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Introduction



Grüessech!

Welcome to Amanthos Living in Grenchen! We are happy to have you in our serviced apartments in one of Switzerland's hubs for watchmaking and innovation.

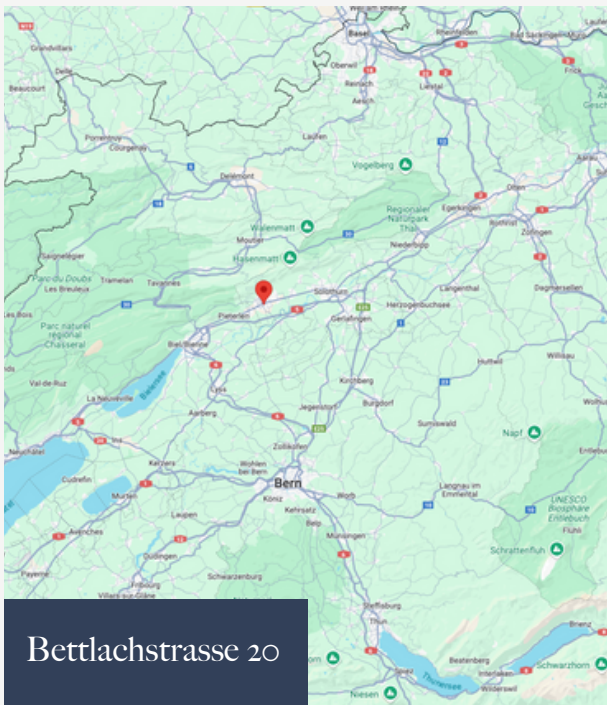
Our mission with this guide is to ensure you enjoy a **comfortable and memorable stay while exploring the region**. For any additional assistance, **feel free to reach out** to our friendly staff.

Let's begin your journey by introducing you to the lively area of Grenchen, followed by exciting day trip opportunities nearby.

Have a great stay!

Team Amanthos

About the Location



- **Prime Connectivity:** Close to **Grenchen Süd** and **Grenchen Nord** stations for easy regional travel.
- **Local Convenience:** Nearby bakeries, supermarkets, and cafés **within walking distance**.
- **Just Steps Away:** **Access to Jura** hiking and cycling trails, riverside walks, and peaceful green spaces ideal for relaxing after work or travel days.

Nestled at Bettlachstrasse 20, 2540 Grenchen, Amanthos Living offers the perfect base for your Swiss adventure in the heart of the Jura region. Just a short distance from Solothurn, our modern serviced apartments provide comfort for business and leisure travelers alike. Grenchen offers excellent transport links with direct train connections to Solothurn (10 minutes), Biel/Bienne, and Bern (50 minutes).

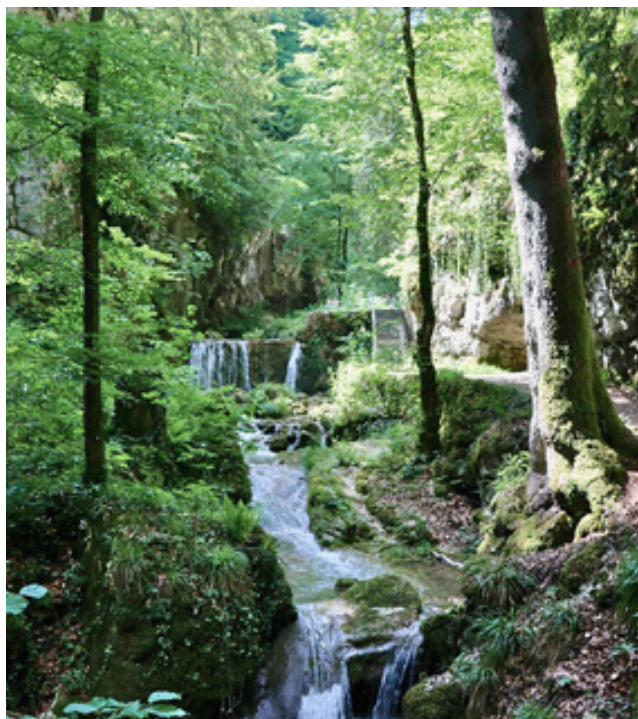
*"Beneath Solothurn's baroque skies, every
moment sparkles like the Aare at dusk."*
- Unknown

LIVE LIKE A LOCAL

Explore Grenchen & Solothurn



HIGHLIGHTS: Baroque charm, riverside strolls, and Jura nature, all easily accessible from Grenchen.



