

INTERNATIONAL SKI CLUB OF GENEVA (SCIG)

CHEMIN DU VALLON DE RÉCHY

VERCORIN, VALAIS – MOYEN+

SATURDAY, 9 OCTOBER 2021

Hidden between Val d'Hérens and Val d'Anniviers is another unspoiled valley called Vallon de Réchy. The thinly populated valley is one of the last without traffic and roads in the Valais region. The natural streams, mountain lakes, extended low moorlands and unusual plants make it a worthwhile hiking destination. The three elevations of the valley can be explored on this tour.

Inscription: By email (only) to peremoraroma@gmail.com.

I need to know:

- Your full name
- An email address you can read on the weekend
- Your mobile phone number
- *Are you fit enough to walk for 6 hours? Have you done a similar hike recently?**

To bring: 1.5 litres of water, picnic, good boots, hat, sweater, rain gear, sunscreen, sunglasses, mask 🧘 as well as collapsible hiking poles (optional).

Transport: train; ticket to be bought individually:

Geneva to Vercorin Poste; Vercorin Poste to Geneva; we will then buy return gondola tickets individually at the gondola station for Vercorin - Le Crêt du Midi

Rendezvous: at **07:00** at Geneva Cornavin train station on platform 6 for a 07:11 departure. **Take the second car from the back of the train.**

Price: CHF 5 club tax plus train ticket (approximately 80 CHF (full price) or half price 40 CHF)

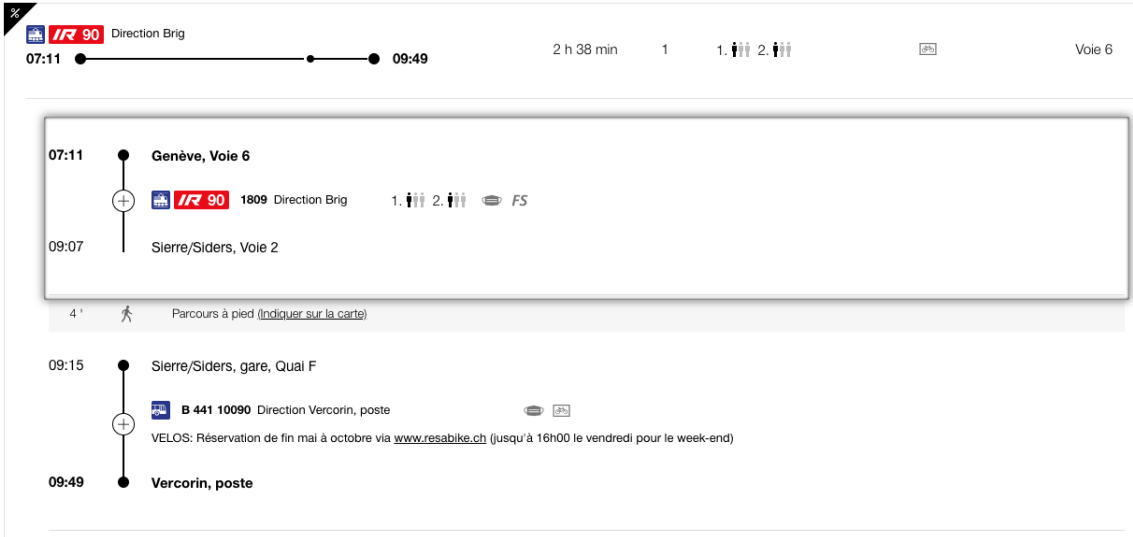
Maximum participation: 12 persons

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In case of rain: The hike will be cancelled in case of bad weather. We will send an email with a decision midday the day before the hike.

Hike information: The hike is 15 km with 720 metres of gain and 720 metres of descent. It will take approximately 6 hours with stops. There are few exposed areas (minor ones are well secured), but sure-footedness and an ability to hike in mountain terrain are a must. **Please do NOT overestimate your ability; any hiker significantly behind the others will be asked to turn around so that all hikers can catch the last gondola back to the village! In addition, we start at 2320 metres and reach 2576 metres. By joining this hike, you affirm that you have hiked at high elevations.*





<https://www.schweizmobil.ch/en/hiking-in-switzerland/routes/route-0217.html>

- By registering, you agree that you are fit for this level of hike and/or that you have previously participated in a similar hike with SCIG.
- By registering, you confirm that you carry insurance against accidents and mountain rescue, including helicopter rescue operations. (See REGA: <https://www.rega.ch/en/home.aspx>) Check with your employer to see if you are properly insured. The hike leader and SCIG disclaim any and all liability for accidents related to this hike.
- In the train we will wear masks. During the hike we will maintain 2 meters of distance.

