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ICEHOTEL

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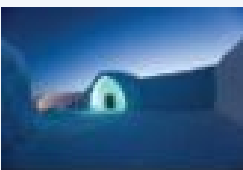
*** Sweden's no 1 destination**

ICEHOTEL is the best experience in Sweden. This according to French, German, British, Dutch and Italian tour operators who rewarded ICEHOTEL with the "Best Experience in Sweden" award on 23 October 2008.



ICEHOTEL

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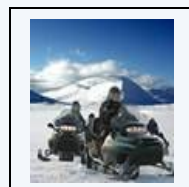
ICEHOTEL is situated in the picturesque village of Jukkasjärvi, 200 kilometers north of the Arctic Circle in Swedish Lapland, on the shores of the River Torne, which flows freely through the unspoiled wilderness.

As winter approaches every Autumn the pure clear water and gentle movement creates crystal clear ice up to 1 metre thick. This unique building material is the source of ICEHOTEL, ICEchurch and the Absolute ICEbar. In fact the entire ICEHOTEL is on loan from the mighty river Torne.

This year the world famous and original ICEHOTEL is creating yet another unique architectural masterpiece, constructed purely from ICE. Construction will begin in November 2009, some time after the first ice has formed and the first layer of magical snow has fallen. The doors to ICEHOTEL will open on Wednesday 10th December 2009 and building work continues into early January.

Staying at ICEHOTEL is an experience utterly unlike other hotel stays - it is an experience of a lifetime as well as an encounter with art and design that will surprise your senses.

ICEHOTEL is created with imagination and hard work, only to melt away under the unforgiving rays of the sun come springtime. All that remains are our impressions, our memories - and our photographs.



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Snowmobile, dog sled and moose safaris...

These excursions have been designed to give our guests a somewhat longer outdoor experience, to bring them a deeper understanding of the various activities, and of the lifestyle, culture and history they represent.

Some of the excursions will take place in animal territory, where it is only possible to bring small groups of people to protect the natural ecosystem.

SNOWMOBILE SAFARI

Snowmobile safari ...

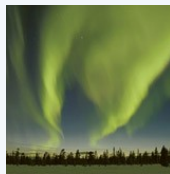
Thanks to the snowmobile, we can traverse untouched snowfields to places that would otherwise be inaccessible.



Snowmobile from Kiruna to Jukkasjärvi

Our guide meets you when you arrive at Kiruna Airport. You are immediately given warm outer clothing and your luggage is transferred to ICEHOTEL. A sandwich and a drink are served before you leave the airport or during a stop en route.

Daily schedule: in conjunction with flight arrivals, journey time is 2.5 hours.



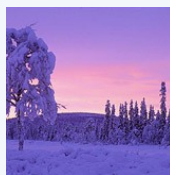
Northern lights safari, 4 hrs

Guided snowmobile excursion in search of the Northern Lights with an introduction to the phenomenon also known as Aurora Borealis. During the tour, our guide will talk about the Northern Lights and show slides of the phenomenon. Includes a wilderness meal in a genuine wilderness camp.



Snowmobile excursion, 1,5 hrs

Guided excursion, 2 persons per vehicle. After instructions on driving and safety measures, the group takes off on a 1-hour snowmobile safari through the ancient forests that surround Jukkasjärvi.



Wilderness safari by snowmobile, 4 hrs

An extra-long guided snowmobile ride through the wilderness in and around the ancient forest that surrounds Jukkasjärvi, including a traditional wilderness lunch. The lunch features smoked reindeer meat on bread plus salmon soup with herb aioli, followed by lingonberry cake served with coffee or tea.



For the enthusiast!

A tour for you who likes riding a snowmobile. You might have joined another of our tours and like to ride some more. We offer you 2 hours of great fun. Hopefully you get the feeling of free riding. You drive 1 person per snowmobile in small groups of 8 guests per guide at most.

Snowmobile excursion including overnight stay at wilderness camp. Join us for a two-day guided snowmobile excursion into the wilderness. You will drive through a wilderness area covered with deep snow and through dense forest.

In the company of our experienced and know-ledge able guides, this is a trip you will never forget. Your dinner at the wilderness camp comprises a main course and dessert. The menu varies according to the season, but always comprises local ingredients.

In the morning, you are served a hearty breakfast before jumping on the snowmobiles again to set off for new adventures. We stop for a snack over an open campfire.

Considering the length of the excursion, we recommend one person per snowmobile. Meals and towels for the sauna are included in the price.

More detailed information about this safari is available on request. We reserve the right to change the safari length and route in extreme weather conditions and when the temperature drops to less than 20 degrees below zero.

