

INTERNATIONAL SKI CLUB OF GENEVA

ALLALINHORN (4027 m)

SATURDAY-SUNDAY – 2019 AUGUST 17-18

VALAIS – EASY ALPINISM

Saturday, we check into our hotel, rent gear (if needed) quickly, take the lift to Felskinn, cross an icefield to the Britannia hut with great views of the high Alps, have lunch & descend across a glacier to Mattmark. Sunday, we take the cable car to Mittelallalin. With a professional guide we ascend the Fee Glacier to the summit of the Allalinhorn with stunning views of the high Alps. This is an excellent choice for your first 4000er!

Please pay 200 CHF to my UBS account to reserve your place.

IBAN:CH65 0027 9279 C710 9135 0; please include your **NAME** and **"Allalinhorn"**

I need to know:

- 1) Your first and last name.
- 2) An email address you can read on the weekend.
- 3) Your mobile phone number.
- 4) Evidence of recent mountain experience.
- 5) Do you have (1) crampons with antibotts, (2) a climbing harness & (3) collapsible hiking pole(s)?
- 6) Are you an International Ski Club of Geneva member?

Leader: Bill Larson: 079 373 4686; bill_larson@bluewin.ch

Inscription: by email before August 9 to bill_larson@bluewin.ch

To Bring: ankle high hiking boots that will take crampons,

crampons with antibott (obligatory), climbing harness (baudrier), gaiters (guêtres) (optional), 1 or 2 collapsible hiking poles (batons), hat, gloves, picnic, warm coat, mountaineering pants, rain gear, sun screen, sunglasses (or glacier glasses), water. The equipment can be rented for the package price of CHF 25 (harness, pole and crampons) in the Cesar Sport Saas-Fee hours 8:00-18:30. Also Cactus Sports (Pont-Neuf 6, Carouge 022 300 3001), among others, rents equipment.

Price: about 350 CHF, including hotel, cable cars & guide (assuming 12 participants).

Plus: Train 1/2 price 84.80 CHF; full price 167.60 CHF, plus 20 CHF for non-members.

Buy your train tickets individually before departure:

Geneva to Saas-Fee, Busterminal, roundtrip

Rendezvous: Saturday August 17 at 6:20 at Cornavin train station on platform 4. Take the **second car from the back of the**

train. 6:30 departure. Bill will board in Nyon.

Station/Stop	Time	Platt./ Edge	Travel with	Occupancy	Comments
Genève	dep 06:30	6	InterRegio 90		InterRegio 90 30729 Direction: Brig
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Visp, Bahnhof Süd	dep 09:12	1	BUS 511		Bus 511 51117 Direction: Saas-Fee, Busterminal
Saas-Fee, Busterminal	arr 10:04	4	BUS 511		

Duration: 3:34;
runs daily

	Day 1	Day 2
Maximum altitude (m):	3025	4027
Elevation gain (m):	300	600
Elevation loss (m):	1100	600
Walking time (hr):	About 4	about 4



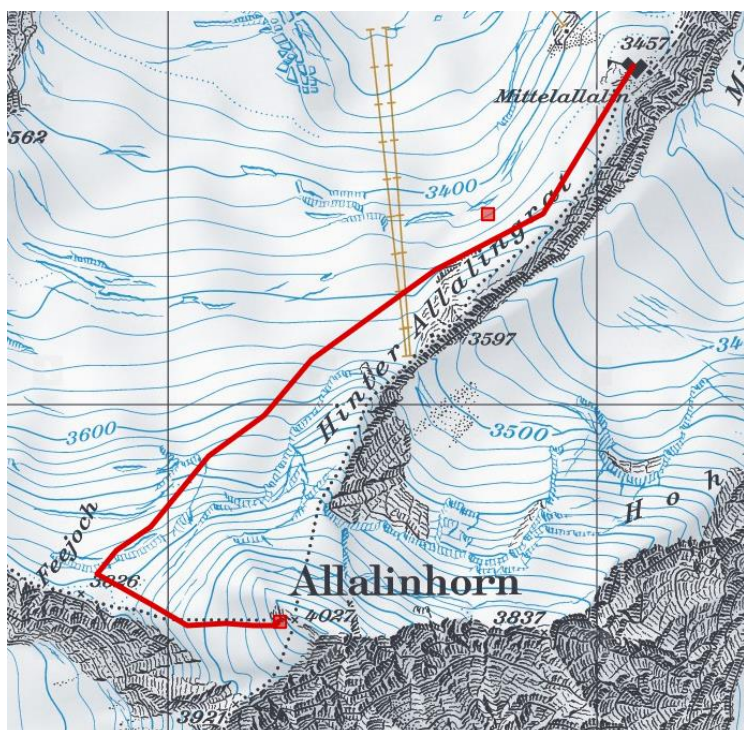
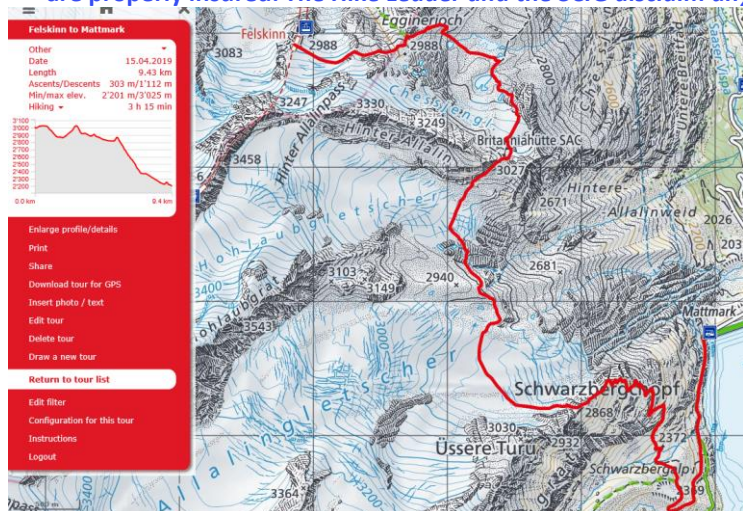
Lodging: POPCORN Hotel, Obere Dorfstrasse 6, 027 958 5000, hotel@popcorn.ch, www.popcorn.ch

Sunday: 6:30 breakfast, 7:45 meet guides at Alpine Express

Transport: Train, bus and cable car

Maximum number of participants: 12

- By registering, you agree that you are fit for this level of hike and/or that you have previously participated in a difficult hike with SCIG.
- By registering, you confirm that you carry insurance against accidents and mountain rescue, in particular helicopter rescue operations. (For example REGA: <https://www.rega.ch/en/home.aspx>) Check with your employer to see if you are properly insured. *The Hike Leader and the SCIG disclaim any and all liability for accidents related to this hike.*



Saturday we will go to our hotel & drop stuff. Please pack the stuff to drop **in a separate bag.**

We do not have time for packing & repacking.

Sunday we can leave some of our stuff in the hotel and pick them up on the way back. We can have lunch after the hike at Mittelallalin or in Saas Fee. Bring a snack to eat at the summit.

