Rotenbach

Rating: ☆ 3 (1)	Info: 🖈 2 (1)	Belay: ★ 1 (1)
Season:	Orientation: East	Best Time:
Transport: Car optional	Rock type: limestone	Drainage area: km²
Canyon length: 1600m	Highest rapell: m	Amount rapells: 15
Altitude entry: 985m	Altitude exit: 630m	Delta Altitude: 355m
Approachtime: 1h10	Tourtime: 4h30	Returntime: 10min
Difficulty: not as difficult	Grading: v3 a2 III	Total time: 5h50
Country: Österreich / Austria Region: Vorarlberg Subregion: Bezirk Bregenz Town: Schwarzenberg		
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Specialities:

Gear:

Ropes: 2x30m

Summary: (machine translated)

Forest canyon with a few rappels and lots of climbing. Not without scenic charm.

Hydrology: (machine translated)

https://vowis.vorarlberg.at/stationsInfo/tbl_Abflussstationen.aspx

Access: (machine translated)

from Dornbirn to the parking lot exit and access, if no second vehicle available:

https://www.google.de/maps/place/6850+Dornbirn,+%C3%96sterreich/@47.4261182,9.7771058,13.44z/data=!4m17!1m1/ Possible implementation, provided access to the hamlet of Schnellvorsäß is not closed to motorized traffic (not verified):

https://www.google.de/maps/dir/47.3784685,9.850759/47.3888569,9.8536704/@47.377134,9.8540526,3354m/data=!3m1|

Approach: (machine translated)

Either from the parking exit on foot to the entry according to https://de.wikiloc.com/routen-wandern/rotenbach-140992616

or from the Brünneliseggalpe (Weiler Schnellvorsäß) first follow the dirt road for 50m, then turn left towards the west onto a path that leads in the direction of Vorsäß Klausberg in a wide right turn to the stream (entry)

Tour: (machine translated)

See photos and video of the ascent on 15.07.2023.

After the 6th or 7th rappel (the rappels are numbered consecutively), a lateral rockfall fell into the canyon. This destroyed 2 of the old anchors. We helped ourselves with rappels from dead wood. The situation here is still somewhat unstable.

Return: (machine translated)

As soon as possible after the last rappel turn right and follow a clear track through the sparse forest down the right bank of the stream, later left along the edge of a meadow down to the road and your car.

Coordinates:

Parking Entry and Exit 47.3889 9.8538

Canyon Start <u>47.3832 9.8430</u>

Parking at Entry <u>47.3785 9.8508</u>

Reports:

2023-07-15 | Wolfgang Streicher | ☆ ☆ ☆ | 🎞 🖈 🛊 | 🗘 ★ | 🊃 Normal | 🧀 Completed

Widely unknown gorge. The stands are mostly equipped with only 1 attachment. The numbering suggests an intermittent commercial access. After the 6th or 7th rappel (the rappels are numbered), a lateral rockfall has fallen into the gorge. This destroyed 1-2 of the old rappel points. We helped ourselves with rappels from deadwood. The situation here still seems a bit unstable. (machine translated)