



2017-2018

WINTER EXCURSIONS

Extra excitement for your voyage





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Your voyage under Norway's Northern Lights is fast approaching. Make the most of your Arctic adventure with these additional excursions, each an unforgettable, special experience. There is something for everyone, whether you're looking for action, culture, history, nature or wildlife, or indeed all of these.

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CULTURE AND HISTORY

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2F: A Taste of Norway

Explore the beautiful Norangsdalen valley and the village of Urke, where you will have the chance To sample a range of Norway's local delicacies at the Hotel Union Øye.

Hjørundfjorden; L1 02 Sep - 01 Nov; from £76pp. Duration: 2h 15min.



2C/2E: Art Nouveau Walk

Discover the history behind the Art Nouveau architecture of Ålesund on this guided walking tour through the charming fishing port and visit the Art Nouveau Centre.

Ålesund; L2
02 Sep - 01 Jun; from £36pp.
Duration: 2h approx.



2D: Atlanterhavsparken Aquarium and Mount Aksla

Experience a spectacular diving show at one of Northern Europe's largest saltwater aquariums before taking a scenic drive up to Mount Aksla for islands and mountains.

Ålesund; L2

02 Nov - 01 Jun; from £51pp. Duration: 2h.



3B: Trondheim with Nidaros Cathedral

Learn about Trondheim's fascinating Viking history and marvel at the spectacular Gothic architecture of the Nidaros Cathedral on this guided sightseeing tour of Norway's third largest city.

Trondheim; L1

 $o3\,Sep-o2\,Apr; from\,\pounds 49pp.\,Duration: 2h.$



3E: Munkholmen

Take a gentle boat trip on the Trondheimsfjord to historic Munkholmen, a former 2nd Century monastery that was once a fortress and a prison. Trondheim: L2

03 Sep - 02 Nov; from £55pp. Duration: 2h.



4C: Experience Bodø and Saltstraumen

Enjoy a guided tour around Bodø before journeying on to Saltstraumen, where you'll witness the incredible sight of the world's strongest tidal current, where millions of gallons of water are forced through a 150m wide strait.

Bodø; L2

01 Jan - 31 Dec; from £57pp. Duration: 2h 10min.



4E: Meet the Vikings

Visit the reconstruction of the largest Viking building ever discovered and immerse yourself in a historically themed dinner. Hosted by the Chieftain and Lady of the House, enjoy a traditional Viking feast as they make sacrifices to the gods.

Stamsund to Svolvær; L1
04 Nov - 03 Apr; from £111pp. Duration: 3h.



4H: Lofotpils Brewery

This craft brewery creates its beer according to German tradition but with locally sourced water from Vestre Nøkkvann to add a refreshing taste of the Lofoten isles.

Svolvær; L2 o1 Jan - 31 Dec; from £38pp. Duration: 40min.



5A: The Arctic Capital Tromsø

Explore the many landmarks of Tromsø – the gateway to the Arctic – on this fascinating guided tour, including a visit to the famous Arctic Cathedral and the Polaria Wildlife Centre. Tromsø; L1

01 Jan - 31 Dec; from £67pp. Duration: 2h 30min.



5D: Polar History Walk

Learn about Tromsø's polar history on a guided tour through the city. Visit the Polar Museum to discover more about Arctic expeditions, winter hunting and polar research. Then take a break at Ølhallen, Tromsø's oldest pub, and join regulars for a pint of local Mack beer.

Tromsø; L2

 $o5\,Nov-o4\,Apr; from\,\pounds 51pp.\,Duration:\,2h\,30min.$



6A: The North Cape

Enjoy the incredible wild landscapes as you travel to the North Cape, Europe's northernmost outpost. Visit the Globe Monument and the North Cape Hall, were you'll watch a panoramic film showcasing the region through the seasons. Honningsvåg; L1

01 Jan - 31 Dec; from £128pp. Duration: 3h.





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6E: Sámi Autumn

Meet a Sámi reindeer herder, who will let you into the secrets of the curative and restorative powers of their Arctic culinary traditions and medicinal herbs.

Kjøllefjord to Mehamn; L1 06 Sep - 05 Nov; from £67pp. Duration: 2h 15min.



