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**BODENHAUS.**

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# A WARM WELCOME TO HÔTEL BODENHAUS.

Hôtel Bodenhaus in Splügen is a place we love and cherish. We do what we can to protect its beauty, tranquillity, and historical roots. Tradition and innovation go hand in glove for us. After all, our passion is to make you feel at home and to ensure you have a good time. No matter whether you fancy hiking, mountain-biking, downhill or cross-country skiing, or just taking it easy – you are in good hands with us. Knowing how precious your holidays are, we will ensure you waste no time.

THE BODENHAUS TEAM

## HISTORY

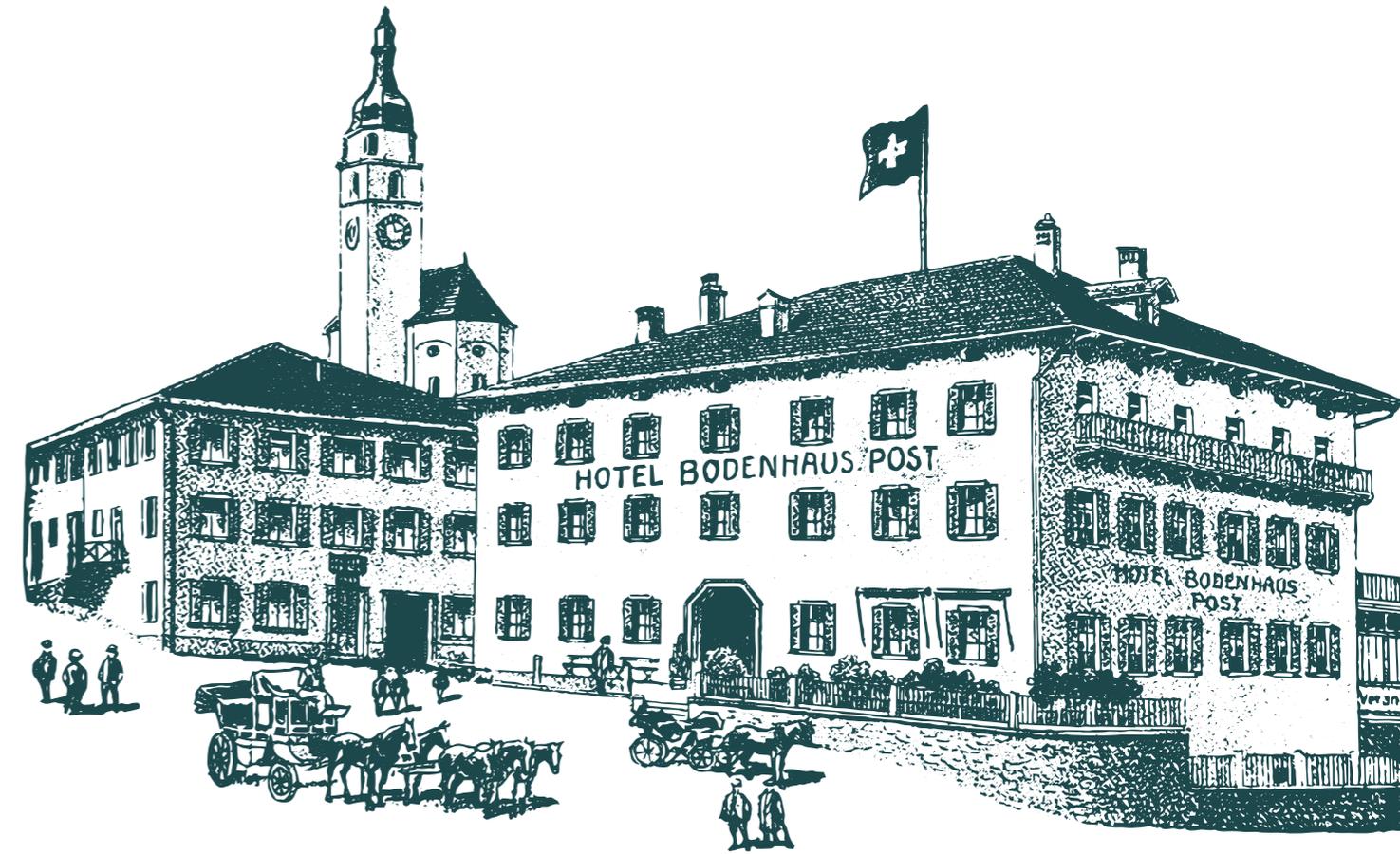
# WHERE PATHS HAVE MET. FOR 300 YEARS.

