

2-day hut tour Schesaplana (stage 1) | Brand



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Tour description

Stage 1 of the 2-day tour to the Schesaplana with overnight stay at the highest hut in Vorarlberg, the **Mannheimer Hütte** at 2,679 m.

From the **Brand Innertal parking lot** in front of **Haus Calanda**, a narrow path leads up to the right past the Palüdbach stream and Glingabrunnen fountain. The trail continues into the **Zalimtal** valley, past the **Untere Brüggele Alpe** via serpentines to the **Oberzalim Hütte** (overnight accommodation). Continue via the **Leibersteig**, a well-secured climb, to the **Mannheimer Hütte** (overnight stay).
Please note: there are still snowfields in spring!

Variant 1
Day 1: approx. 2 ½ hours to the Oberzalim Hütte (overnight stay possibility)

Variant 2
Day 1: approx. 6 ½ hours via the Leibersteig to the Mannheimer Hütte (overnight stay)

Overnight stay
Oberzalim Hütte
Mannheimer Hütte

Refreshments
Untere Brüggele Alpe
Oberzalim Hütte
Mannheimer Hütte

Directions

Brand Innertal - Zalimtal - Oberzalim Hütte - Mannheimer Hütte

Equipment

Sturdy footwear, warm clothing, rain and sun protection, a snack, a full water bottle and hiking poles are recommended. In addition, equipment for an overnight stay in a mountain hut and, if necessary, hiking boots for crossing the glacier field. Cell phone for emergencies.

06:30 h duration	10,2 km Length
2674 m Highest point	1065 m Lowest point
1600 m Ascent	0 m Descent

Start	Bushaltestelle - Palüdbahn
Finish	Mannheimer Hütte
Tour type	Mountain Hike
Difficulty	● Hard

Elevation profile



Condition	
Technique	
Difficulty	
Result	
Landscape	

Best time of year

JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN
☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC
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Public transportation

Country bus L580, stop Brand Palüdbahn

Timetable query online at www.vmobil.at

Parking

Parking lot Innertal, Brand

Tips

Schesaplana day tour: Lünerseebahn - Totalphütte - Schesaplana and back the same way!

Safety instructions

We recommend sure-footedness, a head for heights and alpine experience. This tour is not recommended in wet conditions and when there are still snowfields on the Leibersteig and below the Schesaplana. You can divide the ascent per day and hours according to the weather and your own requirements.

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144 Alpine emergencies Vorarlberg

112 Euro emergency call (works with any cell phone/network)

www.alpenregion-vorarlberg.com/sicherheitstipps-wandern

Safety in the mountains

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