**Austrian Alpine Club (UK)**

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| **Olperer Runde, Zillertal, Tyrol** |
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| **Overview** | This tour proves that alpine walking can be interesting, and scenically stunning. A rucksack, a decent pair of boots and personal gear are all that are required. |
| **Grade** | Overall the tour is relatively straight forward with little technical difficulty. In terms of physical difficulty the tour is a moderately strenuous tour with most days being around six hours duration. Remember the times given are the times spent moving without any rest stops, so for overall journey time you can add a minimum of one hour. |
| **Maps** | Sheet 35/1; Zillertal Alpen. Westliches 1:25’000  Kompass Wanderkarte; Sheet 37 Zillertaler Alpen; Tuxer Alpen |
| **Guidebooks** | Trekking in the Zillertal Alps by Allan Hartley. |
| **Websites** | <https://www.naturpark-zillertal.at/en/nature-park-experience/trekking-the-berliner-hoehenweg.html>  www.mayrhofen.at |

**Route Summary:**

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| **Day** | **Route and Activities** | **Accommodation/Hut**  **OB = online booking** | **Height gain/Time** |
| **1** | Overnight in Mayrhofen | Mayrhofen |  |
| **2** | Bus to Schlegeis (1782m), then follow the Panoramaweg to the Olpererhütte. | Olpererhütte (2389m)  DAV - OB | 590m+  3 hours |
| **3** | To Friesenberghaus.  Afternoon ascent of Peterskopfl (2677m) | Friesenberghaus (2477m)  DAV - OB | 245m+  3 hours |
| **4** | To Tuxerjoch Haus via the Friesenbergscharte (2910m) and Spannagelhaus (2531m). | Tuxerjoch Haus (2313m)  private | 750m+  6 hours |
| **5** | To the Geraer Hütte via the Frauenwand (2537m) and Kleesgruben Scharte (2498m). | Geraer Hütte (2326m)  DAV - OB | 750m+  6 hours |
| **6** | Via the Alpeiner Scharte (2959m) and continue to Pfitscherjoch-Haus . | Pfitscherjoch-Haus (2276m)  private | 633m+  6 hours |
| **7** | Return to Schlegeis and bus back to Mayrhofen | Mayrhofen |  |

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**Huts**

Olpererhütte [www.alpenverein.at/huetten/index.php?huette\_nr=0611](http://www.alpenverein.at/huetten/index.php?huette_nr=0611)

Friesenberghaus [www.alpenverein.at/huetten/index.php?huette\_nr=0538](http://www.alpenverein.at/huetten/index.php?huette_nr=0538)

Tuxerjoch Haus (private) [www.tuxerjochhaus.at/](http://www.tuxerjochhaus.at/)

Geraer Hütte [www.alpenverein.at/huetten/index.php?huette\_nr=0547](http://www.alpenverein.at/huetten/index.php?huette_nr=0547)

Pfitscherjoch-Haus (private) [www.pfitscherjochhaus.com](http://www.pfitscherjochhaus.com)

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