



We are going to the Schwarz Wald!

Welcome to the picturesque **Black Forest** region in Southern Germany! Known for its stunning landscapes, dense forests, and charming villages, the Black Forest offers the perfect backdrop for a memorable company outing. Get ready for three days filled with adventure, relaxation, and team bonding.

Day 1: Arrival and Hike (14 Mar 2024)

Day 1 offers an invigorating start to our company outing in the Black Forest. After a warm welcome at the hotel, we dive straight into adventure with a guided hike through the forest's captivating trails. Following a satisfying lunch featuring local delicacies, we come together for team-building games, strengthening bonds and fostering teamwork. As the day winds down, we unwind with a delicious dinner and relaxation, reflecting on the day's adventures and eagerly anticipating what lies ahead.

Time	Activity
9:00 - 10:00 AM	Arrival at the hotel. Check-in and enjoy a hearty breakfast buffet to fuel up for the day ahead.
10:30 AM - 2:30 PM	Guided Hike in the Black Forest: Lace up your hiking boots and venture into the heart of the Black Forest.
2:30 - 4:00 PM	Lunch at a traditional German restaurant: Forest Haven Bistro.
4:30 - 6:00 PM	Team-Building Games. Write down your suggestions in the office board!
7:30 PM onwards	Dinner at the hotel's restaurant, relaxation, and party 🥳

The guided hike has two different trails: one embarks all the way up the mountain to reach the summit, while the other will veer off towards a scenic lake, where you can enjoy the water for the remainder of the afternoon.

Day 2: CUL Day (15 Mar 2024)

Day 2 is a CUL day where we will dive into the **CULTural** insights and the **CULinary** delicacies of the Schwarz Wald. We begin with a hearty breakfast before immersing ourselves in the charm of a nearby village, where we wander through quaint streets and sample artisanal delights. After a scrumptious lunch at a traditional gasthaus, we indulge in leisure time, soaking in the tranquil ambiance before a memorable dinner at a local brewery.

Time	Activity
8:00 - 9:30 AM	Breakfast at the hotel
10:00 AM - 12:30 PM	Visit to a Local Village: Explore a nearby village renowned for its quaint charm and traditional architecture
1:00 - 2:30 PM	Lunch at a Traditional Gasthaus: Schwarzwaldstube Gasthaus
3:00 - 6:00 PM	Relaxation Time: Take a dip in the pool, enjoy a drink in the hotel garden, or take a nap!
7:30 PM onwards	Dinner at a Local Brewery: After dinner, we will have a beer tasting and also a private tour around the brewery!

For those interested, there is also the possibility to book a pottery course in the afternoon. A shuttle will bring you back to the hotel just in time for dinner. There's 12 spots available! Contact Erica to sign up.

The brewery also counts with an arcade lounge for those not interested in the tour.



Day 3: Adventure and Departure (16 Mar 2024)

Day 3 invites us to embrace the spirit of adventure as we embark on outdoor pursuits and breathtaking landscapes. Following a satisfying breakfast, we embark on an exhilarating outdoor activity, whether it be zip-lining through the forest canopy or canoeing along scenic rivers. After a leisurely picnic lunch surrounded by nature's beauty, we bid farewell to the Black Forest, cherishing the memories created during our unforgettable company outing. As we venture onwards, the camaraderie forged through shared experiences continues to deepen, making each moment in the great outdoors all the more meaningful.

Time	Activity
8:00 - 9:30 AM	Breakfast at the hotel and check out.
10:00 AM - 12:00 PM	Outdoor Adventure Activity: Conclude your outing with an adrenaline-pumping outdoor adventure activity such as zip-lining, tree-top trekking, or canoeing along a scenic river.
12:30 - 2:00 PM	Picnic Lunch: Do not worry! You don't have to bring anything with you 😊 it's all taken care of.
2:30 - 5:00 PM	Commute back to Stuttgart 🚆, making first a stop in Stuttgart Hbf where remotees can catch their trains.

You can pick up to two different activities for the Outdoor Adventure section of the day. Make sure to fill in your name in the respective list before 29 Feb 2024.

If you prefer to relax, it is also possible to rest in a hammock next to the river. Still, do write your name down to make sure we have enough hammocks.

Before the Trip

To Bring List

- Comfortable hiking shoes
- Weather-appropriate clothing (layers, rain gear)
- Bathing suit if you wish to swim in the pool
- Water bottle
- Sunscreen and hat
- Camera or smartphone
- Snacks for the hike
- Sense of adventure and teamwork spirit!

To Do List

- Fill in dietary preferences in the Confluence page
- Sign up for your preferred trail for the hike
- Write down your name on the group of activities for the outdoor day
- Add your favorite music to the Spotify playlist.
- Fill in your name in the Hotel Room Organization page
- Inform friends or family of your travel plans and provide emergency contact information

If you have any question regarding our itinerary don't hesitate to contact Erica Bernard or any other person of the People's Team!

