

**IFFR Section Germany/Austria  
Fly-In Hof-Plauen (EDQM)  
08-10 July 2022**

Dear friends of IFFR,

thank you for your interest in our Fly-In in Hof, EDQM Airport from July 8 to 10, 2022.

Our city Hof, in Upper Franconian dialect also Huuf [hu:f] is an independent city located on the river Saale in the northeast of Bavaria. It is one of the most important cities in Franconia. The city is a regional city centre, a university city, the centre of the Hof region, the seat of the district administration of the district of Hof and is located in an agglomeration with 50,000 inhabitants.

Hof has been a member of the Euregio Egrensis European Region since 1993 and a Nuremberg Metropolitan Region since 2005. In addition, Hof is the centre of the high Franconia region and is located on the Bavarian Porcelain Route.

The city **has a wide range of cultural and recreational opportunities**. The Theresienstein and the Untreusee are Hof's two local recreation areas. The Freiheitshalle is the largest event hall in northeast Bavaria. The Theater Hof is a four-part theatre and the main venue of the Hof Symphony Orchestra. Concerts are regularly held in the city churches of St. Marien and St. Michaelis. Furthermore, there is the Hof Zoo, the Botanical Garden, and an observatory. Through the Hof Film Festival, Hof is also known to a wide audience beyond the region.<sup>1</sup>

**Pictures Theresienstein, Botanical Garden**



<sup>1</sup> [https://de.wikipedia.org/wiki/Hof\\_\(Saale\)](https://de.wikipedia.org/wiki/Hof_(Saale))

## Pictures Freiheitshalle, Theater Hof, Hotel Central



## Pictures Hof Airport



On **Friday** afternoon, after a snack at the hotel, we will start our stay with an exciting city walk and get an overview of the city of Hof in the north-east of Bavaria with its 50,000 inhabitants.

On **Saturday**, our half-day excursion will take us to the “Deutsch-Deutsches” Museum in Mödlareuth (Little Berlin). A lecture and a guided tour of the museum on the history of a divided village are planned.

*The Americans called it "Little Berlin", this village at the end of the world that became a symbol of German division just like its big brother. In Mödlareuth there was a wall, but no checkpoint. For over 37 years it was not possible to legally cross the border to get from one part of the village to the other. Here was a restricted area on one side and a crowd of visitors on the other. Here it was forbidden to wave or greet from East to West.<sup>2</sup>*



On **Saturday** afternoon we will hold a triangle flight photo competition. You will receive a short briefing on this in advance. After dinner together at the Hof airport, we will go straight to participating in the benefit event.

**Our hotel is only a 10-minute drive away.**

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<sup>2</sup> <https://moedlareuth.de/geschichte.html>

We will stay at the **Hotel Central** in Hof, where a room contingent has been reserved for us until **15.04.2021**.

**The prices are incl. breakfast buffet per room and night:**

Double room Comfort & Business - 145€

Single room Comfort & Business - 110€

Participants are kindly requested to make their reservations by e-mail or telephone, indicating the name of the hotel and quoting the keyword "**IFFR-Rotary**":

E-mail: [info@hotel-central-hof.de](mailto:info@hotel-central-hof.de)

Telephone: +49 9281 6050

Please note: In order to speed up the check-in on the day of arrival, please give the desired invoice address at booking process.

**For the program I ask you to transfer a lump sum\* of € 160.- p.p. to the club account of the Rotary Club Hof-Bayern by 01.05.2022:**

**Rotary Club Hof-Bayern**

Bank: VR-Bank Hof eG

IBAN: DE84 7806 0896 0000 0787 00

Intended use: IFFR Fly-In Hof-Plauen (EDQM)

The number of participants is limited to a **maximum of 50 persons**.

Please register by email to our secretary: [u.zapf@zapfnet.de](mailto:u.zapf@zapfnet.de)

\*The amount includes Champagne reception and snack / guided tour through Hof / entrance, lecture, guided tour through museum / dinner at the restaurant (Friday) / lunch (Saturday) / bus transport museum / transfer shuttle

**Useful data:**

**Hotel** website: [www.hotel-central-hof.de](http://www.hotel-central-hof.de)

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I look forward to your participation and specially to seeing you again in person.

Yours sincerely

Werner Kropf

President 2021/22

Rotary Club Hof-Bavaria

# FLY-IN IFFR, HOF-PLAUEN PROGRAM FLYER



Times · Topics · Sequence

## Reception & Evening event

### ON 08 JULY 2022

EDQM, Hof-Plauen Airport

**Until 12:30 p.m.** Fly-In Hof Airport

**13:00 p.m.** Transfer shuttle to Hotel Central

**13:30 p.m.** Champagne reception and snack at Hotel Central

**15:00 p.m.** City tour through Hof with guide

**17:30 p.m.** Break at the hotel

**18:15 p.m.** Meeting point Hotel Central

**18:30 p.m.** Lecture by friend Thomas Fink (Past Governor) - "Alone at 8,876 metres".

**19:30 p.m.** Dinner together in the Kastaniengarten

**Afterwards:** Cosy get-together in Johnny's Bar

## Cultural Excursion & Triangle Flight Photo Competition

### ON 09 JULY 2022

Mödlareuth/ EDQM, Hof-Plauen Airport

**08:00 a.m.** Meeting point to the joint breakfast in the Kastaniengarten

**09:30 a.m.** Bus transfer to Mödlareuth

**10:00 a.m.** Visit to the "Deutsch-Deutsches Museum" with a tour and film screening

**10:30 a.m.** Lecture by Günter Wetzel, main protagonist of the famous balloon escape flight in 1979

**11:30 a.m.** Only the finest of the Wärschlamo, alternatively lunch in the club restaurant of RC Hof-Bayern

**12:00 p.m.** Bus transfer to Hotel Central

**13:30 p.m.** Transfer shuttle to Hof airport

**14:00 p.m.** Short briefing triangle flight in the conference room, afterwards flight

**17:00 p.m.** Transfer shuttle to Hotel Central

**18:00 p.m.** Transfer shuttle to Hof airport, dinner together

**Afterwards:** Participation in the benefit event

## Morning pint & Farewell

### ON 10 JULY 2022

Hotel Central, Hof

**08:00 a.m.** Meeting point to the joint breakfast in the Kastaniengarten

**09:30 a.m.** Farewell and end of the event

**10:00 a.m.** Transfer shuttle to Hof airport

**Subject to changes!**