

# Winter Fun

Suitable for couples and families with children aged from 5 years



This winter adventure is ideal for adventurous couples, families, or individual guests looking for active holiday in the snow, in the beautiful surroundings of Lappish nature. Meet the cute huskies, hop on a sled pulled by a reindeer, experience exciting snowmobile driving, visit a Snow Village and take part in the search for the northern lights!

The spa hotel is beautifully located in the Lappish nature, next to a frozen lake, right by the Pallas-Ylläs National Park. The hotel is only 45 minutes drive from the Kittilä Airport. Accommodation is in comfortable hotel rooms or with a supplement, fully appointed log chalets for up to 7 persons with own sauna, wc, shower, kitchen, fireplace and TV or double rooms. The chalets are near the hotel in open woodland. The spa, sauna and pool area, with 2 small warm pools and saunas are stunningly located on the lake shore.

## Day 1

Arrival at Kittilä airport, transfer to hotel (45 min). Welcome dinner at hotel restaurant and overnight in double rooms with wc and shower or log cabins with wc, shower and sauna close by.

## Day 2 - Husky Adventure & Northern Lights evening

Breakfast in hotel restaurant. You have the morning free to settle in and check out the local surroundings. After lunch you will be transferred to the local husky farm. Here you will have a chance to meet the dogs, enjoy a short tour of the farm before setting out on your adventure. With adults sharing a sled with 2 persons, children will go in the local guides sled. Your tour will be around 17km.

Dinner in the hotel restaurant and overnight in room /cabin.

In the evening the guide will tell you more about the fascinating phenomenon of the northern lights, and the science & myths behind it.

Afterwards you can join our local guide for a walk to a prime Northern lights viewing spot. Here you will build a camp fire,



toast marshmallows and enjoy hot chocolate round the fire while waiting for the light to hopefully make an appearance.

### **Day 3 Snowshoes and cross-country skiing**

Breakfast in the restaurant. This morning you will experience snowshoeing, one of the oldest modes of Lapland transportation. Lunch in the hotel. Then in the afternoon it is off on cross-country skis. The skiing tracks start right next to the hotel and you will learn the basics of cross-country skiing with your guide. Return to the hotel in time to enjoy a warm sauna. Dinner in restaurant, overnight in room/ cabin.



### **Day 4 – Snow castle and Reindeer**



After breakfast in hotel restaurant a 10 minutes transfer to the Reindeer farm. Visit to a 100 years old unique Lappish farmhouse and a small reindeer museum. Try your reindeer herder skills in lasso-throwing and by driving a 3km round in the forest, right next to the Pallas-Ylläs national park with a reindeer sled. Then a short walk to the winter village with the ice restaurant, bar and sculptures, visit the impressive snow buildings. Lunch will be served in the ice restaurant. Transfer back to the hotel. Dinner is served in the hotel restaurant.

### **Day 5 – Ice fishing & Snowmobile Adventure**

After breakfast the guide will take you to the lake to try your luck with ice-fishing. Lunch will be served in the restaurant.

In the afternoon you meet your snowmobile guide who will give you the snowmobile driving instructions and safety regulations. After this it is time to start your engines and follow the guide through snow covered forests, over frozen lakes and swamps, along perfect fell scenery. Distance is about 30 km and you will drive 2 persons per snowmobile.

Dinner is served in the main restaurant.



### **Day 6 & 7 – Free day and Lappish dinner**



Breakfast in hotel restaurant.

Today you will have a free day to spend as you wish. You can relax in the hotel grounds and visit our Arctic Spa and Smoke sauna or go out on your own by snowshoes or cross country skies. Lunch will be served in the hotel restaurant or you can opt to have a packed lunch box to take out with you.

A special Lappish dinner will be served in the hotel restaurant this evening.

### **Day 8 - Departure**

Breakfast and transfer to Kittilä airport.

**Activities may take place in a different order to the above example**

**Duration:** 8 days / 7 nights (Sun to Sun or Sat to Sat)

**Dates 2018-19:** Every week from 29<sup>th</sup> December to 21<sup>st</sup> April

**Group size:** 2 persons minimum, 22 persons maximum

**Services included:** Transfers from scheduled domestic flights, 7 overnights in double rooms in hotel or log cabins (different rates) with sauna/shower/wc in spa hotel, 7 days full board (from dinner on day 1 until breakfast on day 8), thermal outer clothing for your whole stay (thermo-overalls, socks, mittens, boots, warm hat), overnight husky/snowmobile safari, ice fishing, Reindeer farm visit and reindeer safari, winter village visit, qualified wilderness guide, cross country ski and snowshoes, farewell dinner. **Please note:** a valid driving licence is required for driving a snowmobile! And an insurance excess applies of around Euro 800.

**Cost/dates 2017:** 29<sup>th</sup> Dec to 4<sup>th</sup> January **£1565 + cabin supplement**  
5<sup>th</sup> Jan to 22<sup>nd</sup> March **£1495** per person sharing  
23<sup>rd</sup> March to 21<sup>st</sup> April **£1325** per person sharing

**Supplements:** Single room supplement **£325**  
(per room/cabin) Cabin for 2 to 3 persons (min 2) **£325**  
Cabin for 3 to 4 persons (min 3) **£185**  
Cabin for 4 to 7 persons (min 4) **£115**

One person per snowmobile add **£35 each**

**Extra nights:** **£95** / person in double with 2 persons sharing.  
**(Full board)** **£135** / person in cabin  
**£145** / person in single room.

**Children:** **Reduction for children 5 to 12 years**, 40% when in the same room with 2 adults, 25% with 1 adult.  
No cabin reduction for children.  
Please note that children will sit in the guides sled during safaris.

**Transfers:** Free. Supplement non-scheduled flights - **£40** each way

