

**FACTS AND FIGURES
ABOUT LUCERNE'S CHRISTKINDLIMARKT
IN THE RAILCITY OF LUCERNE**

From 27th November until 22nd December 2010

Opening hours

Monday to Friday 11 a.m. until 9 p.m.
Saturday and Sunday 10 a.m. until 8 p.m.
(The dates for the long Sundays
have not yet been confirmed)

Market closes

Sunday, 22nd December 2010, 6 p.m.

History

The Lucerne Christkindlimarkt was held in the RailCity Lucerne for the first time in 2003. Following the success of the Zurich Christkindlimarkt, which was introduced in 1994, OK Christkindlimarkt launched a second market in Lucerne's main railway station. This year's market will be the sixth Lucerne Christkindlimarkt. Around 50 festively-decorated market stalls will bring a Christmassy feel to the station.

Facts and figures

RailCity Lucerne

Connections

Over 800 trains a day between 5 a.m. and 1 a.m.

Visitor frequency

On average 62 000 travellers a day, with up to 100 000 on peak days

Number of shops

40, open 365 days a year

Rental space

Around 6500 m²

At a glance

Lucerne's Christkindlimarkt

First held 2003
Number of market stalls around 50

Highlights

- Music on the "Engelsstimmen" stage
- St. Nicholas and "Schmutzli" with a donkey on 6th December
- Emmental "Stöckli" with traditional crafts
- Children's merry-go-round

Partner Christmas markets

Christmas villages in Vienna: Maria-Theresien-Platz, Schloss Belvedere, Altes AKH

Pictures of Lucerne's Christkindlimarkt can be downloaded from the Christkindlimarkt website.

Links

www.christkindlimarkt.ch
www.engelsstimmen.ch
www.weihnachtsdorf.at

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