

Your Trip Leaders

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Kitzbuhel, Austria/Bruges, Brussels

March 1-9 with Optional Extension March 9-12, 2024

Kitzbuhel, Austria ONLY: \$3,080.00 Per Person / Double Occupancy DESTINATION IKON

Including Optional Extension to Bruges, Brussels: \$3,485.00 Per Person / Double Occupancy

What's included:

- Round trip air from Boston to Munich via Lufthansa
- Round trip airport to hotel transfers in Europe by bus
- 7 nights accommodations with breakfast and 3 course dinner at the <u>Q1 Hotel Maria Theresia</u> ****
- All current taxes and fuel charges

Only 21 spots available for extension to Bruges, Brussels 21 people will return home to USA on March 9

What's not included:

- IKON Pass/Lifts
- Gratuities for housekeeping
- Drinks/Lunch
- Luggage chargesSide trips

• Side trips • Lunch/ Dinner in Bruges, Brussels US Airport bus and lift tickets not included but can be priced for add on at a later date based on interest.

Kitzbuhel, known as the beautiful Tyrolean ski town in Austria has a state of the art lift system and the most famous downhill race in the world – the Strief. It is the epitome of the perfect Austrian ski resort. Ski lifts extending from the center of Tyrolean town, huge terrain in a historical Austrian countryside. The Apres ski scene requires no experience and is sure to bring smiles and laughter. Skier or non-skier Kitzbuhel offers something for everyone, beautiful churches, shipping, restaurants. For the explorers, there are other ski resorts close by if you want to venture out and knock another resort off your bucket list. Ski safari (hut to hut), ski on piste or off, and a snowpark for the parkies. A tobaggan run, ice skating, XC skiing are also a part of the local culture. **IKON PASS LOCATION**

"Kitz" also includes a train station making it easier for the non-skier to side trip to nearby destinations such as Munich where you'll need two hands to drink a beer, Salzburg where you can skip around a fountain or Innsbruck where you can wander through old town.

Accommodations

Q! Hotel Maria Theresia (****) located closest to the Hahnenkammbahn Cable Car. Three course dinner with salad buffet. Elegant fireplace lounge with bar, a spa and workout room. Close to restaurants, apres ski hot spots and shopping. Bathrobes and slippers for spa onsite with sauna and stream room. Relaxing area with water-beds. Massage available onsite - extra cost.

The Skiing

Kitz is growing and continues to grow inter-connected to two other villages. Kitzbuhel, Kirchberg, Reith, Aurach, Jochberg, Mittersill, Hollerbach. The resort is a mix of terrain. <u>SkiMap</u>. The opportunity to ski safari a large area, ski the farmers fields or ski tour is available for the adventurous. The lift system is state of the art including a comfy warm seat. Kitz even offers tree skiing – something that is not so easy to find in Europe. Exploring towards Pass Thurn allows you loads of freeride terrain.

Registration and Payment Policy

All spots on this trip will be filled on a **First Come – First Served Basis.** Trip participants must become a paid active member of the club for the 2024 season before you can reserve a spot on a trip on July 1, 2023. Then you can sign up for the trip. In the past these trips have sold out very quickly, so don't delay! If the trip sells out, we will start a waiting list.

Trips are only secured by your non-refundable deposit of \$250 through the AESkiClub.com website ONLY!

Sign up Process: Nonrefundable deposit of \$250 – must be made online at <u>www.aeskiclub.com</u> to secure your spot with a PayPal or Venmo payment. A payment of \$1290 no Bruges, or \$1495 including Bruges immediately following and made by check or money order, payable to the AE Ski Club within 7 days of your online deposit must be received by [date]. Mail checks to: AE Ski Club, c/o Cheryl Parmelee; 78 Parmelee Road, Haddam, CT 06438

A valid U.S. passport satisfies requirements for U.S. citizens to enter Austria and Brussels. All names must be written as they appear on government issued photo ID, plus middle initial, date of birth and gender. Passport expiration date must be valid 6 months past return date of trip.

Subsequent payment amounts and timing, *AFTER on-line Deposit*, are based on lift ticket and age option:

Payment #	Due Date	No Extension	With Extension	Lift Pass if non IKON
1	July 1	\$1,290	\$1495	Priced later
2	September 15	\$1,540	\$1740	
3	November 15	Bus / Lifts		

For Single Occupancy: Add \$850 non-extension and \$1050 if Extension – Spots are VERY limited!!!!

CHECKS RETURNED AS UNPAID BY THE BANK WILL BE ASSESSED A \$35.00 FEE PER OCCURRENCE

Cancellation Policy

If you need to cancel, you must provide written notice to the trip leader. If participants choose to cancel, the following charges will apply (per person) based upon the date of receipt of written cancellation notice:

Receipt of Written Cancellation Notice	Amount Charged for Cancellation
After initial Deposit	\$ 250.00
October 28, 2023	\$ 495.00
November 28, 2023	\$ 695.00
After January 12, 2024	NO REFUND

Every effort will be made to substitute from the waiting list (if there is one) for anyone who must cancel. Any questions about the cancellation policy should be directed to your trip leaders. Changes in the itinerary may result in a \$200 change fee, plus any additional charges as a result of the change, if the change is possible.

TRIP CANCELLATION/INTERRUPTION INSURANCE:

Trip Insurance is highly recommended. Through our tour provider, we are able to offer you 2 insurance options customized for this trip. You must sign up on your own through the links provided below. The cost of the trip insurance is not refundable. Our tour provider has purchased the **Group Protection plan** on behalf of all participants, which helps protect you after departure. If interested in the optional **Group Deluxe Policy/Trip Cancellation** benefits – it's simple.

The first option is for the upgraded Travel Insured Group Deluxe Policy (note: pandemic not covered). <u>https://www.travelinsured.com/group.signup?group=125915&guid=1e9a1a0e9fb447b8b66a4fc729b7f9b3</u>

The second option is for the Travel Insured Group Deluxe CFAR (Cancel for Any Reason) policy. You must sign up for this option within 14 days of the date your initial deposit for your trip. https://www.travelinsured.com/group.signup?group=125916&guid=219adc07f20d410abcdfd72bf8ae8e1c

Payment Coupons

Payment 1 – Kitzbuhel, Austria \$1290 No Extension; \$1495 Extension

Name: Rooming with:			
	Passport Exp:		
Email for confirm:			
	// Bringing ski gear? YESor NO		
Bruges, Brussels for 3 nights	_ Sign me up for an extra \$405 (20 spots available)		
Please help me with Lift tickets for	days. I do not have an IKON pass!		
l aml am not interest	ed in bus transport to/from Boston at an extra cost.		
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•	540 No Extension; \$1740 Extension Amount Enclosed: . () OR No (). I made it in!		
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Payment 3 – Kitzbuhel, Austria. TB Name: Extension to Bruges, Brussels. YES			

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