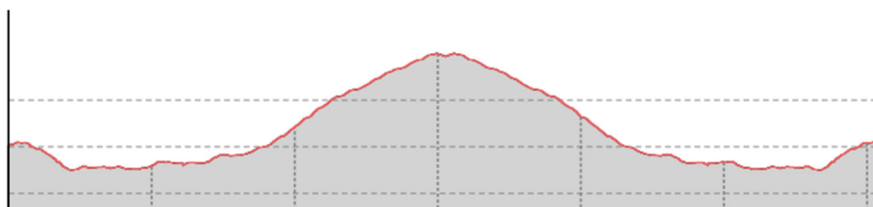# Trip to the Arctic

High Alpine and Yet So Close

Level of difficulty: Moderate summer excursion on well-developed paths with a destination above the valley floor; hiking or mountain shoes with a treaded sole required.

Equipment: Hiking or mountain shoes with a treaded sole, rain and sun protection, appropriate clothing and a change of clothes, backpack with drinks and snacks.

Costs: €22 for adults (The prices do not include the cable car ascent and descent). Children and adolescents (10-16 years old) accompanied by their parents are free. Free with a guest card or Nationalpark SommerCard!

Dogs: The presence of dogs is not allowed during excursions out of consideration or other participants and local wildlife.

Meeting point: "Every Tuesday (from July 9, 2024, to September 3, 2024) at 10:00 a.m. at the Nationalparkhütte Bergstation Weißsee (47.13428, 12.62585)."

How to reach us: By bus (Line 672) to the stop "Enzingerboden Weißsee Cable Car Bottom Station"; alternatively, by car to the Enzingerboden parking lot; then ascend with the cable car (Not included in the price).

Duration:	Approximately 4 hours.
Pure walking time:	Approximately 3 hours.
Route:	Approximately 6 kilometers.
Ascent:	Approximately 350 meters in altitude.
Refreshment stops:	Possibility for refreshments after the tour.
Booking:	No registration required – come to the specified meeting point at the given time; our ranger will wait for the bus and then start punctually.

Description: Let's start directly at 2,311 meters altitude next to the Berghotel Rudolfshütte. Together with the ranger, the route leads uphill towards Weißsee until reaching Eissee, where the foothills of the Sonnblick Glacier can be admired. On this tour, information about the adaptation strategies of animals and plants in the high mountains will be provided. The return journey leads back to Rudolfshütte, where a stopover is possible and the guided tour ends. Instead of taking the cable car, the descent towards Enzingerboden can also be tackled.

Elevation Profile:

further information