

In this article, we're going to take a trip to Augsburg's famous parks.

The university town Augsburg is regarded as one of the greenest and most sustainable cities in Bavaria. The Augsburg City Forests delight nature lovers with their extraordinarily rich flora and fauna. Not only the diversity of plants is shown in this town, but also many different activities are available in those green areas.

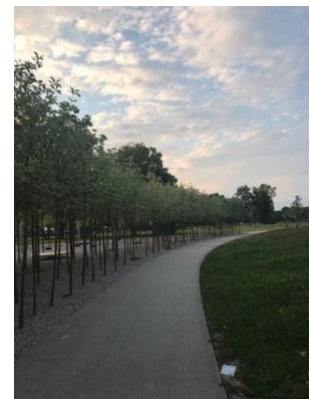
Let's start with one of the most attractive parks in Augsburg

(1) Sheridan Park

Sheridan used to be military barracks in Pfersee, a district of Augsburg. In 2006, almost all buildings of the barracks were demolished and a new concept for the use of large site, called Sheridan Park, was developed. There are several entrances to the park and at each entrance you get a beautiful view of the green area.

Different activities can be done. From running and walking to fitness classes, basketball, table tennis and volleyball, Sheridan Park offers a variety of activities.

Entrances:



(2) Kräutergarten

The "Augsburger Kräutergärtlein", is a public herb garden in the middle of the city. The herb garden has been around since 1530.

Already in the early Middle Ages, monks and nuns in this country cultivated a variety of culinary and medicinal herbs in the specially designed monastery gardens. The assortment of herbs was, however, very limited at the beginning. In recent decades, the supply and interest of the population in these fascinating plants has increased sharply.

From the beginning, two priority objectives were closely linked to the Augsburg herb garden. On the one hand, old garden art in a city as rich in tradition as Augsburg should be experienced by the citizens. On the other hand, the city of Augsburg wanted to meet the growing interest of its citizens in culinary and medicinal herbs. Visitors to the garden cannot only look at the herbs, but also harvest and taste them in moderation.

There are many different types of herbs. Medical plants are also included.



(3) Wittelsbacher Park

The Wittelsbacher Park is one of the largest green spaces in Augsburg. It covers 18 hectares and has been a protected landscape area since 1980.

The park begins in the north at Rosenaustraße and Gögginger Bridge, in the east the Augsburger Kongresshalle in Gögginger Straße and the hotel tower form the border. The Wittelsbach Park is popular for the beauty and diversity of its trees. It also offers several large open spaces as well as a small and a large children's playground. At the north-east entrance at the Gögginger Bridge there is a small artificial lake with terrace and a beer garden. In summer, a water fountain rises in the middle of the lake.

Entrance:

Fountain:

Kongresshalle:

hotel tower:

