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This Product Manual is produced by Visit Alta – a local destination marketing and management company. We hope this manual will be a useful tool for you – either to get to know our destination better or help you to put together exciting journeys to our region for your clients.

The manual is divided into three parts. In the first part we have gathered general information about our destination – who we are, where we are, our philosophy and what kind of experiences and values we want to share with our guests. In the second part you will find a presentation of all our partners – local entrepreneurs and hosts. The third part is a product catalogue, where the products are divided in different categories.

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About Alta and the region

Alta is located at 70° North. Far above the Arctic Circle, at the intersection of the sea and the “vidde”. This geographic area has, since the Stone Age, been a meeting place for several indigenous people groups. They have built their common history and future on entrepreneurship and drive to master the rugged arctic environment.

At this latitude nature has always been in total control. The variation between seasons, the never setting Midnight Sun, and the darkness of the Polar Nights defines who we are and how we live. Today, Alta is a natural hub for the region in terms of transport, knowledge and tourism. Our cultural heritage is well rooted in the people, and we still live our lives alongside nature – on its premises, and with great respect.

For centuries, the indigenous people Sami, Kven and Norwegians have lived side by side in the arctic region. This historical legacy is an important part of our history and daily life. Today, we are all committed to pave the way for Kven and Sami language and tradition to have the right to life in the future.

Alta is different. In a good way. Within minutes from the city center you can experience silence like you never did before. The natural contrasts and wonders, among which we live and thrive, are unique, unadorned and genuine. Time is of the essence. There is no need to hurry. Invest a generous amount of time in the great outdoors and the reward is out of this world. That which is considered everyday life for locals, is truly unique for the majority of guests visiting the region.

Alta is a natural hub and stopping point in the arctic region. Good infrastructure, high-end accommodation, and world-class cuisine are all reasons why we can call ourselves good hosts. The stable climate and good weather conditions facilitate an abundance of exhilarating year-round soft and hard activities. The city is urban, warm, and welcoming. So are the people. Combine all this with a mellow “down to-earth” mentality safely rooted in both history and tradition. People who take their time to show you around, tell genuine stories with affection, and dare to get involved. It is what we like to call true arctic living.

Access Alta Region

The city of Alta is located in Finnmark county, the northernmost part of Norway. Alta is the largest and most populated city in Finnmark county.

ARRIVAL BY PLANE

Airport

Alta Airport is 5 km from the city center. There are departures and from Oslo Airport Gardermoen and Tromsø Airport. There are also connecting flights to and from smaller cities in Finnmark, such as Hammerfest, Honningsvåg, Vadsø and Kirkenes.

NEWS: Discover Airlines (a part of Lufthansa group) is opening a direct route from Frankfurt to Alta, and genuine winter experiences of Arctic Living will be much more accessible! The inaugural flight is scheduled for December 19, 2024. There will be two weekly return flights on Thursdays and Sundays until March 27, 2025.

Flight time

Oslo – Alta: 2 hours

Tromsø – Alta: 30 minutes

Kirkenes – Alta: 50 minutes

Airport transfer

- **Airport bus**

The airport bus is operated by Snelandia. From Alta, there is a bus connection to several other places in Finnmark. Travel time to the center is about 10 minutes.

- **Taxi**

Alta Taxi has a stop outside the arrival hall. Taxis can also be booked by phone number +47 78 43 53 53.

ARRIVAL BY BUS

The bus from Tromsø goes through North Troms via the E6 and you can also take a bus from smaller cities in Finnmark such as Karasjok, Kautokeino and Honningsvåg. Snelandia operates the bus to smaller cities in Finnmark, while Troms Fylkestrafikk operates the bus to Tromsø.



ARRIVAL BY CAR

European routes E6 and E45 are connected in Alta. E6 takes you south to Trondheim and Oslo, and also northeast to Kirkenes. E45 takes you to Kautokeino and connects you to the main roads to Finland and Sweden.

Driving distance to other places

Tromsø – Alta: 6 hours

Kautokeino – Alta: 2 hours

Hammerfest – Alta: 2 hours

Honningsvåg – Alta: 3 hours

Kirkenes – Alta: 6,5 hours

Rovaniemi – Alta: 6 hours

ARRIVAL BY SPEEDBOAT

Alta port is 5 km from the city center and is located next to the airport. There are departures Sunday-Friday to Hammerfest with the Vargsund express via Storekorsnes. The boat takes about 1,5 hours to Hammerfest.

Did you know that?

... that 2 of the 8 Norwegian World Heritage Sites is listed on the UNESCO World Heritage List in Alta: the rock art and Struves meridian arc. There are over 3000 rock carvings at Alta Museum, the oldest stones made about 7000 years ago. The outdoor park is available during the snowfree period of year. Footpaths are available during late spring, summer and early fall. Struve's meridian arc was a project that helped to establish the exact shape and size of the earth. One of the measuring points is found on mount Lille Raipas in Alta.

... that Alta is known as the City of Northern Lights, with good reason. This is where the first research of Northern Lights in Norway began. Alta has a cold and stable climate in winter, which means that the conditions and opportunities to see the northern lights dance across the sky are good. The best time to see the northern lights are from September to the end of March.

... that the world's first Northern Lights observatory was built on the top of Mt. Halde (902 masl). Professor Kristian Birkeland took the initiative to realize the project, and the Norwegian Parliament financed the running of it. The observatory was in active use until 1926 when its operation was transferred to Tromsø. Today it is possible to visit the old buildings. It's a 3-hour hike in summer to walk the 9 km from Kåfjord to the old observatory. The last 4 km are along the same track as the researchers used a hundred years ago.

...that during the last week of November and first weeks of December, local

entrepreneurs are making a hotel of snow and ice - Sorrisniva Igloo Hotel, which melts when winter is over. The world's northernmost igloo hotel impresses both locals and tourists from all over the world every year. It is possible to spend a night in the igloo hotel, or just a quick visit and tour in the hotel. The hotel opens mid December and closes in the beginning of April.

...that the slate mined in Alta can be found on many traditional rooftops in the Aosta Valley in Italy, at train stations in the Netherlands and along the boardwalk in Barcelona. In the mountains that surround the valley of Alta, you will find some of the best slate quarries in the world. In the beginning of the 20th century, most families had relatives who worked in the slate quarry. While most other cities in Northern Norway depended on fishing, slate was Alta's largest export product.

...that there is no difference between day and night for two months. The midnight sun season starts in the middle of May and lasts until the middle of July. The sun never sets, but it is up to the weather to decide whether the sun shines over the horizon at the far end of Altafjorden.

... that at the end of January, we celebrate the return of the sun after long Polar Nights. Polar Nights are the complete opposite of the midnight sun. From late November to mid January, the sun never comes above the horizon. It is not completely dark all day during the Polar Nights, but the daylight is absent. We like to call it the most colorful time of the year, because of

all the colors from the sun below the horizon and the northern lights.

...that as a worthy end at the end of the main street there is a church shaped as the Northern Lights - Northern Lights Cathedral. The cathedral is an elegant modern building and a clear landmark for the City of Northern Lights. The cathedral was consecrated in 2013. The Northern Lights Cathedral is more than just a church. In the basement you will find Borealis Alta, where you can learn more about the Northern Lights.

... that Northern Europe's largest canyon - Alta Canyon is an important landmark for Alta and Finnmark. It can be experienced both on foot, by bike and or from a traditional river boat. The canyon starts just below Alta power station, where Kautokeino river meets Alta river, and extends ten kilometers down towards the Altafjord.

...that the world's most beautiful ski trip, according to Forbes, goes across Finnmarksvidda, just in the backyard of Alta, and visits the old mountain lodges which are still in full operation. The large, endless mountain plateau where man and nature go together. On Finnmarksvidda, people have for centuries lived in harmony with nature, felt the silence and shown what arctic living really means. There are no roads here and to get around, you need to use your legs, skis, bicycle, snowmobile or dog sled. Both the dog sledding race Finnmarksløpet and the bicycle race Offroad Finnmark fight against the mountain plateau's sometimes inhospitable forces and weather conditions.

WHEN IN ALTA

Bring a thin wool sweater and a warm windproof jacket, even when you're visiting during the summer. The weather might be great and the temperatures high, but Alta can be windy. And good shoes are a must!

We recommend that you bring sunscreen and sunglasses when visiting Alta. When the sun comes back after the Polar Nights and the landscape is covered in snow, the chances of getting sunburned are high.

Do you want to be able to shoot northern lights like a pro? Bring a sturdy tripod for the absolute best stability. Set the aperture to the widest opening (lowest number), set the ISO to the correct value for your camera (typically between 800-3200iso) and set your shutter speed to be as long as possible (between 10-15 seconds should be a good start in most cases).

OUR SEASONS

Winter: November - Mid April

Spring: Mid April - May

Summer: June - Mid August

Fall: Mid August - October

Polar Night season:

26th of November - 17th of January

Midnight sun season:

17th of May - 27th of July

Northern light season

September - end of March

Our icons and what they mean



Aquaculture



Bikes and fatbike



Boat, riverboat or RIB



Climbing park



Culinary Experience



Dog sledding



Fishing and icefishing



Guided tours



Hiking



Horse



Igloo Hotel



King crab safari



Local culture and history



Northern Lights



Place to stay



Sami culture



Skiing, cross country and downhill skiing



Snowmobile



Snowshoeing



Transport



Whalesafari



DMC



Summer



Autumn



Winter



Spring



Groups



Active couple



Slow travel



Family



Outdoor adventure



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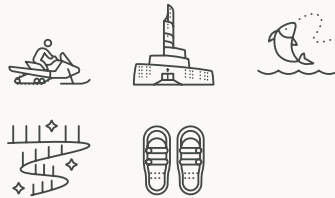
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Alta Adventure is a company arranging adventure holidays in Finnmark since 2007. The focus is for an arrangement in the wilderness, based on first class guiding with people of long experience within their field combined with top quality equipment and working routine.

The company is run by a Cuban Norwegian couple that enjoy the outdoor life, remoteness and silence in the Norwegian nature and love to share their experiences with their guests. In the winter, Alta Adventure offers Northern Lights hunting, snowmobile safaris, ice fishing and snowshoeing for FIT, small and big groups.

In the summer and the rest of the year they are providing transport and guided tours to the North Cape, to the Sami village of Kautokeino, to Juhls Silver Gallery and other interesting places in the Finnmark area. Alta Adventure also cooperates with other companies in Alta and can prepare an exciting activity program for you and your family/friends/colleagues while you are staying in Alta.



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Alta Bilutleie

Alta Bilutleie is your local car rental company, which is driven by father and daughter, Vidar and Beate. Our mission is to be flexible, exceed our customers expectations, and for them to feel welcome and safe! We enjoy being in a business where we get to meet many different people and improve ourselves.

Our cars suits your needs, if it is for a fishing trip, a trip around the town or long distance driving. We have ordinary cars, SUV's, 7-9 seaters, small cars, 4 wheel drivers and trailers.

Some of our rental advantages: we don't have any depositum, or additional fees for extra drivers.

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We are located in Alta, Finnmark and deliver first-class experiences, with a focus on quality! We want to give the ultimate experience to the individual so that all our guests will leave our luggage full of good memories!

We can guarantee clean air and plenty of space! Alta is the pearl in the north, surrounded by white-clad plains, clean air, natural silence and plenty of space. Only two hours away from Oslo, but still far away from the hustle and bustle. Where peace reigns and traditions are strong.



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ALTA MUSEUM

World Heritage
Rock Art Centre

Alta Museum - World Heritage Rock Art Centre is a local museum for the Alta region and a World Heritage Centre for one of the eight Norwegian UNESCO sites, the Rock Art of Alta. The Rock art of Alta has been on the UNESCO World Heritage list since 1985.

Alta has the richest concentration of prehistoric rock art made by hunter-gatherers in Northern Europe. More than 6.000 carvings and paintings have so far been discovered at the head of the Alta Fjord, indicating that this area held an important role as a ritual meeting place for several thousand years, from 7000 – 2.000 years ago.

The rock carvings were part of the rituals and beliefs of the prehistoric people. The panels depict reindeer, bears, elks, whales, and seabirds, humans dancing and playing drums, skiing, fishing, and hunting. They almost seem to make the Stone Age come alive! Numerous panels are connected by a 3 km long pathway system. The museum next to the rock art park offers guided tours, audio guides and guide booklets in different languages. The museum has both permanent and temporary exhibitions, a café and a gift shop.

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Alta Taxi tailors the transport to your needs. We can offer ordinary passenger transport, maxitaxi transport (8 pax), minibus transport (16 pax), wheelchair transport, party driving, sightseeing, package transport and allergy-adapted cars.

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Altafjord Gjestegaard



Altafjord Gjestegaard is a small family-run business that offers accommodation, boat cruises and wellness treatments.

We are based in the quiet, old part of Alta. It is about 1 km from the center of Alta and 4 km from Alta airport.

If you want peace and quiet and a lovely view of the Altafjord - then this small family hotel is perfect for you!



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Alten Lodge



Welcome to Alten Lodge, a high standard Arctic lodge located at the top of Sarves in Alta. With views of the Altafjord and the mountains, our main lodge and three adjoining cabins offer a total of 30 comfortable sleeping accommodations. This location, 15 min from Alta airport/center, serves as the ideal starting point for exploring the fjord, mountains, ski resort, and Finnmark plateau. Whether you seek peace and relaxation or exciting activities, we have created a unique setting for your experience. The lodge is equipped with modern amenities, including a sauna and jacuzzi, allowing you to enjoy both nature and luxury. Create unforgettable memories in the Arctic atmosphere at Alten Lodge.

Welcome to a place where every moment counts.

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Arctic Nuvsvåg



Majestic mountains and spectacular nature along the coast of Northern Norway – welcome to Nuvsvåg!

In the past there was bustling life in the village, with both farming and a local fishing fleet. Today, the village is a hidden treasure that provides great fishery and a vast selection of activities all year round, whether you want to explore the mountains or just enjoy peace and quiet with your friends.

Arctic Nuvsvåg has provided accomodation and deep sea fishing experiences since 2004 with the well known LoppHAVET as our closest neighbour to the north.

During winter the majestic Finnmark Alps and the glacier Øksfjordjøkelen offer world class big mountain skiing, both for beginners and the more experienced skiers.

Rest in our cozy cabins close to the elements, and create memories for a lifetime in our spectacular surroundings.



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Bjørnfjell Mountain Lodge



Your encounter with nature happens the second your foot touches the ground outside Bjørnfjell Mountain Lodge. During the autumn and summer months you'll hear the babbling creek mixed with the bleat from the sheep – a true sound of the old, Norwegian countryside, which you'll also see represented in our interior and exterior. Here you can enjoy a breath of fresh, ocean air as it mingles with the woody smell of pine. Meanwhile, in the winter and spring, the whole landscape transforms into a white, winter wonderland, where the midnight sun in turn replaces the northern lights and polar night.

The local countrylife and farming traditions are strong and important traditions in Alta. This is our way of inviting our guests into our culture and into a homelike atmosphere that makes them feel relaxed and welcome.

Another important part of our culture that we have made part of Bjørnfjell is our traditional Arctic life. Here in Alta, most of us locals are a mix of three cultures; Norwegian, Sámi and Kven (Finnish origin) and all these cultures lay the foundation for our traditions and our relationship to nature. Surrounded by beautiful Arctic nature, eating delicious food and sleeping in a comfy bed – few things in life can bring as much joy as this.

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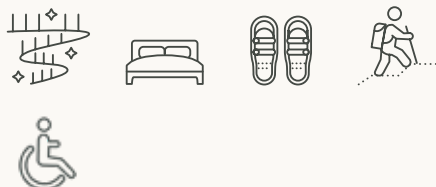


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Boreal Adventure

We are an incoming agency that specializes in individual and group travel in Alta and throughout Finnmark county. We provide unparalleled individual attention to our guests, building the right package for each traveler to include just what is needed, from activities to accommodation and meals. There are many choices and suppliers in the region, and our independence allows us to choose the right supplier and service for each customer. We have deep experience working with group sizes from just a single traveler on a private holiday to a cruise ship of 2000 passengers.

We provide knowledgeable guides for anyone and anything that is needed in the arctic north. Our guides are ranked among the best in Norway – bringing us along on a trip is always an extra treat and ensures that activities are closely managed no matter where they take place.

Our office is centrally located in Alta town center, right next to the main hotels. We have a well-stocked gift shop with local hand craft.

Boreal Adventure is also an outbound agency serving the local Norwegian community in finding fun adventures both inside of Norway and in other countries.

Cavzo Safari



We are a reindeer-herding Sami family who live in the small Sami village of Maze. The village which in the 70s was threatened with being put under water by the Norwegian government.

Reindeer herding is our lifestyle and therefore our main industry. We welcome guests to learn about the Sami culture and way of life, where most of it is based on consideration for nature and especially reindeer and reindeer husbandry.



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Finnmark Adventure is a small tourism company in Alta / Finnmark. We started in 2019. We have snowmobiles as our main product during the winter season, and arrange: snowmobile sledding trips, snowmobile northern lights safaris as well as day / multi-day trips from five hours up to three days. A trip with us should be personal, and we tailor trips and arrangements all the way down to two pax.

We have spent a lot of time finding the best quality for our guests, suits, shoes and helmets are carefully tested for the best possible comfort for our participants. We have several types of snowmobiles as we see that a snowmobile is not suitable for everyone, we then pick out the type the guest will enjoy the most before we start the trip. We only drive snowmobiles with full power engines so guests will get the most out of their safari experience with us.

Our guides have at least 10 years of experience with snowmobiles, as well as completed hard and thorough safety training in the harshest conditions on Svalbard, so that our guests will feel safe on a trip with us in all kinds of weather. We constantly strive to be better at delivering the absolute best and most personal product to our guests.

Finnmark Moods

**finnmark
moods**

Experience the incredible beauty and rich history of Finnmark with finnmark moods! We offer tailor-made maritime experiences from Northern Lights safaris to bird-watching and exploring war memorials. Our modern and comfortable fleet ensures an unforgettable journey. Adventure awaits – join us!

finnmark moods is your ultimate partner for exploring the majestic landscape of Finnmark and North-Troms. Based in Alta, we provide you with unique access to the region's rich nature and history. Our fleet of modern and safe boats, including "Sea Runner" and "Nefelin V," ensures a comfortable and exciting journey.

Whether you're interested in experiencing the magical Northern Lights, sailing through the grand fjords, or delving into the region's wartime history, we have something for every taste. Our experienced guides are always available to ensure your journey is as informative and memorable as possible.



Photo: Finnmark Moods

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Finnmark Snowmobile Safari



Finnmark Snowmobile Safari was established in February 1991 by the Kristensen family in Alta, and is a family-run business.

We have since then guided hundreds of happy customers on our safaris on the Finnmark plateau! We want our customers to have a truly unique and fantastic experience, so we only use top modern snowmobiles and driving gear. Our fantastic guide will show you the ins and outs of snowmobiling, and make sure your trip is as good as it gets!

The experience starts at the airport, where we pick you up in our minibus, and from there the amazing experiences are lined up for you to enjoy! Get in touch and we will find the perfect experience for you!

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Photo: Finnmark Snowmobile Safari



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Flatmoen Natur

Photo: Frikant Mediedesign



We are a family owned and operated tourist company offering tours by horse-drawn sleigh along the beautiful Alta River. Its. We all – me Levi, my father Johnny, my mom Siw and my girlfriend Ingvild, we are passionate about this company and horses. Our philosophy is to treat our guests the same way we would treat family that visits. The important part is to make everyone feel like they are a part of this.