FREEBIES

- Solothurn Old Town: Wander cobbled streets lined with Baroque architecture, shops, cafés...
- Aare Riverside Walks: Peaceful paths along the river for morning or evening strolls.
- Grenchen Watchmaking Heritage: Discover the town's connection to Swiss watchmaking
- Jura Trails: Free hiking and biking paths starting right outside Grenchen,



CHARGEABLES

- Museum of Art Solothurn: Explore Swiss and international art in a bright, modern setting.
 - Museum Grenchen: Dive into the area's watchmaking history with interactive exhibits.
 - Local Brewery Tastings: Visit small breweries in the Solothurn region to taste Swiss craft beers.
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*"Bern's timeless beauty and rich history make it
a haven for every traveler."
- Swiss Travel Chronicles*

IDEAL DAY TRIP

Explore Bern Attractions



HIGHLIGHTS

Stroll through the Old Town to admire the cobblestone lanes and iconic Zytglogge clock tower, reachable in around 50 minutes by train.



FREEBIES

- Take a peaceful stroll along the Aare River, open to all at no cost
 - Visit Nydeggbücke and other lively public squares, perfect for a free cultural pause
 - Unwind in Rosengarten, a free garden oasis with beautiful blooms
 - Explore the charming streets around the Bear Pit for a no-cost heritage glimpse
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CHARGEABLES

- Join a guided Zytglogge Tour for a modest fee to learn about the clock tower
 - Delve into the Einstein Museum with paid entry to explore the physicist's legacy
 - Experience a paid boat cruise on the Aare River for a unique perspective
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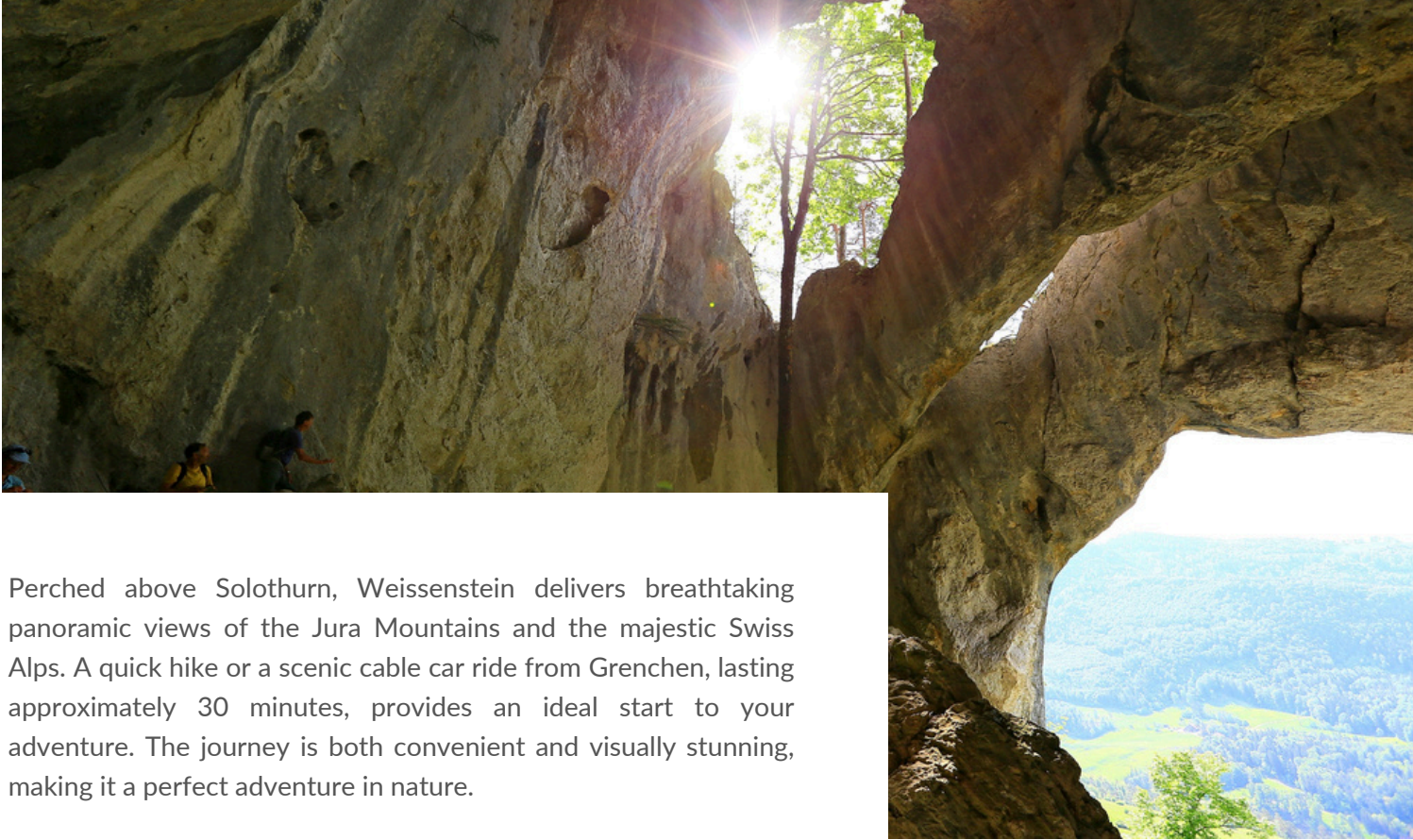
"In Balsthal, where the hills cradle history, every moment blooms with quiet wonder."
- Unknown

