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Park Hotel Vitznau's restaurants clock up 45 Gault Millau points:

Park Hotel Vitznau is now home to yet another Gault Millau-ranked restaurant, after the Lake Terrace was yesterday awarded 13 points. The focus restaurant took 17 points following Patrick Mahler's move there. New chef de cuisine Philipp Heid started off at PRISMA with a 15-point rating.

All of the restaurants at Park Hotel Vitznau are now Gault Millau-rated. Executive Chef Christian Nickel has succeeded in making each restaurant's cuisine distinctive, keeping it fresh and interesting for guests. Both gourmet restaurants take guests on a unique culinary journey with a flavour all of its own.

General Manager Urs Langenegger was delighted to pick up these latest accolades. "Coming in the first year following our restructuring and the introduction of the new restaurant concept, this is a tremendous honour and another culinary milestone in the history of the new Park Hotel Vitznau."

Headed by Patrick Mahler – former chef de cuisine at Michelin-starred restaurant PRISMA (16 Gault Millau points) – focus was awarded an additional Gault Millau point. Mahler and his team are driven by lightness and creativity, transforming seasonal produce from all over the world into unique, colourful creations. Here, a distinctive identity and the flavour of the finished products form the clear *focus*. The restaurant seats 50, and there is space for another eight guests at the chef's table in the kitchen, with additional space on the terrace in summer.

At PRISMA, which has 32 seats and a terrace, the emphasis is on Asian-influenced European cuisine. New chef de cuisine Philipp Heid, who took over in February 2018, and his team whisk guests away on a culinary journey through the world of innovative fusion cuisine. His creations, rooted in European culinary tradition, are inspired by Far Eastern ingredients and preparation methods. PRISMA is open at lunchtime and in the evenings.

The Lake Terrace, with Felix Kattchin and David Esser at the open-air grill, offers a wide variety of barbecue specialities, from aged meat to freshly caught fish. With seating for 80 guests, the Lake Terrace is open daily from lunchtime through to the evening in summer, with stunning views of Lake Lucerne and the mountains, and the most beautiful sunsets in central Switzerland.

Park Hotel Vitznau also has six themed wine cellars with a total of over 30,000 bottles, including rare and classic wines.

The hotel is open year-round, and the restaurants' opening hours vary according to the season.

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