

Kellaspitz 2017m.

Marul 976m. - Parzelle Ahorn 1190m. (parkingspace) - Stafelfederalpe 1472m. - Bettlerstapfen 1700m. - Kellaspitz 2017m. - Same way back.

Starting point: Parzelle Ahorn, nearby house nr. 74 (small parkingspace) [Bludenz - Grosses Walsertal - Marul 976m].

Total time: about 3½ – 4½ hours.

Difficulties: adventurous climb to the summit almost straight over the ridge. Secured with steel wire ropes and a few steel steps. Overall not so well marked. Rest of the tour over mountain paths and alps.

Rating: **** / I

Why worthy?: Adventurous climb, nice view at the summit.

ROUTE DESCRIPTION:

Towards parzelle Ahorn: by car to *Marul*. Behind *Gasthof Walserklaus* (hotel) we will find a small metalled road on our left going upwards (roadsign pointing to *Stafelfederalpe* and *Kellaspitz*). After the 4th turn the car can be parked nearby house nr. 74 (here you are at *parzelle Ahorn*). Past the house a sign points towards the *Stafelfederalpe* and *Kellaspitz*. A path goes upwards through the alps (so *don't* stay on the unmetalled road!).

At the *Stafelfederalpe*, at another sign (pointing towards *Kellaspitz*) you must pay attention to a path going upwards through the alps towards a '*sattel*' (kind of a ridge). This path can be easily overlooked. It is best to walk in turns over the paths made by cows towards the little ridge (called *Bettlerstapfen*).



From this '*sattel*' go to the right (*east / south-east*). Pretty soon you'll get to the actual ridge of Kellaspitz where we have a good view at our climbing route. This route is well protected with wire ropes and steel steps where needed. Enjoy the climb, it is a lot of fun!

The way down is the same as the way up only reversed. Please climb and descend with care and take it easy, do not hurry at all.

My father and I made this tour during the summer of 1999

Difficulties:

* = Moderately easy tour (also perfect for a late afternoon walk). 2 hours max.

** = With some physical condition, no difficulties. From 1 to 3 hours max.

*** = Average tour, a moderately, good physical condition is needed! 2 till 4 hours max.

**** = Difficult tour. Sometimes you have to use your hands to climb (not all the way, just some parts). Between 3 and 6 hours.

***** = Very difficult tour. Here you're at the boundary of 'real' mountaineering. The 'climbing factor' takes the overhand. Mostly between 5 and 7 hours.

ps: some tours can be different than these ratings (like: a ** tour, with a duration of only 2 hours).***
