIP
Night in the Wunderland
Culinary.' or the 'World Trip
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You have also found and photographed the faithful recreation of various scenes and places in the Teutoburger Forest, like the original can be found in the German National Park in the Teutoburger Forest. The castles di Castello di Monte Ferdinando and the château castles of the world can be seen over a distance with the help of a 6 metres high and 30.000 rødendel. The highest exterior lift in the world is the Knuffingen lift – this is its centrepiece.

There’s something for everyone in our labs – take your stay with a broad and enjoy delicious results for lunch from our afternoon buffet. There is a variety of fresh salads from our salad bar, on the popular German classic: Component, a contrast sausage with French fries, and a cup of coffee with a slice of cake making talking about your visit in the Wunderland as the most enjoyable.

EXCERPT FROM OUR MENU:
Cutlet with French fries 5.38 €
Large cutlet with French fries 4.75 €
French fries with ketchup or mayonnaise 3.85 €
Large serving size of noodles with various sauces 4.00 €
Fish fillet with potato salad 5.38 €

Soft-drink 0.5 l 2.30 €
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Hausl-beer 0.5 l 2.20 €
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Birne 2.00 €
Cappuccino 2.20 €

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