Cholschlagerbach III

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Country: Schweiz / Switzerland **Region:** Kanton St. Gallen **Subregion:** Wahlkreis Sarganserland **Town:** Sargans		
Difficulty: a little difficult	**Grading:** v3 a4 III	**Total time:** 3h55
Approachtime: 45min	**Tourtime:** 3h	**Returntime:** 10min
Altitude entry: 645m	**Altitude exit:** 475m	**Delta Altitude:** 170m
Canyon length: 2300m	**Highest rapell:** 18m	**Amount rapells:** 18
Transport: Car optional	**Rock type:**	**Drainage area:** 12.50km²
Season:	**Orientation:** Northeast	**Best Time:**
Rating: ☆ 2.5 (6)	**Info:** ★ 2.3 (3)	**Belay:** ★ 2.3 (4)

Specialities:
Dam (inform operator),

Gear:
Ropes: 2x 20m

Summary: (machine translated)
Forest canyon in red Verrucano, III. part of the stream

Hydrology: (machine translated)
https://www.hydrodaten.sg.ch/#3903 (neighboring stream)
The water catchment to the Chapfensee swallows up to 1000 l/s. This amount of water can enter the
into the stream at any time. The volume of water discharged can be viewed at the Chapfensee kiosk.
can be viewed at the Chapfensee kiosk. Experience has shown that a water depth of approx. 8 cm at the measuring point is still
still acceptable. However, the final decision to enter the water is at your own discretion.
The EW Mels (Tel. 081 725 30 46) as the power plant operator cannot provide any information on imminent flushing.
flushing.

Access: (machine translated)
We leave the highway no. 3 (Chur - Zurich) at the Sargans exit (no. 50) and drive towards the center of the village, finally on Wangserstrasse. Straight ahead past the central "Platz", we turn right into the next street - Bachstrasse - and drive along this (it continues into Plonserfeldstrasse, later Seezstrasse) for 3.1 km (from the start of Bachstrasse).
Then turn left over the bridge and park your car.

Approach: (machine translated)
From the bridge (465m above sea level) on the field path heading SW towards the single house, passing it on the left, we come to a mule track in the forest, follow this 150 (route) meters uphill, then turn left onto a path that leads us further up the mountain. The path walks towards the Cholschlagerbach stream and we follow it up to the road and then join it above the road bridge.
It is also possible to cross the Plonser and Tilser roads.

Tour: (machine translated)
Varied, largely open, beautiful red sandstone, lots of downclimbing. There are also two walkable parts further up, but also a water catchment.
Many emergency exits.
see photos and video

Return: (machine translated)
After reaching the bottom of the valley, turn left and take the approach path (past the house) back to the car.

Coordinates:
Canyon Start 47.0598 9.3842
Canyon End 47.0623 9.3885
Parking Entry and Exit 47.0604 9.3834
Alternative Canyon Start 47.0585 9.3764

Reports:

2026-06-26 | System User | |🕮 |⚓ | 〰 Normal | 👍 Completed
Automatisch importiert von Descente-Canyon.com für Canyon Cholschlager Bach Did section 1+2. Left car near the virgin statue. Walk up about 1.5hrs. Descent maybe 4hrs (?). Section 1 was nice. Section 2 was not worth the time. Flat. 2x I exited section 2 and re-entered later hoping to find interesting descents. Only in the final 1/4 of section 2 are there descents that need a rope. Will not do section 2 again. Anchors in both sections are in good condition. I took a 35m rope. The longest descent was less than 18m. (Quelle: https://www.descente-canyon.com/canyoning/canyon-debit/22099/observations.html)

2026-05-24 | Alex Engelhardt | ☆ ☆ |🕮 ★ |⚓ ★ | 〰 High | 👍 Completed
Still a lot of wood and slippery. All anchors ok. Nice single spots (machine translated)

2025-09-24 | System User | |🕮 |⚓ | 〰 Normal | 👍 Completed
Automatisch importiert von Descente-Canyon.com für Canyon Cholschlager Bach La partie 1 nous a suffit, quelques rappels et roche sympa quand même ! (Quelle: https://www.descente-canyon.com/canyoning/canyon-debit/22099/observations.html)

2025-09-24 | System User | |🕮 |⚓ | 〰 Normal | 👍 Completed
Automatisch importiert von Descente-Canyon.com für Canyon Cholschlager Bach Tronçon 1 uniquement.Équipement ok.Très glissant.Pas fou fou! (Quelle: https://www.descente-canyon.com/canyoning/canyon-debit/22099/observations.html)

2025-01-26 | Alex Engelhardt | ☆ ☆ |🕮 ★ |⚓ ★ | 〰 Normal | 👍 Completed
There is no alternative entry above the parking lot. It's just a mess in the wood and only makes the slide longer. Hook placement strange up to the parking lot. After that the stream is OK. Best at the end. Very slippery. Something for the list (machine translated)

2024-09-08 | System User | |🕮 |⚓ | 〰 Normal | 👍 Completed
Automatisch importiert von Descente-Canyon.com für Canyon Cholschlager Bach On a fait les parties 1 et 2. Parking à la sortie de la partie 2 (47.06106 9.38255) et montée à pied en 50 minutes en longeant les rives du canyon (sentier évident). Descente 3h30. Cascade max 18m. Belle roche rouge. (Quelle: https://www.descente-canyon.com/canyoning/canyon-debit/22099/observations.html)

2024-07-30 | Urs K. | ☆ ☆ |🕮 ★ ★ ★ |⚓ ★ | 〰 Normal | 👍 Completed
Everything OK but very slippery in places. (machine translated)

2023-06-11 | Harald Gunz | ☆ ☆ ☆ |🕮 |⚓ ★ ★ ★ | 〰 Normal | 👍 Completed
Entry at ca.850Hm where the path leads to the stream after the meadow. The flow was strong, but still manageable. The short rappels are partly in the stream. All ring hooks are present and in good condition. Unfortunately it was quite slippery on this sandstone. (machine translated)

2023-03-09 | System User | ☆ ☆ ☆ |🕮 |⚓ | |
Info: Teile der Canyonbeschreibung wurden automatisiert übernommen. Konkret die Felder Weblinks, Koordinaten, Rating, Länge des Canyon, Einfachseil Mindestens von https://www.descente-canyon.com/canyoning/canyon/22099

2023-03-09 | System User | ☆ ☆ |🕮 |⚓ | |
Daten importiert von https://canyon.carto.net/cwiki/bin/view/Canyons/CholschlagerbachCanyon.html

Parts:
Cholschlagerbach I, v3 a2 II, 20min+2h+10min
Cholschlagerbach III, v3 a4 III, 45min+3h+10min