Hinterer Kreidengraben

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Country: Österreich / Austria **Region:** Tirol **Subregion:** Bezirk Innsbruck-Land **Town:** Scharnitz		
Difficulty: not as difficult	**Grading:** v3 a2 II	**Total time:** 2h5
Approachtime: 45min	**Tourtime:** 1h	**Returntime:** 20min
Altitude entry: 1105m	**Altitude exit:** 985m	**Delta Altitude:** 120m
Canyon length: 900m	**Highest rapell:** 23m	**Amount rapells:** 6
Transport: on Foot	**Rock type:** limestone	**Drainage area:** 0.66km²
Season:	**Orientation:** North	**Best Time:**
Rating: ☆ 2.1 (4)	**Info:** ★ 1.5 (2)	**Belay:** ★ 1.5 (2)

Warnings:
Inadequate equipment
The anchor points are not secure. Either they do not comply with the standard, or are incorrectly installed, or are outdated and unsafe.

Specialities:

Gear:
Ropes: 2x25m

Summary: (machine translated)
Short and largely open rappel canyon, facing north. No jumping or slides.

Hydrology:

Access: (machine translated)
From Germany: Pass Mittenwald on the B 2 to Scharnitz, from Austria from Innsbruck past Seefeld on the B 177. Turn southeast of the Isar bridge, cross under the railroad and after 400m turn left to park your car in the large parking lot (fee - anno 2025: 7 euros/day).

If you drive another 500m and are lucky, you will also find a free parking lot on the right behind the Isar bridge (also fee - anno 2025: 7 euros/day).

Approach: (machine translated)
If available, you can also cycle to the exit (approx. 1.3km).

From the parking lot, continue along Hinterautalstraße, cross the Isar and continue along the orographic right bank. 1.3 km after the parking lot we cross the Isar again to the southern bank and after another 270 m we come to the bridge over the Kreidengraben (exit). It is also possible to walk to or back from the bridge on the "Isarsteig" on the orographic left bank of the Isar.

20 m after the bridge, we take the forest road up to the right. 800 m further on, the forest road bends to the left (1080 m above sea level). Here we leave it and take the path that leads south along the Hinterer Kreidengraben. After about 50 m, we descend in a hollow on the right down to the stream.

Tour: (machine translated)
First descend a few meters in the open streambed until a continuous sequence of rappels begins. Exit after the confluence with the stream from the Vorderer Kreidengraben.

Return: (machine translated)
On the road or the "Isarsteig" back to the parking lot.

Coordinates:
Canyon Start 47.3773 11.2846
Canyon End 47.3793 11.2835
Parking Entry and Exit 47.3840 11.2728

Reports:

2025-07-31 | Christian Balla | ☆ ☆ ½ |🕮 ★ ★ |⚓ ★ | ≋ High | 📈 Emergency exit
Tour aborted after the anchor of the 3rd rappel collapsed under load. Already on the 2nd rappel, one of the 2 anchor points was no longer stable. Obvious cause (see photo): Unsuitable anchors are installed in the canyon. Due to the high water level, we had not yet pulled off the ropes so that we could ascend on the rope. (machine translated)

2025-05-16 | System User | |🕮 |⚓ | ≋ Normal | 👍 Completed
Automatisch importiert von Descente-Canyon.com für Canyon Hinterer Kreidengraben Un beau canyon de rappel, mais très court. L'état de tous les crochets est bon, principalement 2 points d'ancrage. Malheureusement, ils sont généralement mal placés - des protections de corde sont recommandées. (Quelle: https://www.descente-canyon.com/canyoning/canyon-debit/23111/observations.html)

2025-05-16 | Christian Balla | ☆ ☆ ½ |🕮 ★ |⚓ ★ ★ | ≋ Normal | 👍 Completed
A beautiful, but very short, rappel canyon. All anchors are in good condition, mostly 2 anchor points. Unfortunately mostly unfavorably placed - rope protectors are recommended. (machine translated)

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