



"Rübezahl 2026"

Traveling means finding out that everyone is wrong about what they think about other countries - as Aldous Huxley knew. And J.R.R. Tolkien once bought a Rübezahl postcard and wrote the following note on it: *"The origin of Gandalf"*

Rübezahl - the mysterious ruler of the Giant Mountains. Sometimes stern and terrifying, sometimes good-natured, and mischievous - but never malicious. The legends of the mountain spirits have been alive for over 400 years in Silesia, Germany, the Czech Republic, Poland, and Slovakia. Not to be forgotten: the "Robin Hood" of the Tatras - Juraj Jánošík. We experience his heroic story where it originated - in the Tatra Mountains and the Western Carpathians.

We also encounter film history along the way: "Nosferatu", the first silent Dracula film, as well as scenes from "Dragonheart" and "Casino Royale".

Be there - on our ride through the legendary Sudeten Mountains, also known as the "Wild Boar Mountains".

We experience the impressive Giant Mountains with the Schneekoppe, the Altvater Mountains with their witches' tales, the Devil's Caves - and who knows what other legends we will encounter. Historical regions such as Bohemia and Moravia as well as Upper Silesia are on our route. Our easternmost point: the wild Western Carpathians. We cross the imposing Bastei Bridge, enjoy breathtaking views, and visit places steeped in history - all on our bikes, of course, through unforgettable landscapes. We spend the night on old walls and let myths and legends accompany us - on a ride through seven countries, in a north-eastern direction.

Tour dates

The ride, with your own bike, lasts 13 days and covers around 3,000 kilometers. It is designed for fit bikers. Bikers who also want to see and get to know something about the country.

Don't have your own bike? No problem - we have suitable solutions for you



Termin:

July 05, 2026, until July 17, 2026

Prices from, Basis in double room:

Biker	CHF	3'470
Passenger	CHF	2'950
Single room surcharge	CHF	670

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Included services:

- Road Captain / Road Master
- Support vehicle with drinks
- luggage transportation
- 13 guided tour days
- 12 overnight stays
- 12 breakfasts
- 9 dinners
- 5 lunches
- Entrance fees
- Tolls on planned routes
- Routes (electronic)
- Witch protection
- Sudeten certificate / pins

Our Convoys: We travel in small convoys of up to 14 bikes (big twins only...). Our groups are not split up; we travel and experience together. Nevertheless, you have free time - the evenings and the day off are yours.

Prices are subject to exchange rate fluctuations and changes in hotel and fuel prices



Day 1 Switzerland – Donauwörth 330 Km

After the first handshake and briefing, our ride into adventure begins. We cross the Appenzell region and ride over the Losen Pass into the Allgäu. The road leads us along the Lech to the Danube, where we round off the first day.



Day 2 Donauwörth – Karlovy Vary 320 Km

We leave Donauwörth and ride through the gentle hills of the Upper Palatinate, past dark forests and

whispering

fields. After crossing the Czech border, we enter the Emperor's Forest – through

gorges and countless curves, we reach Karlovy Vary; James Bond sends his regards.



Welcome to the region of "Myths & Legends"

Day 3 Karlovy Vary - Hřensko 230 Km

Today's stage takes us through the Ore Mountains, the Giant Mountains, and deep into the ancient forests

of Saxon Switzerland. Every kilometer draws us deeper into a world where time seems to stand still. The

wind carries tales of nutcrackers and mountain spirits. We pause at the Bastei Bridge – overlooking a dreamlike landscape. Here, the magic of the mountains lives on.



Day 4 Hřensko – Olszyna 240 Km

Today, we continue eastward. Through the hilly "Bohemian Switzerland" we reach the Devil's Caves – a special experience among the sandstone cliffs. After

the Beech Forest National Park, we cross into Poland – already the eighth border crossing of our ride.

We spend the night in a mystical, ancient building in Upper Silesia...



Day 5 Olszyna – Krapowice 260 Km

We leave Upper Silesia heading south. Past Devil's Hill and through the Dark Valley – we can feel him: Rübezahl. The wild guardian of the Giant Mountains does not appear, but his presence is felt. Things get eerie... we visit the Skull Chapel from ancient times. We ride through the Jeseníky Mountains, past the "Witch Marks", and return to Upper Silesia – where our night feels straight out of a Harry Potter story.



Day 6 Krapowice - Zakopane 280 Km

Today, the borders travel with us – we cross Poland, the Czech Republic, Slovakia... and back into Poland. First, we head towards Ostrava, where Harley Davidson awaits. Then we ride eastwards into the wilderness of the Tatra Mountains. Lake Orava sparkles like the eye of the Earth –

and suddenly it appears: the "Sleeping Knight," a mountain range resting like an ancient giant. In Zakopane, we find rest – well-earned after a day that blurred all borders.





