

Moderate ski tour

Behind the prominent peaks of the Rudolfshütte to the Keeswinkl Pass, 2,945 m

Meeting Time: Saturday, 07/03/2026, 04/04/2025
(Registration deadline: 05/03/2026 or 02/04/2026)

Meeting point: 09:00 a.m., valley station Weißsee Glacier World / Enzingerboden

Return: Valley station Weißsee Glacier World / Enzingerboden

Price : €100 per person (incl. cable car ticket Weißsee Glacier World)

Duration: approx. 8 hours

Route: Ascent: approx. 850 meters of elevation gain, 4 km
Descent: approx. 1,600 meters of elevation loss, 8 km

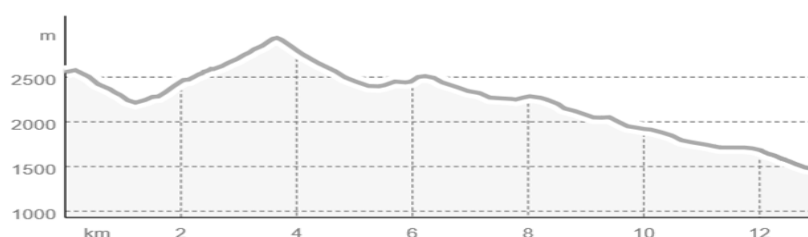
Equipment:

- ☐ Backpack (20–30 liters)
- ☐ Warm drink (thermos), snack, cereal bar
- ☐ 2 pairs of gloves (thin, thick)
- ☐ Sunglasses, sunscreen
- ☐ Headband, hat
- ☐ Ski touring clothing
- ☐ Hardshell jacket
- ☐ Warm jacket (e.g., down)
- ☐ Ski touring boots
- ☐ Ski touring skis (bindings properly adjusted)
- ☐ Ski touring poles
- ☐ Ski touring skins
- ☐ Crampons for skis
- ☐ Helmet
- ☐ Avalanche shovel
- ☐ Avalanche probe
- ☐ Avalanche transceiver (3 antennas, full batteries)
- ☐ Small first aid kit
- ☐ Mobile phone

Terrain & Requirements:

- ☐ Ascent + descents in open terrain with short steep sections (approx. 30°)
- ☐ Practice with avalanche transceiver, shovel, probe
- ☐ Good handling of one's own ski touring equipment
- ☐ Kick turn technique
- ☐ Sufficient fitness for ascent + descent as described

Elevation Profile:



Number of participants: min. 3, max. 6

Short description: Behind the snow-covered slopes of the Granatspitze lies a small, hidden paradise for ski tourers. The tour takes you off the heavily frequented routes on Granatspitze and Stubacher Sonnblick. After descending through the terrain to the Rudolf Hut, there is the option for a further descent all the way to the valley. An opportunity not to be missed!

Contents:

These natural history and historical features are particularly fascinating in this area and will be covered during the tour:

- Glacier retreat, moraines, landforms
- Cirques and cirque formation
- National park history and the past of the Stubach Valley

Directions: In Uttendorf, take the turn-off from the B168 at the roundabout towards the Stubach Valley (Weißsee Glacier World) and follow the mountain road for 30 minutes to the cable car parking lot at Enzingerboden. In case of snow-covered roads, the drive may take longer.

Schedule: By cable car, you will reach the Rudolf Hut together with the group. The tour begins with a short descent, followed by another lift ride on the Medelz chairlift. From there, you descend from the Kalser Tauern to the East Tyrol side. The ascent through the expansive moraine landscape up to the Keeswinklscharte is rewarded with fantastic views of Großglockner and Großvenediger. On the descent from the pass, it is usually possible to find untracked slopes in the open terrain. After a short uphill section back to the Kalser Tauern, there is the option for a further descent on the piste all the way to the valley and the parking lot.

Terms of participation: The National Park administration reserves the right to adapt the tour to the participants' abilities and to conduct it only if weather and avalanche conditions allow, and if participants are properly equipped and physically fit. Participants must be of legal age to take part in this tour.

Participants are requested to inform the organizers of any health issues relevant to the safe conduct of the tour (e.g., insect sting allergies, asthma, diabetes, cardiovascular conditions, hip, knee, or ankle problems, etc.) so that appropriate precautions can be taken. All participants will move together as a group. Leaving the group in alpine terrain is not permitted. If progress is not possible for health or fitness reasons, the entire group will turn back together. Participation is not possible without the required minimum equipment listed for each person.

Registration:

Registration possible until 05/03/2026 or 02/04/2026 – 12:00 p.m.
Register via np.bildung@salzburg.gv.at or at npht.at/skitour1

**Registration & online
information:**

