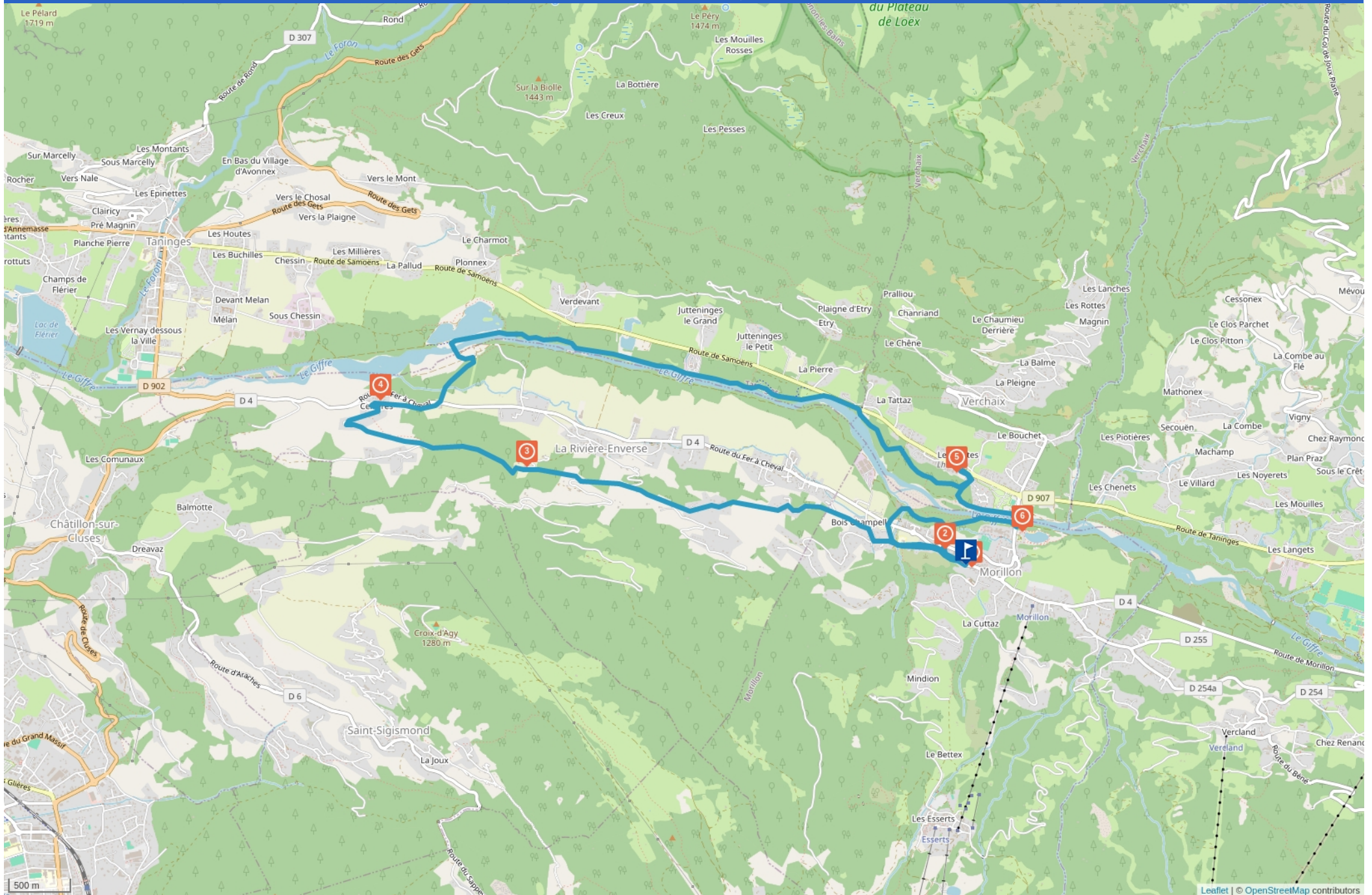


LES CYCL'O GOURMANDES : HALF CHAPELS HALF LAKES (DEPARTURE: MORILLON)

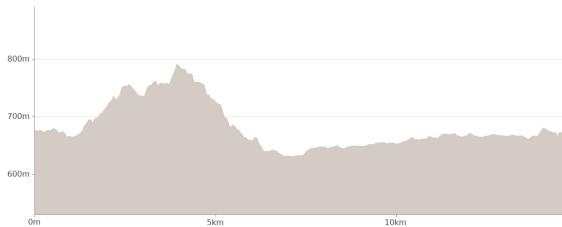


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Les Cycl'O gourmandes : Half chapels half lakes (departure: Morillon)



Départ : Route de Cluses - 74440 MORILLON

15.36 km
 2h30
 2h
 maxi 791 m
 mini 631 m

Medium
 Easy

181 m
 -181 m

A 15 km loop through the villages of Morillon, La Rivière-Enverse, Taninges and Verchaix, with a stop at L'Artisan du Chocolat to discover local specialities. The tasting break will take place on the banks of "Lac Bleu".

