

SKI CLUB INTERNATIONAL DE GENEVE

Les Lacs Jovet Haute Savoie ALT. 2174m Difficult Saturday 1 October 2022



This hike begins at Notre-Dame de la Gorge (1210m) and climbs up through the valley of Hauteluze, passing nearby the Chalets de Jovet before reaching the small lakes known as Lacs Jovet (2,174m). The only 'difficult' element to this hike is the elevation gain – there are NO cables, ladders, narrow ridges etc.

Hike description: From Notre Dame de la Gorge, we follow a relatively steep jeep track for 30 minutes. We continue to the Chalet de la Balme. This section has a much gentler ascent and is flat in large parts. From the Chalet we then climb steadily until we reach the lakes.

Elevation gain: 1,020 m

Length: all day

Hike leader: Janice Cook Robbins

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I need to know:

Your full name

An email address that you access at the weekend

Your mobile phone number

Whether you are a SCIG member

Whether you have a car and are prepared to drive

Whether you can walk for approximately 5-6 hours

To bring: Appropriate clothing, hiking boots, hat, picnic lunch, water, spare warm layers, waterproof rain gear, sunscreen, sunglasses, walking poles (if you use them), euros and passport. Please do not wear trainers/running shoes - parts of this hike could be very slippery if wet.

Rendezvous: 8.15 am for 8.30 am departure, Salle Communale car park, Route du Vallon, Chêne-Bougeries

Maximum participants: 16

Transport: car pooling

Journey details: Approximately 85km – 60-70 minutes. Detailed instructions of the route will be issued to drivers on the day of the hike.

Price: CHF 5 club tax (CHF 15 for non-members) plus CHF 34 to be paid directly to the driver and EUR tolls to be shared between car occupants.

Please note that in the event of bad weather and rain, the hike will be cancelled. I will inform everyone the day before.

- The hike leader is not a professional guide.
- By registering, you agree that you are fit for this level of hike and/or that you have previously participated in a medium hike with the SCIG.
- By registering, you confirm that you carry insurance against accidents and mountain rescue, in particular 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.*