Our farm is located just outside of Alta in idyllic surroundings – arctic nature at its best in all directions! Our tours are designed to give you a peek inside rural life here in arctic Norway: sleigh rides through fabulous scenery, the hearty flavors of northern Norwegian food, and time spent with farmers who have built a life here in the far north.

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Photo: Flatmoen Natur

GLØD Explorer



Photo: GLØD Explorer

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We aim to deliver nature-based adventures of the highest quality. Consequently, our tours represent the tenderloin of our region and are carefully planned to provide our guests the best possible experiences.

Those who have been on a tour with us before know that our wilderness guides are skilful and experienced tour leaders. All have general outdoor recreation qualifications as well as special qualifications in the fields in which they guide. Our guides have completed the Arctic Nature Guide (ANG) programme at UiT The Arctic University of Norway, Campus Svalbard/Alta. Our MTB guides are certified through the Norwegian Organisation of Mountain Bike Instructor-Guides (NMIG)

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Go To Storekorsnes



Small local family business who is renting out houses and boats, offer activities such as king crab experience both on land and sea, northern lights tours/camp, hiking, history of the village and we are also fishermen with own fisher boat and love to share our daily living up her in the north with our guests.

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Holmen Husky Lodge



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LODGE

We welcome you to our home at Holmen and our way of living.

Holmen Husky is a small, family-run business. It is much more than an activity or an experience that has got us all addicted. It's a feeling that must be experienced. We wish to let our guests get a taste of what we fell in love with, both on and off the sled.

House of Salmon

HOUSE OF SALMON

In order to improve the knowledge of aquaculture among the public, the Directorate of Fisheries of Norway has the opportunity to grant so-called visitation licences. Visitation centers for aquaculture can be found all over Norway, and House of Salmon is one of these located in Finnmark, city Alta.

The goal of House of Salmon is to convey fact-based knowledge about aquaculture and salmon farming to the public. Here you get an insight into one of the world's most sustainable large-scale food productions and one of Norway's most important industries.

For more informasjon about tours and informasjon, go to our page salmarcenter.no. And visit us in the center of Alta City.

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Icecube of Aurora is an activity provider specializing in fishing tours and experiences in Finnmark. The company was founded in 2011 by Øystein Volden, who has a 30-year career in fishing and aquaculture.

Recognizing the potential of the tourism industry in Northern Norway, the company was established to give tourists the opportunity to experience Alta Fjord and the local wildlife.

Icecube of Aurora now offers fishing tour, adventure cruise, king crab tour, sunset tour, and whale watching tour. The company places great emphasis on small groups, personalized experiences, the well-being and safety of tourists.

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Isbreen The Glacier



At the northernmost tip of the European landmass, the Øksfjordjøkelen glacier calves 2,625 feet down into the freezing water. Across the fjord, the curves of five geodesic igloos rise discreetly from the boreal forest.

Spacious, stylish, awash with light flooding in through panoramic windows, they are a far cry from the igloos of childhood stories.

These elegant domes offer serenity and comfort, a hideaway from which the arctic traveler can explore the untouched wilderness stretching out all around.

Welcome to Isbreen The Glacier.



Photo: Isbreen the Glacier

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Photo: Isbreen the Glacier

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Northern Lights Cathedral

SERVICES



As a worthy end at the end of the main street is the modern Northern Lights Cathedral. The cathedral is as elegant as the northern lights itself and a clear landmark for the City of Northern Lights.

The Northern Lights Cathedral is also known as Alta Church and was consecrated on February 10th, 2013 by former bishop of Nord-Hålogaland diocese, Per Oskar Kjølås.


There are 350 seats in the church room, which can be expanded with the congregation hall to around 500 seats.


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Fridays

11 am - 1pm

JUNE 19TH - AUGUST 21ST

Monday - friday

10 am - 2 pm

JUNE 20TH - AUGUST 20TH

Saturdays

9 am - 3 pm

Sundays

1 pm - 3 pm

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Photo: Norseman Trail Safari



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We at Norseman Safari are a small family-owned business in Alta that specializes in snowmobile safaris and snowmobile rentals. We are an enthusiastic group who have been involved in outdoor activities and snowmobiles all their lives in the Alta area. We have ready-made tours or we can create tours according to your wishes.



Photo: Norseman Trail Safari

Onga Lodge

ONGA

Onga Lodge is a picturesque guesthouse with only 10 rooms, 5 Aurora Domes and a restaurant, located between towering mountains in a charming river valley. Due to our small size, we can ensure guests enjoy a personalised service and are always being well taken care of by our staff.

Guests can enjoy the beautiful surroundings and indulge in great food, as well as participate in a range of different winter activities. These include, for example, dog sledding through the wintry woods, a gliding snowshoe trip to see the Northern Lights or an unforgettable horse sleigh ride.



Photo: Onga Lodge

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Photo: Onga Lodge



Photo: Onga Lodge

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Parken Gård Husky



We are a small family company who have had dogs and been dogsledders for more then 30 years. Dogs is our passion, and we love to share our life with the dogs to our guests. Living with dogs like we do is a fullfilling lifestyle and its a privilege to give others a small taste of it.

Arne has grown up here on the farm Parken Gård, and is one of the most experienced mushers both in longdistans cometitions and as a guide. He know the mountains around finnmark better then any other. Marianne is actually a world champion in longdistanse back in 2011, and her passion for the dogs and the area is easy to see. She also is a good baker and loves to give you a taste of some homemade bread or cake. We live in a beautiful small village and are surrounded by arctic mountains and fjords. We are also proud dairy farmes happy to share stories of our everyday life in Finnmark.

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Pæskatun



Pæskatun is a family-run visiting center located high up in the slate mountain Pæska south of the city with fantastic views over the valley of Alta.

For Aurora hunters this place is the place to be as a starting point for a safari or to spend the whole evening watching the Northern Lights across the sky. For those that want an insight into Alta's history and the importancy the slate mining had in forming Alta to what the town is today, visiting the slate museum or having a live slate demonstration in a working slate quarry might be most interesting!

Trond (the owner), Simon (the nephew) and sister Ellinor will do their best to give you an unforgettable experience, either you come for the Northern Lights, for the slate museum or even if you come for skiing - the classical nordic crosscountry.

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Our goal is for you to have such a good experience that you remember this for a long time.

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Sami Siida



Sami siida is your gate to Sápmi. The story of Sami Siida has started in Bossekop (district in Alta) in the late 90s. During the summer months, visitors had the opportunity to greet the reindeers and chat with the owners at close range. The hosts at Siida got many questions from tourists who wanted to know more about the Sami people, culture and traditions.

The permanent Sami Siida in Upper-Alta was in place in 2002 and was founded by Johan and Berit Anne Eira along with Kristina Nina and Nils Henrik Sara. The family has roots from Maze and Kautokeino and originates from reindeer herders in several generations. They live and work in a traditional Sami way this day today and provide this experience for their guests. Sami Siida is a must to see attraction and a meeting place for a good conversation and a traditional meal in Alta.

Welcome to Sami Siida.



Photo: Danil Røkke

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Sápmi Adventures



Sápmi Adventures is based at the Thon Hotel in Kautokeino, Northern Norway. We are a firmly established activity provider with in excess of 30 years experience. Our guests come from all of the world. Corporations use our services for conferencing, corporate wellness, team-building and product launch events etc. We also cater for many different types of tourists, including people who are simply passing through on their journey looking to stay with us for one or two nights. In addition, we provide a range of activities for people staying with us to experience the very best of what Kautokeino has to offer, including fabulous nature and Sámi Culture. And when we say “Sámi Culture”, we mean 100% the real thing – you will be staying in an actual Sámi community, where people still dress in their traditional clothing, speak their own language and where life truly does revolve around the reindeer and nature

The name “Kautokeino” roughly means “midway”, because it is about equal distance to Alta, Karasjok, Karesuando and Nordreisa. When you stay with us, you won't just be residing in the heart of Sápmi and Sámi Culture, you're also going to experience something magical. We are not seeking to become a mass tourist destination, but rather to encourage a few intrepid people to stay away from the well-trodden path. We don't aim to become a mass tourist destination, but rather to encourage people to choose something different from the well-trodden path. Yes it's true, the Nature in this region is that wild, rugged and, thankfully, largely untouched by human hand. Long may it stay this way!

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Photo: Johan Mathis Gaup/Proffen

Sarves Alta



Sarves Alta is an outdoor eldorado both summer and winter.

The alpine resort is nestled in a beautiful setting overlooking the Altaford and the surroundings valleys. Its a cozy and family-friendly winter-park thats fits every age and fitness level.

We have slopes of all difficulties and a snow park for those who want to challenge themselves with jumps and rails. During the summer, Sarves Alta is an activity park that offer fun, excitement and challenges in a climbing park that winds through the Arctic forest.

The climbing park is suitable for all ages, and there are different trails with different levels of difficulty. There are six different trails that vary in activity, level of difficulty and height.



Photo: Sarves Alta

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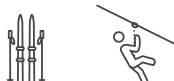


Photo: Sarves Alta



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Scandic

The hotel is perfect for anyone wishing to experience Norway's spectacular nature up close. With a meeting and conference capacity for 650 participants, as well as access to a swimming pool and sauna, you can easily combine business with pleasure.

Start your day with a hearty breakfast in our Restaurant Alta. Our stylish, contemporary restaurant is a combined café and à la carte restaurant. Relax in our lobby after a busy day, with a tasty drink from our barception. Light meals, snacks and beverages can be purchased from our 24-hour lobby shop. We offer excellent meeting and conference facilities with bright and airy rooms that can host up to 650 participants. Parking is available in our garage or just outside the hotel for guest arriving by car. We also have a sauna available on request. As a guest you always have free WiFi in your room and in public areas.

Alta is one of the northernmost towns in Norway and the largest town in Finnmark. Scandic Alta is an excellent hotel for anyone wishing to explore this exciting destination and enjoy the spectacular, world-class experiences on offer. In the summer you can experience the midnight sun and in the winter you can see the spectacular northern lights. Why not go skiing up in the hills, or go out on a trip with a dog or reindeer sleigh? Take some time to explore the Sami culture and stone carvings which are protected by UNESCO. The hotel is located about 4 km from the airport, or 10 minutes by car or airport bus

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Photo: Scandic Alta

Seiland House



Seiland House is a tourist destination in the Altafjord, located in the eight biggest islands of Norway: Seiland. Most of the island is National Park, therefore the beautiful nature works as a motivator to climb the surrounding mountains and explore the wonderful landscapes, lakes and glaciers.

You can enjoy the visit both in summer fishing and trekking under the midnight sun and in winter skiing and snowshoeing under the Northern Lights. The place allows you to embrace remoteness and beauty in a very relaxing and silence atmosphere.

The guesthouse is owned by the Cuban/Norwegian couple Diamela and Stig and offers accommodation for 50 pax in full equipped apartments and single and double rooms with access to toilet and warm shower. The “Boat House” restaurant serves delicious local food, and the Caribbean bar proposes fresh cocktails that can be also served in the outdoor bath/sauna. Come to visit us and taste the Arctic life in the middle of a peaceful fjord landscape.

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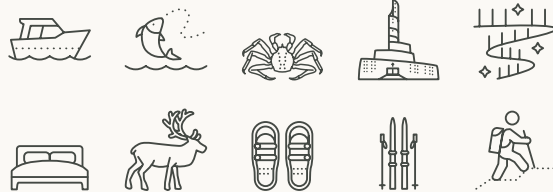


Photo: Seiland House

Sorrisniva



The Wisløff family have lived at Sorrisniva since 1885 originally farming and salmon fishing. The name Sorrisniva comes from the early Finnish immigration to the Alta River and describes the burbling of the water as it flows over the riverbed. The third-generation brothers of Hans Ulrik and Tor Kjetil have progressively developed their offerings since 1970.

In addition to their World-famous Igloo Hotel, the brothers decided to become a year-round resort by building the Premium Arctic Wilderness Lodge in 2021. The lodge is built on the banks of the river and incorporates extensive glass facades to closely integrate nature into the rooms.

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Photo: Katelin Pell / Sorrisniva

Spor Guiding



Spor guiding is a family-owned guide company that are located in Langfjordbotn, the heart of the Finnmark alps.

Husband and wife, Tore & Gro, and their son Vegard live and runs the company in Langfjordbotn. Tore and Vegard work as guides and are both grown up in these mountains.

Gro are managing director and has the big picture of it all, and is ready to answer any questions about booking, accommodation, transportation etc. In addition, we have a big team of locally known guides that has long experience in the mountains. We in Spor guiding has safety and good experiences in nature as our main goal.

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Photo: Spor Guiding



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Thon Hotel Alta



Thon Hotel Alta is situated right in the middle of Alta's town centre, connected directly to the building that houses the AMFI Alta shopping centre. Nevertheless, the hotel is perfect for relaxation and inspiration.

This hotel is a perfect base for exploring Alta and its Arctic surroundings. Thon Hotel Alta is a modern business hotel which is also well suited to holiday travellers.

The hotel is a full service hotel with delicious breakfast buffet, a la carte restaurant with a wide selection of local dishes.

Fitness room is available free of charge to all guests.

Thon Hotel Alta is a winner of Thon Hotel of the Year 2023.



Photo: Thon Hotel Alta

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At Trasti & Trine we have a genuine interest in taking good care of our guests, the nature, the local community and the distinctive character of Northern Norway.

By giving our guests an insight into the fantastic nature and culture in Finnmark County, we want to inspire and share knowledge about sustainable use and travel without a trace.

Photo: Årvi



True North Experience



Roger and his wife Ingvild met at Prins Karls Forland, an island in the west part of Spitsbergen. Adventure was the motivation for each dogsled trip they made in the frozen snow. Together with their Alaska Huskies they drove the sledges from Gråhukuken in the north to Hornsund in the south.

The long time in Spitsbergen ended with a year spent in the wilderness in a hunter's cottage by the Woodfjord. The year at the Mushamna hunting outpost formed their philosophy: Generosity, sustainability and harmony with animals and nature. Nature and life under canvass have taken them to Alta, the city of the northern lights. They have established their kennel here. They have many years of experience of dogsledding and of the arctic. Now Roger takes their guests into the beautiful Norwegian outdoors, on educational, unique and safe experiences that arctic nature can offer.

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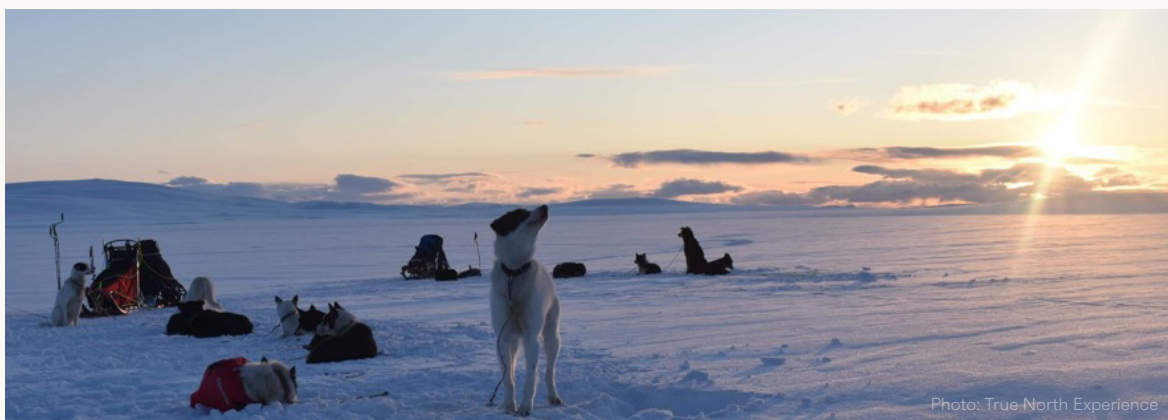
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Æventyr



Æventyr is a premium destination company based in Alta, dedicated to providing travelers with a world-class experience in one of the world's most breathtaking natural environments. With the Arctic nature as our playground and an ancient history in our genes, our portfolio includes a premium Scandinavian-inspired hotel, a historical mountain Lodge, a variety of restaurants/venues serving both Norwegian and international cuisine, and a curated selection of high-end activities designed to showcase the best of Northern Norway.

Our activities include exclusive bucket list experiences such as snowmobiling, Northern Light tours, whale watching, and fjord tours. As well as corporate trips, event, meeting/ conference, and private trips tailored to meet the specific needs and preferences of our clients.

At Æventyr, we are passionate about storytelling to showcase the awe-inspiring natural beauty of Northern Norway and the Arctic to the world. Our commitment to sustainable tourism practices and our partnerships with local communities and businesses ensure that every traveler experiences the region's beauty while minimizing their impact on the environment.

We believe that travel should be an immersive and transformative experience, and we are dedicated to providing our clients with unforgettable adventures that will stay with them for a lifetime "Memories that last forever."

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Products of Alta

*This is
Arctic
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Visitation center for aquaculture

AQUA CULTURE



DIFFICULTY



MIN - MAX GUESTS

1-30

AGE LIMIT

All ages

INCLUDED

Guide

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ABOUT ACTIVITY

House of Salmon is a new and innovative visitation center for aquaculture, located in the heart of Alta. Here, you will find facts and information about fish farming, conveyed through text, videos and fun activities for all age groups.

Experience the center on your own, or join one of our daily (free) tours where one of our knowledgeable guides will show you around and answer all the questions you might have about aquaculture and fish farming. House of Salmon is located in city centre and offers free entrance. Guided tours 1-10 guests.

RECOMMENDED FOR



SEASON



Photo: House of Salmon

Visit a salmon farm

DIFFICULTY



MIN - MAX GUESTS

2-12

AGE LIMIT

12 years+

DURATION OF ACTIVITY

2-3 hours

ABOUT ACTIVITY

A visit to our salmon farm, gives an exciting opportunity to experience how aquaculture works. You will gain insight into a modern and sustainable industry and witness salmon farming up close. At the same time, it is an opportunity to travel by boat through the beautiful Altafjord. Our high-speed passenger boat "Taifun" accommodates twelve people and provides a comfortable boat trip to our salmon farm. The boat trip starts from Alta harbour and takes you through a beautiful coastal landscape. The visit must be booked at least 24 hours in advance. Not accessible for wheelchair users.

