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CYCLING HOLIDAYS LAKES ROUTE VEVEY - RORSCHACH

Cycling: Lakes-Route

Pure, idyllic alps

The Lakes-Route deserves its name, because many lakes touch the route from its beginning at Lake Geneva to its goal at Lake Lucerne. The Route leads through some outstanding touristic regions with great sounding names: Montreux, Gruyères, Gstaad, Interlaken and Lucerne... Whoever completes the Lakes-Route, has seen the most beautiful corners of Switzerland.

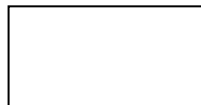


9 Days / 8 Nights



Self-guided tour

To the online version



ITINERARY

DAY
1

Arrival to Vevey | Vevey – Gruyères/Surroundings

Luggage drop-off in Vevey. From the city centre of Vevey, take the rack railway up to the Mont-Pèlerin. Quiet roads lead you to the source of the most popular cheese of Switzerland: the Gruyère, which shares its name with the region. A new landscape with green meadows, cowbells and local traditions presents itself.

 approx. 40 – 50 km  600 – 855 m  500 – 735 m

DAY
2

Gruyères/Surroundings – Gstaad/Surroundings

Postcard Switzerland: cheese dairies, chalets, snow-covered mountains, cable cars and their well-known regional papercuts. Away from the idyll, the Pays d'Enhaut and the Saaneneland are a magnificent landscape, animated by the haze of celebrity and happy mountain goers.

 approx. 40 km  735 m  410 m

DAY
3

Gstaad/Surroundings – Spiez

The artfully decorated wooden houses of the Simmental are among the most beautiful in Europe. The Simme remains a wild river that demands a lot from dinghy riders. On to Spiez, a water sports paradies on the cheerful lake Thun.

 approx. 55 km  740 m  1'150 m

DAY
4

Spiez – Lake Sarnen

A boat ride from Spiez to Interlaken in the morning. On the shore of Lake Brienz there is a steep ascent to Meiringen to be completed where you can take the train across the Brünigpass. You reach Obwalden: a small Canton, a big Valley, a pre-alpine landscape with scattered villages, flat lakes and long traditions.

 approx. 60 km  1'145 m  1'200 m

DAY
5**Lake Sarnen – Zug**

As soon as you get a glimpse of the Lake of Lucerne, the Pilatus is in your path. Bay after bay right to Lucerne, a fixed point for every tourist. The Zugersee, today's stage destination, is even lovelier.

 approx. 60 km  485 m  590 m

DAY
6**Zug – Einsiedeln**

A cool underwater world in cave grottos, a grim battle world at crystal-clear Ägerisee, an orchid, peat and insect world on the Rothenthurm high moor and a busy world of pilgrims in Einsiedeln, place of pilgrimage.

 approx. 50 km  900 m  440 m

DAY
7**Einsiedeln – Walensee**

Two lakes separated by a bridge: Lake Sihl, the lovely and important power supplier, and Lake Zurich fringed by villas and mansions. The Escher Channel in the Linth Plain with fields and meadows come to life again.

 approx. 70 km  685 m  1'040 m

DAY
8**Walensee – Buchs SG**

On Lake Walen, where enormous cliffs of the Churfirsten mountain range threaten to plunge into the water, exotic fruit, such as kiwis and figs are growing. Past the iron mine of Gonzen and Sargans Castle it is an easy ride to the Rhine and up to the dam to take a look at the river and at neighbouring Liechtenstein.

 approx. 40 km  180 m  255 m

DAY
9**Buchs SG – Rorschach/Romanshorn | Departure or extension**

St. Galler Rheintal, a countryside often cosseted by the warm wind. Much land has been won by the correction of the Alpenrhein im Rheintal. The shallow delta and silver expanse of the Bodensee beckon in the distance. After arriving in Rorschach, luggage pick-up and individual departure.

 approx. 75 km  280 m  335 m

TOUR CHARACTER

Along the totally 16 lakes between Montreux and Horn, the route is of course smooth and flat – but between the lakes there are some minor passes to cross: Less athletic cyclists are recommended to use an electric bike which is well suited for this route. Athletic cyclists use the touring bikes.

The Lakes Route at SwitzerlandMobility

- [Details about the route](#)



PRICES & DATES

PLACE OF ARRIVAL: VEVEY

Season 1	Season 2
06.04.2024 - 26.04.2024 28.09.2024 - 13.10.2024 Arrival daily	30.03.2024 - 05.04.2024 27.04.2024 - 27.09.2024 Arrival daily

Lakes Route, 9 days, CH-WDRVR-09X

Base price	1'795.-	1'895.-
Surcharge single room	495.-	495.-

Catergory: middle class hotels

ADDITIONAL NIGHTS

PLACE OF ARRIVAL: VEVEY

Season 1	Season 2
Apr 6, 2024 - Apr 26, 2024 Sep 28, 2024 - Oct 13, 2024 Arrival daily	Mar 30, 2024 - Apr 5, 2024 Apr 27, 2024 - Sep 27, 2024 Arrival daily

Vevey

Double room p.P.	129.-	129.-
Surcharge single room	55.-	55.-

Rorschach/Romanshorn

Double room p.P.	125.-	125.-
Surcharge single room	50.-	50.-

Our rental bikes

	Price
Countrybike 27-gear	165.-
Electric bicycle	315.-

Prices per person in CHF

SERVICES & INFORMATION

Services

Included:

- Accommodation in your selected category incl. breakfast
- Daily luggage transfer
- Costs for luggage pick-up at the station (for direct arrival and departure)
- Subsidy for arrival by train
- Boat ride Spiez - Interlaken
- Carefully elaborated route description
- Travel documents (1 x per room)
- Navigation app and GPS data available
- SwitzerlandMobility-Plus subscription for one year
- Service hotline

Note:

- Optional funicular ride Vevey - Le Mont Pèlerin not included (approx. CHF 6.- with half fare card and bike)
- Optional train ride Meiringen - Brünigpass not included (approx. CHF 5.- with half fare card and bike)
- Tourist tax, if due, is not included in the price
- Reservation fee of CHF 20.- per adult (incl. legally required customer money protection)

Information

Arrival/Departure:

- Arrival by public transport to Vevey. For direct arrival: Suitcases must be handed in at the luggage counter by 10:00 a.m. at the latest.
- Departure by public transport from Rorschach. For direct departure: Suitcases will be returned to the luggage counter by 5:00 p.m. at the latest.

Arrival by train:

Leave the car at home! For every bike, biking or hiking tour in Switzerland, you will receive an SBB coupon per participant, which you can use to **deduct CHF 10 from the ticket price** for traveling by train. The reduction can be obtained in the SBB online store or in the SBB app.

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Travel Documents

Travel documents “digital”

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- Luggage tags
- Description of how to use the app
- Any vouchers

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