

Alphubel



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Url: <https://wildyakexpeditions.com/trips/alphubel/>

Duration

2

Max. Altitude

4,206 m / 12,211ft

Difficulty

Intermediate

Group Size

4-5 Participants

Country

Switzerland

Region

Zermatt - Saas Fee

Accommodation

Täschhut

Prime Activity

Alpine Climbing Experience

Meals

Half-bording

EXPERIENCE

- 2-day experience in the Swiss Alps
- No technical difficulties
- Overnight in an authentic Swiss Mountain Lodge
- Climbing gear at disposal from WILD YAK

HIGHLIGHTS

- **Great mountaineering experience at 4000 meters**
- **Guided tour** with WILD YAK Team
- **Breathtaking panorama** from the top
- A perfect **acclimatization tour** as **first step to the Himalaya**

Overview

Target the altitude of 4000 meters!

Do you dream of flying to the Himalayas but you have never reached 4000 meters yet? Or do you want to feel for the first time the thin air at such altitude with an overnight experience in a Swiss mountain hut? Or simply enjoy a **guided alpine mountaineering experience with confidence?**

WILD YAK EXPEDITIONS offers you a new challenge **in the core of the Swiss Alps with an Himalayan ambiance.**

Let WILD YAK guide you to the summit of **Alphubel** (4206 m/13,211 ft) on its **normal route**. The Alphubel is part of the Mischabel Massif above Saas Fee, in the core of the Swiss Alps. The normal route does not present any major technical difficulties. After an overnight stay in the **Täschhütte**, an authentic Alpine Swiss Hut, get ready for a **true mountaineering experience** in the Swiss Alps.

Contact us for any further information or for a private tour. We will be happy to advise you by phone or email.

Program

Show Detail Itinerary

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Day 01

Täsch - Täschalp - Täschhütte, 2701 m

Meeting in Täsch

Individual arrival in Täsch where you will be welcomed by our WYE mountain guide*. The ascent to the mountain hut Täschhütte is pleasant and steady. A short stop halfway up to the mountain pasture in Täschalp is a must before tackling the last 500 meters of ascent to the hut, where a magnificent panorama awaits you.

The end of the afternoon is dedicated to some mountaineering practise, refreshment and relaxing. An invigorating dinner will provide you with the necessary energy for your next day adventure.

D+: 1300 m

Duration of hike: approx. 3.5 to 4 hours

**Exact time will be communicated to the participants a few days prior to departure.*

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Day 02

Täschhütte - Summit of Alphubel (4206 m) - Täschalp

Early morning wake-up for a departure at dawn. The time to admire a magnificent sun rise. We start on a nice mountain path until the moraine where we fix the crampons. The route goes then gradually up on the glacier before the final large couloir below the wide summit plateau.

HERE YOU ARE! Your efforts of the ascent are rewarded by a dazzling view of the Monte Rosa massif and the legendary Matterhorn pyramid in the background.

We take the same route than the uphill track until the Täschhütte, where we take some time for some rest and refreshment, before starting our final descent to the mountain pasture Täschalp.

From there, we drive down to Täsch by taxi.

D+: 1500 m / D-: 2000 m

Duration of hike: 8 to 9 hours

WILD YAK Services

- Organization of your Trip by WILD YAK
- Professional and experienced supervision by our IFMGA mountain guide
- 1 night at the mountain hut Täschhütte in dormitory, half-board for you and your guide
- Collective security material (rope, ice screws,...)
- Taxi from Täschalp to Täsch
- All taxes included

Logistics

WILD YAK EXPEDITIONS' PHILOSOPHY

WILD YAK EXPEDITIONS focuses on security and **quality**. We believe that this is the best way to guarantee **an excellent and relaxed alpine experience**.

In addition, we adapt the group size to the conditions in the mountains in order to guarantee the best security for you and our guide. Hence, we benefit from **greater flexibility** and can **better tailor personal support**.

TECHNICAL SKILLS REQUIRED

This Tour is quoted as technically intermediate. It does not require any particular technical skills but previous experience with crampons is recommended.

FITNESS LEVEL

A good physical condition, with the ability to carry a backpack, and ascend 5 to 6 hours per day.

MATERIAL & PERSONAL EQUIPMENT

A complete list of material and equipment is communicated, upon your booking.

OVERNIGHT IN SWISS MOUNTAIN HUTS

We draw your attention to the fact that depending on the season, there might be no tap water. Also, in some of the huts, you might not be able to charge any devices.

LAST BUT NOT LEAST

A few days prior the Tour, we will inform you about the latest information and decision, depending on the weather forecasts and conditions.

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