

Gorges de Covatannaz & Aiguilles de Baulmes Sunday 02 October 2022 *medium*

A hike in the Swiss Jura offering superb views, a beautiful gorge and a small cave. The hike is not difficult but you need to be reasonably fit and be able to walk for a full day (about 7 hours).

We will start the hike in **Vuiteboeuf** and walk up through the spectacular **Gorges de Covatannaz**. Most people will directly go to Ste-Croix from here but we will continue along the plateau and ultimately reach the summit of the **Aiguilles de Baulmes**. For the adventurous ones, you can visit the small "**Cave Noire**" on the way. From the summit we will then descend to the world-famous **Sainte-Croix** and take the train back to Geneva.

∧ 1000m > 500m → 15 km (7 hours)



Equipment

- ☑ Usual hiking equipment and picnic
- \blacksquare Buy your train ticket before boarding

Costs

- Train tickets: ~40 CHF with demi-tarif
- Ski Club tax: 5 CHF / 15 CHF non-members

Signup

Hike leader: Frank WinklmeierEmail: scig@winklmeier.nameSign-up via email by Thursday, 29 September with the following information:

- ☑ Full name and mobile phone number
- ☑ Are you a ski club member of the 2022/23 season? (membership expired on May 31st)

Meeting point / Transport

Train station on the platform towards the end of the train. We will take:

IC 8:15 Genève – 9:28 Vuiteboeuf (via Yverdon-les-Bains)

Return via train from Ste-Croix and arrival in Geneva between 7-8pm.

Final confirmation of the hike will be sent on Friday evening.

Disclaimer

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 (e.g. <u>REGA</u>). 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. The hike leader is not a professional guide.