

Difficult ski tour Hüttschlag, Schöderhorn (2087)

Meeting Time: Date: 14 February 2026 (Registration deadline: 12 February 2026)

Meeting point: 07:30 a.m., Talschluss car park, Hüttschlag

Return: Talschluss car park, Hüttschlag

Price: €100 per person

Duration: Approx. 6 hours

Route: Ascent: approx. 1,430 metres in elevation, 6 km
Descent: approx. 1,430 m, 6 km

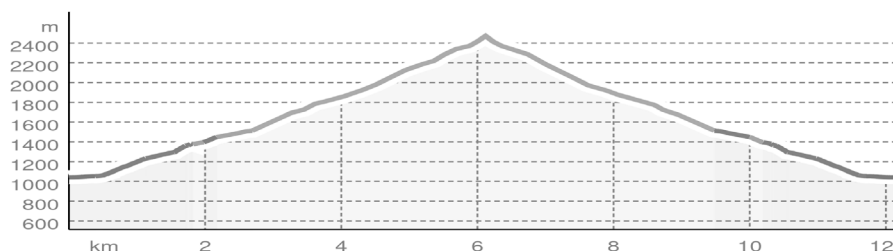
Equipment:

- ☐ Backpack (20–30 litres)
- ☐ 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
- ☐ Climbing skins
- ☐ Crampons
- ☐ Helmet
- ☐ Avalanche shovel
- ☐ Avalanche probe
- ☐ Avalanche transceiver (3 antennas, fully charged)
- ☐ Small first aid kit
- ☐ Mobile phone

Terrain & Requirements:

- ☐ Practical experience with avalanche transceiver, shovel, and probe, plus good handling of your own ski touring equipment
- ☐ Strong skiing skills in off-piste terrain with variable snow conditions
- ☐ Proficiency in switchbacks
- ☐ Good physical fitness

Elevation Profile:



Number of participants: min. 3, max. 6

Short description: A rewarding ski tour with breathtaking views of the National Park and the wintery Schöder Valley. If snow conditions are favorable, the descent across the expansive slopes of the Kreekar area can be a real delight.

Contents: The natural history and historical aspects of this area are particularly fascinating and will be covered during the tour.

- Avalanches as a danger and a food source for wildlife in winter
- History of the Arl Pass and the Kötschach Valley

Directions: From Sankt Johann im Pongau, turn off the B311 towards Großarl and Hüttschlag, and follow the valley all the way to the parking lot at the end of the valley.

Schedule: From the meeting point, the ascent route initially follows a forest road towards Kreealm. Above the alpine hut, the forest opens up, revealing a beautiful, snow-covered cirque. With sufficient fitness, the small Mureck (2,402 m) can also be climbed as a second peak without much effort. There is plenty of space in the expansive Kree cirque for the upper part of the descent. In the lower section, the descent follows the area of the ascent route.

Terms of participation: The National Park administration reserves the right to adjust the tour according to the participants' abilities and to conduct it only if weather and avalanche conditions permit, and if the participants are properly equipped and physically fit. Being of legal age is a prerequisite for participation in this tour.

Participants are asked to report any health issues that may be relevant for the safe conduct of the tour so that appropriate precautions can be taken (e.g., insect sting allergies, asthma, diabetes, cardiovascular diseases, hip, knee, or ankle problems, etc.). All participants will move together as a group. Leaving the group in alpine terrain is not possible. If progress becomes impossible 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 12/02/2026 – 12:00 PM.
Register via np.bildung@salzburg.gv.at or at npht.at/skitour4

Registration & online information:

