Klösterle - Burtschakopf 2,244 m | Klösterle am Arlberg

Klostertal Vorarlberg

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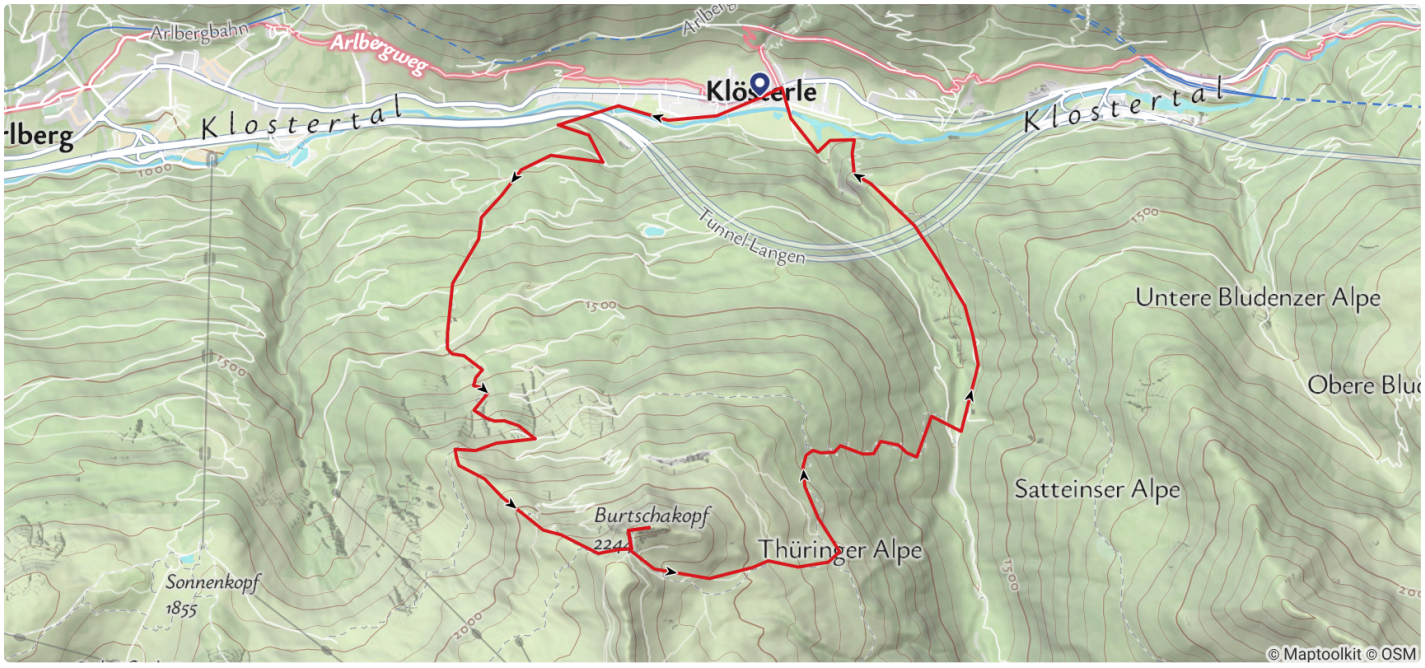

Tour description

Beautiful but demanding round tour to the Burtschakopf, the local mountain of Klösterle am Arlberg.

Due to tree felling work, the footpath will be closed from Tuesday, 8 September 2026. Duration of the closure: at least one week.

From the center of Klösterle am Arlberg, the trail leads along the Alfenz river a short distance out of the valley - to the **Angerbrücke** (Arlberger Hof). There you cross the Alfenz and from here follow the signs towards **Burtschakopf**.

Now the path goes steeply uphill - through forests and over mountain meadows overgrown with bushes - towards the **Burtschasattel**. Above the timberline, the trail joins the path that leads from Sonnenkopf towards Burtschasattel. Between blueberry bushes and next to imposing avalanche barriers, the trail now climbs the last stretch towards the Burtschasattel. From the Burtschasattel the trail now leads over the last grassy slope up to the summit at 2,244 m. The last meters to the summit cross are **secured with rope** and only recommended for experienced mountain hikers. At the summit you can enjoy a fabulous view of the surrounding mountains of the Lechquellengebirge, the Arlberg and Rätikon.

Back to the valley you first take the same path. At the Burtschasattel the path now branches off in the direction of the **Thüringer Schafalpe** and **Nenzigasttal**. Passing the Thüringer Schafalpe, the trail leads you first quite level and then rather steeply downhill into the Nenzigasttal valley. At the bottom of the Nenzigasttal valley, follow the signs towards Klösterle am Arlberg.

Directions

Klösterle am Arlberg - bridge (Arlberger Hof) - follow the signs to Burtschakopf - Bärenfalle - Burtschasattel - Burtschakopf, 2,244 m - Burtschasattel - Thüringer Schafalpe - Nenzigasttal - Schwende - Klösterle am Arlberg

Equipment

Sturdy shoes, warm clothing, rain and sun protection, filled water bottle and snack as well as hiking poles are recommended. Mobile phone in case of emergency.

06:45 h duration	**13,1 km** Length
2244 m Highest point	**1053 m** Lowest point
1191 m Ascent	**1191 m** Descent

Start	Bus stop - Wilden
Finish	Bus stop - Wilden
Tour type	Mountain Hike
Difficulty	● Hard

Elevation profile



Condition	
Difficulty	
Result	
Landscape	

Best time of year

JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN
○	○	○	○	○	✓
JUL	**AUG**	**SEP**	**OCT**	**NOV**	**DEC**
✓	✓	✓	✓	○	○

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Public transport

Bus line 720, stop Klösterle Wilden
Timetable enquiry online at www.vmobil.at

Parking

Parking in Klösterle am Arlberg

Starting Point

Klösterle am Arlberg

Destination

Klösterle am Arlberg

Safety instructions

EMERGENCY CALL
140 Alpine emergencies Austria-wide
144 Alpine emergencies Vorarlberg
112 Euro-emergency call (works with any mobile phone/network)
www.alpenregion-vorarlberg.com/sicherheitstipps-wandern

Safety in the mountains

EN NOTRUF:

EN 140 - Alpine Notfälle österreichweit

EN 144 - Alpine Notfälle Vorarlberg

EN 112 - Euro-Notruf (funktioniert mit jedem Handy/Netz)

further information