Schafbach

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Country: Schweiz / Switzerland **Region:** Kanton Bern / Canton de Berne **Subregion:** Verwaltungskreis Interlaken-Oberhasli / Interlaken-Oberhasli administrative district **Town:** Lauterbrunnen		
Difficulty: a little difficult	**Grading:** v4 a2 V	**Total time:** 8h15
Approachtime: 3h	**Tourtime:** 5h	**Returntime:** 15min
Altitude entry: 2160m	**Altitude exit:** 1210m	**Delta Altitude:** 950m
Canyon length: 1500m	**Highest rapell:** 50m	**Amount rapells:** 30
Transport: on Foot	**Rock type:** limestone	**Drainage area:** 2.00km²
Season: August - October	**Orientation:** West	**Best Time:** 10-16 o'clock
Rating: ☆ 3 (1)	**Info:** ★ 2 (1)	**Belay:** ★ 2 (1)

Warnings:
inactive: *Prohibition of fishing Bern* (yearly 01.11. - 15.04.)
According to the fishing regulations of the Canton of Bern, this section of water may only be used from 16.04.-31.10.

Specialities:

Gear:
Ropes: 2x60m

Summary: (machine translated)
Long alpine tour below the Jungfrau.

Hydrology: (machine translated)
Small catchment area, as soon as the canyon has no more avalanche snow, it should be doable.

Access: (machine translated)
Park in Stechelberg. The ticket can be redeemed at the restaurant for a meal or a drink.

Approach: (machine translated)
From there by bike to Trachsellauenen, and then it's 1000m uphill on foot. For a long time the route heads towards Rottal Hütte, but after the Bärenflue you turn left to the start of the .

Tour: (machine translated)
You start at the right tributary, then switch to the left at the hiking trail. At the top, some of the rappels are nicely polished, the further down it goes, the more bouldery it becomes.

Return: (machine translated)
At the confluence with the Rottalbach, cross the field to get back to the bridge at Trachsellauenen.

Coordinates:
Canyon Start 46.5346 7.9269
Canyon End 46.5298 7.9090
Parking Entry and Exit 46.5455 7.9012

Reports:

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Not quite so sunny at this time of year, better to go 2 months before. Watch out for the hanging glacier above (it broke off in 2009 and the avalanche went all the way down to Trachsellauenen). (machine translated)

First descent: 25.10.2024 by Alex, Holzi, Reto, Hendrik, Nico, Steffi, Yanick