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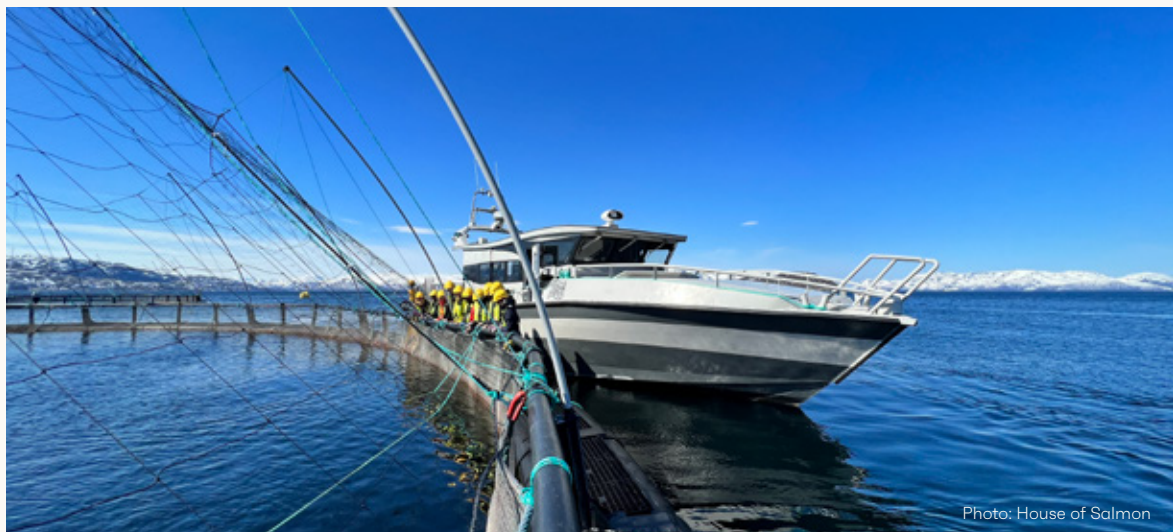


Photo: House of Salmon

Mountain biking

BIKING



DIFFICULTY



MIN - MAX GUESTS

1-6

AGE LIMIT

12 years+

INCLUDED

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ABOUT ACTIVITY

The trails contains everything from technical and steep trail riding in the forest to long mellow trips in to Finnmarksvidda (the highlands). After a couple of hours out on the bike, we take a lunch break with a bonfire where we make our coffee.

The summer brings us light day and night, so on request you can make your ride in to the night and the midnight sun.

This trip is available with length between 10 km and 70 km, with a duration of 5 hours to 7 days, depending on your request.

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Photo: Spor Guiding

Mountain bike

DIFFICULTY



MIN - MAX GUESTS

1-10

AGE LIMIT

10 years+

DURATION OF ACTIVITY

3 hours

DISTANCE

10-25 km

INCLUDED

Transfer from/to hotels, guide, necessary equipment

ABOUT ACTIVITY

All the trails are exciting and inspirational and besides wonderful biking provide beautiful nature-based adventures!

We select suitably challenging trails based on the skill level and experience of the participants. Two options, one that lasts for 3 hours and the other 4,5 hours (includes lunch). On both trips we choose between trails and tracks such as Sonja Kristins Cocktail, Jorra Trail, Altaelva øst, Skogvannet, Mosesens bakgård, Gakorivannet, Kaiskuru, Raipas and more! We will stop along the way and light an open fire at a nice spot! This trip is aimed at those who want a shorter version of the full-day trip of 5-6 hours because you think that sounds too demanding or simply because you don't have time for that. We adapt the challenges to suit the participants!

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Fatbiking

BIKING



DIFFICULTY



MIN - MAX GUESTS

1-12

INCLUDED

Transfer from/to hotels, guide, necessary equipment, hot drinks and snacks

ABOUT

A fatbike is a relatively ordinary mountain bike without suspension shocks fitted with extremely oversized tyres. With such wide wheels, cycling is now possible year-round including on snow in winter.

We offer two short fatbike trips – one in the daytime and the other in the late afternoon/early evening. Both are three hours tours. The evening tour may give you an opportunity to experience the Northern Lights during winter. The length and level will be based on the participants' fitness level and biking experience. To participate in this activity, you need to be able to ride a bike and must be in normal physical form. We stop to light a fire at one of the many rustic shelters in the Alta Valley and enjoy snacks and tea/coffee brewed on the fire.

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AGE LIMIT

8 years+

DURATION OF ACTIVITY

3 hours

DISTANCE

5-15 km



Photo: GLØD Explorer



Photo: GLØD Explorer

Fatbike Trip

DIFFICULTY



MIN - MAX GUESTS

2-8

AGE LIMIT

14 years+

DURATION OF ACTIVITY

2 hours

DISTANCE

5 km

INCLUDED

Necessary equipment, lunch, coffee/tea and homemade cakes

ABOUT ACTIVITY

Fatbike is a great way to get out into the countryside in winter, the bike is easy to ride on, floats well in the snow. Super-wide tires provide a large carrying surface and make it possible to ride on snow. A fatbike behaves quite like a regular mountain bike, but cycling on snow is both fun and adventurous. Must be experienced! We stop making bonfires with a light lunch, if the weather is bad we take the coffee in our nice cabins at our facility at our camp after the trip.

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Experience Seiland National Park

DIFFICULTY



MIN - MAX GUESTS

4-24

AGE LIMIT

12 years+

DURATION OF ACTIVITY

6 hours

INCLUDED

Guide, necessary equipment,
lunch and coffee/tea

ABOUT ACTIVITY

Seiland is a unique and beautiful part of Western Finnmark's island nature, with small and large fjords surrounded by steep mountains that plunge into the sea. Seiland's two glaciers are the northernmost in Scandinavia. We will have the opportunity to experience wildlife, such as seals and sea eagles up close. The trip starts with a short brief in our premises and dressing of suits and other equipment, to explore the Altafjord in a safe and comfortable way, in a RIB boat. We will drive past areas with historically value and beautiful nature in the inner parts of Altafjord. Further out in the fjord we will see higher and alpine mountains. The destination of the trip is Bekkarfjord which is located in Seiland National Park. Here we leave the boat and go up through the magical landscape, along the Melkeelva and up a few meters. We get a glimpse of Seilandsjøkulen, which is mainland Europe's northernmost glacier.

After a great walk, we have lunch down by the shore before returning to Alta.

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SEASON



OTHER INFO

This trip is not recommended for those with back problems or if you are pregnant.

Photo: Æventyr



Fjord Adventure

BOAT



DIFFICULTY



MIN - MAX GUESTS

4-24

AGE LIMIT

8 years+

DURATION OF ACTIVITY

2 hours

INCLUDED

Guide and necessary equipment

ABOUT ACTIVITY

This trip starts with a briefing in our Adventure Store, as well as getting warm thermal suits. You will be given equipment to be able to have a safe and comfortable trip at sea. Then you will be transported down to the port where our RIB is located.

On this trip we focus on storytelling from the early settlements in Alta until today. We will drive past areas with historical value and beautiful nature in the inner parts of the Altafjord. We also get the opportunity to get close to the local wildlife, which can include sea eagles, seals, birds and more.

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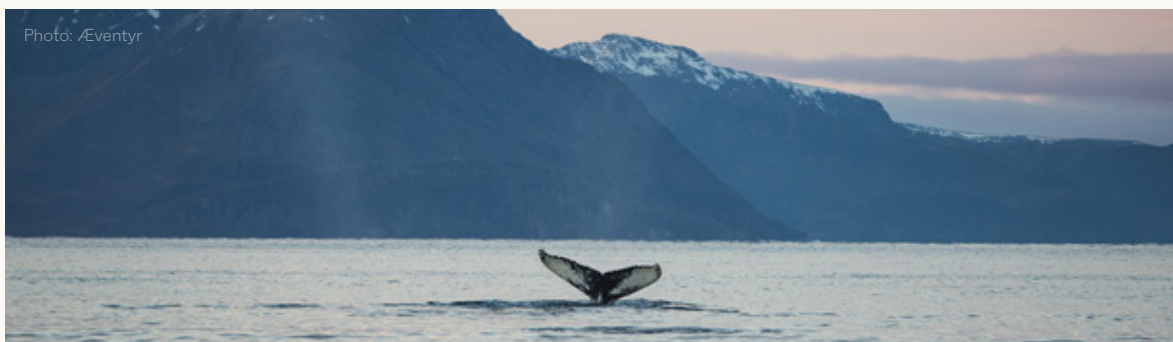
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OTHER INFO

This trip is not recommended for those with back problems or if you are pregnant.

Photo: Æventyr



Adventure Cruise on Alta Fjord

DIFFICULTY



MIN - MAX GUESTS

1-11

AGE LIMIT

6 years+

DURATION OF ACTIVITY

4 hours

INCLUDED

Necessary equipment,
snacks, soft drinks and
warm drinks

ABOUT ACTIVITY

Escape the hustle and bustle of the city on an adventurous tour in Alta Fjord. Explore all the area has to offer in terms of wildlife, nature, fauna, and history while taking the time to truly soak it all in with all your senses.

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Sunset Tour in Alta Fjord

BOAT



DIFFICULTY



MIN - MAX GUESTS

2-10

AGE LIMIT

6 years+

DURATION OF ACTIVITY

4 hours

INCLUDED

Guide, transfer,
necessary
equipment and
lunch

ABOUT ACTIVITY

Experience one of the most beautiful evening tours on the Sunset Tour with Icecube of Aurora. Let yourself be enchanted by the unique sunset that graces Northern Norway in late summer.

Lean back and take in the surroundings while we wait for the sunset to paint the sky and sea with beautiful hues of various colors. See the sea around you glisten and reflect the orange light the sun emits as it makes its way behind the mountains of Alta Fjord.


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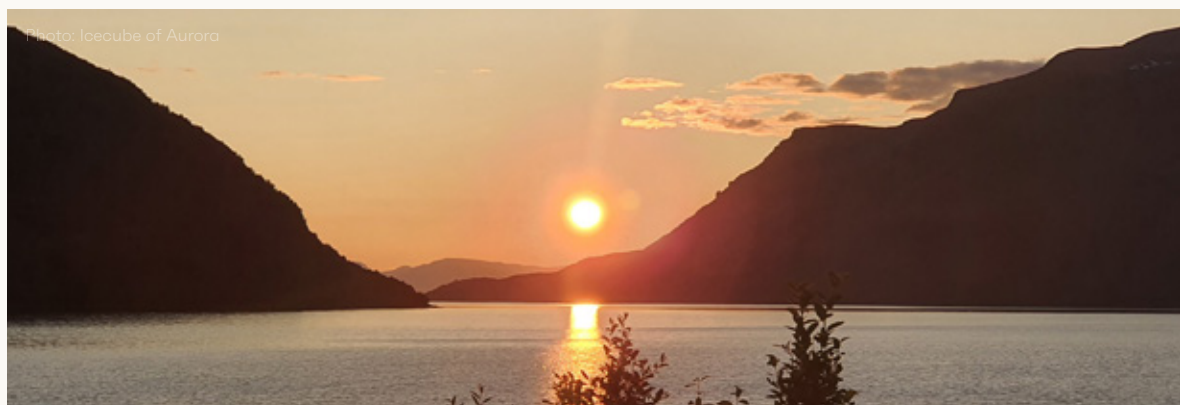


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Canoeing on the Alta River

DIFFICULTY



MIN - MAX GUESTS

1-20

AGE LIMIT

8 years+

DURATION OF ACTIVITY

5 hours

INCLUDED

Guide, transfer, necessary equipment and lunch

DISTANCE

15 km

ABOUT ACTIVITY

This activity enables you to enjoy the nature and animal life as you paddle silently down the river. Perhaps we will meet a salmon angler who is able to end their fishing period at 12 noon or one who is waiting to start at 18:00 (6 p.m.).

Previous paddling experience is not required to participate in this trip, as all necessary instruction will be provided before we set off down the river. In many ways the Alta River is a “kind” river with many gentle sections, which every so often give way to rapids. During the summer the temperature is mild (up to round 16 °C) and the water level is low so the current isn’t so swift. The trip down the river is also a culinary experience. We aspire to serve good food, preferably grilled over an open fire on the riverbank. Lunch is included on this trip will be prepared over open fire and served in the great outdoors.

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OTHER INFO

Can also offer a canoeing trip on a calm lake

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Fjord Cruise in the Altafjord

DIFFICULTY



MIN - MAX GUESTS

1-5

AGE LIMIT

All ages

DURATION OF ACTIVITY

2 hours

INCLUDED

Guide, boat,
snacks, coffee/
tea

ABOUT ACTIVITY

Fjord cruises are a perfect way to explore Alta from the sea side, where you can get closer to areas of historical value and beautiful nature in the inner parts of the Altafjord.

Experience the beautiful Altafjord on this sightseeing cruise with beautiful scenery, proximity to the rich bird life we have in the archipelago and a bit of history while enjoying snacks and drinks that are included.

OTHER INFO

Safety, service and accuracy are always in focus with our Nordkapp Gran Coupe 905, which is a 29-foot wheelhouse boat with a spacious cabin and separate toilet room. This boat allows for speed and excitement; it is equipped with a Mercury engine 2x250 hp. The cruising speed is 27 knots, and the maximum speed is 49 knots.

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Photo: Altafjord Gjestegaard

Visit a Small Fishing Village on Stjernøya

DIFFICULTY



MIN - MAX GUESTS

1-5

AGE LIMIT

All ages

DURATION OF ACTIVITY

4 hours

ABOUT ACTIVITY

Lille Kvalfjord, a wonderful gem that is guaranteed to give you an inner peace of magnificent nature, chirping birds and the sound of a trickling stream while the sea lies silent.

Here we are welcomed by the hosts Synnøve and Alf Aksel who want to show us around, tell us about what it was like to grow up in such a place without electricity and running water, with a father who was away fishing most of the time and a mother who steered a boat at home alone with everything and no other connections to the outside world.

Here we will be served a delicious hot lunch/dinner in the sea bow down on the shore, made with local and fresh produce, fish, whale, lamb or reindeer with a drink.

Here there will also be opportunities for children to fish from the floating jetty if desired - we will arrange the equipment!

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INCLUDED

Meal, necessary equipment, coffee/tea

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Photo: Altafjord Gjestegaard

Riverboat Experience

DIFFICULTY



MIN - MAX GUESTS

2-30

AGE LIMIT

3 years+

DURATION OF ACTIVITY

3 hours

DISTANCE

30 km

INCLUDED

Safety equipment

OTHER INFO

Several tours are offered with different lengths

ABOUT ACTIVITY

Our riverboat safaris use the traditional long riverboats transiting the Alta River wilderness and passing through northern Europe's largest river canyon. The Alta river is world famous for Salmon sport fishing and our guides will explain this and many other fascinating aspects of the river. Our guides have years of experience in driving the special riverboats and will combine safety with an exhilarating experience.

Our riverboat experiences all start and end at Sorrisniva and are conducted between 12:00 and 18:00 each day as the river is closed to traffic outside these hours for the famous salmon fishing. The experiences are subject to the river water level to ensure safe passage over the rapids. We offer a range of riverboat experiences of different durations ranging from 30 minutes to 2.5 hours with up to 9 guests on each safari. Everyone is provided with a life vest and the boatman will tell you stories of the river, its history, and the salmon fishing.

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Photo: Sorrisniva

Cavzo Canyon - an Unforgattable Nature

DIFFICULTY



MIN - MAX GUESTS

2-36

AGE LIMIT

5-70 years

DURATION OF ACTIVITY

5,5 hours

DISTANCE

200-400 m

INCLUDED

Transportation to
Mazé, lifejackets

OTHER INFO

Dress warmly

ABOUT ACTIVITY

An exclusive river boat trip to Čávžo – Sautso Canyon, with exclusive access and delicious coffee break by the riverside overlooking the canyon. The area around Čávžu - Sautso canyon is the reindeer grazing area of our siida and you will therefore meet locally known guides who can always tell you the little extra either about the riverboat, the nature and the surrounding landscape and not least the dam. At Čávžu - Sautso, we will go inside the mountain, and you will hear more about its technical details. Before we head back home to Máze, we will invite you to a small gáfestallan in the lavvo we have set up by the dam. Gáfestallan is our way of telling more about each other and getting to know each other over a good cup of campfire coffee and a small snack or a hot meal. We will also tell you the story about the gigantic hydropower dam and how it could have drowned the village if not for Norway's biggest demonstration for the fight for Sámi rights.

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Historical Riverboat Trip in Máze

DIFFICULTY



MIN - MAX GUESTS

2-70

AGE LIMIT

All ages

DURATION OF ACTIVITY

2-3 hours

DISTANCE

600 m walking

INCLUDED

Transportation can be booked (not included)

ABOUT ACTIVITY

You get to experience the amazing nature of Maze with a small guided tour in the Sámi village Máze to Máze Zion where you can hear about its historical meaning and founding story.

The cemetery of the historical church is quite special considering that the names are written with the ancient Sámi way of writing names. We round off our tour by gathering in our Lavvu, our traditional Sámi tent, for a traditional two course meal, and the trip ends with joik, the sami way to sing

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SarvesAlta Climbing Park

CLIMBING



DIFFICULTY



DURATION OF ACTIVITY

4 hours

AGE LIMIT

All ages

INCLUDED

Safety equipment
and guide

ABOUT ACTIVITY

In the summertime you can challenge yourself in the worlds northernmost treetop climbing park.

There are 55 games between the nordic pine trees including 10 zip lines, one of them 207 meters with a speed about 50-60 km/hour.

There are two courses for children between 120 cm and 140 cm to climb, and a total of 6 courses for those over 140 cm.

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Photo: Sarves Alta

Sami Siida restaurant

CULINARY
EXPERIENCE



DIFFICULTY



MIN - MAX GUESTS

1-80

AGE LIMIT

All ages

ABOUT ACTIVITY

A Sami restaurant that serves authentic indigenous dishes. In every dish we use local ingredients. Our recipes are inherited from our ancestors. Made with love and care for the ingredients.

On the menu you will always find dishes with reindeer or salmon. We also serve dinners in the lavvupub, for that extra genuine feeling and atmosphere.

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Photo: Sami Siida

Sami Restaurant Experience

DIFFICULTY



MIN - MAX GUESTS

1-40

AGE LIMIT

All ages

ABOUT ACTIVITY

An unusual Lavvu Restaurant experience in our Goahti. We would like to offer you a three-course Sami meal produced from local ingredients. Accompanied by the view of our tame reindeer and the local nature with the famous Máze-Alta river flowing past, we would like to invite you to enjoy homemade Sami cuisine prepared with local ingredients. (The view of reindeers is seasonal) We will serve reindeer meat and other local ingredients in the traditional way with modern twists. Each dish has its own history associated with it. Welcome for a different kind Restaurant experience! We recommend combining with our other activities such as: Ráidu – Traditional Reindeer driving or Traitional reiver boat trip.

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Photo: Árvu

Alattio Pizza e Pasta

MIN - MAX GUESTS

1-56

ABOUT ACTIVITY

We are bringing Italy to Alta. Our concept is to bring authentic Italian cuisine right here in Alta.

To make sure that our dishes are as authentic and tasty as possible, we have invested in the very best equipment. All the pizzas are baked in a wood-fired oven and we make everything from scratch, from the dough to the sauce. We have developed the recipes and menu together with a chef from Italy. Christian, our chef, moved from Italy to Alta to join our Alattio team and delivers only the best Italian experience to you. Did you know that Alattio means Alta in the kven language?

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Stakeriet Restaurant & vinhus

MIN - MAX GUESTS

1-120

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ABOUT ACTIVITY

Our menu is locally based and we serve gourmet tapas with Norwegian twist, a-la carte and group menus.

Our vision is to create an experience for our guests. Not only with food and drink, but also an experience through storytelling. Therefore, the concept around Stakeriet is anchored around Altaelva and Alta slate. Here you will gain an understanding of what the Alta River and the extraction of shale have meant for our history and culture.

The name Stakeriet comes from the river staker - the driver in the river. Elvestakeren guided English lords and rich visitors who wanted to fish the very famous Alta salmon, from the 19th century until today.

Connected to the restaurant is Gabo Bar. This bar uses local ingredients and a visit here can tell you more about the story of Alta river

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Cooking course

CULINARY EXPERIENCE



DIFFICULTY



MIN - MAX GUESTS

2 - 10

AGE LIMIT

18 years+

DURATION OF ACTIVITY

3 - 6 hours

ABOUT ACTIVITY

With seasonal ingredients you get to work with exciting products, techniques and methods.

