

Lapland Adventure in Jeris

suitable for families



This winter adventure in Jeris 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 or stay at the lakeside area ice-fishing, snowshoe walking, building a snowman or tobogganing.

Spa Hotel Jeris is beautifully located in the Lappish nature, next to the Lake Jerisjärvi, 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 2 to 7 persons with own sauna, wc, shower, kitchen, fireplace and TV or double rooms. The chalets are near the hotel. 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 Jeris (45 min). Dinner at hotel restaurant and overnight in double rooms or log chalet.

Day 2

Breakfast in hotel restaurant. Meet and greet with the safari group and your guide. Information about the programme for the week. Transfer by bus to the reindeer farm (approx. 10 minutes drive). Visit to an old Lappish house with reindeer herding equipment and locals telling you about the life of the reindeer. You will also have a chance to try your reindeer herder skills in lasso-throwing and by driving a short round yourself with a reindeer sled. Lunch will be served in a "tepee-kota" by an open fire. Transfer by bus to Lainio Snow Village (approx. 1 hour) where you will visit the amazing snow hotel with ice restaurant, bar and sculptures. Bus transfer back to the hotel. Dinner in the hotel restaurant and overnight in room or chalet.



Day 3

After breakfast your experienced guide will give you driving training and safety information of snowmobile driving and you will start the snowmobile safari (2 persons per snowmobile), children sit in guides sled. The driving distance will be about 30km. Picnic lunch will be prepared by campfire and we will also stop for ice fishing. Duration of safari is around 3 hours. In the afternoon you will have time for snow activities in the hotel area, such as tobogganing, snow shoe walking or cross-country skiing. Or warm yourself in the sauna and spa. Dinner in the hotel restaurant and overnight in room/cabin.



Day 4



This day will be dedicated to cross-country skiing and snowshoe walking. The skiing tracks start right next to the hotel and you will learn the basics of cross-country skiing with your guide. Lunch in the hotel restaurant. After lunch we will go for a short snow-shoe tour close to the hotel. Return to the hotel and time to enjoy warm sauna. Dinner in the hotel restaurant. After the dinner you have a possibility to participate on a Northern Lights excursion. Departure from the hotel in a skidoo sled, your guide will take you to the best

spots for viewing the amazing auroras! Warm drinks served on the fire. Return to the hotel. Overnight in room/cabin.

Day 5

After breakfast we have a short transfer to the Husky Farm nearby. Here you will hear of the life of the sled dogs on the arctic areas and get acquainted with the happy huskies. You will be taught how to handle the sled and then you start your 2 hour husky safari – 2 persons per sled dog team. Picnic lunch by campfire. You will drive approximately 17km. Return to hotel, free time for your own activities. Farewell dinner with Lapp specialities in hotel restaurant. Overnight in room/cabin.



Day 6

This day is free for your own activities. You can go cross-country skiing or for a snow-shoe tour or just relax. All meals served in hotel restaurant. Overnight in cabin.



Day 7

Breakfast and transfer to Kittila airport.

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

Duration:

7 days / 6 nights (Sunday - Saturday)

Dates 2011/2012:

Every week from 4th December 2011 to 14th April 2012