At the foot of two alpine passes, Splügen Pass and San Bernardino Pass, 1,450 metres above sea level, lies the hamlet of Splügen, population 400, its Valais houses topped by the typical stone-slab roofs.

Anyone travelling from northern to southern Europe overland in ancient times had to pass through the Swiss Alps. Romans on their way across the mountains passed through here, as did merchants, clerics, and enterprising noblemen during the Middle Ages. They all gathered in Splügen, changed horses and packed their carts with provisions.

Ever since its construction in 1722, the Bodenhause building has stood out in Splügen.

The prominent building was originally designed as storage room for transport goods, but was also home to the post office, and offered lodgings and provisions to travellers. In 1822, Bodenhause was converted into a cosy hotel. Its guest books bear the names of historical figures: Albert Einstein, Friedrich Nietzsche, Wilhelm Conrad Röntgen, William Turner, Napoleon III and Arch Duke Ferdinand Maximilian of Austria, among many others.



1722

Bodenhause constructed as trading post and storage facility, incl. lodgings.



1822

Converted into the Hôtel Bodenhause.



1828

In 1828, records of travellers from outside Switzerland began to be kept in special registries.



1846

Completion of a gallery of 312 metres on Splügenpass to protect travellers against avalanches.



1879

Pioneering hotelier Anton Bon and his wife Maria ran the Hôtel Bodenhause until 1882.



1882

Gothard Tunnel opened, radically changing the nature of north-south travel.



1946

Locals successfully fought the development of the Rheinwald reservoir, which would have inundated village and valley.



1967

The completion of the San Bernardino road tunnel opened a new chapter in the history of Splügen. The village transformed into a holiday location.



1995

The municipality of Splügen was awarded the Wakker Prize by the Swiss Heritage Society for its sensitive local development plan that left the historic village centre intact.

1999

The Löschi-Burkhardt family took over the Hôtel Bodenhause. It went on to operate the hotel with great dedication over the next 20 years.

2021

Wolfram Kuoni, Peter Meyer and Paul Caviezel, natives of the Grisons, acquired the time-honoured hotel. Another husband-and-wife team, Lucas and Stephanie Treichler-Heimberg, took over the management.

2022

300-year anniversary!



## ROOMS

# EINSTEIN, NIETZSCHE AND YOU.

You are certainly in good company, because this used to be a gathering point for savants, celebrities and gentry. Historical figures like Hans Christian Andersen, Albert Einstein, Friedrich Nietzsche, Wilhelm Conrad Röntgen, William Turner, Napoleon III and Arch Duke Ferdinand Maximilian of Austria all stayed here on their travels through the Grisons.

No matter whether you read an Andersen fairy tale or about Einstein's theory of relativity before you turn in: The background sound of the whitewater creek from the Bärähora peak will ensure a deep night's sleep that leaves you truly refreshed.

DOUBLE ROOM SUPERIOR  
DOUBLE ROOM STANDARD  
BRIDAL SUITE  
SINGLE ROOM  
ROOM IN THE ANNEX

For more details, or to make a direct reservation, please go to our home page:

[hotel-bodenhaus.ch/en/rooms](https://hotel-bodenhaus.ch/en/rooms)





## DINING

# TIMELESS, TRADITIONAL AND TASTY.

We believe that it takes a basic recipe of simple produce and foodstuffs to eat well: You need passion and rootedness, first-rate ingredients and enthusiasm, creativity and skill. And the care that is lavished on the dishes as we prepare them surely makes its way onto your plate.

We love holistic, sustainable dining experience, and food aesthetics play an important role for us. What appeals to us most is the unpretentious look of true beauty, as well as the casual ease of time-honoured traditions and, of course, anything authentic from our region. Do you feel the same way? If so, make yourself at home in one of our dining rooms or on the terrace.

STÜBLI  
DORFBEIZ  
SÄUMEREI  
BANQUET HALL  
TERRACE

You may download our menu and wine list from our homepage any time:

[hotel-bodenhaus.ch/en/dining](https://hotel-bodenhaus.ch/en/dining)





CELEBRATE IN STYLE

## HAVE THE BODENHAUS EXCLUSIVELY TO YOURSELF.

Regardless of whether you are throwing a party, planning a wedding reception or hosting a special event: You may hire the entire Hôtel Bodenhaus, be it for a day or longer, for a night to remember or a one-off event of up to 140 guests. With all rooms, amenities and services included.



