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WHO HAS MADE IT? THE SWISS: ALL IN LOOP

Filigree mosaic enhances Linth-Arena

The extensive renovation and expansion of the Linth-Arena in Näfels took around twenty months. Since its completion 2021/22, the sports and leisure facility is once again in top form. The new pools with paddling pool and wellness oasis are a crowd puller far beyond the region. The Loop series by Agrob Buchtal sets the tone here and ensures a contemporary look and feel.

Built in 1975, the sports centre in the Swiss canton of Garus has been renovated and extended several times over the years. In the process, the indoor swimming pool and associated areas were left out. Accordingly, the operators and the municipality wanted to modernise everything and make it fit for the future.

Recharge your batteries in the wellness oasis

The architect Thomas Lehmann gave the existing restaurant and hotel rooms a face-lift. The swimming pools, on the other hand, were all renovated and a children's pool was added. The central changing area was also sensibly restructured. The spacious wellness area with sauna, steam bath and relaxation rooms is located in the extension of the swimming hall. In a well-kept ambience with a magnificent view of the greenery, it is now possible to relax and recharge one's batteries.

Mosaic pattern creates rhythm

In the sporty and maritime atmosphere of the Arena, the Loop series makes its grand entrance. The trendy button pattern covers the floors, stairs and walls of the entrance hall, indoor swimming pool, sanitary zones and changing rooms. Round pixels alternating in white, grey and black create rhythm in the mosaic and define the different usage zones. In the wellness area, white sprinkles accentuate the otherwise black mosaic walls. This creates an attractive contrast and is reminiscent of sparkling drops of water.

Small format for organic shapes

The fine mosaic is ideal for the creative, modern and colourful design of wet areas and showers. 15 finely nuanced, high-gloss colour variations are available, six of them in matt and slip-resistant finishes. The filigree format makes it possible to cover even rounded

components, such as columns, seating platforms or basin heads, down to the smallest detail. The glaze fired into the natural material clay is abrasion-resistant and gives colours lasting radiance.

Ceramics are hygienic, durable and economical

The mosaic tiles are finished with Hytect at the factory. This makes the surfaces antibacterial and easy to clean. Even after years of use, the colours and brilliance remain intact. The robust covering is therefore low-maintenance, economical and sustainable. These properties, the wide range of design options and Agrob Buchtal's many years of proven swimming pool expertise tipped the scales in favour of the product selection.

Exclusive support for architects

Designing swimming pools throughout is a complex and responsible task. In addition to aesthetics, technical and physical aspects are also important. With the architect service, Agrob Buchtal provides planning assistance as a service right from the start. Laying plans, quantity calculations, service specifications or tender texts can be requested. In this way, individual room concepts can be realised quickly, smoothly and in accordance with building regulations.

The reopening of the Linth-Arena may have been a quiet affair. In the jewel of Garus Nord, swimming, splashing around, sports, sauna sessions and dining are finally in the mood again.

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