Five Partners Under One Roof

The Textile Centre Haslach is a cooperation of five partners residing under one roof in an historic factory building and wants to carry on spinning the thread of the Mühlviertel’s textile tradition. Each has a different focus which leads to manifold synergies between museum, production, education and art.

Diverse Approaches – Joint Visions

As an open house the Textile Centre Haslach offers the possibility to delve into history as well as the present situation of textile production and design processes, and to gain insight into complex textile interrelationships in an exceptional ambiance. As a point of contact for specialists with specific requests, we aim to ensure that the rich textile knowledge and culture is not lost.

Weaving Museum

The Weaving Museum of Haslach was originally founded in 1971 and documented the rich linen culture and textile tradition of the Mühlviertel with impressive exhibits. Since 2012 the museum presents itself in an entirely novel fashion in the newly adapted premises of the Textile Centre Haslach. Apart from basic knowledge regarding textile materials and techniques the visitor is introduced into all the steps of processing flax as well as the development from hand loom to Jacquard loom. One can also immerse oneself in the realm of patterns, find out interesting facts about modern materials and developments in an economic context. All machines and equipment will be demonstrated in the guided tour.

Opening times Centre & Shop + Weaving Museum:
1 April to 31 October: Tuesday to Sunday: 10.00 – 16.00
There will be a guided tour for individual visitors on all open days at 10.00.
www.textiles-zentrum-haslach.at/webereimuseum

Textile Kultur Haslach

Textile Kultur Haslach was founded in 1991 with the objective to promote textile art and culture on a broad basis. Since then there have been courses, experimental workshops and exhibitions of textile art each year, and Haslach has become an international meeting place for artists, craftspeople and interested amateurs. There is a training facility in the Textile Centre Haslach where the techniques of weaving, dyeing, etc. and other methods of creation can be acquired.

www.textile.kultur.haslach.at

Manufaktur Haslach

Manufaktur Haslach is a socio-economic enterprise for the processing of wool – a raw material which grows back naturally. Regional wools of various breeds of sheep are processed into yarns, fabrics and high-quality felts, and then made into home furnishing products, slippers and bags under the brand “alom wolle”. In a guided tour the visitor can experience at first-hand how working machines transform raw wool to a finished product.

www.alom.at/manufaktur

Shuttle Courses

The Textile Centre of Haslach in cooperation with Kunstuniversität Linz (University of Arts) offers a one-year academic course as well as several seminars in the field of Woven Textiles. It is the aim of the course to strengthen the interface between machine production and design, and to draw industry and art closer together. This course, delivered on a modular basis, is directed at persons with a primary training in textiles who, in parallel to their normal employment, want to upgrade and expand their knowledge and acquire additional qualifications.

www.ufg.ac.at/shuttle

Weberie

The “Weberie” at the Textiles Centre of Haslach is a creative place for developing high-end weaves and textile concepts for small-scale series. Textile concepts for limited quantity product ranges. On the one hand, products for the shop in the Textile Centre Haslach, on the other hand, individual woven cloths at special request. We also place our infrastructure at the disposal of outsiders and cooperation partners who want to implement their own ideas.

www.textiles-zentrum-haslach.at/weberie