Loop 58 - Tour of Crévoux

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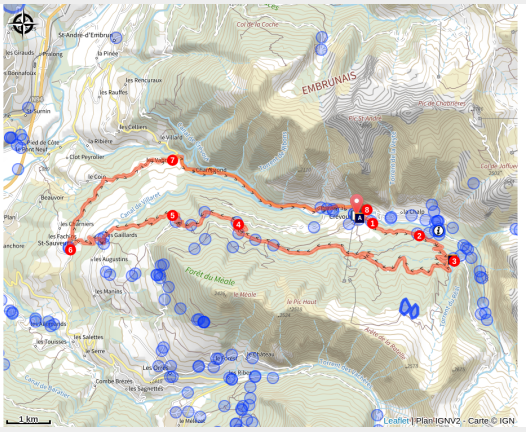


Crévoux is the highest village in the Communauté de Commune de Serre-Ponçon. Enjoy the peace and quiet, the shady slopes and the hamlets along the eponymous stream.

An extension of the Méale route, the Crévoux loop continues under the larches on the side of the Crévoux valley. It passes through a series of viewpoints and a string of hamlets before returning to the village-resort.

Useful information

Practice : Gravel

Duration : 2 h 30

Length : 28.2 km

Trek ascent : 924 m

Difficulty : Medium

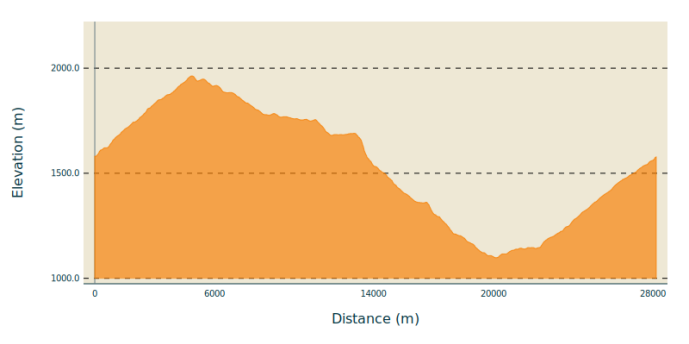
Type : Loop

Themes : Lake and glacier, Panorama, Pastoralism

Trek

Departure : Crévoux
Arrival : Crévoux
Markings : PR GRP
Cities : 1. Crévoux
2. Saint-Sauveur

