

## Directions from Geneva airport (or A40 motorway) to Le Bionnay

120 Impasse du Torrent, Route de Bionnay, 74170 St Gervais Evasion74: Tel +33 (0) 4 50 93 82 23 Mob +33 (0) 6 01 75 76 38

From airport, follow signs to "France". (Check vehicle has Swiss motorway vignette (square sticker on windscreen with year). If not, be advised that the few miles leaving airport via Swiss motorways may cost you around 25 E, unless you head into central Geneva and back out into France)

After border control, follow "Italy, Turin, Milano, Chamonix Mont Blanc, France". This puts you on the "Autoroute Blanche", the A40.

Keep following signs for "Chamonix". Exit junction 21 when you see signs for "St Gervais-Les-Bains and Les Contamines Montjoie".

TEXT US at this point (no +33 (0) 6 01 75 76 38)

Right on exit slip road. Straight over small roundabout (unless you want to shop at the supermarket **Intermarche** which is on your right.)

Roundabout, take exit left. **Quechua** sports shop is then on your left hand side.

Crystal roundabout, go straight over.

Pass through "St Gervais Le Fayet". You will see "Mt Blanc tramway terminus" on left and "Parc Thermal" on the right.

Roundabout turn right following signs for "St Gervais".

Pass through "L'Abbaye" and "Les Plagnes". It is about 2 miles from "St Gervais Le Fayet" to "St Gervais".

An old fashion merry-go-round is at the start of the town on left (See map) IMMEDIATELY on right after the merry-go round is a black modern building (Espace Mt Blanc) and a taxi zone – pull in here for your in-town key pick-up.

Alternatively, if you are being met at your property, continue through the town passing the church on your right, the Casino supermarket on your left.

Roundabout take the road indicated "les Contamines" (the other road is signposted Albertville, Megève).

Go straight along this road for about 2 miles. You will pass the "Domes de Miages" camping & restaurant on your left.

Shortly after this there are small signs on the left pointing to "Bionnassay, Le Champel, Bionnay". Take this turning to the left. A large green is on your right. There is a speed bump and then the "Ecole de Bionnay" on your right, shortly followed by a small church on your left. Follow the road round to the right, crossing the small bridge. Follow the road to the right where it splits in two.

You will then see 2 large chalet-apartments on your left. Immediately after the speed bump is a stony track to the right with chalet style letterboxes, indicated "Impasse du Torrent". (In snowy conditions see below before proceeding if you aren't equipped with snow tyres or chains). Turn down this road but then do not turn left after the letter boxes, but keep going straight to the end, past the farm buildings on your right and the covered parking on your left. Le Bionnay is the 3 storey chalet at the end, directly in front of you.

The apartment is on the ground floor, so follow the path round the back of the chalet. The ski locker is the door at the back of the chalet. There's no need to disturb the owners on the 1<sup>st</sup> floor if they're in. They know you're coming!

### When snowy

If the road is snowy, you may not be able to drive back out due to a very slight incline, so stop just at this corner and come and see us first before proceeding. There is alternative parking near the bridge that you passed, but you may wish to unload before parking there.

