Mountains of Norway 8th-12th of January

Pure Winter Joy

Highlights:

Get into the winter spirit with undisturbed nature and local folk tales as we bring you to some unique and remote places in the Norwegian mountains. Experience a snow-covered landscape guided by local hosts. Explore some unique accommodations in nature as you embrace the dark winter season, and cosy up by the fire in the evening.

- Explore the beautiful winter landscapes of Jotunheimen and Rondane National Parks.
- Explore the mythical forest path, divided into different fairytale chapters for everyone to explore.
- Try dogsledding, snowshoeing and skiing with local guides.
- Cosy up by the fire in the evening
- 1 night accommodation in a fairytale cabin at Sjodalen hyttetun.
- 1 night glamping in an arctic dome in Eco Camp Rondane

*program is subject to change





Sunday 8th of January

Arrival day- Individual arrivals of buyers

14.00 Meet & greet at Oslo airport by Mountains of Norway

14.29 Departure with train from Oslo airport to Otta train station

17.39 Transfer to Sjodalen (1h)

19.00 Welcome dinner at Gammen Mountain Pub Overnight stay at Sjodalen Hyttetun





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Monday 9th of January

08.00 Breakfast

10.00 Dogsledding: try mushing your own team of huskies

12.00 Lunch

13.00 Explore the fairytale forest with guide

19.00 Dinner in Gammen

Overnight stay at Sjodalen Hyttetun





Tuesday 10th of January

08.00 Breakfast

10.00 Snowshoeing

12.00 Lunch

13.30 Transfer to Rondane

15.00 Welcome and check-in at Smuksjøseter Mountain Lodge

17.00 Dark sky adventure

19.00 Dinner

Overnight stay at Eco Camp Rondane / Smuksjøseter Mountain Lodge





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Wednesday 11th of January

08.00 Breakfast

10.00 Guided snowshoeing/skiing trip (4,5 km, flat terrain)

12.00 Lunch

14.00 Guided snowshoeing/skiing trip back to Smuksjøseter

(4,5 km flat terrain)

17.00 Wilderness hot tub

19.00 Dinner

Overnight stay at Eco Camp Rondane / Smuksjøseter Mountain Lodge





Thursday 12th of January

08.00 Breakfast + make packed lunch

09.00 Transfer with snowcat

10.00 Transfer to Otta train station

11.30 Departure with train from Otta train station

14.32 Arrival with train at Oslo Airport





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Suppliers list:

During this fam-trip we will showcase two different basecamp stays, that can also be combined.

Sjodalen Hyttetun

Sjodalen Hyttetun, located in the Beautiful Sjodalen valley offers 10 self-catered wilderness cabins with a shower/bathroom and 2 bedrooms suitable for 4-5 persons. If you are looking for a unique overnight stay in the wilderness they also offer 5 fairytale cabins. A hotel room-concept of small barrel-shaped one-room cabins, without bathroom, but with the luxury of being immersed in nature. They have a wide range of activities on offer throughout the year, all in which are booked through Sjodalen Hyttetun

Smuksjøseter Mountain Lodge

Smuksjøseter is a charming family-run mountain lodge on the border of Rondane National Park, with a spectacular view of the surrounding mountain scenery. During winter, the only way to get there is on a pair of skis, or with the legendary snowcat. Smuksjøseter offers traditional rooms, or modern well equipped apartments. They also offer accommodation in their Eco Camp Rondane, with 3 separate domes available for rent. The desolate location offers tranquility and endless opportunities for discovering the wilderness.

*There is limited internet access in the mountains. Please keep this in mind when planning work.





Packing list:

We'll provide you with all special equipment (such as snowshoes and skis), but make sure to bring enough warm clothes suited to spend a lot of time outdoors, including:

- Wool underwear and socks
- Warm mid-layer (fleece, wool sweater or similar)
- Wind- and waterproof jacket and pants
- Down jacket
- Warm hat and gloves
- Warm, waterproof and sturdy boots (for snowshoeing and dogsledding)
- Sunglasses/googles (for dogsledding)
- Swimwear
- Small backpack to carry snacks, extra clothes, camera and other amenities you might want to bring for the activities
- A book for the evenings
- Toiletries
- Lunch box and thermos is recommended





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Tour leader:

