

The crossing of Col de Jaman

Before the building of the roads and railroads at the end of the 19th century, an important part of the Gruyère transport was done across the Col de Jaman. Thus, before these improvements, not less than 600 tons of cheese were transiting yearly across this pass.

It is thus no wonder why one still finds some sections of mule trails in an noticeable state of conservation. Along the path, we will cross the Pontet bridge built in the 17th century, that linked to the other bank of Hongrin river in order to reach Montbovon.

Price:

For the current prices, please refer to the on-line programme.

This fee includes everything, except:

Train ticket Montbovon – Les Avants

Your own picnic, beverages, your personal expenses.

Level: 1 day hiking

The level is easy.

Altitude gain:

800 m

Duration:

5h

Registration deadline:

72h before start

Topographic maps:

CN 1:25 000 no. 1264 Montreux

CN 1:25 000 no. 1265 Les Mosses

CN 1:25 000 no. 1245 Château d'Oex

Meeting:

6:30 AM at Geneva train station

9:00 AM at les Avants

If you come by car

Take the highway until Montreux and take to les Avants.

Return:

Around 3:00 PM in Montbovon

Around 5:30 PM at Geneva train station

Couldn't you find any scheduled date for this outing? Then please have a look at <http://www.destination-montagne.ch/En/Schedule.html> web page.

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