

# Liechtenstein

## Girl Takes Mundo Day Trip Itinerary

**DESTINATION:**

Liechtenstein

**DURATION OF STAY:**

1 Day

**COUNTRY FACTS:**

- Liechtenstein is the 6th smallest country in the world.
- The smallest country in the world that borders more than one other country; Austria & Switzerland. They too are landlocked making Liechtenstein double landlocked. The only other country in this category is Uzbekistan.
- With an area of only 62 square miles, it's nearly eight times smaller than the city of Los Angeles.
- Their per capita GDP is the second highest in the world making it rather wealthy.
- Known for its medieval castles and alpine landscapes.

**DAY 1****WHAT TO DO:**

(Route : Zurich to Liechtenstein)  
Visit Tourism Office  
Hike to Vaduz Castle  
Wine Tasting at The Prince of Liechtenstein Winery  
Lunch at New Castle  
Explore the National Museum & Postal Museum  
Experience the yearly autumn tradition of bringing down the cattle  
Ride the Malbun Mountain Railways up to Sareis  
Sunset dinner at Wirtschaft zum Löwen

**GOOD EATS:**

- [New Castle](#)- Daily lunch specials offering a mix of local cuisine including veg dishes
- [Dammel Kaffee](#) - The coffee spot for a coffee snob
- [Wirtschaft zum Löwen](#) - Family owned spot outside of the capital. Try their Kasknopfle

**HIGHLIGHTS:**

- Tourist Information Center - Site where you can purchase your [Adventure Pass](#), personalized postage stamps, and get your passport stamped.
- Vaduz Castle - An easy 30 minute hike to the stunning royal castle with views of the Rhine valley and city.
- The Prince of Liechtenstein Winery - Sample some of the most top rated wines in the country. (Free with Adventure Pass)
- National Museum - Wonderful exhibit that highlights the history, culture and people of Liechtenstein. (Free with Adventure Pass)
- Liechtenstein Postal Museum - Famous for their stamps and all things post office. (Free entrance + gift with Adventure Pass)
- Bringing Down The Cattle - In this yearly autumn tradition a small procession of cows are led through the villages with colorful flower head-dresses and bells after spending the summer grazing in the alps.
- Bergbahnen Malbun AG - This chairlift connects Malbun with the Sareisjoch mountain and transports people up to one of the most gorgeous spots in Liechtenstein. (Free with Adventure Pass)

## TIPS:

- Liechtenstein is so small that most can be seen within a day (2 days if you really want to dig deep)
- If doing a day trip, be sure to arrive early and consider having your own car to ensure you can move around more quickly.
- Zurich in Switzerland is only a 1 hour drive each way to Liechtenstein and the closest airport to the country.
- Arrive at the Tourist Information Center when they open at 9am to maximize the use of your 1 day [Adventure Pass](#) (2 day passes are also available.) which offers access to the countries main attractions and highly recommended. Click [HERE](#) to see all the offers included.
- The Tourist Information Center is the only place in the city where you can get your souvenir passport stamp. (Free with your Adventure Pass.)
- Liechtenstein stamps are highly acclaimed. To send a postcard from Liechtenstein, postcards can be purchased anywhere in the city but the best stamps in my personal opinion come from the tourist information center as you can make your own.
- A lot of attractions are closed on Sunday or close early on Saturday such as Dammal Kaffee (Free coffee with your Adventure Pass) so plan accordingly.
- If you are not staying in Liechtenstein which can be quite expensive the best place to stay in is Switzerland and visit 2 countries while you are in the area. (See my Switzerland weekend guide [HERE](#).)

## TRIP COSTS: £121.00\* (\$154.09 USD)

Meals - £72.50

Adventure Pass - £21 (1-Day)

Postcards & Stamps - £20

Souvenirs - £7.50

\*For 1 Person

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