

INFORMATIONSBLATT TOUR

CLIMBING GROSSGLOCKNER VIA THE "STÜDLGRAT" (STÜDL RIDGE)

We are happy that you are interested in climbing mount Grossglockner. The best season for this is from the beginning of June until mid of October.

To fix a date please send us an E-mail or a call our office (+43 (0)4876 8263).

THE TOUR

The tour to the summit of Grossglockner via the Stüdlgrat starts at the parking area next to the hotel and restaurant "Lucknerhaus". Following the well-marked trail through the Ködnitz valley you pass the "Lucknerhütte" (Luckner hut) until you reach the "Stüdlhütte" (approx. 2.5 h).

There you will meet your mountain guide at around 19:00. Please register at the counter with your name so the staff can show you your mountain guide. After talking about the tour and checking the equipment (harness, crampons and helmet are provided by the mountain guide) you stay the night at Stüdlhütte.

The following day the tour starts at around 5:30 in the morning. The first bit is quite steep walking until you reach the Teischnitz glacier. After about 1.5 hours it is time to use your hands and do some climbing. Starting very easy there is plenty of time to warm up before the real climbing in the alpine style takes over. In a total of approx. 4 hours from Stüdlhütte you reach the 3.798 m high top of Grossglockner.

The descent is via the "normal route" passing Erzherzog-Johann hut and over the Ködnitz glacier back to Stüdlhütte. From there on you will continue by yourself back down to Lucknerhaus.

QUALIFICATIONS

You need to be fit and have some experience in hiking in high alpine areas (sure footedness), have a good head for heights (free from giddiness) and some basic climbing experience.

GROUP SIZE AND PRICES

Maximum of two persons per mountain guide.

Prices are exclusive of accommodation costs and are to be paid in cash to the mountain guide. The booking of the overnight stay at Stüdlhütte will be organized by us. After successfully climbing Grossglockner, you will receive a signed certificate from your mountain guide in our office in Kals.

DATES

The tour takes two days; dates are possible on short notice; during the main season in July and August please make an early booking 2-3 months ahead.

INCLUDED

Rental equipment, reservation of the hut, certificate and summit schnapps in the office.

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TOUR START AND END DATES

From Lucknerhaus (1.918 m)	→	to Stüdlhütte (2.802 m) (ca.2,5 h)	884 m elev.diff.
From Stüdlhütte (2.802 m)	→	to Grossglockner (3.798 m) (4 h)	996 m
Fromm Grossglockner (3.798 m)	→	to Lucknerhaus (1.918 m) (5 h)	1.880 m

RECOMMENDED LIST OF EQUIPMENT

- Good and stiff hiking boots (protecting your ankle; maybe patches for blisters)
- Backpack (rucksack) 25-30 litres (if you have, take a rain cover for your backpack)
- Mountain/Hiking pants (our recommendation: softshell or windstopper material)
- Waterproof rain pants (Gore-Tex) (recommendation)
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- Cap/bonnet and gloves (1 pair warm, 1 pair thin and with good grip)
- Walking poles
- Sunglasses (100 % UV)
- Sunscreen with high factor (at least 30) and protection for your lips
- Thin hut sleeping bag (can also be hired in the hut, blankets at pillows are there)
- Flashlight for your forehead (headlamp)
- Drinking bottle (1 liter)
- Food (only small things, like cereal bars)
- Tooth brush, medicine for headache if you like
- Magnesium pills (if you like)

Crampons, climbing harness and helmet are included in the price. You will receive the equipment at Stuedlhuette when you meet your mountain guide.

We hope all your questions are answered. If not please don't hesitate to contact us any time in our office.

Yours sincerely,
The mountain guides from Kals