

Agents on a high following Swiss trip

A GROUP of 10 lucky agents have returned on a high from Switzerland, where they were introduced to the country's famous mountains and scenery, the unbeatable value of the Swiss Travel Pass, the country's impressive transportation network, the high hospitality standards, the local cuisine and wines, and the general quality of life enjoyed by the locals. From Zurich to the Lucerne Region, Interlaken, Jungfrau Region, the Lake Geneva Region and Basel, the group hopped on trains, buses, boats, cable cars and mountain railways, where they "ooh-ed" and "aah-ed" at the efficiency of the network and thoroughly spectacular views.

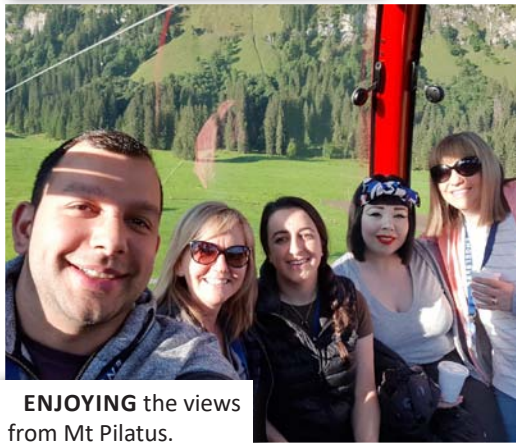
Highlights included ascending Mt Titlis; walking across Europe's longest suspension bridge enjoying the icy surrounds Titlis Glacier; experiencing the tranquillity of Lake Truebsee; riding the steep cogwheel rail up to Mt Pilatus; a food and culture tour in Interlaken to feed cows; an excursion up to Jungfrauoch, Top of Europe (home to Europe's highest mountain railway); wine tasting at the UNESCO World Heritage Site of Lavaux; and taking in the modern Basel on the River Rhine.

Agents were Antonella Damiano from Travel Managers; Joachim Kaletta, JauneShrives and Sera-Maria Paterson from Flight Centre; Kate Street from Holidays on Location; Salli Longmuir from Tempo Holidays; Andrew Garrett from Globenet Travel; Clare O'Neill and Danette Stanton from Phill Hoffman Travel; & Natalie Frowde from YOU Travel Manly NZ.

The hosts were Jeffrey Dalziel, Lufthansa Group and Birgit Weingartner from Switzerland Tourism ANZ.



LOVING the snow and sunshine on Jungfrauoch.



ENJOYING the views from Mt Pilatus.



TAKING in the scenery with the Swiss Travel System.



LEARNING about local produce in Interlaken.



MAKING a mark at Europe's highest mountain railway station, Jungfrauoch, Top of Europe.



A MOMENT feeling like Olympic Champions at Lausanne's Olympic Museum.



FEEDING time for some cows in Interlaken.



RIDING along the UNESCO World Heritage Lavaux vineyards on the shores of Lake Geneva.



EVERYONE'S a champion at the Olympic Museum.



COSYING up at the Ice Palace Bar on Jungfrauoch.