Day 7 Freier Day in Zakopane 0 Km

Zakopane – more than just a winter wonderland. Today, the day is yours to choose: take the cable car to the summit of Kasprowy Wierch at almost 2,000 meters above sea level, explore the surreal min-



ature "Mouse Worlds", or simply relax, stroll through the village, and unwind in the spa. The day is yours – and perhaps also belongs to the old knight still sleeping out in the mountains...



Day 8 Zakopane – Košice 290 Km

From the Tatras, we head towards the Western Carpathians – entering Slovakia. Memories of Dracula echo, but this is the territory of Jánošík, the Robin Hood of the region. In Bardejov, a town where time seems to have slept for centuries, we make a short stop.



Then we follow the Veľká Domaša reservoir – a silver

ribbon guiding us to the "Tus-



cany of the East." In the evening, there's time to visit the Elisabeth Cathedral in Košice – a gothic gem from a long-forgotten era.



Day 9 Košice – Brince 250 Km

In the morning, we head west – our journey's easternmost point is now behind us. Ahead lie the Low Tatras – winding, wild, full of life. We



pass through the mysterious "Čertova dolina," the Devil's Valley. In Súľov, we feel the strength of the mountains; in Bačova Roveň, the crispness of



mountain air. The High Tatras are once again near – like an old friend riding silently beside us. At Lake Liptov, the sun sets – and we drift with it into the quiet of the night.

Day 10 Brince – Brünn 300 Km

The day begins with a dance – curve after curve through the Orava Valley, past the castle where the first silent



hills and golden fields. The day ends in Brno.

Dracula film was made. A hint of Nosferatu follows us as we ride along the river to the monument of Juraj Jánošík. Moravia greets us with open



Day 11 Brünn - Hrádek 260 Km

The journey continues westward through the open, sunlit expanses of Bohemia. The scent of Budweiser malt lingers in the air. We



reach Hrádek – today's destination. At Zámek Hrádek – within thick walls and ancient wood – we enjoy the evening with fine beer and delicious food.

Day 12 Hrádek - Tierhaupten 280 Km

One last ride through the green cathedrals of Central Europe. Bohemian Forest, Bavarian Forest, Palatinate Forest –



a triad of silence, shadows, and ancient breath. We roll through the Altmühl Valley, cross the Danube again – where our journey first began. In Tierhaupten, a monastery awaits – a place for reflection, a place to let go. The final evening – stories are shared, glances exchanged, fires lit.

Day 13 Tierhaupten - Switzerland 260 Km

Heading home – always westward. Through the Upper Allgäu and along the Danube, we return to Switzerland



near Schaffhausen. Back to where it all began, where we met just days ago and our shared adventure took off...

" The ride ends - but the myth lives on in us "
the next ride is in the works - see you...



We ... Biker on the Road

Traveling safely in a convoy is our credo on the road. The convoy consists of different participants with the same "philosophy": Enjoying our hobby together and starting the day with curiosity: exploring countries and beautiful areas, getting to know places, and hearing stories, understanding cultures - these are the highlights of our rides. Letting the rides resonate with great memories and unforgettable pictures is what we want to offer you. Getting to know other people, making new friends, and having great experiences and fun together requires a contribution from you. Combining driving dynamics and the magic of curves. Traveling together also requires a certain generosity, respect, and consideration - experience and grant. Our rides are neither driving training nor racing camps. The road captain sets the speed. His job is to lead the group safely to its destination! We show consideration as long as the convoy is not disadvantaged. However, we also expect you to prepare yourself for the challenging ride, be mentally and physically fit and willing to embark on the adventure.

Our aim is to organize and book everything to perfection. Swiss Road Captain does its best to offer you an unforgettable ride with wonderful memories. But not everything can always be perfect. Sometimes it is not only the weather that we cannot influence. Therefore, there may be changes.

Our security

We attach immense importance to safety. This includes your riding style and your personal protective equipment, which must be safe and suitable for all weather conditions.

For your own safety and the protection of the group.

Our travel conditions

The General Terms and Conditions of Kamber SE, Bike Competence apply. These are available on the website www.road-captain.ch or can be requested. We recommend that you read our preamble in the GTCs.

We travel fully booked. If this is not possible, we reserve the right to cancel the trip in accordance with the GTC. The routes, stops and highlights are planned. Special requests can be accommodated, if possible, in accordance with the GTCs.

If you have any ideas or requests, please contact us before booking.

The "first come, first booked" principle applies to registrations.

Registrations are valid once we have received the 25% deposit. The remaining amount must be received by us 60 days before the start of the trip.

Insurance

All participants are responsible for their insurance. Good cover is an absolute must:

- Vehicle insurance with assistance
- Personal assistance,
- health and accident insurance
- and liability insurance...
- ...

Please note that the insurance policies are valid in the countries traveled to. Insurance policies are listed in detail in the GTCs.

Our Bikes

We are on the road for several thousand kilometers.

- ☑ Your bike must be fit enough to outlast the ride by approx. 1,000 kilometers for tire changes and servicing.
- ☑ Tire changes and service are not scheduled during the rides.
- ☑ If a bike must go to the workshop, the Road Captain arranges it but rides further with the group.

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