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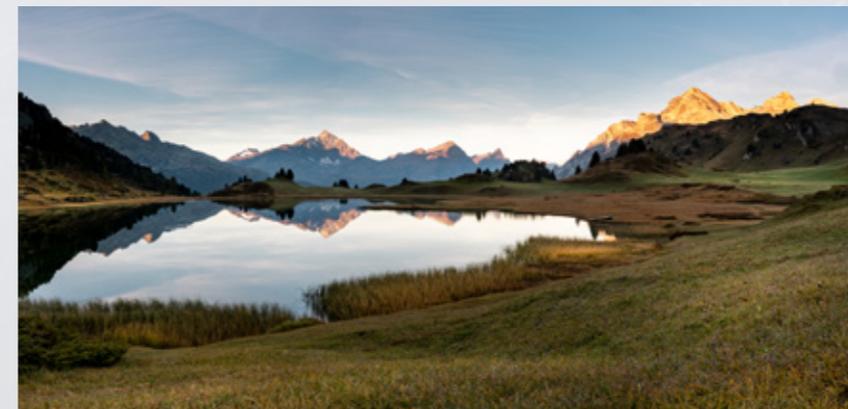
## EXPERIENCE

# SUMMERTIME: ENJOY THE OUTDOORS.

Splügen is a charismatic mountain pass village with splendid palazzi, sun-bronzed Valais houses and a dense network of hiking trails.

When staying at the Hôtel Bodenhäus, you will instantly find yourself in an authentic alpine setting whenever you step outside – whether it is for an exploratory tour of the narrow streets or a long-distance trekking tour on the historic “Via Spluga” trail.

Our hills, valleys and lakes are alive with a unique fauna and flora. Let us show you the best places to start exploring this world.





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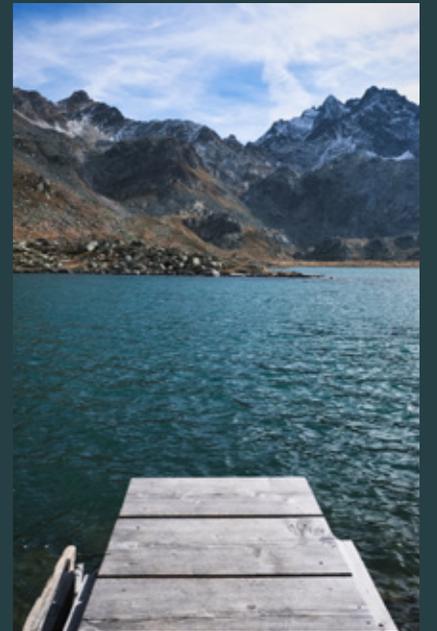
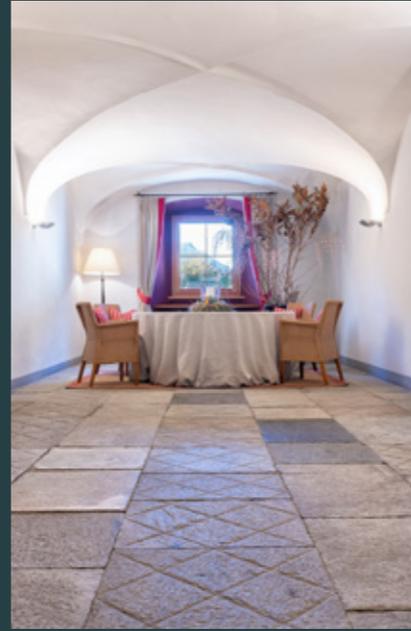
# WINTERTIME: HEAR THE CALL OF THE MOUNTAINS.

Money cannot buy happiness. But it can pay for a ski pass. And the two are practically synonymous. A modern eight-seater gondola cable car will take you up to Tanatzhöhi. The richly varied Splügen-Tambo ski resort on the border to Italy awaits you with 30 kilometres of perfectly groomed slopes.

If you need a break from the bustling slopes, you may go on a skiing tour instead, or try the picturesque cross-country ski trail from Splügen to Nufenen.

Expose yourself to the mountains' majesty. We will gladly show you the finest sights of Splügen and its surroundings.







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