The distance covered varies from about 40 kilometers to 140 kilometers, depending on which wilderness camp we decide to use, and on weather and terrain conditions.

**ARCTIC TRAIL
SNOWMOBILE
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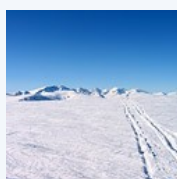
Arctic Trail snowmobile safari ...



Explore the landscape of Sami culture in Lapland. Travel along the ancient trails of this aboriginal people, through the forest and over the mountains.

The daily life of the Sami, bartering on the shores of the Arctic Ocean, reindeer migration and the summer homesteads tell of a life in harmony with animals and nature.

Come along on an unusual and fascinating snowmobile safari, far off the beaten path.



ICEHOTEL, the boundary stone of three nordic countries and Abisko National Reserve

From the dense pine forests in the subarctic region through snow covered and high mountains. Enjoy the beautiful sights over the tundra and icy lakes and visit the boundary stone where the borders of Sweden, Finland and Norway meet.



From ICEHOTEL to the Norwegian Sea

We follow one of the highest tracks in Swedish Lapland, trying our luck in fishing char, trout and grayling. Sauna, dinner and accommodation at a wilderness camp at the Rostujavri lake.



Exclusive food and snowmobile excursion

Approximately 85 kilometers: This Lapland adventure begins inside the welcome káta – or Sami-style tent – called Guossagoathi, which is just outside the airport gates.



Riksgränsen in the Swedish Lapland Mountains, 24 hours of daylight riding!

Riksgränsen is located in the Snow Belt and there will be snow up here - even if there is no snow left anywhere else in Swedish Lapland. The season stretches from early February until the end of May for snowmobiling. In late May you have daylight 24 hours a day thanks to the midnight sun.



From ICEHOTEL to Yllästunturi

From Sweden and the magic of ICEHOTEL to Finland and beautiful Yllästunturi. You drive your own snowmobile through the majestic snow covered wilderness area 300 km north of the arctic circle.

DOG SLEDS AND SAMI CULTURE

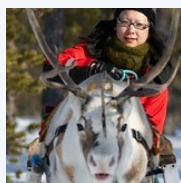
Dog sleds and Saami culture ...

The wilderness around Jukkasjärvi is a landscape without roads. Our four-legged public transport can forge its own paths over the expanses of white snow.



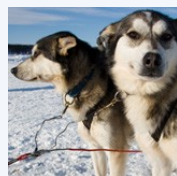
Ráidu - Sámi culture & reindeers

You are fetched by a Sámi guide, taken by snowmobile and driven sled to the Sámi viste ("homestead") at Sautosjohkka. Here, you can experience traditional Saami culture and try out lassoing and driving a reindeer sled. Traditional Sámi dishes are served over a campfire in a káta, a Sámi tent.



Reindeer sled tour, 1 day

Come closer the nature and experience the interaction between human and animal. With reindeer and sled we set out to the beautiful winter forest landscape for a days adventure. You'll get an insight in the Sámi everyday life and culture as well as try out driving a reindeer sled all on your own. Traditional Sámi dishes by an open fire.



Dog sled excursion with coffee break - 1,5 hrs

In Jukkasjärvi and its environs, there are more dogs than people. Seat yourself comfortably in the sled and head silently into the wilderness. Includes stop for coffee and cake over a campfire.



Dog sled from airport

An exotic way to travel to or from ICEHOTEL. You will be given warm outer clothing at the airport. Your luggage will be taken directly to ICEHOTEL, while you sit back and listen to the silence as the dogs pull you on.

The start of the season may vary depending on the supply of snow. Max. 4 persons/sled from the airport; max. three people from ICEHOTEL.

Daily in conjunction with flight arrivals.



Special tour: exclusive dog sled tour ...

... with a visit to the kennels. A more lengthy excursion, truly reminiscent of The Call of the Wild. This excursion also includes a two-course lunch served outdoors or in a cabin, depending on the temperature and weather conditions.

The excursion is rounded off with a visit to the kennel, including a guided tour, before transfer back to ICEHOTEL. The total travel distance is 28 kilometres; the total duration of the excursion, abt. 4 hrs



Sled dog adventure, 2 days

Drive your own team of huskies on an exciting sled dog adventure with overnight stay in the charming and rustic wilderness cabin. This 2-day adventure includes a visit to the kennel, an introduction to how to drive your own dog sled, overnight at a wilderness cabin with sauna and dinner, as well as the exciting feeling of driving you own dog sled.

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