Hüttenwiestobel

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Country: Schweiz / Switzerland **Region:** Kanton St. Gallen **Subregion:** Wahlkreis Sarganserland **Town:** Pfäfers		
Difficulty: a little difficult	**Grading:** v4 a2 II	**Total time:** 4h
Approachtime: 45min	**Tourtime:** 3h	**Returntime:** 15min
Altitude entry: 1420m	**Altitude exit:** 1040m	**Delta Altitude:** 380m
Canyon length: 1000m	**Highest rapell:** 80m	**Amount rapells:** 18
Transport: on Foot	**Rock type:**	**Drainage area:** 1.00km²
Season: April - October	**Orientation:**	**Best Time:**
Rating: ☆ 3.5 (2)	**Info:** ★ 2 (2)	**Belay:** ★ 2.5 (2)

Specialities:

Gear:
Ropes: 2x50m

Summary: (machine translated)

Alpine rappel canyon, only worthwhile if all other streams have too much water. (First ascent after a day with 40 mm of precipitation)

Hydrology:

Access: (machine translated)

From Bad Ragaz in the direction of Vättis. Continue in the direction of Kunkelspass. Parking lot directly after the bridge over the Hüttenwiestobel on the wide shoulder.

Approach: (machine translated)

First continue along the road towards Kunkelspass. After approx. 500m, a forest road branches off to the left. Follow this forest road until a hiking trail continues at its exit. Follow this hiking trail to the canyon.

Tour: (machine translated)
The Alpine Canyon initially has rather low rappels. In the mostly open terrain, there are nevertheless some narrower rappels that go right through the middle of the water jet and give the canyon a sporty flair. From the halfway point, the rappels get higher. At the penultimate high rappel, there is an intermediate belay on the orographic right-hand side, directly on the edge of the overhang. The last high waterfall is rappelled in three stages. First it goes down about 10 meters. The second anchor is orographic on the right. If you look down from this anchor, the next intermediate belay is behind the plateau on the orographic right, directly on the edge, approx. 45 m below. From there another 40 m in depth.

Return: (machine translated)
After the last rappel, follow the stream to the bridge or orographic right across the meadow to the parking lot.

Coordinates:
Canyon End 46.8945 9.4326
Parking Entry and Exit 46.8944 9.4307
Canyon Start 46.8928 9.4400

Reports:

2026-07-19 | Betschart Stefan | ☆ ☆ ☆ ☆ | 🕮 ★ ★ ★ | ⚓ ★ ★ ★ | Low | 👍 Completed
All routes are in top condition. Where there are no holds, it’s easy to downclimb. The water had already receded during the reconnaissance because it had stopped raining. (machine translated)

2023-09-23 | Thorsten K. | ☆ ☆ ☆ | 🕮 ★ | ⚓ ★ ★ | Normal | 👍 Completed
Was part of the first ascent. A real rain creek for times when the surrounding canyons are not feasible. The next day the canyon was almost dry. A few video impressions: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=3NudQ-AMVYc (machine translated)