6F: North Cape Platinum Exclusive

Experience a unique tour to the North Cape with a private guide. Visit the North Cape Hall, watch a film about the North Cape and enjoy a delicious meal of local specialities. You will also be presented with a special certificate as a memento of your visit.

Honningsvåg; L1
o1 Jan - 31 Dec; from £258pp. Duration: 3h.



6H: Fishing Village Visit

Learn about the nature, history and culture of the fishing villages of Kamøyvær and Skarsvåg on this guided tour. Stop for cake and mulled wine at the Christmas House in Skarsvåg and visit the gallery of local artist Eva Schmutterer. Honningsvåg; L2

01 Jan - 31 Dec; from £77pp. Duration: 2h 45min.



7A: The Russian Border

Kirkenes is the only town in Norway where east meets west. Take a bus tour around Kirkenes to Andersgrotta, a bomb shelter used during WW2. Then continue to Storskog, the only border station between Russia and Norway. Kirkenes; L1

o1 Jan – 31 Dec; from £61pp. Duration: 2h.



7D: Kirkenes Snowhotel

Visit the world's coolest (or coldest) hotel!
Take a guided tour of the Snowhotel's
beautifully decorated suites, have a drink at the
Ice Bar, and visit the Gabba Reindeer Park.
Kirkenes; L2

20 Dec - 01 May; from £65pp. Duration: 2h 30min.



8B: The Northernmost Town in the World

Explore the town of Hammerfest, home to the UNESCO-listed Meridian Monument, learn about Europe's first liquefied natural gas factory, and visit Mount Salen.

Hammerfest; L1

01 Nov - 15 Mar; from £40pp. Duration: 1h.



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8C: Midnight Concert in the Arctic Cathedral

Sit back and enjoy a wonderful evening of folk songs, classical music and hymns at the Midnight Concert while taking in the candlelit ambience and incredible acoustics of the Arctic Cathedral.

Tromsø; L1

01 Jan - 31 Dec; from £57pp. Duration: 1h 15min.



9A: A Taste of Vesterålen

This is an unmissable opportunity to experience the stunning scenery of Norway's fjords and mountains from Harstad to Sortland by bus and ferry. Visit Trondenes Church, the world's northernmost medieval church.

Harstad to Sortland; L1 o1 Jan - 31 Dec; from £85pp.

Duration: 4h 15min.



9F: Fishing Village Tour

Grab your camera for a guided tour to a vibrant fishing village on Svinøya Island. Learn about the local history, visit a gallery and taste the locally made stockfish.

Svolvær; L2

01 Sep - 08 Apr; from £51pp. Duration: 1h 30min.



10A: Brønnøysund Village Walk

Join a guided tour through Brønnøysund village where you'll visit Brønnøy church and sample delicacies from local food producers, and visit the harbour where you may get to taste fresh Norwegian prawns.

Brønnøysund; L2

01 Jan - 31 Dec; from £46pp.

Duration: 1h 15min.



11A: Trondheim with Nidaros Cathedral

Take a sightseeing tour of Trondheim, Norway's third largest city. Learn about its fascinating Viking history and marvel at the spectacular Gothic architecture of the Nidaros Cathedral. Trondheim; L1

01 Jan - 31 Dec; from £49pp. Duration: 2h.



IIB: The Hidden Rooms of Nidaros Cathedral Platinum Exclusive

On this exclusive tour, you'll be taken down beneath Nidaros Cathedral to see some of its hidden chambers. Wander through the dark passages of the tombstone crypt and explore the largest collection of medieval tombstones in Norway.

Trondheim; L2

01 Jan – 31 Dec; from £155pp. Duration: 2h.



IID: Trondheim City Walk

Join a guided walk through the streets of Trondheim and discover more about the city's 1,000-year history. Visit its famous landmarks and experience the charm of this royal city. Trondheim; L2

01 Jan - 31 Dec; from £40pp. Duration: 2h 15min.



IIE: Bergtatt – Magnificent Marble Mine

Take an unforgettable boat trip on an illuminated crystal clear lake before stopping off for lunch in the marble mine. Your guided tour also includes a brief stop to visit the coastal town of Molde.

