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MOUNTAINEERING - AIGUILLES CROCHUES

Duration: 1 | Fitness: ▲▲△△△ | Technique: ▲▲△△△ | Price from: 350 €

The Aiguilles Crochues traverse (2 840m) in the Aiguilles Rouges Massif is a rocky ridge climb perfectly suited for initiation, offering magnificent views over the Mont-Blanc Massif and its glaciers. The traverse begins at the Col des Aiguilles Crochues (2 704m), reached from the Flégère ski lifts. During this itinerary, which takes you across various tiny peaks, you will alternate scrambling across a rocky terrain and short rock climbing sections.

The way back is via the Combe du Belvédère to Lac Blanc and then on a comfortable trail to the ski lifts. The Aiguilles Crochues traverse is for people wishing to discover rock ridge climbing. No previous rock climbing experience needed but a good experience in walking in the mountains is requested.

GROUP BOOKING

The group formula associates people who do not necessarily know each other. It is ideal for people looking for group friendliness and attractive prices.

Dates (group session) : See on-line booking

Meeting point (group session) : Your guide will contact you by phone aroung 6.30pm on the previous day to arrange the meeting point

Guiding policy (group session) : Group of 2 people maximum per guide. Children, minimum 15 years old accompanied by a parent

Departure (group booking) : The departure is guaranteed with a minimum of 3 registered participants

Departure (group booking) : The departure is guaranteed with a minimum of 2 registered participants

Price 2027 (group session) : 350€ per person based on a minimum of 2 participants

This price includes :
- mountain guiding services,
- lift tickets

This price does not included :
- technical equipment
- pic nic

PRIVATE BOOKING

A private formula is the historical relationship that binds a mountain leader to their clients. It allows you to be alone or in your own group with your mountain leader who will meet your specific needs. It is undoubtedly the ideal formula realise your projects because it guarentees you a maximum amount of comfort.

Dates (private booking) : See on-line booking

Meeting point (private booking) : Your guide will call you the evening before your trip around 6.30pm to organize the meeting time and place

Guiding policy (private booking) : Between 1 - 2 people per guide
Minimum 15 years old

Price 2027 (private booking) :
1 person : 455€
2 people : 495€

The price includes :
- mountain guiding services

The price does not include :
- technical equipment
- lift passes
- picnic & snacks

FURTHER INFORMATION

In this section, find all the information about this activity. For further information, please contact our advisor.

Duration : 5 - 6 hours

Location : Starting from the Flegere and then, Index lift

Ability level : The Aiguilles Crochues traverse is for people with a good experience in walking in the mountains. **The way back to Lac Blanc is off-trail**. Vertical ascent : 450m

Formality : Make sure you have valid individual liability insurance for the practice of this activity without any location or altitude restrictions, including assistance, search and rescue, and repatriation

EQUIPMENT

We recommend that you take special care in choosing your equipment because it contributes greatly to the success of your trip. As alpine conditions can be highly variable with sudden changes, it can get very cold in altitude, it is preferable to have numerous layers rather than one thick piece of clothing.

Equipment
- Light back pack
- Mountain boots for walking and climbing
- Harness
- Helmet
- Walking poles (optional)

Clothing
- Classic clothing adapted for hiking
- Windproof jacket
- A sun hat

Early in the season : crampons and helmet. This gear will be confirmed by your guide

Accessories
- Sun glasses
- High protection sun cream
- A water bottle that contains a minimum 1,5 L
- Snacks

Our Rental Partners : You can rent your equipment with our rental shops partners and benefit from special price Millet, Sanglard Sports, Ravanel & Co & Concept Pro Shop
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