You will get an insight into how we plan and put together a lunch menu, dinner menu, game course and more.

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Culinary Experience at Sorrisniva

CULINARY EXPERIENCE



DIFFICULTY



DURATION OF ACTIVITY

2 - 5 hours

AGE LIMIT

12 years+

MIN - MAX GUESTS

125

ABOUT ACTIVITY

Sorrisniva is renowned for its culinary experience which is based upon locally sourced produce. Our chefs create unique dishes using the best ingredients from Arctic Norway including reindeer and moose from the tundra, seafood from the Alta River and Norwegian sea, vegetables from local farms and berries picked in the local wilderness. Complement your food experience with a special wine from our extensive cellar.

There are two restaurants at Sorrisniva, Lavvu (2-5 course culinary experiences) and Maku (3-8 course culinary experiences).


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Brasseri Alta

CULINARY
EXPERIENCE



DIFFICULTY



DURATION OF ACTIVITY

2 - 5 hours

AGE LIMIT

18 years+

MIN - MAX GUESTS

100

ABOUT ACTIVITY

Brasseri Alta is a a la carte restaurant with various local dishes, themed evenings for both the local population and the hotel's guests. We regularly have themed evenings such as steak evening, pintxos, seafood buffet, brewery duel and Afternoon Tea.

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Photo: Thon Hotel

Hiking with dogs

DIFFICULTY



MIN - MAX GUESTS

1-20

AGE LIMIT

8 years+

DURATION OF ACTIVITY

2 hours

INCLUDED

Lunch and transport

ABOUT ACTIVITY

Join us for a hike with the dogs. We bring some of our huskies on trips with you to different destinations in Alta, such as Alta Canyon and Haldde mountain.

Lunch and transport is included. Duration and distance varies according to destination.

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DOG



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Photo: True North Experience



Expedition with dog team

DOG



DIFFICULTY



MIN - MAX GUESTS

1-8

AGE LIMIT

18 years+

DURATION OF ACTIVITY

7 days

ABOUT ACTIVITY

An expedition with dogs is an experience that creates memories. Roger has more than 15 years of experience with expeditions with dog teams, from Spitsbergen on Svalbard and in Northern Scandinavia. Roger's experience makes your expedition a knowledge-rich and safe experience. You will get a dog team adapted to your skills and we will provide you with winter clothing such as scooter clothes, polar hat, polar mittens, headlamp and goggles. Your guide is the owner of the dogs and has a lot of arctic experience.

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DISTANCE

100-500 km



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Dogsledding to the Finnmarks plateau

DIFFICULTY



MIN - MAX GUESTS

1-8

AGE LIMIT

15 years+

DURATION OF ACTIVITY

3 days

DISTANCE

20-100 km

ABOUT ACTIVITY

Run your own dog team for three days. The days will be a historical and knowledge-rich journey, with stories about the landscape, the animals and life in the north.

We will stay at Suoluvopmi, which will be our headquarters on this trip. We're spending the days here while we run the dogs and take care of them. The dogs you have taken care of now and become good friends with, now the dogs run like never before. You have become a musher in the winter landscape in the north.

The tour ends in the kennel, by the fire and with their new dog friend next to us. You will get a dog team adapted to your skills and we will provide you with winter clothing such as scooter clothes, polar hat, polar mittens, headlamp and goggles. Your guide is the owner of the dogs and has a lot of arctic experience.

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Winter training week

DIFFICULTY



MIN - MAX GUESTS

1-8

AGE LIMIT

18 years+

DURATION OF ACTIVITY

7 days

DISTANCE

80-200 km

ABOUT ACTIVITY

During this week you will spend a lot of time with the dogs, right next to the husky farm or on mountains with your own dog team. After a long day out and a good hot meal you can enjoy the sauna, and maybe get the chance to see the Northern Lights!

We teach you the basics of running a dog team to master the mountains in the north. We go out on sled trips every day and stop for lunch. We sledge between 25 to 60 km every day depending on the snow conditions and the weather that week.

We will be out on an overnight trip once, where we will stay at a mountain cabin. This is the opportunity for a truly Northern Lights experience, on the plateau with just the nature around us and great opportunities for Northern Lights. You will get a dog team adapted to your skills and we will provide you with winter clothing such as scooter clothes, polar hat, polar mittens, headlamp and goggles.

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Day trip with dog sled

DIFFICULTY



MIN - MAX GUESTS

1-8

AGE LIMIT

15 years+

DURATION OF ACTIVITY

5-7 hours

DISTANCE

20-50 km

ABOUT ACTIVITY

Join an educational and safe experience with a dog team. We will pick you up at your chosen accommodation. We go to our family kennel with social and safe Alaska huskies. Together with the owner and guide of the kennel, you get to help get the dogs ready for an unforgettable dogsled trip in the arctic wilderness.

The dog sledding trip takes place in the typical Finnmark plateau terrain, with forest and plateau riding. We put the sleigh ride in pristine snow and plateau landscape. We eat lunch either in tents or outdoors. Maybe the weather and the landscape allow us to see the deep Alta canyon from sledding or wild nature offers wild animals while we glide quietly out into the wilderness? You will get a dog team adapted to your skills and we will provide you with winter clothing such as scooter clothes, polar hat, polar mittens, headlamp and goggles.

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Hiking with the huskies

DIFFICULTY



MIN - MAX GUESTS

1-12

AGE LIMIT

All ages

DURATION OF ACTIVITY

1-4 hours

INCLUDED

Homemade cake and coffee/tea

DISTANCE

500 m - 10 km

ABOUT ACTIVITY

We are so fortunate to have a fantastic landscape right outside our dog enclosure – and it's just as wonderful all year round.

This adventure starts inside the dog enclosure where you get to meet and greet around 50 happy Alaskan huskies. We choose the dog or dogs that will join us on this trip. With a little guidance, you can harness the dog and attach the pack. Everything we need for the trip will already be packed. You are involved in deciding where we are hiking to. We can hike up the nearby mountain, Pæskanasen, and enjoy the view of the valley and river from the top or another option is to stay in the forest and follow the Eibyelva river for a while. We're not in any hurry and make several stops along the way to share stories. The dogs can pull you up the steepest parts if you would like a little help.

We stop to enjoy a homemade cake and coffee along the way before concluding the trip back down at the dog enclosure.

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Dogsledding

DIFFICULTY



MIN - MAX GUESTS

1-12

AGE LIMIT

All ages

DURATION OF ACTIVITY

3 hours

INCLUDED

Transfer, outdoor clothing, coffee/tea, cake. Day tour: lunch. Multiplie daytour - all inclusive.

ABOUT ACTIVITY

We provide brief and precise instructions about how to drive a dog sled before we enter the dog enclosure, where many happy Alaskan huskies are waiting to meet you. Each dog has its own kennel with its name on it. You will be given a list of the names of the dogs that will be in your dog team, and then it's time to get started. In this way you can get the dogs ready on your own. Of course, we are here at all times and are happy to assist you as required. When everything is ready and dogs will be eager to set off. We open the gates and head into the forest, where it is tranquil and we can enjoy the enthusiastic dogs, the weather and the nature. One of the guides lead the way and you follow behind.

During this trip, we drive in the forest, open landscape and beside Alta River or on frozen sections. The tour can also be provided as a longer trip, both a whole day and several days.

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DISTANCE

5 km - 30 km

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Dog cart tour

DIFFICULTY



MIN - MAX GUESTS

12

AGE LIMIT

4 years+

DURATION OF ACTIVITY

1 hour

DISTANCE

12 km

INCLUDED

Necessary equipment, transfer, hot drinks and snacks

ABOUT ACTIVITY

Get a feeling of how mushers train their huskies in the autumn and experience the arctic forest as it changes colour. You don't have to wait until winter to enjoy a ride with Alaskan Huskies. With our dog cart trips you get to try dog sledding before the first snow. Starting times at 10.00, 13.00 and 16.00

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Dog sled tour

DOG



DIFFICULTY



MIN - MAX GUESTS

12

AGE LIMIT

4 years+

DURATION OF ACTIVITY

1 hour

DISTANCE

12 km

INCLUDED

Necessary equipment, transfer, hot drinks and snacks

ABOUT ACTIVITY


Enjoy the Arctic the way it's meant to be enjoyed; from the dog sled. Join our team of Alaskan Huskies and let them take you on an unforgettable ride through the stunning Northern-Norwegian nature around Alta. Starting times at 10.00, 13.00 and 16.00


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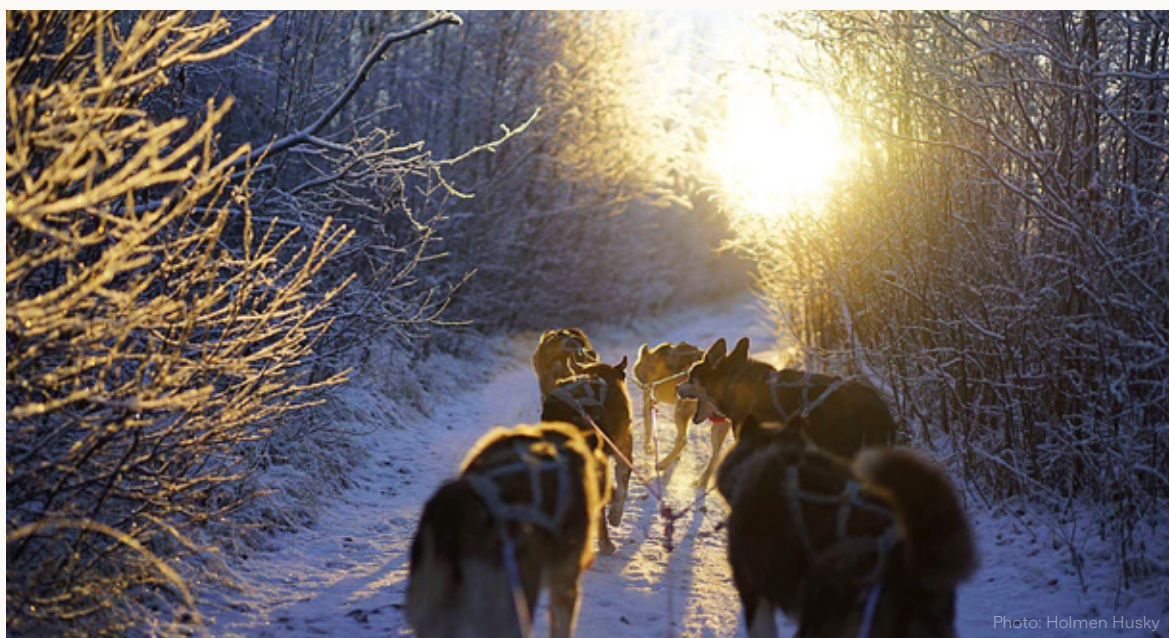


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Dogsledding

DOG



DIFFICULTY



MIN - MAX GUESTS

2-10

AGE LIMIT

All ages

SEASON



INCLUDED

Lunch/homemade cake and something to drink

ABOUT

Meet happy dogs and get to harness and take them out sledding. Travel through actic nature surrounded by mountains and fjords. Learn about our life with dogs and our experiences in longdistanse competition in Finnmarksløpet. It is possible to schedule shorter or longer trips by request.

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Fishing in Alta Fjord

FISHING



DIFFICULTY



MIN - MAX GUESTS

2-10

AGE LIMIT

6 years+

DURATION OF ACTIVITY

4 hours

INCLUDED

Warm coverall, life jacket, a light meal and beverage

ABOUT ACTIVITY

Experience the authentic Northern Norwegian fishing adventure in Alta Fjord, one of the best fishing areas in Northern Norway.

On our tours, you can fish for cod, pollock, haddock, redfish, and Atlantic halibut, to name a few - just let us know if you have any specific requests, and we'll set up the right equipment for you.

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Ice Fishing

DIFFICULTY



MIN - MAX GUESTS

5-20

AGE LIMIT

All ages

DURATION OF ACTIVITY

3 hours

DISTANCE

500 m

INCLUDED

Necessary equipment, clothes, guide, snacks, hot drinks and transfer

ABOUT ACTIVITY

Sitting on the ice on a mountain lake under the arctic nature with an ice fishing rod in one hand and coffee mug in the other hand surrounded by white mountains and a beautiful scenery – we cannot think of a better way to spend a day! Combined with the possibility to catch fine char - it will be an experience you will never forget. Accompanied by our experienced guides, snowshoeing, we lead you to the best spots. Our ice fishing trips offer one of the arctic most exciting sports in outdoor winter recreation. The thrill of pulling a char through a hole cut in the ice is an unforgettable experience. Catch is not guaranteed.

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Snowshoeing and fishing in an ice lake in Alta

DIFFICULTY



MIN - MAX GUESTS

2-7

AGE LIMIT

3 years+

DURATION OF ACTIVITY

4 hours

INCLUDED

Coffee/tea, snacks, necessary equipment and transfer.

ABOUT

Take your family and friends to experience the Arctic outdoor life while trying to get a fish in an ice lake. The scenario is fantastic to enjoy the silence and beauty in Northern Norway and you can take a tour around snowshoeing and discovering the place. We keep you warm in a cosy atmosphere created by the fire, while listening stories about local history and laying in a comfortable reindeer skin.

In less than a half an hour travel by car out of the city you will get to know a nice part of the area and local history. Then you will arrive to a very quiet and a magic lake, surrounded by majestic mountains to practice one activity that can bring you great experiences. Our guide will show you how to drill a hole in the ice and will provide you the right equipment and while trying, you can relax over a soft reindeer skin in a nice atmosphere and also take a warm drink around the fire.

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SEASON



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Deep Sea Fishing

DIFFICULTY



MIN - MAX GUESTS

2-34

AGE LIMIT

10-70 years

DURATION OF ACTIVITY

4 hours

INCLUDED

Life jackets are mandatory. Fishing equipment can be rented

ABOUT

At Arctic Nuvsvåg you can experience exciting and various deep sea fishing in spectacular surroundings. LoppHAVET is renowned for fabulous halibut fishery. You can land halibut all year round but the season for the really big ones is from August to October.

Cod and pollock are other species that are common to catch in our waters. The main season for pollock is June – August. And there are many more species to catch. We'll tell you where to catch the really big ones. If you have a favourite rod – bring it. If you rather want to rent, we have necessary fishing equipment. We also have a mini-shop where you can buy fishing gear and safety equipment, gasoline and snacks for your trip. It is of great importance to us that our guests are safe at sea.

Our boats are equipped GPS and Guard tracking system. This lets us monitor where our guests are at all times. We have defined a safe-zone in the Gofish-app, so that our guests are aware of how far you can go without risking running out of fuel.

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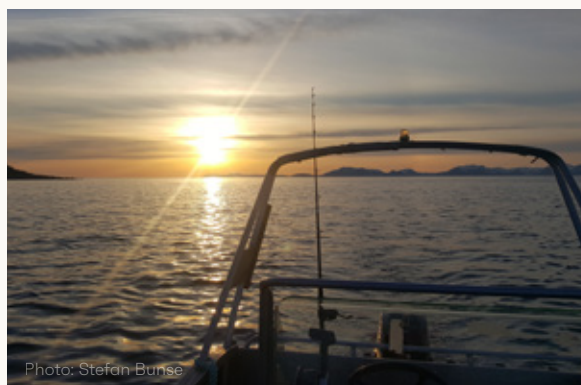


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Ice Hole Fishing by Snowmobile

FISHING



DIFFICULTY



MIN - MAX GUESTS

6-40

AGE LIMIT

18-70 years

DURATION OF ACTIVITY

5 hours

INCLUDED

Guide, necessary equipment, food and snowmobile

ABOUT

Ice fishing is one of the village's favourite winter activities. It is exciting and at the same time relaxing to lie on a reindeer skin on the ice in the blue hour, while you look down into the fishing hole and wait to spot the big fish.

The trip starts from the Thon hotel where guests are given winter clothes. We drive 2 people per snowmobile and the trip goes to one of the many good ice fishing lakes we have in Kautokeino. In the lavvu, we warm ourselves around the fire while guests are served coffee and cake. It is also possible to pre-order Sami food.

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Photo: Johan Mathis Gaup/Proffen

Sea fishing in Rognsund while living at Seiland House

DIFFICULTY



MIN - MAX GUESTS

2-50

AGE LIMIT

5 years+

DURATION OF ACTIVITY

5 hours - 2 weeks

OTHER INFORMATION

Guide, transport and necessary equipment

ABOUT ACTIVITY

In the Summer, the waters of Rognsund invites you to the fishing experience of your life, due to the favourable conditions of this strait and the big fish.

There is deep water on both sides of the strait: in the South part, you can get flounder and redfish as well as catfish and cod. In Sørøysundet it is very often caught very large pollock and even the fish ling.

The areas Vargsund, Korsfjorden, Årøysundet and Stjernsund contain a lot of redfish. All around there are many runs, steep cliffs, plateaus, and long sandy beaches, which is a perfect habitat for large fish, like the impressive halibuts our guests get frequently as their trophy fish.

Our sea fishing season normally starts in May and ends in October. Our focus will be always to help you to enjoy in safety hands. It will always be a pleasure for us to show you the best spots to find your trophy fish. Take your friends to a fantastic sea fishing trip and build up memories for life.

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Walking City tour of Alta

DIFFICULTY



MIN - MAX GUESTS

2-50

AGE LIMIT

8 years+

DURATION OF ACTIVITY

1,5 hours

ABOUT ACTIVITY

Take a tour with one of Boreal Adventure's guide and go for a walk around downtown Alta to learn more about what's hiding in this quiet, Arctic town center.

Visit the Northern Lights Cathedral, to hear more about the Alta's distant history, recent past and current events. From Kristian Birkeland to the heroes of the Finnmarksløpet, you'll come away with a view of Alta you won't get on your own!

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Glacier walk day trip

DIFFICULTY



MIN - MAX GUESTS

1-12

AGE LIMIT

12 years+

DURATION OF ACTIVITY

8 hours

DISTANCE

7 km

INCLUDED

Guide, transport
and necessary
equipment

SEASON



ABOUT ACTIVITY

The glacier daytrip on the Øksfjord glacier goes through varied alpine terrain in the arctic, where the nature is green and rich at the sea and barren, blue and beautiful up at the glacier.

We start of with a boat trip in "Isfjorden", with the glacier towering over our head. The route goes into a small valley where the landscape is characterized by the near present of the glacier. You will experience wild and steep peaks, nunataqs and big boulders that the glacier has formed and moved over the years. From February to June we use skis on the glacier, and in July to September we use crampons and walk on the blue ice that is only visible in this period of the year.

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Photo: Spor Guiding

Trekking in Seiland paradise

DIFFICULTY



MIN - MAX GUESTS

2-50

AGE LIMIT

5 years+

DURATION OF ACTIVITY

3 hours - 3 days

OTHER INFORMATION

Guide, transport and necessary equipment

SEASON



ABOUT ACTIVITY

For trekking and nature lovers, there are many possibilities to explore and three marked tracks from the house to the mountain tops in the limits to Seiland National Park. We also arrange boat transfer for our guests to the starting point of the glacier, to Bekkardfjord to the National park and other tops around Rognsund. The place is surrounded by step mountains that plunges into the sea and have many possibilities for short and long tours. For more ambitious trekkers and nature lovers, we recommend exploring deeper into the National Park and enjoy the exotic vegetation and amazing green colours that make your pictures to become postcards.