IDEAL DAY TRIP

The Enchanting Weissenstein and Balsthal



Morning: Visit Weissenstein



Perched above Solothurn, Weissenstein delivers breathtaking panoramic views of the Jura Mountains and the majestic Swiss Alps. A quick hike or a scenic cable car ride from Grenchen, lasting approximately 30 minutes, provides an ideal start to your adventure. The journey is both convenient and visually stunning, making it a perfect adventure in nature.

HIGHLIGHTS OF WEISSENSTEIN

- Panoramic Views
 - Weissenstein Tower
 - Nature Trails
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Weissenstein is conveniently reachable from Grenchen via public transport or by car, offering flexibility for all travelers. The cable car ride unveils spectacular scenery, while a variety of hiking trails cater to different fitness levels, ensuring an enjoyable experience for everyone.



CABLE CAR FROM GRENCEN
(30-minute-ride)



Afternoon: Explore Balsthal

After enjoying the heights of Weissenstein, head to Balsthal, a charming town known for its historic charm and industrial heritage. A short drive or train ride from Grenchen takes about 20 minutes.

- **Historic Old Town:** Wander through the cobblestone streets of this delightful town, soaking in the charm of well-preserved historic buildings and the vibrant local culture that echoes through every alleyway.
 - **Textile Museum:** Dive into the rich textile history of the region at this engaging museum, where exhibits showcase the evolution of local craftsmanship and offer a fascinating look into Balsthal's industrial past.
 - **Scenic River Walk:** Stroll along the picturesque riverside path, enjoying the serene beauty of the flowing water, lush greenery, and occasional glimpses of wildlife, providing a peaceful retreat amidst nature.
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ENJOY A LEISURELY WALK
OR VISIT THE TEXTILE
MUSEUM AND IMMERSE
YOURSELF IN A DEEPER
CULTURAL EXPERIENCE.

*"Biel's tranquil waters and cultural richness
create an ideal escape for all visitors."*

– Lake Travel Insights

IDEAL DAY TRIP

Explore Biel Attractions



HIGHLIGHTS

Admire the picturesque Lake Biel and its historic waterfront, a perfect blend of nature and heritage, reachable around 30 minutes by train.



FREEBIES

- Stroll along the Lakeside Promenade
 - Explore the Old Town streets
 - View the open-air markets, providing a free cultural experience.
 - View the weekly market at Place Centrale
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CHARGEABLES

- Visit the Historical Museum of Biel
 - Take a boat tour on Lake Biel
 - Join a guided city tour
 - Enjoy a paddleboat rental on the lake, a fun activity for all ages.
 - Experience a guided wine tasting tour
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Pro Tips for a Stress-Free Stay

RECOMMENDATIONS FOR MAXIMIZING YOUR VISIT



Insider Tips to Enhance Your Experience in Grenchen



Make the most of your stay at Amanthos Living with these practical tips:

- **Packing Essentials:** Pack layers and comfortable shoes for city strolls or scenic hikes, as weather can shift quickly
- **Connectivity:** Grab a local SIM card for affordable calls and data on the go
- **Swiss Travel Pass:** it includes unlimited travel on Switzerland's network of trains, buses, and boats
- **Transport:** Use Grenchen Süd or Grenchen Nord train stations for quick trips to Solothurn (10-15 minutes from either)

We wish you a fun and pleasant stay! If you need anything else, feel free to reach out at the front desk or via email at info@amanthosliving.com.

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