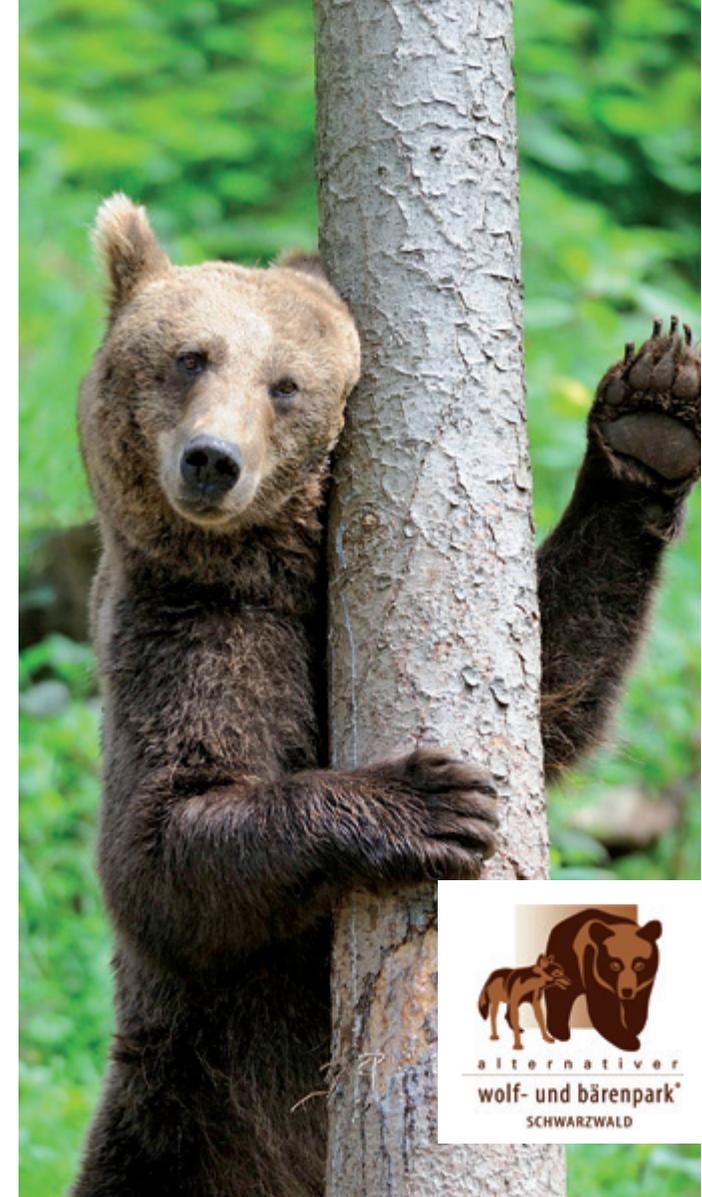




# Alternative Wolf- and Bear Park Black Forest



## Opening Hours and Prices

The Park is open every day throughout the year:  
March till Oct., 10 a.m. to 6 p.m., Nov. till Febr., 10 a.m. to 4 p.m.

### Day Tickets

Adults	5 €
Discounted tickets <small>retirees, students, handicapped, kids-5-16 y.</small>	4 €
Families <small>2 ad. and 2 kids (for each extra child 3 €)</small>	15 €
Severely disabled <small>free entry for accompanying person</small>	3 €
Dogs <small>must be kept on a leash!</small>	1 €

### Annual Tickets

Adults	40 €
Discounted tickets <small>retirees, students, handicap., kids-5-16 y.</small>	30 €
Families <small>2 adultes and kids.</small>	60 €

### Guided tours

40 €  
Advance reservation by phone, there is a maximum of 20 people per tour.

### Group Tickets

Adults <small>per pers., as from 10 pers.</small>	4 €
Kids <small>per Ki., as from 10 Ki., free entry for 1 carer</small>	3 €

### 3-Day-Tickets

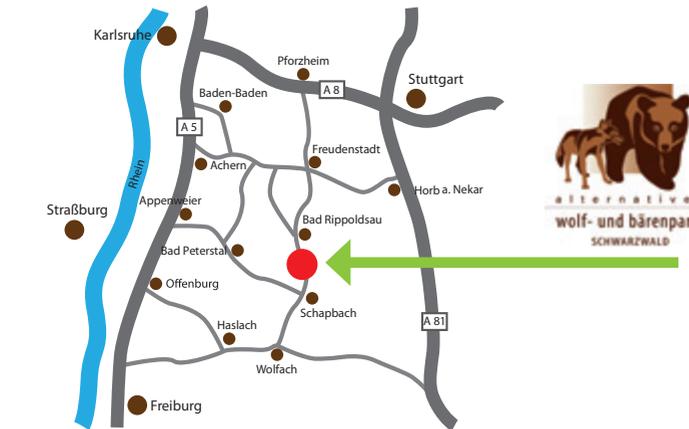
Adults	12 €
Discounted tickets <small>retirees, students, handicap., kids-5-16 y.</small>	9 €

### The Bear-Cart



...for visitors with limited mobility.  
For € 20.00 we will drive 1 -2 people,  
any additional person is € 10.00  
(max 5 people/persons per tour)

No further discounts on reduced price tickets. This price list is valid from 01.01.2016 on.  
Subject to alterations.



