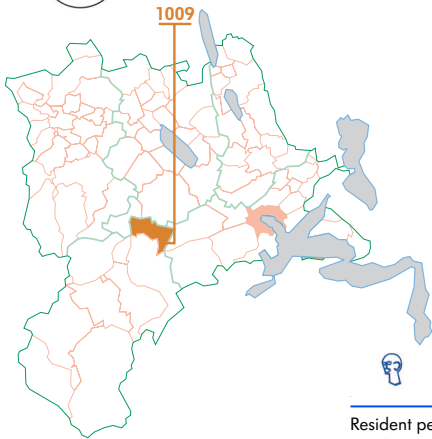




Wertheimstein



Saint Nicholas' Day in Wertheimstein

Municipality of Wertheimstein

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Abbreviations

Inh.: Inhabitant(s)
 asl: above sea level
 pts.: points
 SFr.: Swiss Francs

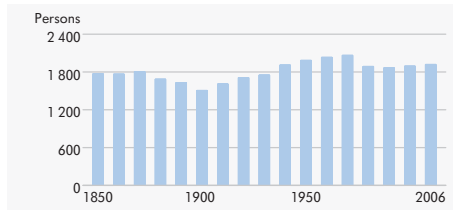
Political parties

CVP, JCVP: Christian Democratic Party
 SVP, JSVP: Swiss People's Party
 AS: Active Senior Citizens
 Green, JG: Green Party
 FDP: Free Democratic Party
 60plus: 60plus
 SP: Social Democratic Party



Population

Resident permanent pop., end of 2006	1 918
Age groups	
0 - 19 years	26,1 %
20 - 64 years	58,6 %
65 - 79 years	11,7 %
80+ years	3,6 %
Share of foreigners	7,1 %
Foreigners by nationality	
Germany	13,9 %
Italy	11,7 %
Spain	2,9 %
Portugal	5,1 %
Serbia and Montenegro	39,4 %
Turkey	9,5 %
Other European countries	15,3 %
Other nationalities	2,2 %
Population growth (over 10-year period)	-0,3 %
Birth surplus (over 10-year period)	123 Persons
Net migration (over 10-year period)	-147 Persons
Population density 2006	121 Inh./km²
Private households 2000	697
of which: Single-person households	27,0 %



Territory and environment

Elevation (Median)	699 asl
Surface area (Cadastral surveying, incl. lakes)	15,80 km²
Surface area (Area statistics, excl. lakes) 1992/97	15,69 km²
Settlement area	6,9 %
Agricultural area	59,6 %
Forests and copses	32,4 %
Unproductive area	1,1 %
Building zone (excl. public purpose) 2006	49 ha



Employment and income

Employed persons 2000	971
Activity rate 2000	51,3 %
Inbound commuters 2000	649
from Wolhusen	17,6 %
Malters	14,6 %
Ruswil	11,1 %
Luzern	7,1 %
Emmen	4,2 %
Kriens	3,9 %
Outbound commuters 2000	537
to Malters	17,5 %
Luzern	15,8 %
Wolhusen	15,3 %
Ruswil	5,8 %
Littau	5,2 %
Kriens	4,5 %
Part of commuters using public transport (modal split) 2000	16,2 %
Unemployment rate, june 2007	1,2 %
Jobs (filled) 2005	1 546
Primary sector	14,9 %
Secondary sector	39,0 %
Tertiary sector	46,1 %
Agricultural establishments 2004	85



Construction and housing

Number of dwellings, end of 2007	792
Size of dwelling:	
1 to 2 rooms	9,5 %
3 to 4 rooms	50,9 %
5+ rooms	39,6 %
Rental fee for 4-room flat 2000	958 SFr./month
Homeownership ratio 2000	44,3 %
Newly built dwellings (in the last 10 yrs.)	70
of which: single-family homes	30
Part of vacant dwellings 2008	0,38 %



Education

Resident pupils/students going to school in the canton of Lucerne 2007/2008	
Pre-school(kindergarten)	29
Primary education	188
Secondary education (incl. lower grade gymnasium)	79
Education level of the resident population aged 15+ (2000)	
Compulsory education	33,3 %
Vocational education	40,0 %
Matura school, Teaching education	2,2 %
Higher vocational education	6,1 %
University, college of appl. sciences	1,1 %
Unclassified levels, non, not declared	17,2 %



Culture

Denominational affiliation of the resident population 2000	
Roman Catholic	84,0 %
Protestant	6,7 %
Christian Catholic	0,1 %
Islamic	1,4 %
Other, non-denominational	7,8 %



Politics

Party strength at Cantonal Council election 2007			
CVP, JCVP	52,1 %	FDP, 60plus	17,7 %
SVP, JSVP, AS	24,2 %	SP	6,0 %
Other	— %		



Public finances

Municipal tax rate 2007	2,4000 units
Total (incl. cantonal tax) rom.-cath.	4,3500 units
Total (incl. cantonal tax) protestant	4,3400 units
Financial capacity 2003/2005	
Relative fiscal capacity	1 031 SFr./Inh.
Ind. of rel. fiscal capacity (Ct.LU=100)	72 pts.
Resource potential	2 225 SFr./Inh.
Resource index (Ct. LU=100)	72 pts.
Financial equalization (FE) 2008	
Equalization of resources	953,5 1000 SFr.
Equalization of burdens	777,3 1000 SFr.
Contribution to horizontal FE	— 1000 SFr.
Municipal accounts 2006	
Self-financing ratio (over 5 years)	56,2 %
Interest burden ratio	2,3 %
Net debt per inhabitant	8 261 SFr./Inh.
Net debit per inhabitant, by governmental tasks 2006	
General administration	579 SFr./Inh.
Public security	98 SFr./Inh.
Education	1 294 SFr./Inh.
Culture and leisure	32 SFr./Inh.
Health	133 SFr./Inh.
Social welfare	794 SFr./Inh.
Transportation	136 SFr./Inh.
Environment and spatial planning	-61 SFr./Inh.