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Horseback-riding to Alta Canyon

DIFFICULTY



MIN - MAX GUESTS

2-8

AGE LIMIT

14 years+

DURATION OF ACTIVITY

2 days

DISTANCE

30 km

INCLUDED

Necessary equipment, meals and soft drinks

SEASON



ABOUT ACTIVITY

Have you ever dreamed of seeing the Alta canyon from horseback? Maybe sleeping in our camp on the edge of the cliff? Now you have the opportunity!

We load the horses on trailers and drive off to Gargia. The tour takes you through fantastic riding terrain. We take a break when we are hungry and eat some hiking food, when we arrive at the canyon, we make sure the horses are comfortable and set up camp. While our guide prepares the food, you can choose if you want to lie down and relax. Or take the trip out to the lookout point- great pictures are taken here! In the evening, of course, there will be a bonfire and stories for all ages. The next day we saddle the horses again and set course for the mountain tops, or fishing lakes. During the hunting season, you will also get the opportunity to bring weapons and hunt birds.

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Taste of horseriding

DIFFICULTY



MIN - MAX GUESTS

2-8

AGE LIMIT

6 years+

DURATION OF ACTIVITY

2 hours

DISTANCE

7 km

INCLUDED

Safety equipment

ABOUT ACTIVITY

If you just want a taste of horseback riding, this is the perfect trip for you. We start by entering the pasture and pick ourselves a horse, bring them back to the farm and start grooming them. When we are all done we head out in to the woods. You decide the speed, and we do not have to go fast if you don't want to, that's all up to you guys. The horses are as safe as they can be, and you will receive helmets from us.

The perfect trip for beginners. We end the trip with a coffee and something to bite on, at the farm porch.

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Sleigh ride in the arctic countryside

DIFFICULTY



MIN - MAX GUESTS

2-8

AGE LIMIT

All ages

DURATION OF ACTIVITY

3 hours

DISTANCE

4 km

INCLUDED

Transfer, clothes, snacks and hot drinks

ABOUT ACTIVITY

We will collect you from downtown Alta and bring you to the farm. From there, you will climb on board a sleigh and bundle up with blankets against the crisp, cold air.

The sleigh is pulled by a Norwegian Fjord Horse, a breed that is sturdy and patient and has been in use in Norway for centuries. Your ride will take you through the forest and along the Alta River, floating on the sound of the cheerful sleigh bells through spectacular scenery all around. Near the end of the ride, you will arrive at a wilderness shelter and take a break. You will sit around a fire, protected from the weather by the shelter's half-wall, and enjoy something hot to drink and a special trail snack, along with conversation and local stories.

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Horse Sleigh Ride

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DIFFICULTY



MIN - MAX GUESTS

2-14

AGE LIMIT

12+

DURATION OF ACTIVITY

1-2 hours

RECOMMENDED FOR



SEASON



ABOUT ACTIVITY

We'll take you to our neighbor's farm where you will first have the opportunity to see some Norwegian short tailed sheep, have a pastry and coffee in the lavvo, before you snuggle up under warm blankets and are ready for about 30–40 minutes sleigh ride drawn by Norwegian fjord horses. This ride will take you back to Onga Lodge where the ride ends.

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Sleigh ride under the northern lights

DIFFICULTY



MIN - MAX GUESTS

2-24

AGE LIMIT

All ages

DURATION OF ACTIVITY

3,5 hours

DISTANCE

5 km

INCLUDED

Safety equipment

INCLUDED

Transfer, clothes, dinner and hot drinks

RECOMMENDED FOR



SEASON



ABOUT ACTIVITY

Your best chance to see the northern lights in Alta is to be out under the night sky as often as you can. This tour takes you outdoors for a cozy “slow adventure” – a perfect way to spend an evening in good company on a leisurely local northern lights hunt. The sleigh is pulled by a Norwegian Fjord Horse, a breed that is sturdy and patient and has been in use in Norway for centuries.

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The World's Northernmost Igloo Hotel

IGLOO
HOTEL



DIFFICULTY



MIN - MAX GUESTS

1-50

AGE LIMIT

2 years+

INCLUDED

Entrance

OTHER INFO

Open from December 20th to April 7th every year

ABOUT ACTIVITY

Experience the Igloo Hotel - the world's northernmost ice hotel, built every winter with different art themes. The Igloo Hotel structure and all of its furniture and art is crafted by local sculptors using natural ice and snow.

Experiencing the ice hotel includes the special igloo ambiance, sleeping comfortably on reindeer furs on your ice bed, wandering among handcrafted ice sculptures and having a drink at the ice bar.


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Fjord & King Crab Adventure

KING CRAB



DIFFICULTY



MIN - MAX GUESTS

4-24

AGE LIMIT

12 years+

DURATION OF ACTIVITY

5 hours

INCLUDED

Guide, lunch, coffee/tea and necessary equipment

ABOUT ACTIVITY

This trip starts with a briefing and dressing in our Explorer Store. You will be given suits and equipment for a safe and eventful trip at sea. We drive past places with historical value and beautiful nature.

Further out in the fjord we will experience more pointed alpine mountains than in the inner parts of the fjord. We end up in the fishing village Storekorsnes. Here you will be served a lovely fish soup, and in addition have the opportunity to experience live king crab up close, in an aquarium.

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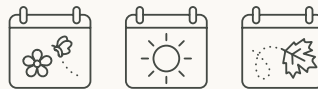
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OTHER INFO

This trip is not recommended for those with back problems or if you are pregnant.



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King Crab Fishing Experience

DIFFICULTY



MIN - MAX GUESTS

3-24

AGE LIMIT

8-80 years

DURATION OF ACTIVITY

2-4 hours

DISTANCE

1 km

INCLUDED

Transfer if needed, clothes and lunch

ABOUT ACTIVITY

Welcome to our Kingcrabexperience. Meet our big live kingcrabs and get the story of how they came here and how we catch them. It will be possible to photograph and study them closer. We tell you how we make the world wide popular Stockfish and you get to taste it.

Before you return we will serve you a meal of fish or Kingcrab and warm drinks in our cosy warm Panorama grillhouse. We can also arrange kingcrab tours on the fjord on request.

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KING CRAB



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King Crab Fishing Experience

DIFFICULTY



MIN - MAX GUESTS

2-10

AGE LIMIT

3 years+

DURATION OF ACTIVITY

2 hours

DISTANCE

10 km

INCLUDED

Guide, necessary equipment, warm drinks and snacks

ABOUT ACTIVITY

Join us on this must do Arctic Wilderness Experience to the Alta fjord where we will fish for what some consider to be a prized delicacy. The experienced guide will let you in on local fishing secrets and tell you stories revolving around the King Crab and history of the area. The food is half the journey. After your trip on the Fjord, you will make your way back to Sorrisoniva for a world class, as fresh as can be meal.

The King Crab is loaded with what can be described as a sweetness and meatiness unlike any other crab meat in the world. The romanticism of working hard to harvest the wild crab in combination with a renowned culinary experience makes this experience one that shouldn't be missed.

KING CRAB




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King Crab Safari

DIFFICULTY



MIN - MAX GUESTS

1-5

AGE LIMIT

All ages

DURATION OF ACTIVITY

4 hours

INCLUDED

Guide, boat,
snacks, coffee/
tea

OTHER INFO

Safety, service and accuracy are always in focus with our Nordkapp Gran Coupe 905, which is a 29-foot wheelhouse boat with a spacious cabin and separate toilet room. This boat allows for speed and excitement; it is equipped with a Mercury engine 2x250 hp. The cruising speed is 27 knots, and the maximum speed is 49 knots.

ABOUT ACTIVITY

We visit a small village at the far end of the Altafjord, Storekorsnes, where you get to meet a local fisherman who tells a bit of history about the fishing village of Storekorsnes, here we will also see live king crabs, as well as being served a lovely meal with king crab and drinks included.

KING CRAB





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Photo: Ellen Vekve/Go To Storekorsnes



Private tour of Alta

DIFFICULTY



MIN - MAX GUESTS

1-100

AGE LIMIT

8 years+

DURATION OF ACTIVITY

3 hours

INCLUDED

Guide and entrance tickets

ABOUT ACTIVITY

This tour will take you to some of interesting gems in Alta. One of our guides will take you to Alta Museum, surrounded by the ancient rock carvings. The rest of the museum has exhibits on local cultural themes, plus a souvenir shop with high quality local products and a coffee shop. Your guide is available to take you through the exhibits or let you explore on your own.

Your next stop will be the Northern Lights Cathedral, where your guide will tell you about the history, construction and symbolism of the town's newest landmark.

As part of the tour, your guide will take you on a short drive around Alta, where you can see the historic slate dock and the old Alta Church, the only building in Alta still standing after World War II. Guests will need to supply the transport – we can help arrange a rental car if needed.

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Private tour to Alta Canyon and Power Station

DIFFICULTY



MIN - MAX GUESTS

1-60

AGE LIMIT

All ages

DURATION OF ACTIVITY

4 hours

INCLUDED

Guide, Safety Equipment

ABOUT ACTIVITY

You will be picked up by a guide and drive out with your car/bus to Sautso, the biggest canyon in Northern Europe. The one-hour ride to the canyon will give the guide to talk with you about life in Alta and Norway, the history of the area, and details about the history and controversy of the dam and the Sami people in the area. You'll have time to stop and take some pictures of the stunning canyon view, and then it's off to the power station itself. Though the facility is currently generating power, all operations are controlled remotely, so you and your guide will very likely be the only people in the huge facility! You'll descend through a tunnel to the visitor center inside the rock cliff, see a short film produced by the power company, and then head out to walk across the dam itself.

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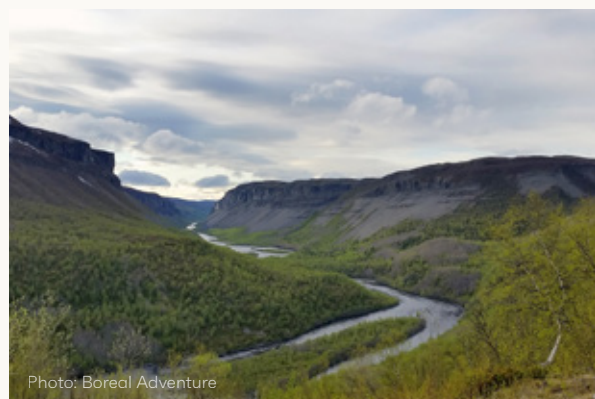


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Visit the Northern Lights Cathedral and the Northern Lights Exhibition

DIFFICULTY



MIN - MAX GUESTS

1-80

AGE LIMIT

All ages

DURATION OF ACTIVITY

1 hour

INCLUDED

Access to the cathedral and exhibition w/ brochure, guide (for an additional fee)

ABOUT ACTIVITY

Immerse yourself in local culture in downtown Alta. Visit the Northern Lights Cathedral, a new church that has already become a well-known icon and symbol of the town.

Photo opportunities await both outside and in, as you tour the church that combines spiritual and natural elements in its design and artwork. Then, head down to see a video about the Northern Lights from the area.

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Day tour to the Sami village of Kautokeino

DIFFICULTY



MIN - MAX GUESTS

2-13

AGE LIMIT

3 years+

DURATION OF ACTIVITY

6 hours

DISTANCE

200 km

INCLUDED

Lunch and entrance ticket

ABOUT ACTIVITY

Take a day tour to the genuine Sami village of Kautokeino and discover the rich Sami history and culture, while crossing the remote plateau of Finnmark.

A day tour to the village of Kautokeino is a exiting adventure for those who wants see the remote Finnmark Plateau and to learn more about the Sami history and culture. For groups up to seven we can offer a 6-hour tour in our comfortable minibus. The drive from Alta to Kautokeino takes approximately 2 hours.

After guiding in the sami village of Kautokeino we visit the Juhls' Silver Gallery, Finnmarks first silver workshop, established in 1959. This architectural gem is truly a cultural oasis in the heart of Sàpmi which reinforces the experience of the arctic landscape through art and design.

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Day tour to North Cape

DIFFICULTY



MIN - MAX GUESTS

2-13

AGE LIMIT

3 years+

DURATION OF ACTIVITY

10 hours

DISTANCE

500 km

INCLUDED

Lunch and entrance ticket

ABOUT ACTIVITY

Take a day tour with us to the northernmost outpost of Europe and enjoy fantastic views all around the coast while crossing the plateau of Finnmark.

A day tour to the North Cape is one of our most attractive adventures for guests that are in Alta and like to visit this iconic place. Located at 71 degrees north and approximately 2,000 km from the North Pole, the 307-metre-high cliff, is well-known as the northernmost point in Europe. We offer a 10-hour tour for groups up to seven in our comfortable minibus, crossing the majestic plateau of Finnmark.

The tour from Alta to North Cape takes 3 hours and 30 minutes and takes you through a very panoramic coastal view. On our way, we make a few stops to take pictures and to visit the picturesque fishing village of Honningsvåg.

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SEASON



Museum visit

DIFFICULTY



MIN - MAX GUESTS

1 - 100 pr. hour

AGE LIMIT

All ages

DURATION OF ACTIVITY

1,5 - 2 hours

DISTANCE

Max 3 km

INCLUDED

Guide, transport and entrance tickets

ABOUT ACTIVITY

The Museum is open all year and the rock art park outside is available during summer. There are written guidebook aswells as audio guides. The guest can choose between a short tour of 1,2 km or to extend the tour to the unpainted rock art (total 3 km). The museum also offers guided tours in Norwegian and English. Other languages might be available on request. The tour is set on both gravel, asphalt, and wooden walkways with some uphill parts.

The new indoor exhibitions (opened June 2022) include a rock art exhibition, a world heritage exhibition and 12 main topics from Alta's long and interesting history, such as Northern Lights, the Alta Quartzite Industry, Alta River and Sami history. Every year the museum has several temporary exhibitions visiting with changing themes.

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Photo: Alta Museum

Pæskatun slate quarry and museum

DIFFICULTY



MIN - MAX GUESTS

1-100

AGE LIMIT

All ages

DURATION OF ACTIVITY

1 hour

DISTANCE

50 m

ABOUT

The slate industry has played, and still is playing, an important part of the economic life in Alta, all the way since the early start in the 1850ties. From the mountains south of the town we are extracting this unique, extremely high-quality quartzite slate. The Alta Quartzite Slate is world known for its quality, and you will find it in constructions in almost every corner of the world. At Pæskatun slate quarry and museum, we are telling the story of slate. How it was back in the days when the hardworking men lived the whole week in the quarries, while their families run the farm down in Alta. Telling the story of the tools they needed to extract and form slate, from the most primitive ones to the modern tools of today. The old and original slate cottages and the modern workshop show the huge difference in the working, and living, conditions back then and how it is today. Lots of old items and pictures on display, they too are a part of the storytelling. We are about 20 minutes' drive from the centre of town.

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Entrance



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Hunting the Northern Lights

DIFFICULTY



MIN - MAX GUESTS

1-16

AGE LIMIT

5 years+

DURATION OF ACTIVITY

4,5-6 hours

DISTANCE

20-250 km

DURATION OF ACTIVITY

Transfer from/to hotels, guide, necessary equipment, hot drinks and snacks

INCLUDED

Transfer, soup, guide, warm drinks and snacks and necessary equipment.

ABOUT ACTIVITY

The activity starts with a brief at Glød HQ, soup is served during briefing. If there is a need of warmer clothes, we can arrange this too. After the briefing, we set off on our Northern Lights hunt! To optimize our chances of experiencing the Northern Lights, we head to areas with little or no light pollution. We will serve snacks and hot chocolate during the tour.

The guides are photographers and also well acquainted with a variety of cameras and can often help to adjust the settings on the guests cameras. The guide has good photographic equipment and will take photos along the way. These photos will be available to the tour guests free of charge.

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OTHER INFORMATION

We are not able to offer any guarantee of seeing the Northern Lights.



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Northern Lights Adventures

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DIFFICULTY



MIN - MAX GUESTS

2-7

AGE LIMIT

8 years+

DURATION OF ACTIVITY

4-5 hours

ABOUT ACTIVITY

This trip focuses on experiencing the northern lights and we spend almost 4 hours out searching for this fantastic phenomenon.

We start the evening with a small lecture about the northern lights. This is to give you an understanding of how it occurs, then we look at the conditions for this particular evening. We can not say in advance where we are going, this depends on the weather forecast and northern lights forecast. We use our local knowledge to find the best places to experience the Northern Lights dancing in the night sky. Tripods are available for rent.

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INCLUDED

Guide, coffee/tea and snacks.



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Polar Night Bonfire Trip

DIFFICULTY



MIN - MAX GUESTS

2-10

AGE LIMIT

All ages

DURATION OF ACTIVITY

4,5 hours

INCLUDED

Clothing, dinner and dessert,
transfer and guide

ABOUT ACTIVITY

Let us take you up to the top of the mountain where the view is indescribable and where the only company are the animals that call this land their home. We will head to the edge of the nearby mountain to let the stillness embrace us.

We might see some animals nearby, and if the sky is clear above there is a wonderful chance that we will see the mystical Northern Lights come out and dance over our heads. We will start a bonfire outside our cozy cabin that we call "Bjørnehiet" and make our own gourmet food from pure ingredients in the most natural way we know: on the bonfire.

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Northern Lights Hunt

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DIFFICULTY



MIN - MAX GUESTS

4-16

AGE LIMIT

All ages

DURATION OF ACTIVITY

4-5 hours

ABOUT

We pick you up in Alta and drive along the beautiful coast with beautiful frozen waterfalls and if we see Northern Lights as we drive we make stops for photographing.

When we arrive at our camp we meet up in our cosy warm grillhouse where we also serve warm soup and drinks. Outside will be campfire and benches with reindeerskin to sit on. It's not much light pollution at Storekorsnes and if the light appears, you will never forget it, we help with photos. We can also make a chase with the bus if the light doesn't appear. The guide will help the guests to photograph the northern lights.

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INCLUDED

Transfer, meal and warm drinks.



Photo: Go to Storekorsnes

Northern Lights Camp

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DIFFICULTY



MIN - MAX GUESTS

10-300

AGE LIMIT

All ages

DURATION OF ACTIVITY

4 hours

ABOUT ACTIVITY

Our Camp Aurora is in one with the nature and a perfect spot for Northern Lights view. The Northern Lights described as one of the greatest natural shows on earth. With their extraordinary, and at times rainbow colours, this natural phenomenon occurs when electronically charged particles from the sun meet the earth's magnetic field between 60 and 250 miles above the ground.

We can never guarantee that we will find the northern lights, but we can promise a nice experience.

INCLUDED

Transfer, home made cakes and warm drinks, meat snack for grill

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Photo: Frank Rune Isaksen / Frikant

Northern Lights Tour

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DIFFICULTY



MIN - MAX GUESTS

2-13

AGE LIMIT

12 years+

DURATION OF ACTIVITY

5 hours

INCLUDED

Warm drinks, snacks, guide, transfer and necessary equipment.

ABOUT ACTIVITY

Join us in an adventurous tour around Alta, the city of the Northern Lights and meet this beautiful dancer in our sky. Our enthusiastic guide will do everything to find the best place to enjoy the spectacle and keep you entertained, warm and comfortable.

We have arranged organized guided tours since 2007 and have the knowledge about how to find the Northern Lights if the conditions are there. On our tours you normally will have 80-90 % chance of seeing this spectacular view. When we find the right place for the experience on that night our guide creates a nice atmosphere around the fire to keep you warm. You will be offered a reindeer skin to lay on and while waiting for the green lady on the sky we will provide you interesting details about the Norwegian way of leaving and the local history from the Stone Age, Sami culture, reindeer-herding, wildlife, Second World War and the modern society in Alta and Finnmark.