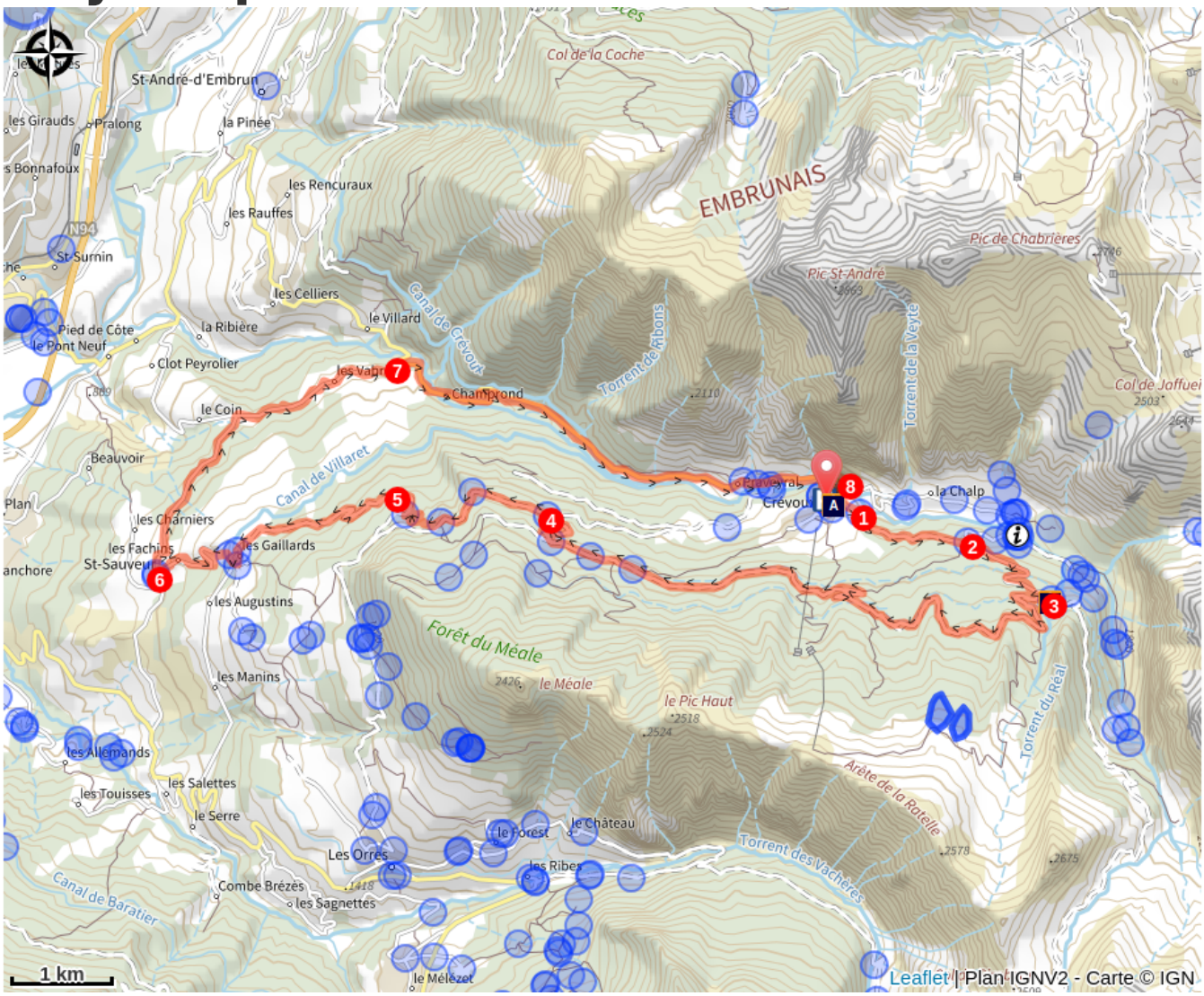
Altimetric profile



Min elevation 1098 m Max elevation 1963 m

1. From the village square, take the street leading from the war memorial. At "Champ La font 2", climb the gravel track towards the hamlet of La Chalp. Continue straight ahead on the main road. At Travers du Moulin go straight up the track.
2. At the bend continue straight ahead (stony ascent). At the bend in the road (D39T), turn right.
3. At the picnic area, take two right turns. Stay on the main hairpin path.
4. Take the descent, and turn right at the bend of a track. At the crossroads, continue straight ahead (quick return possible on the right along the blue route 57)
5. At the crossroads of the DFCI track H24, descend to the right. At Faravelle continue straight downhill then turn right. At the junction (at the end of the flat track), turn right and stay on the main track.
6. At Les Gaillards, turn right down the road towards Saint-Sauveur. At the church of Saint-Sauveur, turn right onto the road.
7. Turn right through the hamlet of "Coin haut" and then "Vabres", staying on the main road. At the bend in the D39, turn right towards Crévoux.
8. At the D139, climb the road to the right towards the resort of Crévoux. Return to the car park.

On your path...



Crévoux (A)

Cabane des Espagnols (B)

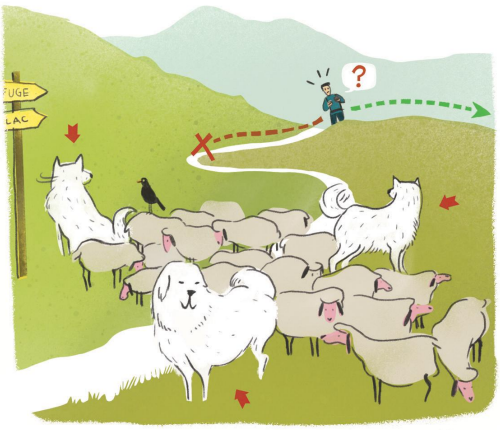
All useful information

Herd protection dogs

In mountain pastures, protection dogs are there to protect the herds from predators (wolves, etc.).

When I hike I adapt my behavior by going around the herd and pausing for the dog to identify me.

Find out more about the actions to adopt with the article "Protection dogs: a context and actions to adopt".
Tell us about your meeting by answering this survey.



Advices

Avant de partir vérifiez l'état de votre vélo, surveillez la météo et équipez vous selon la saison et la durée de votre randonnée.
Vous évoluez en zone de montagne, privilégiez des pneus de Gravel large, des freins à disque hydraulique et maitrisez votre vitesse.
Prudence dans la descente du Hameau de Vière et pour rejoindre la vallée de la Durance.
Pour plus de confort faites appel à un moniteur de cyclisme
Secours : 112

How to come ?

Transports

SNCF: Chorges station, Embrun https://www.sncf-connect.com/
Bus : Valserres, La Bâtie Neuve, Chorges, Puy Saint Eusèbe, Puy Sanières, Embrun Baratier, Les Orres, Remollon, Theus, Espinasse
Marseille-Briançon : (LER29)
Marseille, Nice : Lignes Express Régionales (LER) +33 (0)809 400 415
Grenoble : Transisère +33 (0)4 26 16 38 38
Gap-Barcelonnette (LER535)
Carpooling area : Rond point des Orres - 05200 Baratier
Plane:
Marseille Provence Airport (188km) - +33 (0)820 811 414
Grenoble Alpes Isère Airport (158km) - +33 (0)4 76 65 48 48

Lyon Saint Exupéry Airport - (203km) +33 (0)826 800 826
Turin Caselle Airport - (178km) + 39 011 567 63 77

Access

From Grenoble, Lyon, Paris : RN 85 or RN 75. At Gap on the RN 94 towards Briançon.

Advised parking

Place du village, Crévoux

Information desks

Tourist office Crévoux
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Serre-Ponçon

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On your path...

🕐 Crévoux (A)

Nestled amongst peaks approaching 3,000m, such as the Grand Parpaillon and Pic Saint André, the village of Crévoux occupies a deep valley that has seen the establishment of several hamlets, including La Chalp, which extends over a narrow alluvial terrace. Once at the heart of a major craft industry, with the rise of basket-making and cabinet-making, the village now revolves around its small ski resort, created in 1937, making it one of the oldest in the Hautes-Alpes.

🕐 Cabane des Espagnols (B)

This hut is a memorial to the Spanish refugees who were mobilised in Crévoux to maintain and repair the Parpaillon road, a militarily important road in those troubled times. The Spanish camp at Crévoux was set up in 1939, on the eve of the Second World War and in the twilight of the Spanish Civil War, which saw Franco's victory and the flight of many Spanish republicans to France.