



Sentier d'interprétation de la Planche des Belles filles

This trail is accessible for everyone, by foot during the summer and by snow shoes during the winter; the use of poles or ice axes can be useful in hilly and rocky parts.

The interpreting trail of the Planche des Belles filles is full of interpreting tables and animal sculptures in the trees. To see them, sight signs are placed all along the trail. Keep watching.

2 possible departures:

N°1: The departure sign is just next to the ticket office on the big car park. Dogs are forbidden, for the trail goes through the natural reserve of the Ballons Comtois. You are facing the ticket office building of the station. Go on the left along the cross country skiing piste.

1 100 meters further, turn left through the trees and turn right to go to the way along the skiing piste. You reach a nice climb under the trees.

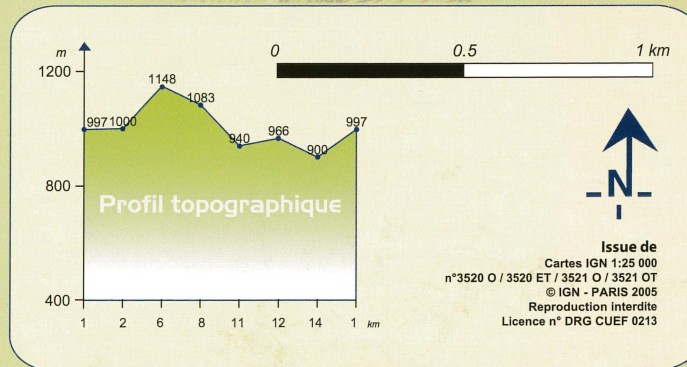
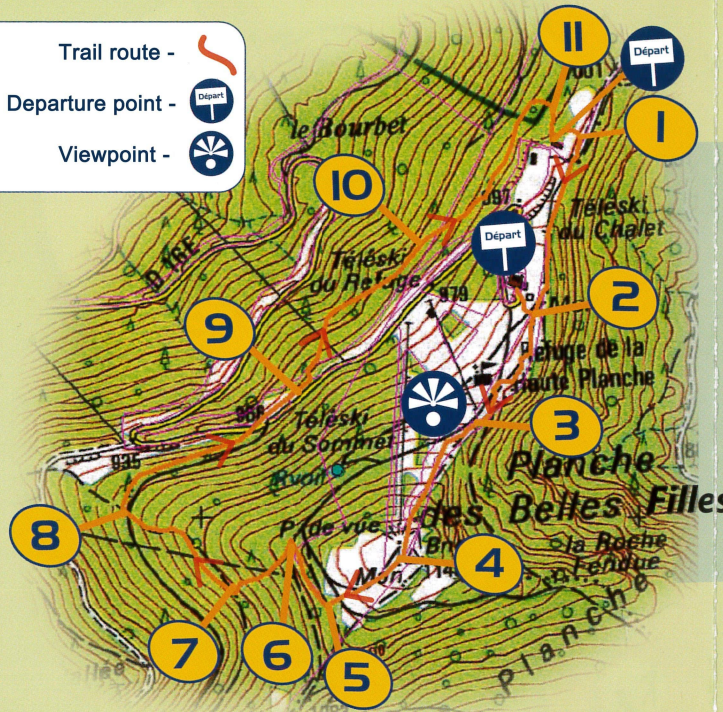
2 When going out of the undergrowth, you reach the hikers departing from the second departure point.

N°2: Departure from the hotel-restaurant le Chalet de La Planche, where the dogs are allowed, on the leach. At the end of the trail, the way back is done by the cross country skiing piste and then on the road, to avoid the natural reserve of the Ballons Comtois. You are facing the departure sign, cross the piste, walk along mountain flora.

Trail route -

Departure point -

Viewpoint -

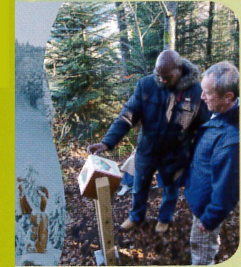


Then, walk along the piste; during the winter, pay attention to the skier.

3 After a pathway with nets, the path leaves the piste and turns left to step into a more pronounced slope in undergrowth. In the slope don't miss the Grand Tétras, a sculpture perched in the trees. A pathway is then more sloping between the rocks.

- 4** The altitude chaumes let you know about your arrival at the summit at 1148 meters. You can make a small diversion and stop at the orientation table, and then retrace your steps. From there, go straight ahead, and you discover the pré-bois. And the descent. After around 50 meters you reach the undergrowth, turn on your left.
- 5** Turn to the right on the path and continue straight ahead.
- 6** Then, walk along the piste for several meters to turn left on a sharp slope.

- Ticket office of the station
- Hut of the station
- Ski station
- 2h / 3.75 km
- Medium level
- Shaded



- 7** Downwards, enjoy the viewpoint and then continue on the right. The marten and the squirrel will surprise you in the descent.
- 8** Reach the piste and take right
- 9** After the barrier, walk along the car park on the right, then take the road for about 30 meters and cross the path that goes down. On this nice path, pay attention to the cyclist. You need to watch out.
- 10** At the crow's foot, take on the right the path that goes slightly up. Don't miss to observe the huge beech tree, with its big mushrooms shaped like tongues or beef livers, which are a very good fuel to light a fire.
- II** Back to the cross country skiing piste, take the right to reach the car park directly, especially for people with a dog. For the return to the restaurant by the trail, cross the piste and go from the point 1.