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Photo: Alta Adventure

Northern Lights Safari

DIFFICULTY



MIN - MAX GUESTS

2-48

AGE LIMIT

All ages

DURATION OF ACTIVITY

3 hours

INCLUDED

Guide, comfortable boat travel with indoor and outdoor observation areas. Dress warmly

ABOUT ACTIVITY

Join us on a magical Northern Lights safari in the unique environment of Finnmark. Our boats provide a comfortable and safe ride, perfect for admiring the night sky of Altafjord and the Northern Lights. The tour starts from our central location in Alta harbor, where our experienced guides will welcome you.

On board you'll find comfortable, heated indoor observation areas, as well as an open deck for those who want to see the Northern Lights directly under starry skies between the mountains on the "dark" sea. While admiring the spectacular views of the fjord, our guides will share fascinating information about the science and local cultural history of the Northern Lights, as well as point out the best places to experience the light show.

Although we cannot guarantee the sighting of the Northern Lights, the Altafjord is one of the best places in the world to observe this phenomenon. Regardless of the aurora activity, the tour will provide spectacular views of the Arctic landscape and offer unique opportunities to experience the diversity of wildlife in the area.

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OTHER INFO

Passengers are encouraged to dress for the weather.



Photo: Finnmark Moods

Northern Lights Hunting at Seiland

DIFFICULTY



MIN - MAX GUESTS

2-50

AGE LIMIT

5 years+

INCLUDED

Guide

ABOUT ACTIVITY

Take your family and friends to hunt for Northern Lights in the beautiful fjord landscapes of Seiland, far away from the city light pollution. The area surrounding Seiland House has a spectacular view for you to get life memories under Northern Lights.

The Northern Lights comes to Seiland at the end of August and can be seen from the house reflected on the sea in a clear sky. There are also many shelter places to explore and see them dancing over the mountains. It is also possible to wait for them in our outdoor fireplace just behind the house. Our staff will help you to set up your camera and will give you tips to find the right sceneries for your pictures. To have more chances to enjoy the Northern Lights we suggest to stay at Seiland House at least from 2 to 3 nights.

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Photo: Seiland House

Northern Lights Safari

DIFFICULTY



MIN - MAX GUESTS

2 - 16

AGE LIMIT

9 years+

DURATION OF ACTIVITY

5 hours

DISTANCE

50 m

ABOUT

The mythical Northern Lights with their fantastic formations and colors are just as fascinating every time they appear. The experience of being there, out in nature and seeing the Northern Lights blaze above the starry sky, that's what we here at Pæskatun want to share with you! Our goal with the safari is to find the clearest skies and the best places to see and photograph the Northern Lights. The weather forecast in combination with our in-depth knowledge of the terrain in the area gives us important information for which direction to drive. Our local and experienced guides will explain the history and science behind the Northern Lights. The duration of the safari can vary depending on how early the Northern Lights come in the evening, but also how far we must drive. We always do our utmost to ensure that you see the Northern Lights in all their glory, one of the most unique things we have here in the Arctic area. But remember that the Northern Lights are a natural phenomenon and never can be guaranteed.

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INCLUDED

Guide, transfer, warm drinks, soup and necessary equipment.



Photo: Trond Strifeldt / Pæskatun

Northern lights hunt to Suolovuopmi

DIFFICULTY



DURATION OF ACTIVITY

4 hours

DISTANCE

50 m

ABOUT

We start from the center of Alta at 18 and drive up to Suolovuopmi mountain lodge, approx. 45 minutes from the center of Alta.

At the mountain lodge, we are greeted by the 2nd generation caretaker, Maj-Liss Klingan, in a historic and homely atmosphere.

We are served homemade *bidus*, traditional Sami reindeer meat soup, with cranberry foccacia and cloudberry juice. Suolovuopmi mountain lodge specializes in clean, organic and short-traveled produce. For dessert, home-made cloudberry ice cream as well as coffee and tea will be served.

Remember that the northern lights are a natural phenomenon and unfortunately we cannot guarantee that we will see the northern lights on the tour, but we promise to do our utmost to catch a glimpse of it.

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Guided Northern Lights hunt on gliding snowshoes

DIFFICULTY



MIN - MAX GUESTS

10

AGE LIMIT

12 years+

DURATION OF ACTIVITY

2-3 hours

DISTANCE

1,8 km

ABOUT

After dinner, our guide will give you gliding snowshoes, teach you how to ski with them and then take you on a relaxing trip to the nearby forests. With the gliding snowshoes you'll smoothly make your way for 40–60 minutes, in the snowy, dark forest, ending up at our outdoor camp where you can lay down on the reindeer skins by the campfire and wait for the auroras to show up, while warm drinks are prepared on the open fire. The light of the moon and the northern lights will make your trip unforgettable.

Depending on the weather, we'll spend about 45–60 minutes by the fire before a short way back to Onga lodge.

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Photo: Onga Lodge

Accomodation in Storekorsnes

MIN - MAX GUESTS

1-22

AGE LIMIT

All ages

ABOUT

New modern sea houses located in the harbor with sea views.

We have 3 houses with 3 bedrooms with room for 6 persons, possibility of 3 extra mattresses, 1 small Northern Lights cabin with windows in the ceiling for 2-4 persons.

1 bathroom with shower and 2 toilets Private barbecue place. Outside space with seating area. Parking right by. Sauna nearby

PLACE
TO STAY



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Accommodation at Holmen Husky

AGE LIMIT MIN - MAX GUESTS
5 years+ **1-16**

INCLUDED
Breakfast

ABOUT

Staying at Holmen Husky is an experience far away from staying at an ordinary hotel. We want our guests to get closer to nature and to get a taste of what it is like to live close to the elements. Our Lavvos are a permanent interpretation of the tents the Sámi people have used since ancient times. The thought is to give our guests a feeling of arctic living, though from the comforts of a soft bed. In addition, we have added large windows to allow you to enjoy the surrounding views even better. And you might catch a sight of the northern lights before falling asleep.

Our domes is our most luxurious accommodation, equipped with its own, private sauna and bathroom facilities. Yet, our favourite part of the dome is the view from the bedroom. It doesn't just have large windows like our lavvos, but a panorama view towards a nearby field and surrounding forest, as well a skylight that covers most of the ceiling.

Lunch and dinner can be prebooked.

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TO STAY



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Photo: Holmen Husky

Canyon Hotel

PLACE
TO STAY



MIN - MAX GUESTS

33 Rooms

ABOUT

Step into the inviting warmth of Canyon Hotel, where rustic charm meets modern comfort- located in the city center of Alta.

A full-service hotel with restaurant, meeting rooms and lounge/bar, whether for business or leisure Canyon Hotel is your serene retreat in Alta, inviting you to relax and explore the local surroundings.

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Gargia Lodge

PLACE
TO STAY



MIN - MAX GUESTS

35

INCLUDED

Breakfast

ABOUT

Our mountain lodge is located on the foot of Finnmarksvidda, 30 min. from Alta. Gargia's history dates back to the 18th century with the establishment of a postal route in Finnmark.

We have 15 units at the Lodge, restaurant, meeting rooms, historical gallery, natural spa with sauna and bucket challenge, lavvo and a bbq hut.

Close your eyes, lower your shoulders and enjoy the arctic silence.

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Aurora Canvas Dome

MIN - MAX GUESTS

5 units

ABOUT

This is a type of accommodation for you who love to live close to nature in spectacular surroundings without sacrificing a comfortable bed. You actually live that close to nature that squirrels and small birds can both be seen and heard outside the large windows, and in the winter you can lie in bed under the duvet and watch the northern lights dance above you in the sky.

All our domes have floor heating, electricity, wifi and a large wood fire that spreads a warm heat. Each dome is also furnished with a large and comfy Wonderland bed, two chairs and a table. You also have your very own toilet inside the dome. Inside our Glød HQ about thirty meters from the domes you'll find a shower and a sauna.

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TO STAY



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Arctic Wilderness Lodge

MIN - MAX GUESTS

24 rooms

AGE LIMIT

12 years+

INCLUDED

Breakfast

ABOUT

The new 24 room wilderness lodge is built on the banks of the internationally renowned Alta river in Norway's high Arctic.

The lodge enables Sorrisoniva to supplement their traditional ice hotel and wilderness experiences with year-round premium accommodation together with new panoramic lounge and riverside restaurant areas.

PLACE
TO STAY



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Photo: Sorrisoniva

Trasti&Trine Boutique Hotel

MIN - MAX GUESTS

1-20

AGE LIMIT

All ages

INCLUDED

Organic breakfast

ABOUT

Welcome to high standard unique hotel rooms, in cabins, in the guesthouse or in a fishing farm! Perhaps you will awake to the sound of the rooster crowing, laughs and chats from the kitchen when breakfast is in the making or the puppies racing around in the dog yard.

We live in the forest, 10 km from Alta City and 500 m from the Alta River. There are good trails straight from the cottage door, for hiking, biking and skiing. We have a dog yard with 60 Alaska huskies. Come visit the kennel! This is the perfect accommodation for those who want something else than an ordinary hotel bed.

Here you will find an inventive atmosphere, but also peace and quiet in the evenings. We have a lot of rooms for children to play outside.

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PLACE
TO STAY



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Accommodation

MIN - MAX GUESTS

380

AGE LIMIT

All ages

INCLUDED

Breakfast

ABOUT

Scandic Alta is perfect for anyone wishing to experience Norway's spectacular nature up close.

With a meeting and conference capacity for 650 participants, as well as access to a swimming pool and sauna, you can easily combine business with pleasure. Start your day with a hearty breakfast in our Restaurant Alta. Our stylish, contemporary restaurant is a combined café and à la carte restaurant. We offer excellent meeting and conference facilities with bright and airy rooms that can host up to 650 participants. Parking is available in our garage or just outside the hotel for guest arriving by car.

Scandic Alta is an excellent hotel for anyone wishing to explore this exciting destination and enjoy the spectacular, world-class experiences on offer.

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TO STAY



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Luxurious Sami Glamping

MIN - MAX GUESTS

1-6

AGE LIMIT

All ages

INCLUDED

Breakfast

ABOUT

Welcome to our village Maze, a small Sami pearl between Alta and Guovdageaidnu. We look forward inviting you to a different kind of luxurious accommodation experience. Meet the combination of tradition and cultural heritage with comfort and modern solutions.

With us you get to live close to nature with a magnificent view of our local nature and the famous Maze-Alta river that flows by. Breakfast is served on our big Lavvu with local ingredients. The rooms are equipped with their own private toilets, comfortable beds and ceiling windows with opportunities to view the Northern Lights. The shower is located in a separate building. We recommend combining this product with our other activities, such as Ráidu – Traditional Reindeer sledding

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TO STAY




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Accommodation in city center

MIN - MAX GUESTS

1-350

AGE LIMIT

All ages

INCLUDED

Breakfast

ABOUT

In the middle of Alta's town centre, you find the perfect base for exploring Alta and its Arctic surroundings. Thon Hotel Alta is a modern business hotel which is also well suited to holiday travellers.

150 modern and spacious hotel-rooms and restaurant awaits you, and we wish you a hearty welcome. Restaurant with a varied selection of local and regional dishes.

Suitable for both individual and larger groups. The hotel has a well equipped fitness room, where you as our guest can work out for free.

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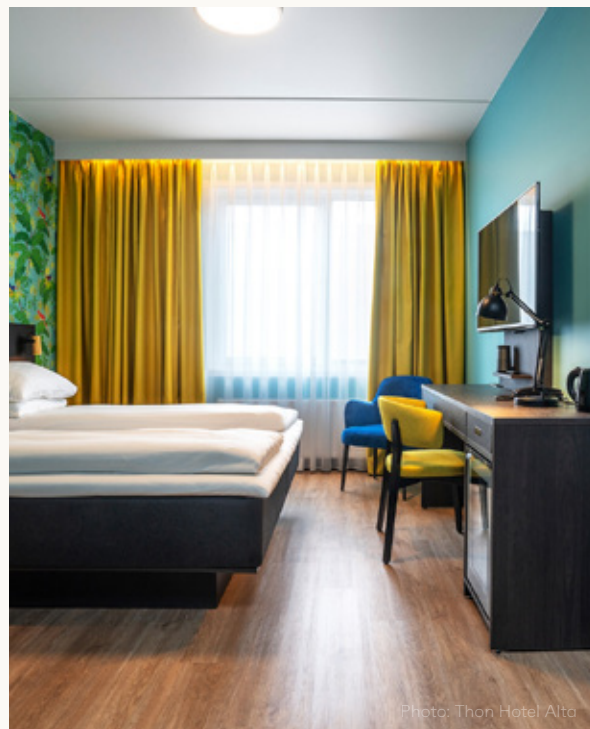


Photo: Thon Hotel Alta

Accommodation

PLACE
TO STAY



MIN - MAX GUESTS

1-8

AGE LIMIT

12 years+

INCLUDED

Breakfast

ABOUT

Welcome to a family-driven tourist destination surrounded by the stunning nature of Jøkelfjord.

Here we can offer you high-end accommodation for up to 6 people divided between our 3 fantastic igloos (40m²) all which have really comfortable furniture, and beds and bedding of the highest quality. The cabin has two bathrooms, a sauna, hot tub, dining room/meeting room, a staff kitchen, and storage. All our guests have free access to all the facilities in the service building during their stay. The building has free high-speed WIFI. We can accommodate dining and meeting facilities for up to 10 people.

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Northern Lights Cabins

PLACE
TO STAY



ABOUT

What's better than staying the night only 100 meters from our horses and activities?

Here you can enjoy all seasons under the night sky in one of our northern light cabins, they even have their own jacuzzi so you can relax after a long day in the saddle, or a cold day in the sleigh.

In the summer you can enjoy the midnight sun, during wintertime- if you are lucky, you might see the northern lights dance for you!

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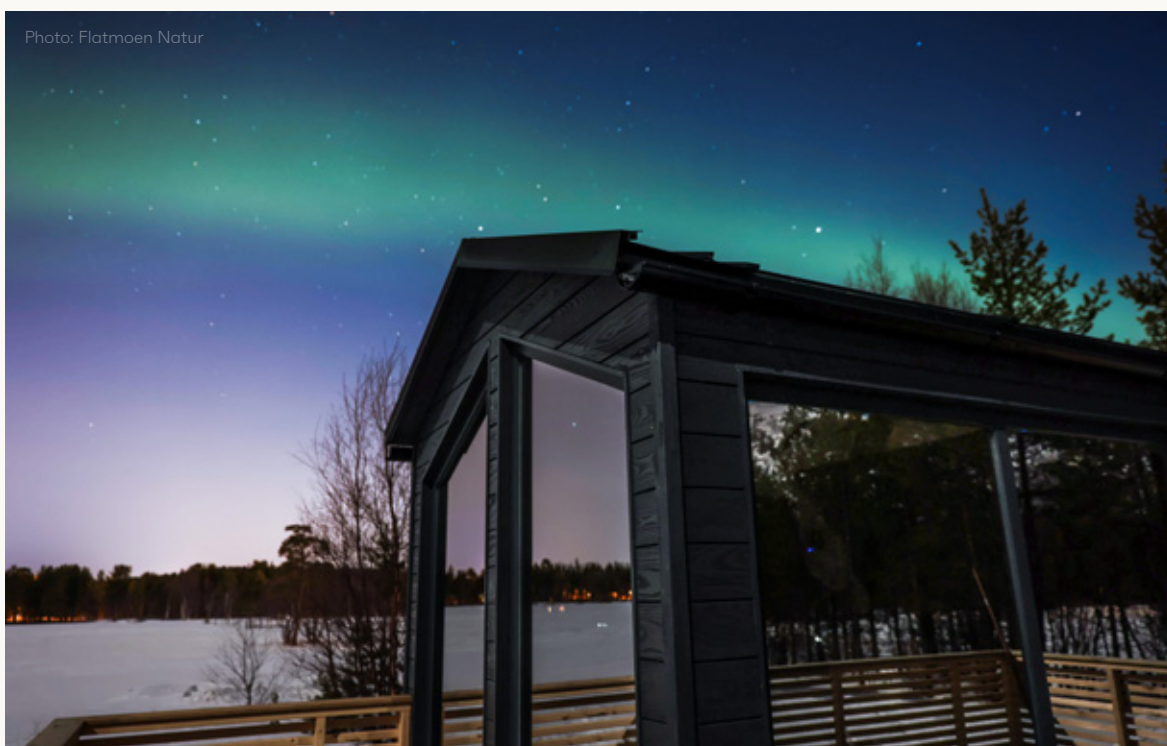
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Breakfast

Photo: Flatmoen Natur



Accomodation at Bjørnfjell

AGE LIMIT

All ages

INCLUDED

Breakfast

ABOUT

Situated in the heart of the arctic, the mountain lodge exhibits a deep-rooted connection to Norwegian farming and cabin culture.

On average, Norwegians spend 60 days a year in cabins. This is a part of their cultural heritage. In earlier times the farmers brought their livestock into the mountains on pasture during the summer, and while herding the cows and sheep they lived in small cabins. At the mountain lodge they lived by the food they made, the berries they gathered, and whatever the nature offered them.

At Bjørnfjell Mountain Lodge we want to give you the opportunity to take part in this Norwegian cabin culture.

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Reindeer ride

DIFFICULTY



MIN - MAX GUESTS

2-10

AGE LIMIT

All ages

DURATION OF ACTIVITY

2 hours

DISTANCE

4 km

INCLUDED

Coffee/tea and
homemade cake

ABOUT

Reindeer play a central part of the Sámi culture and have been used to transport people for generations. On this trip you can enjoy silence, in a sled behind a reindeer just listening to the reindeers' hooves crackling in the snow. Our sámi guides take you to a Lavvo , where you will hear about the sámi culture in the pleasant surroundings around the bonfire. You will get a fascinating sight in to the special semi nomadic culture. If weather and light conditions are optimal, you can get the opportunity to experience the magical Northern lights dance across the sky.

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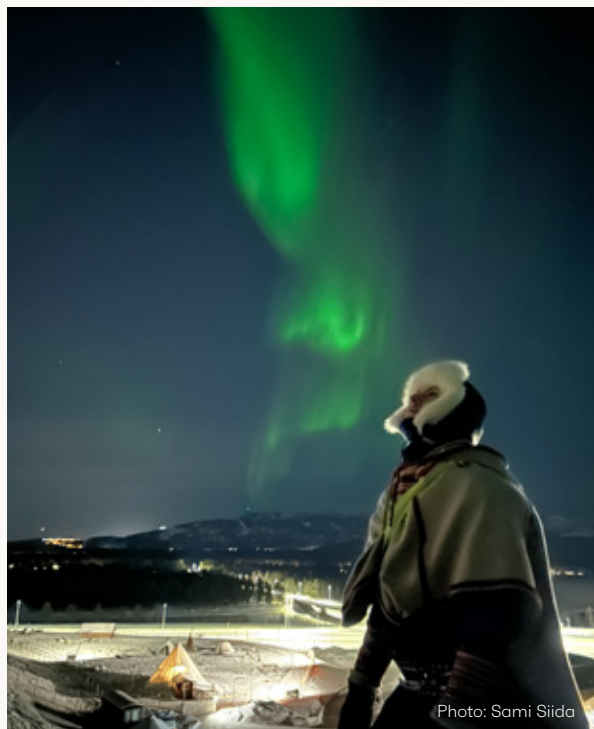


Photo: Sami Siida

Sámi Cultural Experience

DIFFICULTY



MIN - MAX GUESTS

30

AGE LIMIT

All ages

DURATION OF ACTIVITY

1 hour

DISTANCE

1 km

INCLUDED

Warm clothes and warm drinks

ABOUT

Through storytelling and reindeer sledding, we will guide you into our living culture and provide insight into our traditions. Lavvu is a traditional sámi tent that has been used by the sámi for generations and adapted to our nomadic way of life and the northern climate. In cozy surroundings, around the fire in a lavvo we find the peace to give you a unique insight into Sámi culture. Our local guides will give you a Sámi cultural experience through their stories about our traditions. You will experience the power of joik and have the opportunity to see and feel traditional handmade clothing. As a finale, we offer you the experience of sledding with one of our reindeer around Sámi Siida. If weather and light conditions are optimal, you may also experience the magical northern lights dance in the sky while enjoying the reindeer sled ride.