Kristiansund to Molde; L2

15 Sep - 30 Apr; from £153pp. Duration: 4h 30min.



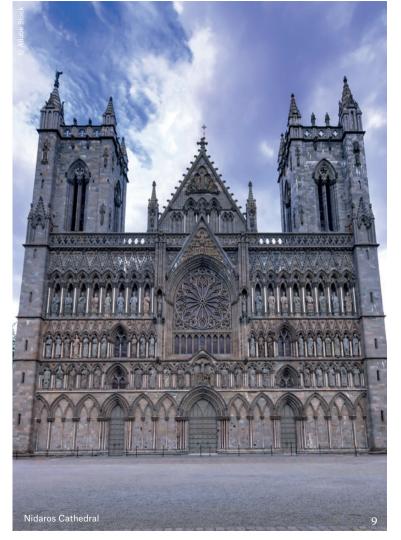
12A: Bergen City Sightseeing

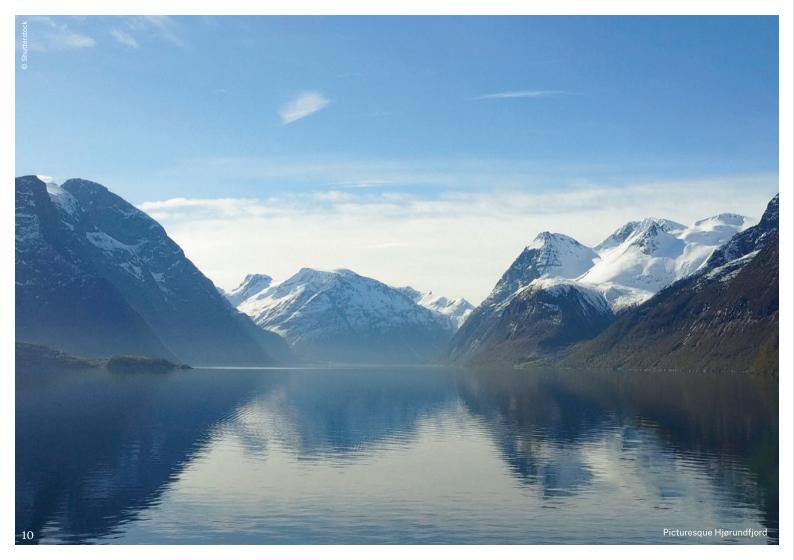
Enjoy a guided tour strolling around Bergen's charming narrow streets and famous sites like the Bryggen wharf and Fish Market, with a spectacular backdrop of the Seven Sisters mountain range.

Bergen; L1

01 Jan - 31 Dec; from £40pp. Duration: 2h.







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2G: Mountain Hike in the Hjørundfjord

Climb to the top of this mountain fjord and be rewarded with breathtaking views of the surrounding Hjørundfjord scenery. On the hike down, you'll pass through the quaint valley settlement of Sæbø.

Hjørundfjord; L4

02 Sep-01 Nov; from £57pp. Duration: 2h 45min.

2H: Hike with a Visit to a Shieling

Take a gentle hike through rural scenery to an old shieling – a medieval farm dwelling – and learn about life on a Norwegian farm and sample some local delicacies.

Hjørundfjord; L3

02 Sep - 01 Nov; from £61pp. Duration: 2h 45min.



4B: Arctic Coastal Walk

This challenging guided hike through the beautiful woodlands of Bodøsjøen is well worth the effort! Take in the wintry landscapes all around you, the stunning sea views and the magnificent Børvasstindan Mountains to the south as you breathe in the crisp mountain air. Bodø; L4

04 Nov-31 Mar; from £61pp. Duration: 2h 15min.



4D: RIB Safari to Saltstraumen

Hold onto your hats on this exhilarating RIB boat safari where you'll view the world's strongest tidal current blast millions of cubic metres of water through a 150 m wide strait. Don't forget to look up as you may see some majestic sea eagles, Europe's largest birds of prey.

Bodø; L3
o1 Apr - o3 Nov; from £119pp. Duration: 2h.



