

# Leisure time activities

## City's around

### Solothurn

Solothurn, called "Switzerland's most beautiful Baroque City" is a charming town at the Aare-river. Furthermore, this place has a special affinity to the number eleven. Are you interested in knowing more about that? Then you may well ask for a guided city tour or explore the town by yourself.

⇒ [www.solothurn-city.ch](http://www.solothurn-city.ch) / 032 626 46 46

### Grenchen

Grenchen, calls itself the Technology-city in the nature. Known for nameable companies from watch-industry and medicinal-technique. Guided city- or even airport-tours are held on request.

⇒ [www.grenchentourismus.ch](http://www.grenchentourismus.ch) / 032 644 32 11

### Biel

Biel, at the same named lake. The city is not just famous for its watch-business, it has way more to offer. Walk through the historic old-town or try freshly-caught fish and a glass of wine from the region.

⇒ [www.biel-seeland.ch](http://www.biel-seeland.ch) / 032 329 84 84

## Walking/jogging/hiking

### Aare/Witi/Altreu

Walk or jog along the Aare-river, enjoy the silence and rest at the water. Connect this pleasure for example with a visit to the stork-colony in Altreu (30 minutes walking-distance).

⇒ [www.infowiti.ch](http://www.infowiti.ch) / 032 623 51 51

### Local mountains

Catch a scenic panorama view over the Alps and midland in the altitude of the southern Jura. In summer and winter there are a lot of activities to do.

⇒ [www.bettlachberg.ch](http://www.bettlachberg.ch)

⇒ [www.grenchenberge.ch](http://www.grenchenberge.ch)

⇒ [www.solothurn-city.ch/de/entdeckungen/naturschoenheiten/weissenstein.5139.html](http://www.solothurn-city.ch/de/entdeckungen/naturschoenheiten/weissenstein.5139.html)

⇒ [www.seilbahn-weissenstein.ch](http://www.seilbahn-weissenstein.ch)

⇒ [www.balmberg.ch](http://www.balmberg.ch)

⇒ [www.seilpark-balmberg.ch](http://www.seilpark-balmberg.ch)

### Verena-gorge

Discover the mystic Verena-gorge near Solothurn. Walk to the hermitage and refuel your energy through the wonderful silence.

⇒ [www.solothurn-city.ch/de/aktiv/wanderland/verenaschlucht-und-die-einsiedelei.1207.html](http://www.solothurn-city.ch/de/aktiv/wanderland/verenaschlucht-und-die-einsiedelei.1207.html)

## Sport/Wellness

### Kakadu leisure-centre

For hotel guest the entry for fitness, sauna and steam bath in the nearby (5 minutes walking-distance) leisure-centre "Kakadu" is free. Ask at the reception desk for the access-voucher and extra towels. Additional it has to offer: squash, solarium, billard, a coiffeur, a boutique, a restaurant and a Denner-shop.

⇒ [www.kakadu.ch](http://www.kakadu.ch) / 032 645 11 11

### Sports-centre in Zuchwil

In the sports-centre in Zuchwil, which is reachable in 20 car-minutes it has a lot to experience: public outdoor and indoor swimming pool with a heated wellness pool, sauna landscape, miniature-golf in summer, ice rink in winter and a self-service restaurant.

⇒ [www.szzag.ch](http://www.szzag.ch) / 032 686 55 55

### Public outdoor pool in Grenchen

The public outdoor pool was built 1956 in Grenchen and is 5 car-minutes away. The maintenance of the construction is one of among other reasons why Grenchen in 2008 has won the "Wakker price".

⇒ [www.badi-info.ch/a/grenchen-schwimmbad.html](http://www.badi-info.ch/a/grenchen-schwimmbad.html) / 032 653 09 07

## Bicycling

### "Veloland" Switzerland

Directly located at the Midland-route 5 and Aare-route 8 from "Schweiz-Mobil". The flat Midland is suitable for short or longer bicycle tours through the region or whole Switzerland.

⇒ [www.veloland.ch](http://www.veloland.ch)

### Velodrome

Grenchen is developing more and more to a bicycle city. The producer BMC is based in Grenchen and the in 2013 opened Tissot-Velodrome is as well worth too see. Watch a race or pedal by yourself at an intro-course. More Details you receive with a personal guided tour.

⇒ [www.tissotvelodrome.ch](http://www.tissotvelodrome.ch) / 032 654 20 40

### Boat cruises (Aare-Lake Biel-St. Peter's Island)

What about a comfortable boat cruise on the Aare-river? Or discover the "Three Lakes region". On a stopover at St. Peter's Island you can walk along the traces from Jean-Jacques Rousseau.

⇒ [www.bielersee.ch](http://www.bielersee.ch) / 032 329 88 11

⇒ [www.schiffaare.ch](http://www.schiffaare.ch)

## **Wine tasting**

Taste full-bodied drips from the Biel region. You receive addresses from the info-centre for Lake-Biel wines. Our supplier Hugi Weine in Selzach arranges as well several times a year tasting-events.

⇒ [www.bielerseewein.ch](http://www.bielerseewein.ch) / 032 315 27 18

⇒ [www.hugiweine.ch](http://www.hugiweine.ch) / 032 641 33 33

## **Brewing of beer**

If you prefer beer, get a sight in the art of brewing at the place of the beer-producer "Öufi" in Solothurn.

⇒ [www.oeufi-bier.ch](http://www.oeufi-bier.ch) / 032 530 53 11

## **Roasting of coffee**

Immerse yourself into the interesting world of coffee. Guided tours are possible on request by our deliverer Oetterli in Solothurn.

⇒ [www.oetterlikaffee.ch](http://www.oetterlikaffee.ch) / 032 622 80 81

## **Entertainment**

### **Bowling**

At Bowling centre Bellach you won't miss fun. The entertainment-place has several bowling-lanes, billiard tables, gaming facilities and a cosy lounge.

⇒ [www.bowling-bellach.ch](http://www.bowling-bellach.ch) / 032 618 40 40

### **Billiard**

⇒ see "Kakadu leisure-centre"

⇒ see "Bowling Bellach"

### **Cinema**

Would you like to watch a good movie? In Grenchen, Solothurn or Biel it has a variety of cinemas in diverse languages (mostly German, English or French).

⇒ [www.cineman.ch/kinoprogramm/grenchen](http://www.cineman.ch/kinoprogramm/grenchen) or [solothurn](http://www.cineman.ch/kinoprogramm/solothurn) or [biel](http://www.cineman.ch/kinoprogramm/biel)

## **Others**

Did you not found a suitable idea from you? Ask the reception team. With pleasure we will give you some more tips. About actual events we are as well informed.