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## They are still around: Tortured bears in Europe!



## We give them our voice!

### The BEAR FOUNDATION ...

- runs the two animal welfare projects „Alternative Bear Park Worbis“ and „Alternative Wolf- and Bear Park Schwarzwald“
- rescues bears and wolves from poor husbandry
- runs campaigns to abolish the keeping of wild animals in circuses
- promotes animal welfare and conservation
- informs about good animal husbandry that supports natural behaviour



### You would like to donate?

Feel free to approach us!  
Or read up on our project:

[www.baer.de](http://www.baer.de)

Account: \_\_\_\_\_

E-Mail: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_

I wish to be sponsor for \_\_\_\_\_

I pay regularly \_\_\_\_\_

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Volksbank Eichsfeld-Norheim e.G.  
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can be deducted of my account -  
monthly\* quarterly per half year  
per year

I wish to receive the newsletter

donation receipt requested

\*Minimum sum for monthly sponsorship: 5 Euro

### SEPA Direct Debit Scheme

I authorize the "Foundation for Bears" to electronically debit my account.

Note: Within eight weeks, starting with the charge date, I can request the refund of the debited amount.  
The terms and conditions agreed upon with my bank are effective.

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City \_\_\_\_\_

Zip code \_\_\_\_\_

Bank \_\_\_\_\_

BIC \_\_\_\_\_

IBAN \_\_\_\_\_

Date, city, signature \_\_\_\_\_

We are very grateful for your support! Fl 16

Please fill in, cut out and send in a sufficiently stamped panel envelope. We are very grateful for your support and make sure that your money reaches the Alternative Bear Parks.

# Our bears and wolves

Let us introduce the residents of the „Alternative Wolf- and Bear Park Black Forest“. By becoming a sponsor you support our animal welfare ambitions. Please help our animals!



**Jurka the Wild** (born ca. 1997)

She used to live in the wild in Italy. Unfortunately ignorant people had fed her which made her lose her shyness. Eventually she had to be captured to prevent further damage as she passed on her behaviour to her offspring. She is the mother of Bruno, the first wild bear crossing the German border in over 100 years. He was shot in Bavaria in 2006.



**Poldi the Jovial** (born Jan. 20<sup>th</sup>, 1991)

Leaving behind a life under traumatizing circumstances in a circus, Poldi has become one of the most balanced and relaxed bears. In spite of his limp he wiggles up and down the slopes every day taking in everything around him with great serenity. It appears that he's got all the time in the world just for himself.



**Schapi the Relaxed** (born Jan. 6<sup>th</sup>, 1991)

Seeing him tromp around his senior residence so confidently, it is hard to believe that he is actually blind. For 15 years Schapi was used to perform in a circus and was penned in a cold and damp truck garage along with Poldi and Ben. Despite all this misery he is constantly on the move today in his new environment.



**Ben the Strong** (born Jan. 6<sup>th</sup>, 1991)

He is very aware of his size and strength. So unsurprisingly he claims the spot in the enclosure with the best view on the entire area. It doesn't bother him at all that the wolves' meeting point is just around the corner. We wonder if he still remembers his hard times in the circus?



**Bea the Dominant** (born Jan. 1991)

She has probably been some kind of mother figure to her siblings Biggi and Bodo. Bea knows exactly what she wants and is not afraid to seize new territories in the enclosure. Also, in minor conflicts she is very able to come out on top.



**Bodo the Agile** (born Jan. 1991)

Before Bodo came to our park his life was confined to a few square meters of concrete with nothing to do but looking at the blank walls. Bodo and his siblings Bea and Biggy had to suffer a lot. Today Bodo is in good shape and enjoys strolling through his spacious area.



**Biggi the Shy** (born Jan. 1991)

The sister of Bodo and Bea is rather reserved. Cautiously and only with her sister she dares to try something new. Among the siblings she is the baby of the family.



**Kaja the Cautious** (born Jan. 1984)

For many years, this poor little bear was brutally forced to learn and perform painful and completely unnatural circus acts. Today, she likes to sneak about the under-growth and is always very anxious keeping a safe distance away from everyone.



**The clever wolves** (born May 8<sup>th</sup> 2005)

Rejected by their former pack, Anita, Adi and Ado came to the Wolf and Bear Park in 2011. Now, they feel comfortable and like to challenge the bears for their food from time to time. This is a good way to keep the bears alert and on the go and therefore the wolves have become our bear therapists.



**Leoni in memory of Leoni** (born Jan. 1984)

After more than twenty agonizing years in the circus, Leonie had the chance to spend her last years peacefully at the 'Alternative Wolf- und Baer Park'. But ultimately her body was so weakened after the torturous training and show routines that she closed her kind bear eyes forever on June 17, 2015.

## In the Park you get to see ...

- bears splashing, digging, scuffing ... snoring
- wolves that sneak, howl and tease bears
- bear dens for kids and more
- scenic paths to stroll along next to the bears
- great settings for photography almost like in the wild
- info boards on bear abuses like dancing-bears, etc.
- explorer trail and nature playgrounds

## ... and there is more

- tours and lectures
- events und festivals
- corporate events
- children's birthday parties
- green classrooms
- food and refreshments made from scratch in our log cabin 'Bärenblick'