5B: Dog Sledding

This is your chance to channel your inner polar explorer! Travel across remote snow-covered Arctic plains pulled by your trusted team of huskies surrounded by incredible views of mountains and the ocean.

Tromsø; L3
05 Nov - 04 May; from £164pp.
Duration: 3h 30min.



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5J: Mountain Hike in Tromsø

Take a short cable car ride to Fløyfjellet, 400m above Tromsø, where you'll begin an energetic hike and enjoy spectacular views of the city below and the surrounding islands.

Tromsø; L4

06 Apr - 04 Nov; from £77pp. Duration: 3h.



5K: Silent Whale Watching

You will be transported to Kaldfjord by the Opal, a carbon-neutral oak sailing boat built in 1952 and updated with a battery-powered silent electric engine so as not to disturb the whales. Tromsø; L2

01 Nov-10 Feb; from £155pp. Duration: 3h.



5M: Cross-country Skiing

An expert skier will instruct and lead you across the flat terrain on Tromsø island. The snow here is soft and powdery, perfect for beginners to skiing.

Tromsø; L4

01 Jan - 27 Apr; from £119pp. Duration: 3h.



5N: Snowshoeing in Tromsø

Follow your guide on a snowshoe walk through the forest to a clearing, where you can help to light the bonfire. On the way back, take the shortcut by speeding down the hill on a toboggan.

Tromsø; L4

01 Jan - 27 Apr; from £119pp. Duration: 3h.



50: Sámi Adventure in Tromsø

The Sámi invite you to the nature reserve of Dankarvågvatn for ice fishing and to learn more about these traditional reindeer herders renowned for their affinity with nature.

Tromsø; L3

11 Dec-27 Apr; from £168pp. Duration: 3h.



6D: Snowmobile Trip in the Arctic

Rev your engines for a dynamic snowmobile adventure across snow-clad valleys in one of Europe's most extreme natural environments. Feel the bracing winter air on your face as you speed across the Arctic plateau. If you're lucky, you may even have the Northern Lights above you! Kjøllefjord to Mehamn; L3

06 Dec - 15 May; from £267pp. Duration: 2h 15min.





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7C: Snowmobile Safari

Experience a snowmobile safari across a frozen fjord. Speed along the vast Arctic snowscape, but remember to slow down long enough to marvel at your surroundings like the northern part of the Siberian taiga. Warm up after with a drink in a traditional Sámi tent.

Kirkenes; L2

 $15\,Dec-o5\,May; from\,\pounds 164pp.\,Duration: 2h\,30min.$



7F: Husky Sledge Adventure

Let a beautiful team of huskies guide you through the winter landscape of frozen lakes and snowy plateaus on this unmissable dog sledding adventure. If you're lucky, the Northern Lights may add some magical colour to your trip. Kirkenes; L3

01 Nov - 01 May; from £174pp. Duration: 2h 30min.



7H: King Crab Expedition

Join us for an unforgettable day on the water and wrestle a king crab, the leggy giant of the Arctic. Catch these magnificent crustaceans the traditional way – through a hole in the ice. Then return to the fisherman's cabin where you'll learn how to prepare, cook and eat this delicious seafood delicacy.

Kirkenes; L3

07 Apr - 06 Nov; from £164pp. Duration: 3h.



7J: Dog Sledding Platinum Exclusive

You'll learn how to drive your own dog sled on this exclusive excursion. After a brief introduction, you'll be ready to steer your team of huskies and embark on a memorable Arctic expedition of your very own across the frozen terrain.

Kirkenes: L3

01 Nov - 01 May; from £330pp. Duration: 2h 30min.



8F: Snowmobile Trip in the Polar Night

The name's Bond, James Bond. Experience the thrill of snowmobiling across beautiful Arctic landscapes at night. If you're lucky, you may even have the Northern Lights flickering above you, guiding your way.

Mehamn to Kjøllefjord; L3
08 Dec - 17 May; from £320pp. Duration: 2h 15min.



8G: Mountain Hike in Hammerfest

This challenging hike along the Gammelveien Way is a must for any adventurer. Enjoy splendid views of the Barent Sea and the picturesque islands of Melkøya, Sørøya and Seiland National Park as you trek the old road to Hammerfest that dates back to 1898.

