

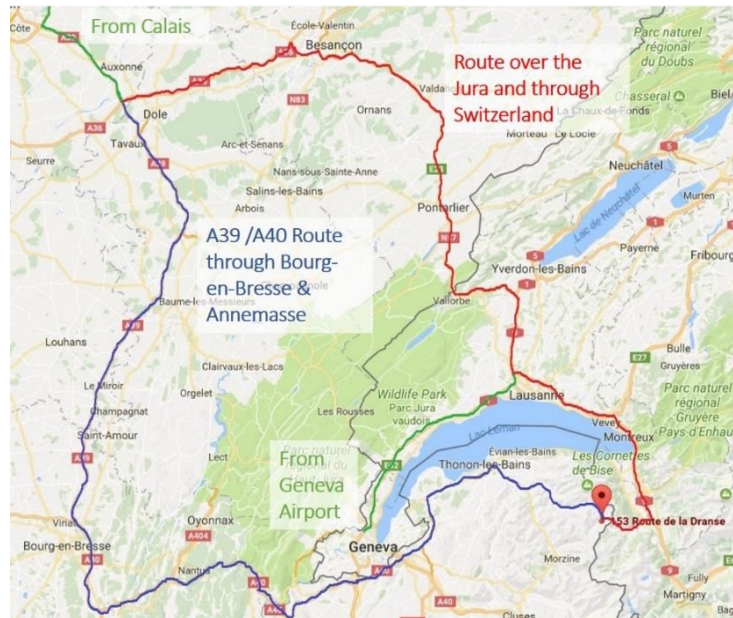


Getting to Chalet La Forêt.

Address for Satnav: 153 Route de la Dranse, 74390 Chatel, France.

From Geneva Airport:

Châtel is around 90 mins by road from Geneva and there are two main routes either side of the lake. You can take the motorway, or drive through Geneva to the French border and at Annemasse follow the road to Thonon and then up the scenic Abondance valley. The alternative is directly from the airport by Swiss motorway via Lausanne, Monthey and over the Pas de Morgins into Châtel.



We would strongly recommend the latter choice through

Switzerland – but beware most Satnav systems will take you the other way! We recommend renting cars in Switzerland from the main rental desk at Geneva Airport as they are normally supplied with winter tyres and a vignette (a Swiss motorway toll sticker) so there are no further charges.

From the UK:

Châtel is accessible from the UK within one day and depending on the weather forecast you can drive over the Jura via Besançon to Lausanne and approach Chatel via the Pas de Morgins. Alternatively in poor weather take the A39 and A40, exit at Annemasse, and follow the road in the direction of Thonon, then up the Abondance valley to Châtel.

Beware! Satnavs and Google maps often suggest you exit the A39 at Junction 7 and follow the N5 in the direction of Poligny and then across the Jura to the Swiss border. This is an awesome ‘drivers road’ but best appreciated in the summer..... and not at night or in a blizzard!

Getting here without a car:

On arrival at Geneva airport, the following companies can provide group or private transfers to the Chalet. Please see:

www.abchateltransfers.com or <https://gagneux.fr/>

Alternatively, from Geneva airport, there are regular trains to Aigle (direction Brig or Sion) where you change for a train up the mountain (direction Champéry) and alight at Troistorrents. You can check train times and purchase tickets in advance at <https://www.sbb.ch/en/home.html>

We would recommend that you arrange for a taxi or minibus collection by Taxi Transfert Rubin at Troistorrents. Please see: <http://www.joel-rubin.com/taxi-transfert.html>