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Photo: Sami Siida

Sami Experience with Traditional Reindeer Driving and Sami Meal

DIFFICULTY



MIN - MAX GUESTS

2-70

AGE LIMIT

All ages

DURATION OF ACTIVITY

2-3 hours

DISTANCE

150 m

INCLUDED

Meal, transport can be booked (not included)

ABOUT

The Sami family will greet you in their home village Maze and serve you traditional Sami food with reindeer meat. You will also get the opportunity to see and join reindeersledding in the Sami traditional way. Reindeer herding is still today a traditional way of lifestyle of some Sami people and you will learn more about reindeer herding from the old days and reindeerherding today.

While you are enjoying the hot meal around the fire, the Sami people will tell you more about them, their lifestyle and history of the old days and new days, and the trip ends with joik, the sami way to sing.

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Photo: Árvu

Unique Stay with Reindeer Herders on the Mountain

DIFFICULTY



MIN - MAX GUESTS

1-6

AGE LIMIT

9-65

(in ok shape)

DURATION OF ACTIVITY

4-72 hours

DISTANCE

100-200 m

INCLUDED

Meal, transport can be booked (not included)

ABOUT

Have you ever wondered what a day with Reindeer herders looks like? Join us for reindeer herding in a traditional way with modern and comfortable solutions. Sami Reindeer herders still practice reindeer herding in a traditional way, but modernized.

We want to welcome you to us in Kautokeino for a stay at our reindeer herd in Kautokeino community. The location of the herd depends on time the season, whether it is summer, summer-autumn or the one of the other 8 seasons. The activities depend on the season and consist of, among other things, reindeer herding, migrating, gathering the herd and other work. And other activities such as harvesting what nature has to harvest in each season, ice fishing or fishing with a pole in the summer. The activities are seasonal and depends on when you visit us. This product includes all meals and lodging and lodging equipment. Transportation from tart point is included. Start point is our home town village Maze, 70 km away from Maze. This product varies throughout the year.

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Sami & Reindeer Experience

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MIN - MAX GUESTS

1-12

AGE LIMIT

3 years+

ABOUT ACTIVITY

Your Sami guide will collect you from Sorrisniva and introduce you to your reindeer who will pull your sled through the local wilderness. The sled is designed for two persons to sit side by side and you will be provided with Arctic clothing as appropriate and sit on reindeer skins. You will stop at the Sami's lavvu (tepee like tent) where you sit on reindeer skins around the fire and hear stories about the Sami culture before continuing the sledding back to Sorrisniva.

The combination of the reindeer sledding and sitting in a Lavvu around the fire hearing tales about the Sami culture provides a fascinating insight into this special semi nomadic culture.

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Necessary equipment and guide

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Reindeer Herd by Snowmobile

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MIN - MAX GUESTS

6-30

AGE LIMIT

18-70 years

DURATION OF ACTIVITY

5 hours

ABOUT ACTIVITY

Kautokeino is Norway's largest reindeer herding municipality where the traditions are still maintained. Join a trip to the reindeer herd. On this tour, you will also have the opportunity to take nice close-up pictures of the reindeer. Along the way, we will also stop at a lavvu, where we can get warm from the fire, drink coffee and enjoy a good portion of traditional Sami feast food "Bidus".

We drive two people per snowmobile and the trip starts from the Thon hotel, where guests are given warm outdoorwear.

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INCLUDED

Guide, necessary equipment and food



Sami and reindeer in Masi

DIFFICULTY



MIN - MAX GUESTS

2-80

AGE LIMIT

8 years+

DURATION OF ACTIVITY

5 hours

DISTANCE

150 km

INCLUDED

Guide, snack or lunch and warm drink

ABOUT ACTIVITY

The tour begins in Alta, where your guide will join you for your adventure and show you the route to the Sami town of Masi. Along the way, we will tell you about life in Alta and Norway, the history of the area, and details about the history and future of the Sami people.

When you arrive in Masi, you will be greeted by a member of a local reindeer-herding family. You'll meet a few frisky reindeer, and try out a brief reindeer sled ride. After a fun reindeer ride, you are ushered into a lavvo. Over coffee and delicious dried reindeer meat snacks (or lunch if you prefer), you'll spend the rest of your two-hour stay talking with your host about the old days and old ways of the Sami. You'll even hear joiking, the chantlike song of the Sami. Guests will need to supply the transport – we can help arrange a rental car if needed.

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Sami Riverboat Tour in Masi

DIFFICULTY



MIN - MAX GUESTS

2-60

AGE LIMIT

8 years+

DURATION OF ACTIVITY

5 hours

DISTANCE

150 km

INCLUDED

Guide, river boat safari, snacks and soft drinks

ABOUT ACTIVITY

The tour begins in Alta, where your guide will join you for your adventure and show you the route to the Sami town of Masi. Along the way, we will tell you about life in Alta and Norway, the history of the area, and details about the history and future of the Sami people.

In Masi, you will be greeted by a member of a local reindeer-herding family. We'll head down to the river by the camp for a short boat tour to see a bit of the area surrounding Masi. After, we go to a large lavvo, a traditional Sami tent that features a fire in the center. Over coffee and delicious dried reindeer meat snacks (or lunch if you prefer), you'll spend the rest of your stay talking with your host about the old days and old ways of the Sami. You'll even hear joiking, the chantlike song of the Sami. Guests will need to supply the transport – we can help arrange a rental car if needed.

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Ski Expedition Finnmarks- vidda

DIFFICULTY



MIN - MAX GUESTS

4-6

AGE LIMIT

18 years+

DURATION OF ACTIVITY

4 days

ABOUT ACTIVITY

Join a four-day trip across the Finnmark plateau and experience the magnificent nature on the endless plateau.

We spend the night in heated mountain lodges and are served a hot dinner in the evening. Together we put behind us a distance of approx. 90 km. The longest is day two when we cross Finnmark's largest lake, Lesjavri.

On skis across the Finnmarksvidda, we use certified Arctic nature guides and we make sure that you get a good experience from start to finish. Join an adventure! Includes overnight stay at three mountain lodges, breakfast, lunch and dinner.

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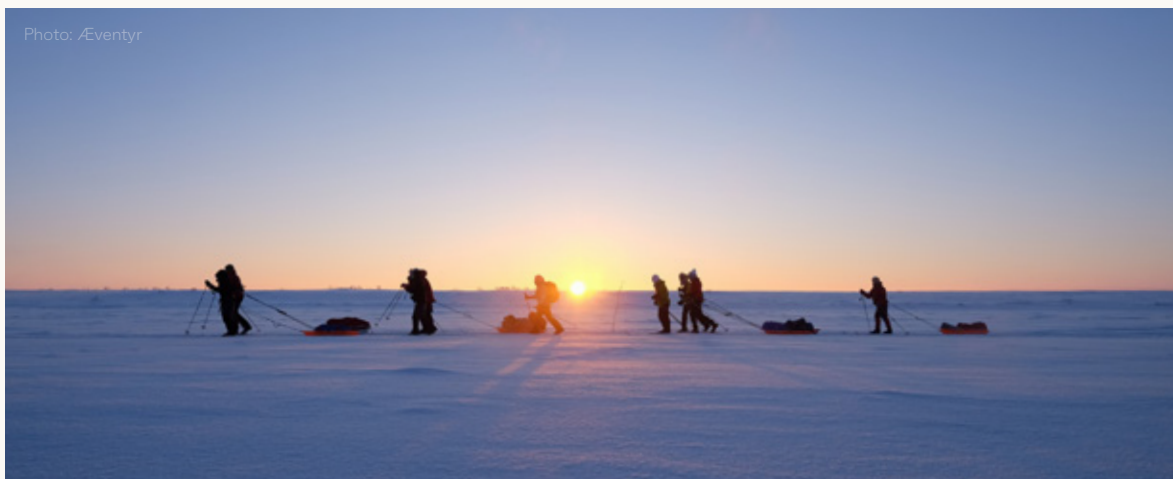
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Tours available during March and April

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Alpine Skiing & Snowboarding

DIFFICULTY



AGE LIMIT

All ages

INCLUDED

Safety equipment and guide

ABOUT ACTIVITY

SarvesAlta Alpine Resort is nestled in a beautiful setting overlooking the Alta Fjord and the valleys that surround the town.

It's a cozy and family-friendly winter park that's great for everyone, whatever your age or fitness level.

We have slopes of all difficulties and a snow-park for those who want to challenge themselves with jumps and rails.

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Try Skiing - Classic Nordic Skiing

DIFFICULTY



MIN - MAX GUESTS

2-8

AGE LIMIT

12 years+

DURATION OF ACTIVITY

4 hours

INCLUDED

Guide, transfer, warm drinks, soup and necessary equipment.

ABOUT ACTIVITY

Never tried Nordic classic skiing before? We are beginning our winter experience on a flat track which is prepared with a cross country ski slope to make it easier in the beginning. We provide all the equipment and winter thermal gear you need for a pleasant day with us.

As we keep the group small you get a very personal introduction from your guide to teach you the correct technique. When your skills have increased after the training session we go for a little tour in the fairytale winter surrounding of Alta.

A reasonable good balance is required for skiing, but do not worry, the skiing tracks will not be of the demanding type. The aim is to learn and to have fun!

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Randonnée skiing on Seiland and Stjernøya

DIFFICULTY



MIN - MAX GUESTS

2-50

AGE LIMIT

18 years+

OTHER INFORMATION

Transfer, guide, necessary equipment, warm drinks and snacks.

ABOUT ACTIVITY

Seiland House is surrounded by stunning nature where steep mountains plunges into the sea. This is the right place for those skilled skiers who are interested in the “Sea to summit” experience in a non-crowded destination and untouched snow.

Seiland National Park has a range of beautiful mountains, with Seilandstuva as its highest point, 1078 meters above the sea level. Here you can also find several lakes, the two northernmost glaciers in Scandinavia – Seilandsjøkelen and Nordmannsjøkelen – and many alpine peaks more than 800 m high that invite skilled skiers for a new challenge in an almost unexplored place. After an exciting day, our guests can relax in the outdoor sauna/jacuzzi/hot tub area. We do not offer skiing guide, but if you bring your guide, we can share with you local information and show you in the map the different peaks and level of difficulties.

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Photo: Seiland House



Ski touring

SKIING



DIFFICULTY



MIN - MAX GUESTS

1-12

ABOUT ACTIVITY

The Finnmark alps is a fantastic mountain area that is located in the west of Finnmark county and the northern part of Troms county.

Here we have peaks in all variations that stretch up to 1100 m directly from the sea. To find the best mountains and the best snow, we use local guides that has grown up in the area and know the area very well. Our job is to guide you safely through our mountains and down to the sea again.

This is a mountain area known for its mix of mellow cruising, steep challenges and accessible peaks. The entire day will be used for ski touring, from sea to peak. We rent out ski touring gear (ski, boots, skins etc) if you need. Safety equipment (beacon, probe, shovel) for each person is needed on our trips and can also be rented if needed.

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AGE LIMIT

18 years+

DURATION OF ACTIVITY

8 hours

DISTANCE

5 km

INCLUDED

Guide

RECOMMENDED FOR



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Photo: Spor Giuiding

Ski Mountaineering

DIFFICULTY



MIN - MAX GUESTS

2-30

ABOUT ACTIVITY

The mountains surrounding Nuvsvåg and the Nuvsfjord constitute the steepest and most alpine part of the Finnmark Alps. The area is packed with untouched mountains and world class skiing for you to discover. Your skill level is not important, you'll find terrain suitable for beginners as well as for experienced skiers.

In addition to mountains rising straight up from the ocean, the glacier in the bottom of the fjord offer great skiing and powder fun. At Arctic Nuvsvåg we have skiable terrain not far from our cabins, just strap your bindings and go. If you have in mind a specific destination further away, you might choose «ski by car» or use one of our boats as transport.

The combination of challenging terrains and cold temperatures is a good recipe for awesome skiing. You should always check the latest avalanche warning before heading out, learn the "fjellvettreglene" (rules of thumb when out in the wild), gather information about your destination, and always plan your trip based on weather forecast and the conditions you may face. Before heading out, get familiar with your avalanche beacon and other safety equipment – and make sure it works properly.

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AGE LIMIT

10 years+

DURATION OF ACTIVITY

2-10 hours

DISTANCE

3-18 km

INCLUDED

Transfer upon request,

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Photo: Polarnatt

Mountain Sledding

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DIFFICULTY



DURATION OF ACTIVITY

1,5-2 hours

AGE LIMIT

All ages

INCLUDED

Necessary equipment

ABOUT ACTIVITY

With these sleds you can take the Ski Lift to the top of the mountain. From there you'll reach a special track dedicated to Mountain Sledding. Race down the mountain and power-slide through the snow!

This activity is possible to do for everyone. Those 10 years and older can ride the sled by themselves. Younger children may require an adult to accompany them

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Northern Lights Snowmobile Safari

DIFFICULTY



MIN - MAX GUESTS

1-50

AGE LIMIT

18 years+

DURATION OF ACTIVITY

5 hours

DISTANCE

50-70 km

ABOUT ACTIVITY

Have you always dreamt of seeing the beautiful northern lights? Why not do it on a snowmobile, surrounded by the most amazing nature? It is a great way to spend an evening in Finnmark, and is sure to give you memories to last you a lifetime!

These trips are perfect for a family get-away, team building, or for anybody wanting to explore Finnmark on a snowmobile and experience the magical northern lights. You can ride alone on a scooter, or share the magic with a passenger. Drivers must have a valid car or MC license.

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INCLUDED

Transfer, necessary equipment and guide.



Photo: Finnmark Snowmobile Safari

Snowmobile safari 1 day trip

DIFFICULTY



MIN - MAX GUESTS

4-40

AGE LIMIT

18 years+

DURATION OF ACTIVITY

4 - 8 hours

OTHER INFORMATION

This trip is not recommended for those with back problems.

INCLUDED

All necessary equipment, warm drinks, snacks and guide

ABOUT ACTIVITY

The trip you experience is in a natural setting that is the best you can experience.

We start by valley and move slowly with certainty upwards towards the edge of the beautiful Finnmarksvidda plateau. Finnmarksvidda can be described as endless snowy plateaus and beautiful surroundings, you get the feeling of being small in the vast landscape. When we have reached the Finnmarksvidda we visit Jotka mountain lodge where it is possible to buy coffee, cakes, lunch. We will review safety routines before departure and basic training in scooter riding. If you do not want to drive yourself, you can ride with someone else in your group.

This trip is suitable for most even those without experience from snowmobiling. The trip is in easy terrain.

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Snowmobile Tour

DIFFICULTY



MIN - MAX GUESTS

2-6

AGE LIMIT

10 years+

DURATION OF ACTIVITY

4 hours

DISTANCE

20 km

INCLUDED

Transfer, necessary equipment, meal and warm drinks.

ABOUT ACTIVITY

Experience Storekorsnes from the snowmobile. We take you on a scooter ride with a guide up the mountain to various viewpoints where you are captivated by the beautiful mountain and sea views.

The trip takes place in a beautiful hilly coastal terrain where you can spot sea eagles, foxes, reindeer – and if you are lucky, the northern lights dance when we drive in the evening. After the tour, a light meal and coffee/tea are served in our warm, cozy panoramic barbecue house.

Before the trip, we go through a safety course. Car certificate required.

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Photo: Storekorsnes Ferie og Fritid



Snowmobile Tour to the top of the Alta - Haldde

DIFFICULTY



MIN - MAX GUESTS

4-15

AGE LIMIT

18 years+

DURATION OF ACTIVITY

5 hours

DISTANCE

70 km

INCLUDED

Necessary equipment, lunch and warm drinks.

ABOUT ACTIVITY

The start of this trip goes from Mathisdalen in Alta up to Haldde. The last leg is somewhat more challenging, so this trip suits those who have driven a snowmobile before. If you have not driven before, or do not feel safe on snowmobiling you can ride in one of our scooter sleds, these are closed and comfortable to sit in. The last few meters to the top we have to go. When we reach the top of Haldde we enjoy the view and experience before entering the historic buildings where we enjoy a light lunch and hot drinks. You get good stories about Haldde and the life that was up there in the 1899-1920s. You will experience spectacular scenery and beautiful mountains before reaching the summit where you will be stunned by the views, nature and the forces that it surrounds!

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Snowmobile safari

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DIFFICULTY



MIN - MAX GUESTS

1-50

AGE LIMIT

18 years+

DURATION OF ACTIVITY

1 hour-7 days

ABOUT ACTIVITY

Experience Finnmark on a top modern snowmobile - the ultimate way to do it! You can join us on a lunch trip to Jotka, a famous mountain lodge with great lunch in a beautiful location. The perfect way to spend an afternoon! Or, if you want a longer trip we can ride from mountain lodge to mountain lodge over 2-7 days and you can truly experience the magical Finnmark plateau! Get in touch, and we will find the perfect experience for you. These trips are perfect for a family get-away, team building, or for anybody wanting to explore Finnmark on a snowmobile, whether it be a short ride or a long weekend away.

You can ride alone on a scooter, or share the magic with a passenger. Drivers must have a valid car or MC license.

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INCLUDED

Transfer, necessary equipment and guide.



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Day Trip with snowmobile

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DIFFICULTY



MIN - MAX GUESTS

6-18

AGE LIMIT

6 years+

DURATION OF ACTIVITY

5 hours

DISTANCE

20 km

INCLUDED

Transfer, necessary equipment and snacks.

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ABOUT ACTIVITY

We show you the beautiful Beskades mountain. We start from Suolovuopmi Mountain Lodge and go up in the Arctic wilderness.

This trip is perfect if you want to experience Finnmark`s mountains and nature, as comfortable sightseeing.

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Northern Lights & Snowmobile

DIFFICULTY



MIN - MAX GUESTS

2-14

AGE LIMIT

20 years +

DURATION OF ACTIVITY

5-9 hours

DISTANCE

60 km

ABOUT ACTIVITY

We start from Suolovuopmi Mountain Lodge and go up in the Arctic wilderness.

This trip is perfect if you want to experience Finnmark`s mountains and nature. The trip goes on the frozen thundra against the place we have the best chance to spot the beautiful northern lights. Even if we dont find the northern lights- its a gorgeous trip in spectacular surroundings.

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INCLUDED

Transfer, necessary equipment and a meal.



