

## Route: Lucerne- Lake Lucerne - Fluelen - St Gotthard - Bellinzona - Lugano or Locarno

The Wilhelm Tell Express commences in Lucerne for a 3 hour cruise on board a 1st class historic paddle steamer on Lake Lucerne which includes a gourmet 3 course lunch. Upon arrival in Fluelen, passengers board an air conditioned 1st class panoramic train to Lugano or Locarno

### Period of operation:

Note: The Wilhelm Tell Express operates twice a day in each direction (North-South and South-North). From April to October between Lucerne and Lugano/Locarno. Passengers from/to Lugano must change trains in Bellinzona.

## General information

### SCENIC HIGHLIGHTS

- Views of Lucerne from the lake.
- The train travels through steep ravines and cliffs of the Reuss Valley and through the historic 15km Gotthard railway tunnel.

### RESERVATIONS

- Reservations are compulsory.
- The seat reservation fee includes:
  - Seat and gourmet lunch on the paddle steamer (Lucerne - Fluelen)
  - 1st class seat in the panoramic car of the train (Fluelen - Bellinzona)
- Journey booklet
- Wilhelm Tell souvenir
- Seat reservations can only be made up to 90 days from date of travel

Passengers must present their seat reservation ticket at the SGV ticket window (boat station) in Lucerne to receive their meal voucher, journey booklet and souvenir.

### Extra information

#### PASSES COVERING THE WILHELM TELL EXPRESS (seat reservation fees are an additional charge)

The following passes require compulsory seat reservations and cover the entire journey on the Wilhelm Tell Express.

Rail passes must be 1st class to cover the Wilhelm Tell tour

- Swiss Pass
- Swiss Flexipass
- Eurail Consecutive Pass
- Eurail Flexipass
- Eurail Select Pass (must include Switzerland)
- France - Switzerland Pass
- Austria - Switzerland Pass
- Germany - Switzerland Pass

## Departures

### Summer Season valid from 6th April to 21st October 2012

#### SOUTHBOUND

##### Lucerne - Fluelen (boat) \*\*

Train Number	<b>2169</b>	<b>2173</b>
Lucerne	09.12	11.12

Fluelen	11:55	13:55
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#### Fluelen - Locarno/Lugano (train)

Fluelen	12:16	14:16
Bellinzona	13:53	15:53
Locarno	14:13	16:13
Lugano	14:27*	16:27*

#### NORTHBOUND

#### Lugano/Locarno - Fluelen (train)

Lugano	09:30*	11:30*
Locarno	09:46	11:46
Train Number	<b>2174</b>	<b>2178</b>
Bellinzona	10:06	12:06
Fluelen	11:41	13:41

#### Fluelen - Lucerne (boat) \*\*

Fluelen	12:00	14:00
Lucerne	14:47	16:47

\* Change trains in Bellinzona/Lugano - Bellinzona to Lugano v.v is a regional train we cannot reserve.

\*\*Usually operated by paddle steamer; sometimes by motor boat.

**Winter Season valid from 22nd October to 8th Dec 2012 & 11th Dec to 5th April 2013.**

#### SOUTHBOUND

#### Lucerne - Fluelen (boat) \*\*

Lucerne	10.12
Fluelen	12.58

#### Fluelen - Locarno/Lugano (train)

Fluelen	13.15
Bellinzona	14.30
Locarno	15.13
Lugano	15.27*

#### NORTHBOUND

#### Lugano/Locarno - Fluelen (train)

Lugano	10.30*
Locarno	10.45
Bellinzona	11.45
Fluelen	12.42

## Fluelen - Lucerne (boat) \*\*

Fluelen	13.00
Lucerne	15.47

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## Conditions

- Reservations can only be confirmed 60 days in advance

## Refunds

- Reservation fees are non-refundable.
- Reservation tickets cannot be refunded or re-issued if lost or stolen.