(1) Departure from "Denarié Sport 2000" in Morillon village. Turn left out of the store, then left again onto route de Visigny. (2) OR start from "Précision Ski". Cross the crosswalk to Visigny and continue on route de Visigny.

After the "Pont de la Perrière" bridge, turn left onto the "route des champs", cross the village of "Vers le Pont" and follow the blue e-bike signs for the "Les Grands Bois" circuit. At Cravarin, follow the signs for Châtillon-sur-Cluses.

(2) At the Nicodex chapel, head for "Fargot d'en Haut" then "Cellières". Drive down to the Cellières chapel (3). Go back down to the RD4 and cross it to go towards the Lac des Vernays from "Fargot". Take the small climb to cross the Giffre via a footbridge. Drive along Lac des Vernays, continuing along the Giffre as far as Verchaix.

You'll arrive near the artisanal zone. Turn left towards the picnic tables, the hamlets on the Giffre and the village bakery (and leave the signposted path). At the bakery, turn left into rue de l'Epure. A few metres further on, you'll come to L'Artisan du Chocolat (4), where you can buy a selection of chocolates from a wide range made on site, at a special "Cycl'O gourmandes" price.

Return along the same path to the picnic table in front of the Giffre hamlets, and this time go straight ahead following the "Les Grands Bois" pedestrian and mountain bike signs. Continue along the Giffre and at the Giffre bridge, cross the road to reach Lac Bleu (5) for a well-deserved tasting break facing the emblematic Criou summit.

Cross the road and follow the Giffre along its left bank towards La Rivière-Enverse. At the signpost "Pont Perrière" / "La Grasse" cross the RD4, take the route des champs, then the Pont de la Perrière, the route de Visigny and return to "Denarié Sport" (1) or to "Précision ski" (2).

TRACK PART OF "CYCL'O GOURMANDES"

Booklet available free of charge from Haut-Giffre Tourisme reception offices in Morillon and Sixt-Fer-à-Cheval, or from participating partners. Please contact Haut-Giffre Tourisme at +33 (0)4 50 34 49 36 for further information. The activity is your own responsibility.

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1	Route de Cluses - 74440 MORILLON - Altitude : 684m	Location
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Denarié Sport 2000

Special offer "Les Cycl'O gourmandes" from 15.05 to 05.07: 10% discount on bike rentals on presentation of the "Denarié" coupon / IMPORTANT: book by phone on 04 50 90 72 69 before coming / Open on reservation only.

2	Route de Cluses - 74440 MORILLON - Altitude : 676m	Location
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Précision ski

Special offer "Les cyclos gourmandes" from 30th March to 5th July: 10% discount on bike rentals on presentation of "Precision ski" coupon / IMPORTANT: book by phone at +33 (0)4 50 96 05 61 or email at sportprecision.morillon@gmail.com beforehand. Open by reservation only. Closed from 8th to 25th June.

3	Chemin Rural de la Marchande - 74440 LA RIVIÈRE-ENVERSE - Altitude : 769m	Patrimoine religieux
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Chapelle Notre Dame de l'annonciation dit des Nicodex

The history of this chapel is not well known, but its construction dates back to 1560, when St. François de Sales passed through the parish of Flérier.

4	Chemin du Pré d'en Bas - 74440 LA RIVIÈRE-ENVERSE - Altitude : 672m	Patrimoine religieux
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Chapelle de Cellières

The first chapel was built in 1680, destroyed during the French Revolution, then rebuilt, larger, in 1818.

5	Rue de l'Epure - 74440 VERCHAIX - Altitude : 661m	Artisans
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L'Artisan du Chocolat

Special offer "Les Cycl'O gourmandes" from 2nd April til 5th July: 10% discount in the store on presentation of the coupon "L'artisan du Chocolat" / IMPORTANT: Closed Sundays&Mondays. Vacations 28th April -20th May.

6	Route du Lac Bleu - 74440 MORILLON - Altitude : 669m	Lac / Etendue d'eau, Aires de Pique-Nique
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Blue lake outdoor activities area



The sandy beach, the shaded lawns and the public benches will allow you to enjoy the panorama on the summits.
Public toilets.