Hammerfest: L4

08 Jun - 07 Nov; from £51pp. Duration: 1h 30min.



8H: Into the Ice

Want to be a true polar explorer? Then join this demanding expedition up the Salen mountain in Hammerfest, the world's northernmost town. When you reach the summit, you'll get to plant your own flag marking your achievement, before rewarding yourself with some hearty Scandinavian snacks.

Hammerfest; L4

08 Nov-15 Mar; from £75pp. Duration: 1h 45min.



9D: Lofoten by Horse

Saddle up and mount your beautiful Icelandic steed for an Arctic cowboy adventure through the magnificent Lofoten countryside. Ride along secluded white sand beaches and ancient Viking monuments, taking in the stunning scenery.

Svolværto Stamsund; L3

01 Jan - 31 Dec; from £108pp.

Duration: 3h 30min.



9H: Mountain Hike in Lofoten

Join this unmissable mountain hike through the magnificent scenery of Lofoten all the way up to Rørvikskaret. From the top, you will enjoy some of the best views this famous region of Norway has to offer.

Svolvær to Stamsund; L4
o9 Jun - 08 Nov; from £71pp. Duration: 3h 30min.



10D: Gateway to Helgeland

See the modern design and architecture of the Petter Dass Museum juxtaposed with the Alstahaug Church, and all situated right beneath the mighty Seven Sisters mountain range. Sandnessjøen to Brønnøysund; L3 of Oct-31 May; from £296pp.

Duration: 4h.



IIF: Husky Safari

Get to know your husky sled dogs and experience the thrill of ice fishing. Afterwards, you will be served a hot meal and warm beverages, made on the fire inside a cosy hut.

Kristiansund to Molde; L3

22 Dec - 22 Mar; from £298pp.

Duration: 4h 30min.







TROMSØ EXCURSIONS

These are exclusive to the following voyages: Arctic Highlights,

A Taste of the Arctic (Northbound) - Day 6, A Taste of the Arctic (Southbound) - Day 1.

These must be pre-booked ahead of your journey.

Husky Dog Sledding

Wilderness Centre, Tromsø

Experience a thrilling sled ride across the snowy wilds of the Arctic plateau, being pulled by a team of dogs. At the end of your journey, you'll get to warm up with a Sámi meal and some homemade cake in a traditional lavvo tent.

Price: from £199pp (2017 & 2018). Duration: 2h 30min.



Aurora Safari with Dinner by Cable Car

Tromsø

Take a cable car up to a traditional mountain lodge for a delicious three-course dinner, surrounded by fantastic views over Tromsø. If you're lucky, your meal will be lit up by the Northern Lights as well as candlelight.

Price: from £179pp (2017 & 2018). Duration: 3h 30min - 4h.



Reindeer Sledding and Sámi Culture

Tromsø Lapland, Tromsø

Immerse yourself in indigenous Arctic culture with a real Sámi guide. You will taste traditional food, learn about Sámi folklore and folk songs, as well as try your hand at the time-honoured customs of reindeer sledding and lasso throwing. Period: Feb - Mar. Price: from £206pp (2017); £213pp (2018). Duration: 4h.



Snowmobile Safari

Lyngen to Tromsø

First, we head to the Lyngen Alps where you will get acquainted with your snowmobile at Camp Tamok. Then you'll have the chance to whizz through the frozen lakes and valleys among wild Arctic landscapes before warming up with a hot meal and drinks at the end.

Price: from £232pp (2017); £245pp (2018). Duration: 7h. Note: driving licence required.



Tromsø Arctic Panorama

Tromsø

You'll take a cable car up where you'll discover spectacular 360° views of Tromsø and the surrounding polar landscapes. Afterwards, enjoy some tea and cake by the fireside in a cosy mountain lodge.

Price: from £89pp (2017); £93pp (2018). Duration: 2 - 3h.



Cross-Country Skiing

Tromsø

A fantastic opportunity for first-time skiers. After getting some basic tips from an instructor, you will ski together across soft, flat terrain at the top of Tromsø Island. You might even have the Northern Lights above you.