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Snowmobiling to Kautokeino

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MIN - MAX GUESTS

2-14

AGE LIMIT

20 years +

DURATION OF ACTIVITY

7-10 hours

DISTANCE

140 km

ABOUT ACTIVITY


We start from Suolovuopmi mountain lodge and follow the old historic post road towards Kautokeino. The trip will go in varied landscapes over plateaus, birch forests and river beds. This tour combines fantastic landscapes topped with a Sami guide who will tell a little about the Sami, upbringing, and that if it is suitable for the reindeer grazing district, there are opportunities to stop visiting the reindeer herd.

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INCLUDED

Transfer, necessary equipment and a meal.



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Explore Sápmi at snowmobile

DIFFICULTY



MIN - MAX GUESTS

2-14

AGE LIMIT

20 years +

DURATION OF ACTIVITY

3 days

DISTANCE

300 km

INCLUDED

Transfer, necessary equipment and a meal.

ABOUT ACTIVITY

This is the classic scooter tour across the Finnmarksvidda, from Alta to Karasjok. Named by Forbes Travel Guide for one of the world's five most beautiful trips, described as the inner file of Finnmark. Here we meet the traditional inner Finnmark on a snowmobile over low-rolling plateau landscape.

On the trip from Alta to Karasjok we will visit two of the traditional Mountain Lodges such as Jotka and Mollisjok Mountain Lodge. We follow parts of the Finnmarksløpet route and cross lešjávri, Finnmark's largest lake on this trip.

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Snowmobile Adventure

DIFFICULTY



MIN - MAX GUESTS

1-16

AGE LIMIT

12 years+

DURATION OF ACTIVITY

3 hours

ABOUT ACTIVITY

Join us and experience the charm of the Arctic wilderness! No previous knowledge is required to drive a snowmobile. All you need is a regular driver's license, and it's as simple as it is fun.

A thorough safety introduction and driving instruction will be given before the trip starts. You will ride in pairs, a driver and a passenger on each snowmobile, with the opportunity to change seats during the trip. We drive into the remote mountain plateau Finnmarksvidda, one of Europe's last wilderness areas.

We follow the old postal path up to the highest point of the plains. We can not promise you windless days and clear skies, but whatever the weather, the nature on the plateau will be just as magnificent and impressive. Hot drinks and a snack give a cozy touch to the outdoor experience.

Cancellation may occur due to weather conditions.

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OTHER INFO

Transfer, necessary equipment, snacks and warm drinks.

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Snowmobile safari

DIFFICULTY



MIN - MAX GUESTS

2-7

AGE LIMIT

18 years+

DURATION OF ACTIVITY

5 hours

DISTANCE

60 km

INCLUDED

Transfer, guide, necessary equipment, warm drinks and snacks.

ABOUT ACTIVITY

Experience freedom joining in a snowmobile safari up in the mountain plateau of Finnmarksvidda where you will discover a different beauty in the Arctic nature and experience the systematic changes of lights. Some people say that being on the Finnmarksvidda plateau is like reaching the end of the world. And there is where we plan to take you in this adventurous tour.

Driving snowmobile is a great way to experience freedom being in direct contact with nature. We will give a short instruction on how to drive a snowmobile and bring warm beverages for you to enjoy during the trip. Depending on the request we can also arrange bigger groups and have overnight in mountain cabins with simple but authentic conditions to live up there. If we are lucky, we can also meet a reindeer herd in their traditional migration over the mountain plateau or a dogsledding team.

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Snowmobile Safari Tour 3 Hours

DIFFICULTY



MIN - MAX GUESTS

2-8

AGE LIMIT

16 years+

DURATION OF ACTIVITY

3 hours

DISTANCE

20 km

INCLUDED

Necessary equipment, hot drinks and snacks

ABOUT ACTIVITY

Join us for an exciting snowmobile adventure in Alta! With a snowmobile, you can explore places you've never seen before. Visit our cozy lavvocamp, snap photos from a scenic viewpoint, and soak in the beauty of the landscape. For an extra special experience, consider an evening trip to chase the Northern Lights away from city lights.

The whole trip will take about 3 hours. The trip begins with a thorough safety introduction. The trail has a distance of 10 km each way, 20 km in total.

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Snowmobile Safari Tour 6 Hours

DIFFICULTY



MIN - MAX GUESTS

2-8

AGE LIMIT

16 years+

DURATION OF ACTIVITY

6-7 hours

INCLUDED

Necessary equipment, hot drinks and snacks, transportation

ABOUT ACTIVITY

Are you ready to explore the Arctic plateau and Alta canyon on a snowmobile and enjoy lunch at a traditional Fjellstue? Then our 6-hour day tour is perfect for you!

This full-day snowmobile tour with lunch offers an unforgettable experience for everyone, whether you're an expert rider or a first-timer. Starting in downtown Alta, we provide all the necessary gear, including thermal suits and helmets. After a short 15-minute drive to our starting point, we'll hop on our snowmobiles at the trailhead. Once we're on the trail, our experienced guides will lead the way, adjusting the difficulty of the tour to suit the group's skill level. You'll have plenty of opportunities to snap some great photos at our occasional stops. We'll traverse vast frozen lakes and visit the Alta canyon before reaching the midpoint.

At the midpoint, we'll arrive at a traditional Fjellstue, accessible only by snowmobile. Here, you'll enjoy a warm, traditional Sami lunch, along with coffee and time for conversation. After lunch, we'll head back to the trail and return to Alta. Don't miss out on this incredible opportunity to experience the

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Snowmobiling in the Arctic

DIFFICULTY



MIN - MAX GUESTS

2-45

AGE LIMIT

5 years+

DURATION OF ACTIVITY

2,5 hours - 2 days

DISTANCE

30 km - 240 km

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INCLUDED

Guide and necessary equipment.

ABOUT ACTIVITY

Experience the Arctic winter landscape whilst driving a snowmobile through the local nature.

Sorrisniva pioneered snowmobile safaris and we continue to be the largest operator in Norway. Our guides will ensure a safe yet exhilarating experience ranging from a short local trip to longer trips with lunch or overnighting in a mountain hut. We offer four different trip options: Arctic Light Snowmobiling Experience (2,5 hours), Finnmarksvidda & Frozen Lakes Snowmobile Experience (4 hours), Snowmobiling Expedition to Karasjok (2 days) and Snowmobiling Under the Northern Lights (3 hours)

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Snowshoe Adventure

DIFFICULTY



MIN - MAX GUESTS

1-6

AGE LIMIT

8 years+

DURATION OF ACTIVITY

4 hours

OTHER INFO

Guide, necessary equipment, coffee/tea, waffle and entrance.

ABOUT ACTIVITY

Join us on a snowshoe trip and experience the Arctic nature on foot. From our Explorer Store we take a 30 min drive in our new environmentally friendly electric van through the beautiful nature around Alta until we get to our final destination Gargia Lodge, our outpost in the valley south of Alta.

Here you will find true wilderness. When we arrive Gargia we will get our gear on and have a nice 45-60 min walk in beautiful nature, surrounded by pine- and birch forest in the beautiful Gargia Valley. After our walk we will come back to the Lodge, where we will sit around the fireplace and have a coffee and traditional Norwegian waffle cake, while our guide will tell you stories about the local culture and the area around Alta. On the return to Alta we will make a stop to visit the famous ice hotel Sorrisniva, with its beautiful ice art and sculptures.

A bucket list experience, which is great for taking photos.

SNOW-SHOEING



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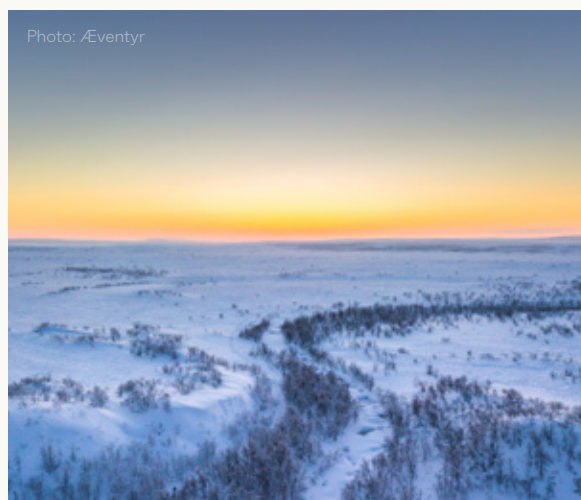
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Snowshoeing

DIFFICULTY



MIN - MAX GUESTS

1-16

AGE LIMIT

5 years+

DURATION OF ACTIVITY

3/4,5 hours

DISTANCE

2-4 km

INCLUDED

Transfer, necessary equipment and guide.

ABOUT ACTIVITY

We offer two different snowshoeing adventures.

Option 1: Snowshoeing, Husky, Ice fishing & Lunch (4,5 hours). This snowshoe trek takes us out to our wilderness camp where we try ice fishing on a frozen lake and enjoy lunch (included) grilled on an open fire and served in a Sami lavvu (herdsmen's tent).

Option 2: Snowshoeing & Husky (3 hours). We will experience the tracks of wild animals, including the King of the Forest, the moose, and other animals such as hares, foxes and squirrels. We also take a break and light an open fire to brew tea, coffee and hot chocolate.

We will be joined on both trips by one of our three Alaskan Huskies – Laggo, Atlas or Bruno.

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Snowshoe Tour With Guide

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SHOEING



DIFFICULTY



MIN - MAX GUESTS

2-8

AGE LIMIT

12 years+

DURATION OF ACTIVITY

3 hours

INCLUDED

Guide, necessary equipment
and warm drinks

ABOUT ACTIVITY

Guided hike on snowshoes from the
doorstep of our lodge through the
nearby forests.

As you make your way through
the Nordic pines the guide will tell
stories about the surroundings. Take
a break around a bonfire with some
hot chocolate while enjoying the
winter landscape and view.

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Snowshoe Explorer

DIFFICULTY



MIN - MAX GUESTS

4-15

AGE LIMIT

10 years+

DURATION OF ACTIVITY

3 hours

DISTANCE

1 km

SEASON



INCLUDED

Necessary equipment, guide, homemade cakes and warm drinks

ABOUT ACTIVITY

Our destination is in one with the nature and a perfect place for Snowshoe Exploring.

The Arctic light is surrounded with the light of the arctic in one with nature. Alta Event take you out to explore the Arctic nature on snowshoes | the wintertime. From December to April there is often snow and good conditions for snowshoeing. Snowshoeing is an easy way to get close to nature.

Take a break form the "everyday" and get in touch whit the nature. To be in one with the nature will give you the feeling of peace and harmony

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Guided Snowshoe Tour

DIFFICULTY



MIN - MAX GUESTS

2-10

AGE LIMIT

12 years+

DURATION OF ACTIVITY

2-3 hours

DISTANCE

1,8 km

SEASON



INCLUDED

Snowshoes, picnic bag

ABOUT ACTIVITY

Your guide will take you on a snowy winter experience in the nearby river valley. The trek goes up and down small hills, follows the river and ends at our outdoor camp. This journey will take about 50 minutes. At the camp, you'll help the guide to make a fire, and then you can warm your own toast by the open fire. Sitting on the reindeer skins, you can listen to stories your guide will tell you about wildlife, nature and the way of life for local people in the region.

Depending on the weather, we'll spend about 45-60 minutes by the fire before a short walk back to Onga lodge.

SNOW-SHOEING




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Photo: Onga Lodge

Explore the midnight sun

DIFFICULTY



MIN - MAX GUESTS

1-10

AGE LIMIT

26 years+

DURATION OF ACTIVITY

3 days+

DISTANCE

Optional

ABOUT ACTIVITY

Explore the magical midnight sun together with Opplev Finnmark guides and 5 more mobilehomes. We will guide you to some of our favorite places. Hopefully the midnight sun will shine all night, to give you an amazing experience. We will facilitate hikes in small mountains and short walks along the route just to show you what the nature Northern Norway has to offer. Everyday we shall make and eat some really nice food together, all made of fine local products

TRANSPORT





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OTHER INFORMATION

All necessary equipment is included

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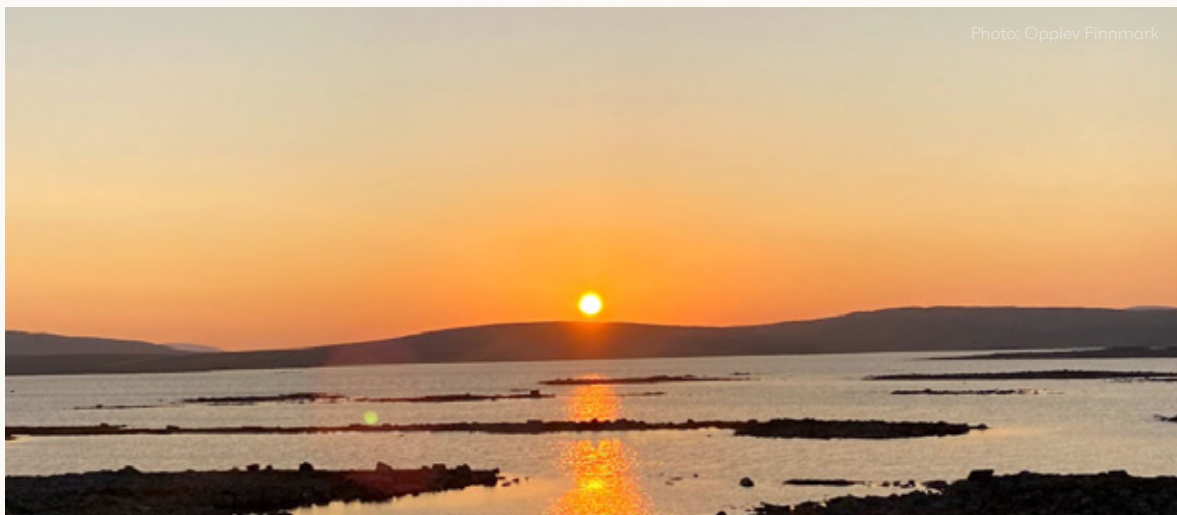


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Explore the Northern Lights

TRANSPORT



DIFFICULTY



MIN - MAX GUESTS

10-12

AGE LIMIT

26 years+

DURATION OF ACTIVITY

3 days+

DISTANCE

Optional

ABOUT ACTIVITY

Come join us to see the magical northern light. We will meet you at the airport and have your mobilehome ready for you. All set up for this northern light hunting, together with 5 more mobilehomes. Our guides will lead you to the places we most likely will see and explore this amazing phenomenon. We will offer you local and traditional food, all made by ourselves, together, and outside if the weather permitting. This will be a social, relaxing and fascinating guided tour. We warmly welcome you to join us.

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Car Rental

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DIFFICULTY



MIN - MAX SEATS

2-9

AGE LIMIT

18+

DURATION OF ACTIVITY


As desired


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INCLUDED

Full tank of fuel

ABOUT ACTIVITY

When renting a car you can get to wherever you would like, at your own speed - without being bound to a time schedule. You also get more freedom, time, and a calm stay in Alta/Finnmark.

You can drive to your own wished destinations, whether it is to the North Cape, or to experience Alta or Finnmarks local activities.

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Photo: Alta Bilutleie

Fjord & Whale Adventure

DIFFICULTY



MIN - MAX GUESTS

2-24

AGE LIMIT

12 years+

DURATION OF ACTIVITY

6 hours

INCLUDED

Guide, lunch and necessary equipment

ABOUT ACTIVITY

Visiting Finnmark in the winter can be recommended! We have a wonderful light here in the winter months. You also have the opportunity to experience the world's largest mammal, the whales, in the Alta fjord.

This trip combines both fjord and whale safaris. The most common whale species are humpback whales, but killer whales can also be seen. You will be dressed in warm winter suits, but we recommend that you dress well in wool underwear.

We adjust the starting point by boat based on where the whales are located. This can involve 1-2 hours by car to give you a comfortable and warm experience and the best chances to see whales. You will also have the opportunity to see other wildlife and get stories from the Alta fjord.

WHALE



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OTHER INFO

Offered from the end of November to mid of January.



Whale Watching

DIFFICULTY



MIN - MAX GUESTS

2-48

AGE LIMIT

All ages

DURATION OF ACTIVITY

3-4 hours

INCLUDED

Guide, outdoor and indoor observation

ABOUT ACTIVITY

Join finnmark moods on an unforgettable whale watching tour in the heart of Finnmark. Our boats offer a comfortable and safe experience, perfect for exploring the rich marine life of the Altafjord. The journey starts from our central location in Alta harbor, where you will be met by our experienced guides.

On board our spacious boats, we offer both comfortable, heated indoor observation areas and an open deck for those who want to experience nature up close. While enjoying panoramic views of the fjord, our guides will share fascinating insights into the region's nature and history, and keep an eye out for whales and other marine life

Although whale sightings cannot be guaranteed, the Altafjord is home to many species, including humpback whales and killer whales. Either way, the journey will offer outstanding views and opportunities to experience the diversity of wildlife in the area.

WHALE



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OTHER INFO

Passengers are encouraged to dress for the weather.



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Whale Watching Tour

DIFFICULTY



MIN - MAX GUESTS

2-8

AGE LIMIT

6 years+

DURATION OF ACTIVITY

4 hours

ABOUT ACTIVITY

Recently, whales have been appearing in Alta Fjord. They have migrated further north, giving us the opportunity to observe them in our area.

The two most common species in Alta Fjord are sperm whales and orcas, but there are also good chances of seeing porpoises and hourglass dolphins. You'll be amazed by the playful and curious behavior of the youngest whales.

WHALE




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Whale and Seabird Cruises from Alta

DIFFICULTY



MIN - MAX GUESTS

6-40

AGE LIMIT

6 years+

DURATION OF ACTIVITY

5 hours

INCLUDED

Coffee/tea and biscuits, thermal insulation suits and lifejacket

ABOUT ACTIVITY

Come and see Norwegian wildlife from a boat. On this whale-and bird safari departing from Alta, we will sail out on the Alta Fjord while admiring the fantastic coastal landscape.

The Alta Fjord is where the herring arrives in October, and large gatherings of whales are meet up for a feast. Species like orcas, humpbacks and finbacks can be seen here. In the surrounding area, another magnificent creature can be seen, namely the lord of the skies, the White-Tailed Eagle. There are copious of other birds in the area.

SEASON



OTHER INFO

The boat also depart on other days of the week, but only with minimum eight passengers as guests.

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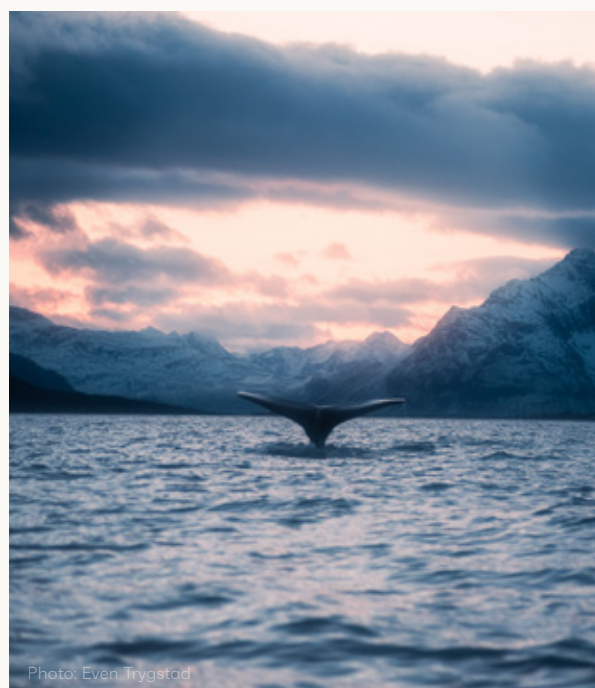


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