



**Adlerwarte
Berlebeck**

Zoo Regulations

Welcome to the Adlerwarte Berlebeck!

We want to provide all visitors and animals with a pleasant and enjoyable experience.

To help us achieve this, we kindly ask for your cooperation:

With a few helpful tips and rules, your visit will become an unforgettable experience.
(Effective 12.06.2025)

General Information

1. By purchasing an admission ticket, visitors acknowledge and accept these park regulations.
2. Adlerwarte Berlebeck is operated by the City of Detmold. The Mayor of the City of Detmold exercises authority over the entire premises, including all buildings and the petting zoo.
3. Visitors must comply with all instructions given by Adlerwarte Berlebeck staff in the interest of visitor and animal safety.
4. All mandatory and prohibition signs displayed throughout the park must be observed.
5. Violations of these regulations may result in removal from Adlerwarte Berlebeck without refund of admission fees.
6. For safety reasons, children under the age of 12 may only visit Adlerwarte Berlebeck when accompanied by an adult, who is responsible for their supervision.

Admission

1. Entry to the park is permitted only with a valid admission ticket and via the main entrance.
2. Admission tickets must be retained and carried at all times during the visit and presented upon request.
3. Annual passes are issued to a specific individual and are non-transferable. Lost annual passes cannot be replaced.
4. Reduced admission for persons holding a severe disability ID card applies only if the card includes the designation "B" (accompaniment required). In such cases, one accompanying person is admitted free of charge.
5. Visitors must leave the park before closing time. Current opening hours must always be observed.

Parking

1. Parking is permitted only in the designated parking area on Hangsteinstraße.
2. Out of consideration for our neighbors, parking along the street is not permitted.
3. Although our 123 steps may be challenging, access via Adlerweg is permitted only in exceptional cases. In special circumstances, visitors may be dropped off or picked up at the entrance; however, vehicles must then park in the designated Hangsteinstraße parking area.
4. Fire and emergency access routes must remain clear at all times.

General Safety Regulations

1. Persons under the influence of alcohol or other intoxicating substances will be denied entry or removed from the park. Admission fees will not be refunded.
2. Safety barriers, including railings, fences, walls, and ropes, must not be climbed over.
3. Visitors must remain on designated pathways.
4. The activity area and nursery of Adlerwarte Berlebeck are used for animal training and may not be entered.
5. Children must not sit on enclosure barriers.
6. Walking sticks are not permitted inside the park. Mobility aids required for health reasons may be brought in only with prior approval.
7. The use or bringing of bicycles, balance bikes, scooters, wagons, inline-skates, skateboards, e-scooters, or similar items is prohibited.
8. Playing with frisbees, balls, or balloons is also prohibited.

Photography and Filming

1. Photography and filming for private purposes are expressly permitted.
2. Photos and videos may be shared on social media. We appreciate every mention; however, please respect the privacy of other visitors who may not wish to be identified online.
3. Commercial, professional, or political recordings are permitted only with prior approval from Adlerwarte Berlebeck.



Advertising and Sale of Goods and Services

1. The distribution of advertising materials or informational brochures within Adlerwarte Berlebeck, its surrounding grounds, or the Hangsteinstraße parking area is permitted only with express authorization.
2. The offering of goods or services, whether paid or unpaid, is permitted only with prior approval. This also applies to the collection of payments and opinion surveys.

Events Outside the Intended Purpose of the Park

1. Any events not related to the intended purpose of Adlerwarte Berlebeck, including political events, assemblies, fundraising activities, or membership recruitment by organizations or individuals, require prior written approval from the Mayor.
2. Violations may result in contractual penalties of up to €1,000 or a ban from the premises.

Feeding and Touching Animals

1. Feeding animals anywhere on the premises is strictly prohibited, as it may endanger the animals' lives.
2. Animals in the petting zoo may only be fed with special feed available for purchase at the ticket counter. Please also observe the additional posted instructions regarding proper interaction with petting zoo animals.
3. Touching or petting animals is strictly prohibited unless expressly authorized by staff (for example during a "Meet and Greet" or a guided tour). The petting zoo is exempt from this rule.

Smoking

1. Smoking is permitted within Adlerwarte Berlebeck. Ashtrays are provided throughout the park, and visitors are requested to dispose of cigarette butts properly. Please remain considerate of both our animals and fellow visitors.
 2. The consumption of cannabis is strictly prohibited.
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Noise

Out of consideration for the well-being of our animals and the comfort of other visitors, excessive noise and running are prohibited.

Plants

1. Plants within the park must not be damaged.
2. Some plants are poisonous and must not be picked or fed to the animals.

Cleanliness

We all appreciate a clean and well-maintained environment. Waste and cigarette butts must be disposed of in the designated bins and must not be discarded carelessly. Thank you for helping us keep the park clean. ❤️

Interaction with Our Animals

1. Animals must not be provoked, teased, or shouted at.
2. Knocking or hitting fences and glass barriers is prohibited.
3. No objects may be thrown into enclosures or water basins.
4. It is strictly prohibited to take feathers or similar items from the animals. All birds of prey and owls are protected under national and international law. This protection extends not only to the animals themselves but also to parts of them, including feathers. Possession or trade of such items is only permitted with appropriate legal documentation (CITES certificate).

Dogs and Other Animals

To protect our birds of prey, dogs and other animals are not permitted inside the park.

Flight Demonstrations

1. Eating is not permitted during flight demonstrations. All food must be sealed and kept inaccessible to the birds.
2. Adlerwarte Berlebeck reserves the right to cancel or postpone flight demonstrations due to adverse conditions (e.g., weather). No compensation or refund will be provided.



Reporting Damage and Lost Property

1. All facilities at Adlerwarte Berlebeck are carefully maintained and monitored. Should you nevertheless suffer damage or injury through no fault of your own, please report it immediately to a staff member.
2. Please also report any incident that may potentially result in damage at a later time.
3. Found property must be handed in at the ticket counter. Lost property, if turned in, may be collected there.

Liability

1. Visiting Adlerwarte Berlebeck, and in particular attending flight demonstrations, is at the visitor's own risk. Adlerwarte Berlebeck accepts no liability for damages unless caused by gross negligence or intentional misconduct.
This exclusion does not apply in cases involving injury to life, body, or health.
2. Visitors are liable for all damages caused by intentional or negligent violations of these park regulations or staff instructions.

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