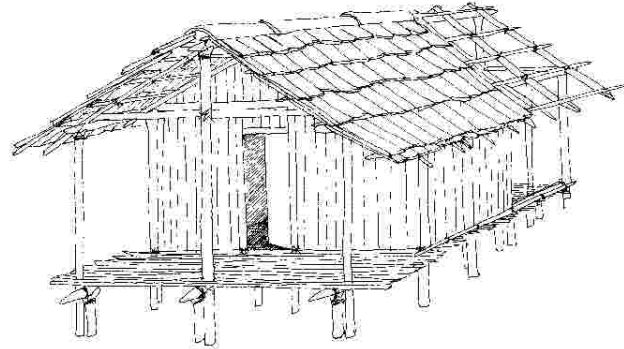




MAJOR BUILDING SITE

In 2001 the “ArcheoParc Schnals” was built in the South Tyrolean “Schnals Valley” overlooking the place where the „Oetzi“ was found. In the new built museum the environment and the circumstances of the iceman’s life are presented, and in an adjoining open air area models show on a one-to-one scale how they built houses towards the end of the Neolithic age some 5 300 years ago.



Archaeo-Technik was commissioned to plan and construct these huts, and in March we started work, well supported by local woodsmen.

Taking into consideration nearby archaeological sites of the same period like Arbon „Bleiche“ (Switzerland) and Alleshausen „Grundwiesen“ (Southern Germany) we created model-like constructions, which were then adapted to the local given facts such as topography and available kinds of wood. The buildings primarily illustrate the art of woodworking in those times as we know it from excavations.

