

Husky Expedition Lapland

12 days (9 days with the huskies)

During our special dog-sled safari in the spring time you will experience not only the cooperation with lovely, eager huskies, but also the long days of the spring. You will spend 9 days in the beautiful fell scenery and you will drive your own team of 6 dogs covering circa 250km (weather permitting).



Day 1

Arrival at Kittilä airport, transfer to Muonio, Harriniva Holiday Centre. Get together with your team and the guide. Dinner at Harriniva. Overnight in cosy hotel rooms or in cabins near Harriniva.

Day 2

After breakfast you will be provided with the safari equipment and then you will meet the lovely huskies. Together we will pack the sleds and practise how to drive a dog team. After lunch we begin the safari.

Days 2 to 10

Our safari will take you from Muonio to Kilpisjärvi, to the last village at the edge of northwest Finland – next to the Norwegian and Swedish borders. The daily distances will vary from 30 to 70km depending on weather conditions and the skills of the participants; pauses will be made according to wishes. During this safari we spend the nights in small wilderness huts and in tents. On some evenings we will return to the same hut or tent, because there are so many beautiful spots to visit along the route.

The days are long and mostly warm, even the nights will be light and it will be possible to drive a night safari also. We will drive in the forest, over the frozen lakes and along the rivers; we will take you also up to the bare fell region. All meals will be prepared together, lunch by an open fire in the wilderness, breakfast and dinner in wilderness huts and in tents. Each participant will also take care of his/her own dog team. In the evening of the 10th day we will arrive in Kilpisjärvi and spend one night there in cabins.



Day 11

We all return to Harriniva Holiday Centre by car or by coach. In the evening farewell dinner. Accommodation in cosy hotel rooms or in cabins near Harriniva.

Day 12

Breakfast and transfer to Kittilä airport.

Duration: 12 days / 11 nights (9 on safari)

Group size: 4 to 5 persons

Departures 2010: 28th February to 11th March
28th March to 8th April

14th March to 25th March
11th April to 22nd April

Cost: £2850 per person

Supplement for charter flight £80 p/p return

Services included:

Transfers, 3 nights in cosy hotel rooms or log cabins – 2 to 4 persons, 8 nights in the wilderness huts and tents with shared facilities, full board, complete equipment (overall, boots, socks, mittens, warm hat, sleeping bag), a dog team with 4-6 dogs, a qualified English speaking guide.

Not included:

Flights, travel insurance