Price: From £128pp (2017); £148pp (2018).

Duration: 4h (including travel to and from Lyngen).

Note: suitable for aged 8 and over.



TROMSØ EXCURSIONS

Evening Snowshoe Trip

Tromsø

An experienced guide will take you on an evening snowshoeing walk in the woods on Tromsø Island, where hopefully you'll also catch the Northern Lights.

From: £97pp (2017); £102pp (2018). Duration: 2h.

Note: suitable for aged 8 and over.



Whale Safari

Tromsø

Get up close to humpback, minke and orca whales as they feed in the herring-rich waters off the coast. Delight in their grace and marvel at the majesty of these kings of the ocean.

From: £171pp (2017); £179pp (2018).

Duration: 5 - 6h. Note: November and

December 'A Taste of the Arctic' voyages only.



Bounty of the Arctic Ocean

Tromsø

Get your own private guide along Tromsø's fishing harbour including Kystens Hus and Restaurant Skirri. See a chef demonstration followed by food tasting.

From: £99pp. Duration: 3h.







KIRKENES EXCURSIONS

These are exclusive to: Arctic Wonders - Day 8

Snowmobiling through the Arctic Landscape

Kirkenes

Take an exhilarating snowmobile ride against the backdrop of the dramatic mountains between Finland and Russia.

Price: from £169pp.

 $Duration: {\it 2h.\ Note:}\ driving\ licence\ required.$



Husky Dog Sledding

Kirkenes

For a true Arctic experience, stand up on your own dog sled and guide your eager team of huskies across the snowy polar plateaus as they take you on a thrilling ride.

Price: from £141pp. Duration: 2h.



King Crab Safari

Kirkenes

Surf and turf Arctic style. Take a snowmobile sledge ride to a frozen fjord, where local fishermen will show you how to catch a king crab.

Once you've netted one, you'll head back to the fisherman's cabin where it will be cooked for you.

Price: from £154pp. Duration: 4h.



Extend your voyage LAND ADVENTURES

Add a few extra nights before or after your Hurtigruten voyage with our pre- and post- extension packages. Choose from one of the featured cities of Bergen, Trondheim, Tromsø or Kirkenes. All of the hotels have been specially selected to offer the best and most central location and facilities.



BERGEN from £286pp

- · Flight from UK-Bergen or Bergen-UK, including current taxes and charges
- · One night's B&B accommodation (3 or 4 star) in Bergen
- · Transfers in Bergen

Choice of hotels

· Clarion Hotel Admiral

Newly renovated hotel with waterfront views in the Bryggen district. It has 210 well-equipped rooms with free Wi-Fi.

· First Hotel Marin

Centrally located in Bryggen district, hotel has well-equipped rooms, free Wi-Fi, conference facilities, steambath, sauna and gym.

· Radisson Blu Hotel Norge

Elegant accommodation in Bryggen district. With 342 well-appointed rooms, free Wi-Fi, international restaurants, fitness centre and Turkish sauna.

· Scandic Hotel Neptun

Located in downtown Bergen, hotel has well-equipped rooms, free Wi-Fi, and two restaurant dining options.

· Scandic Hotel Strand

Good location in Bergen with views of Bryggen harbour. Free Wi-Fi, 24-hour lobby shop and free use of nearby gym.

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Norway in a Nutshell

One of Norway's most popular day trips. Take a unique tour through some of Bergen and its surrounding area's most magnificent scenery. You'll take the train from Bergen to Voss and then onto Gudvangen by bus. Then experience a 2-hour fjord cruise to Flåm, where you'll take the famous Flåm railway for 20km to Myrdal and then take the train back to Bergen. Enjoy spectacular sights like the Auerlandsfjord and Nærøyfjord, and drive along the Stalheimskleiva, one of the steepest stretches of road in northern Europe.

Period: 01 App-31 Mar. Duration: 9 hours. Price: from £166pp.



