

HIKING TRAIL CDF06: TOUR OF THE CHAMP DU FEU

Intermediate level



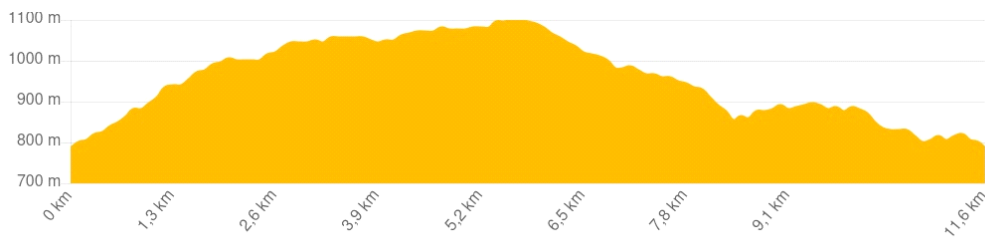
Start : Belmont



Champ du Feu is the highest point in Bas-Rhin at 1099m. Its high-altitude grassland and domed peatlands create a natural space that is fragile and exceptional in equal measure. The Vosgien Club built the belvedere tower at the summit in 1898. It is the symbol of Champ du Feu. There are many theories surrounding the name Champ du Feu (field of fire). It may derive from "Vehfeld" (livestock field), from a deformation of Champ des Fées (field of fairies) or Champ du Faîte (field of the summit), or perhaps from coal fires...

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| | | 12 km |
| | | Half-day |
| | | 350 m |
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| | <i>Main road leading to the House of Free Time - near the transformer</i> |
| | <i>Parking near the transformer</i> |
| | <i>7 Km - Fouday</i> |



USEFUL INFORMATION

N'oubliez pas d'emporter une carte !
IGN N° de la carte : 1/25 000 Champ du Feu et Bruche 25
N° carte Club Vosgien : Secteur carte : 1/25 000 3717 ET



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STEPS




1 Stage 1

Go up the main road, marked . Go through the village. You come to the D 414 road at the first houses in the resort of La Serva.


2 Stage 2

Follow the road to the right for 700m and go through the resort. In a big bend to the right, turn left onto a path  that begins between the chapel and the aid station.


3 Stage 3

When you get to the last ski lift, at an intersection, go down a few yards to the left, and you will see the next section of the path marked  leaving to the right and meeting up with the D 214. Cross the road and then follow the path marked  which descends opposite. Follow the path for 600m as far as the path marked .


4 Stage 4

Turn right onto the path towards Champ du Feu and go round it at the top of a valley. Carry on along the path marked . Just when it reaches the road, turn left, then straight away turn right. Follow the markings carefully. You go through a marshy area, pass two intersections and arrive at the D214 near the tower.

5 Stage 5 

Go round the tower, cross the road and go straight ahead, following the markings  towards Col de la Charbonnière. On the way down, you will meet up with a yellow cross to the right of La Serua.

6 Stage 6 

At the crossroads, turn right onto the D57 and walk for 400m. Turn left onto the path marked , cross an intersection of forest roads and then go down into the valley alongside the stream.

7 Stage 7 

You will come to a road lower down. Go up the road as far as the bend and then take the fork to the left along the Hutte forest road. Follow it for 1.3 km.

8 Stage 8

Take the path going downwards, with the first houses in Belmont. After 800m, you come to the car park.

