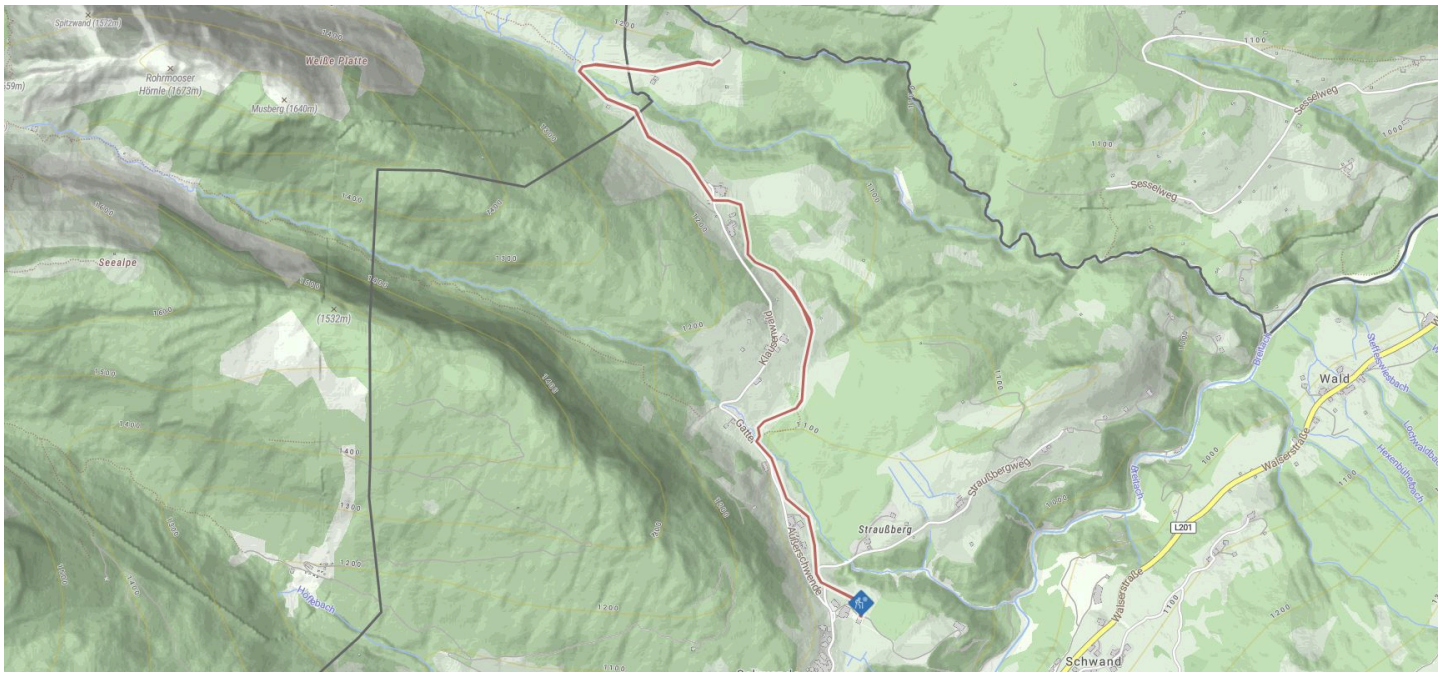
KLEINWALSERTAL TOURS

WINTER HIKE FROM SCHWENDE TOWARDS OSTERBERG

MEDIUM WINTER HIKING



TOUR DESCRIPTION

This varied winter hiking trail is characterized by different landscapes; it leads through agricultural areas, sunny slopes, a snow-covered moorland, and spruce forests to snow-covered mountain meadows. The winter hike starts at Gasthof Bergblick and leads over sunny slopes with views of a charming moorland to the alpine guesthouse Hörnlepass. Here, the winter hiking trail runs partly parallel to the cross-country ski trail along the state border to the idyllic high valley basin in Außerwald. The prepared winter hiking trail ends on a sunny slope near an old barn with very rewarding views of the Allgäu and Kleinwalsertal peaks. The hike returns by the same route to the starting point.

ROUTE DESCRIPTION

Riezlern / Schwende, Gasthof Bergblick - Klausenwald - Gasthof Hörnlepass - Außerwald - Gasthof Hörnlepass - Klausenwald - Gasthof Bergblick

RECOMMENDED EQUIPMENT

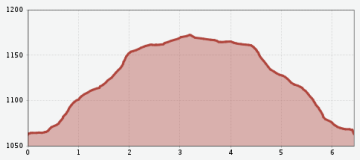
EMERGENCY CALL:144 Alpine emergencies Vorarlberg112 European emergency number (works with any mobile phone/network)
Sturdy footwear and weather-appropriate clothing. Hiking poles recommended for steeper sections.

FURTHER INFO & LINKS

Tips
The south-facing slopes in Schwende and Außerwald already get early sun - an early morning start is therefore possible.

Further links
The starting point of the winter hiking trail is located directly at the Schwendeloipe and runs partly parallel and very close to the prepared ski track. Winter hikers and cross-country skiers show consideration here. Pedestrians do not enter the ski track but stay on the winter hiking paths.
Nature Experience Map, scale 1:12,000; Kleinwalsertal hiking map (with guide), scale 1:25,000; DAV hiking map, scale 1:25,000; the respective maps are available for purchase at Walserhaus Hirschegg.

Distance	6.44 KM
Duration	1:30 H
Altitude meters	123 M
Highest point	1185 M



Condition

Best season

JAN FEB MAR APR MAI JUN
JUL AUG SEP OCT NOV DEC

Sart: Riezlern, Schwende
Goal: Riezlern, Schwende

Morning	Noon	Evening
		
0 °C MOUNTAIN	1 °C MOUNTAIN	0 °C MOUNTAIN
6 °C VALLEY	9 °C VALLEY	7 °C VALLEY