TRONDHEIM from £412pp

11-day Voyage of Discovery extension

- Rail journey from Trondheim to Oslo on Dovre railway, including seat reservation
- · One night's B&B accommodation (3 or 4 star) in Oslo
- · Flight from Oslo-UK, including current taxes and charges
- · Transfers in Trondheim and Oslo

Choice of hotels

· Radisson Blu Scandinavia Hotel

Located in the heart of Oslo, the Radisson Blu Scandinavia Hotel is within walking distance of most tourist attractions and business districts.

 $\cdot \ \ Radisson\, Blu\, Airport\, Hotel, Oslo$

Linked to the Oslo Airport terminal by a covered walkway and close to bus and train stations. Guests can reach the vibrant city centre in around 20 minutes.

· Scandic Oslo City

Centrally located, this hotel has its own special character - with works of art by many famous artists being exhibited.

Excursions

Røros - UNESCO World Heritage Site

Take a short detour from Trondheim to Oslo and enjoy two nights at the traditional Bergstadens Hotel in the former mining town of Røros, a UNESCO World Heritage Site. The entire town centre with its original wooden buildings are protected and the town is particularly charming in winter. It's home to a thriving arts and crafts scene, factory outlets, quaint boutiques and fine local restaurants. Perfect for exploring at your leisure.

 $Period: o1\ Jan-31\ Mar.\ Duration: 3\ days/\ 2\ nights.\ Price: from\ \pounds 294pp.$



TROMS from £250pp

- · Flight from UK-Tromsø or Tromsø-UK, including current taxes and charges
- · Transfer in Tromsø

Choice of hotels

· Clarion Hotel The Edge

New conference hotel at the port, with 290 well-equipped rooms, high speed Wi-Fi, and international restaurant.

· Radisson Blu Hotel

Premium city centre hotel close to the harbour. Modern, spacious rooms, high speed Wi-Fi, fitness centre, sauna and solarium.

· Scandic Ishavshotel

Right on the quay with great views of the harbour and the Arctic Cathedral, this is an international hotel with free Wi-Fi

Excursion

Overnight stay in Sámi Lavvo and Reindeer Sledding

Go on a wonderful reindeer sled ride on the island of Kvaløya. Here, there is less ambient light and excellent conditions for seeing the Northern Lights. Enjoy a warm evening meal, then spend the night under the Arctic sky in a traditional Sámi Lavvo (tent), sleeping on reindeer skins in winter-insulated sleeping bags.

Period: 01 Nov-20 Mar. Duration: 1 night. Price: from £361pp.



KIRKENES from £319pp

- · Flight from UK-Kirkenes / Kirkenes-UK, including current taxes and charges
- · One night's B&B accommodation (3 or 4 star) in Kirkenes or Oslo
- · Transfer in Kirkenes

Choice of hotels

· Thon Hotel Kirkenes

Located on the quay in the town centre, the hotel has well-equipped rooms, free Wi-Fi and an a la carte restaurant

· Scandic Kirkenes

This hotel is in the centre of Kirkenes with well-equipped rooms, free Wi-Fi, swimming pool, sauna, solarium and an international restaurant.

Excursions

Winter King Crab Safari

Take a snowmobile-drawn sledge to a frozen fjord, where local fisherman will show you how to catch a king crab. Then return to the fisherman's cabin where you'll see how to prepare and cook the crab.

Period: 01 Dec-31 Mar. Duration: 4 hours. Price: from £162pp.

The Snowhotel

Enjoy an overnight stay at the Snowhotel, a rare opportunity to sleep in an illuminated suite made entirely of snow and ice, decorated with ice sculptures. Visit the Arctic Snow Bar for a cool cocktail, and dine at the Gabba restaurant where you can enjoy gourmet cuisine and warm up next to the fireplace. You'll also have the chance to book other optional excursions like snowshoeing, snowmobiling or dog sledding. DB&B. Transfers included.

Period: 20 Dec-31 Mar. Duration: 1 night. Price: from £263pp.

Gamme Cabins

Snuggle up in the Snowhotel's luxurious and cosy Gamme cabins. From the warmth of these elegant, en suite wooden cabins, you can look out at the beautiful night skies and hunt the Northern Lights. Includes DB&B.

Period: 01 Jan-31 Mar. Duration: 1 night. Price: from £211pp.



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