

Hollersbach valley winter adventure

Off the beaten track

- Level of difficulty:** Medium-difficulty snowshoe or winter hike requiring good fitness and involving steeper terrain.
- Equipment:** Sturdy, ankle-high footwear (ideally hiking boots); warm socks, ski sticks, warm clothing (including hat and gloves), sunscreen, alpine rucksack with warm drinks and snacks.
- Costs:** € 22 adults; Children and young people (10–16 yrs) free when accompanied by their parents. Free with the "Gästecard" or Nationalpark WinterCard!
- Included in price:** Snowshoe and ski stick hire (please advise when booking).
- Dogs:** Bringing dogs along is not permitted during excursions out of consideration for other participants and the local wildlife.
- Meeting point:** Every Wednesday (from 31.12.25–01.04.26) at 11:00 from the Hollersbachtal car park, coordinates (N/S 47.26758; W/O 12.41441).
- How to reach us:** By bus to Hollersbach, then approx 10 minute walk (route 670, "Hollersbach im Pinzgau Ortsmitte" bus stop) or car to the Hollersbachtal car park.
- Duration:** Approx. 3.5–4 hours
- Pure walking time:** Approx. 1.5–2 hours
- Route:** Approx. 3–3.5 kilometres
- Ascent:** Approx. 200 vertical metres
- Refreshment stops:** Potentially: Sahnealm or Seestube
- Booking:** Up to **three hours** before the start of the excursion; registration at np.bildung@salzburg.gv.at or at npht.at/hollersbach-valley

Description: The snowshoe tour starts at the car park at the entrance to the Hollersbach Valley. After strapping on your snowshoes, the hike will follow the path along the Hollersbach Reservoir before branching off into the forest. Clearings provide frequent views of the snow-covered Hollersbach and Salzach valleys. Following old and hidden paths, the tour will take about 1.5–2 hours to reach the Sahnealm inn, where you can take a short break. Return along a well-maintained path with views of Hollersbach and the Salzach Valley.

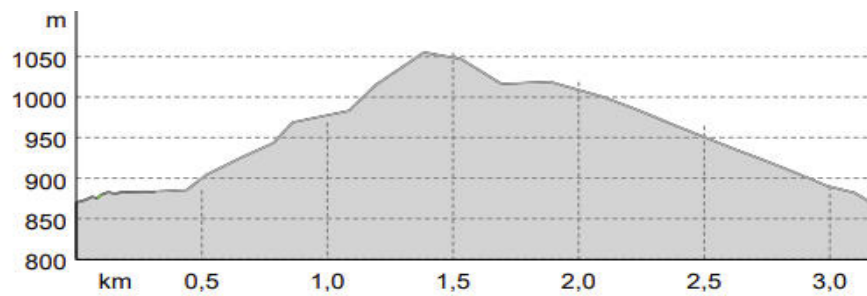




Educational content:

- Unique features of the Hollersbach Valley and its significance as an entrance to the National Park
- Survival strategies of animals in winter: conserving energy, seeking shelter, and tracks in the snow
- Winter forest ecology: clearings, habitats, and plant adaptations
- Winter weather conditions and their impact on humans, animals, and the landscape
- Information on the special features of the Hohe Tauern National Park protected area

Elevation profile



Registration & online
information:

