

Mining path



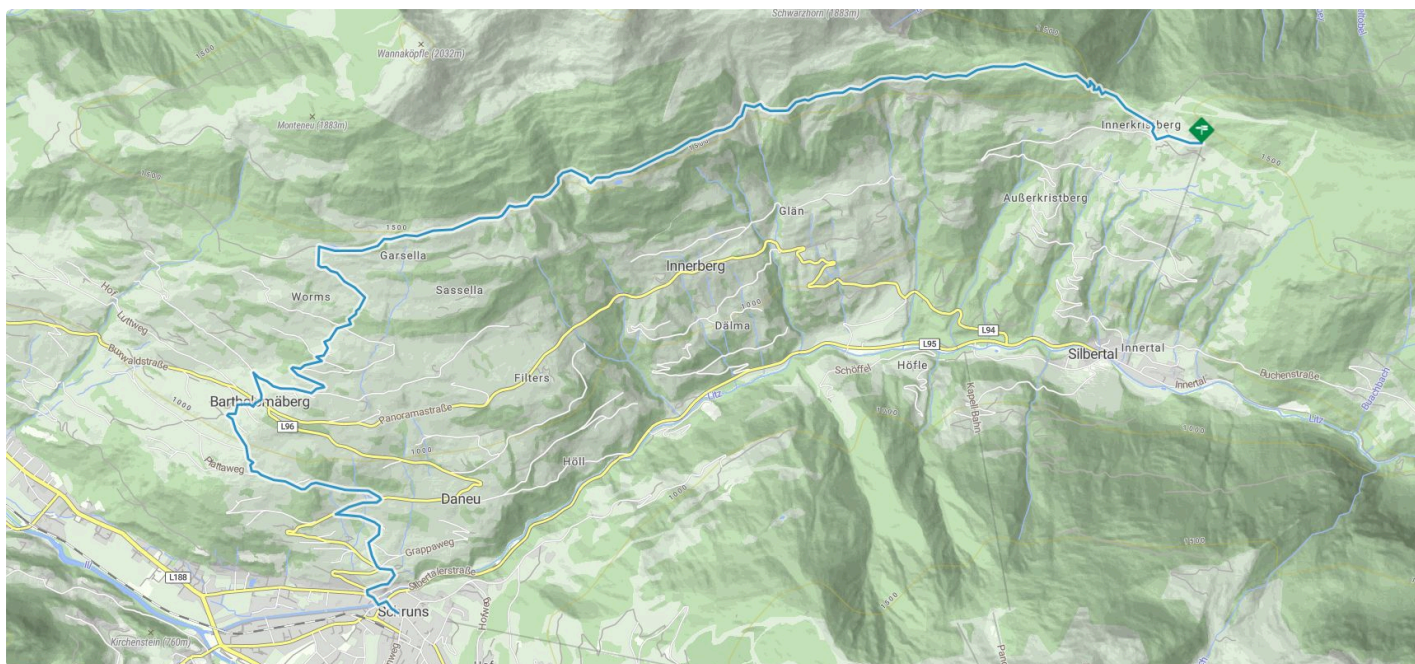
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ALPENMOSAIK - VERWALL

EINKEHRMÖGLICHKEIT

FAMILIENFREUNDLICH

BERGBAHNAUF-/ABSTIEG



Tour description

Following historic trails, the Bergknappenweg takes you through what was once Vorarlberg's most important mining region and to visible traces of medieval ore mining on the Kristberg and Bartholomäberg.

The Bartholomäberg and the Silbertal are rich in ores and were once part of Vorarlberg's most important mining region. Mining flourished from the 13th to the 16th century, though its origins likely date back even further. Today's cultural landscape was also shaped by this era, as intensive agricultural activity developed around the mining areas to supply the miners.

Today's Bergknappenweg trail likely follows a historic route that miners used to travel from the settlement area to the higher-altitude mining sites. Information panels along the trail provide interesting facts about early settlement and the history of mining on the Bartholomäberg. Since 2012, part of this historically significant area has been protected as a cultural monument.

[Learn more about the Alpenmosaik Montafon](#)

Sicherheitstipps für Wandern in Vorarlberg

EN NOTRUF:

EN 140 - Alpine Notfälle österreichweit

EN 144 - Alpine Notfälle Vorarlberg

EN 112 - Euro-Notruf (funktioniert mit jedem Handy/Netz)

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03:30 h
duration



12,0 km
Length



1588 m
Highest point



684 m
Lowest point



169 m
Ascent



921 m
Descent

Start

Öffentliche Toiletten Kristbergbahn Bergstation

Finish

Ortszentrum

Tour type

Themenweg, Hiking, Alpine mosaic - Verwall, Alpine mosaic, Bergbahnauf-/abstieg, Refreshment stops, Family-friendly

Difficulty

● Easy

Elevation profile



Condition



Technique



Difficulty



Result



Landscape



Best time of year

JAN	FEB	MÄR	APR	MAI	JUN
☐	☐	☐	☐	☒	☒
JUL	AUG	SEP	OKT	NOV	DEZ
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