



SKI THE AUSTRIAN ALPS

Zürs (Arlberg Ski Region) plus Munich!

February 2 – 12, 2018

\$2785 per person, sharing DOUBLE room

plus airport taxes of approx. \$205

Single supplement \$200 (\$110/Zürs + \$90/Munich) - Deduct \$755 (airfare and fuel surcharge) from package price for LAND ONLY

The famous **Arlberg ski region** (www.skiarlb.org.at) and the charming village of **Zürs** (www.zuers.at) await us! This vast alpine playground (Austria's largest interconnected ski area and the fifth largest in the world) offers 212 miles of marked, groomed ski runs, more than 110 miles of off-piste (ungroomed) runs, 87 lifts and 4400 feet of vertical drop, all on the same lift pass! Zürs, at 5630 feet above sea level, is a small, sophisticated skiing paradise that combines the enjoyment of winter sports with a cosmopolitan atmosphere. From Zürs, we can easily ski the interconnected ski slopes of **Lech, St. Anton, St. Christoph, Stuben, Oberlech, Warth-Schrökken** and **Zug**. Imagine a typical day – step in to your skis behind the hotel, then ski to Zug for some breathtaking views and a tasty beverage or snack from an on-mountain bar. Continue to the car-free hamlet of **Oberlech** and enjoy lunch on the deck of one of the many restaurants. From there, ride the lift to Warth-Schrökken or ski down to **Lech** for an abundance of après-ski activities. Return back to the hotel on skis or take the free shuttle bus back to the hotel. Another day, ski to **St. Anton** for lunch, schuss down to **Stuben** in the afternoon and still make it back to Zürs in time for dinner. The possibilities are nearly endless!

Our home will be the luxurious yet cozy, ski-in/ski-out **4-star Hotel Arlberghaus** (www.arlberghaus.com). The Egger family has owned the 54-room hotel since 1931, and they look forward to spoiling us during our visit. The hotel features a house bar with fireplace, large lobby with sitting area, elegant dining room, sauna, steam room, gym, rooftop Dutch tub (unique hot tub), wine cellar/tasting room and ski room with boot dryers. All guest rooms contain private bathroom, safe, hair dryer, radio, TV, telephone, mini bar, bathrobes and slippers. During the week, we will be treated to a cocktail welcome party and a day of skiing with Mr. Egger.

We will continue our adventure with a two-night stay in **Munich** at the classic **4-star Hotel King's First Class** (www.kingshotels.de). The popular pedestrian street and main shopping area is about a 10-minute walk from the hotel.

Package price includes:

- * Round-trip Economy Class airfare on Delta Airlines/KLM between Seattle and Munich
- * Private motor coach transfers throughout tour
- * 7 nights lodging in Zürs at 4-star Hotel Arlberghaus in CLASSIC double room
- * 2 nights lodging in Munich at 4-star King's First Class Hotel in King's double/twin rooms
- * Welcome drink in Zürs
- * Buffet breakfast, afternoon snack and five-course dinner daily in Zürs
- * Buffet breakfast in Munich (breakfast bag on departure morning)
- * One-day guided ski tour with Thomas Egger, hotel owner
- * Tips to bus drivers
- * Current fuel surcharge of \$250 (subject to change) and all local taxes

Lift tickets are NOT included. 6-day Ski Arlberg pass is approx. \$305

For more information and to reserve your spot, contact:

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Credit card payment is available – advertised price reflects cash discount. Club/Vendor(s) Cancellation Policies apply. Trip insurance is strongly advised. Insurance should be purchased within 15 days of first deposit for full benefits. IMPORTANT! Airline fuel surcharge and taxes are subject to change and the exchange rate is not guaranteed. Please read complete Terms and Conditions for all details. (Snow Tours WST#600173050).



IMPORTANT TOUR DETAILS AND TERMS AND CONDITIONS

DEPOSIT AND FINAL PAYMENTS

A \$500 per person deposit is required to request a space on this tour. A second deposit of \$500 is due to Snow Tours no later than October 31, 2017. Final payment is due no later than December 15, 2017. Your space may be cancelled if final payment is not received on time. Trip insurance is strongly recommended. See Trip Protection Insurance section below.

PRICING – IMPORTANT!

Package prices are based on Economy Class airfare on Delta Airlines and a minimum group size of 20 participants. Should the group size fall between 15 and 19 people, the package price will increase by \$200 per person. Package prices are subject to change due to fuel surcharges, airport tax increases, currency fluctuation, general tariff increases, or for any reason beyond the control of the tour operator. Tour is priced on current exchange rates. Tour price includes reasonable charges for administration and planning of tour. All prices reflect a discount for cash/check payment. Visa/MasterCard/American Express rates are 4% higher than cash discount rates.

SINGLE SUPPLEMENT

Add \$200 for a CLASSIC SINGLE room in Zürs and a KING'S SINGLE room in Munich (\$110/Zürs + \$90/Munich). A limited number of single rooms are available.

ZÜRS AND MUNICH ROOM UPGRADES

In Zürs, to upgrade to a SUPERIOR double room with sitting area, **add \$250 per person.**

In Munich, to upgrade to a CLUBROOM double or single room (facing courtyard rather than street), **add \$12 per person.**

In Zürs, two SUPERIOR double rooms are being held for the group. They will be assigned on a first-come, first-served basis. Should all of the CLASSIC double rooms being held for the group be filled when you sign up for the trip, you will be placed in a SUPERIOR double and be responsible for the upgrade charge. In Munich, CLUB double and single rooms are on request, based on availability.

LAND ONLY

Deduct \$755 (airfare credit including \$250 fuel surcharge) from the package price. You are welcome to make your own air arrangements or use frequent flyer miles. It is your responsibility to coordinate your flight times with the rest of the group, so that you can join the transfers to and from the hotels. There are no refunds for unused transfers. If you miss a transfer, you will be responsible for your own transportation and costs.

S'NO JOKE MEMBERSHIP

If you are not a member of S'no Joke Ski Club, you are welcome to join this tour for a temporary membership fee of \$40 per person. Ask for membership details.

EXCHANGE RATE INFORMATION – IMPORTANT!

Package price was calculated based on an exchange rate between the U.S. Dollar (USD) and the Euro (EUR). The rate used for calculations was USD \$1.11 = Euro 1.00. This exchange rate is not guaranteed and final package price may change if the USD strengthens or weakens.

AIRLINE FUEL SURCHARGES AND TAXES – IMPORTANT!

The package price includes a fuel surcharge imposed by Delta Airlines of \$250 per person. Air taxes are NOT included and are currently \$205 per person. Fuel surcharges and taxes are subject to change until tickets are issued approximately one month before departure. Your final invoice will reflect the current fuel surcharge and taxes.

DELTA AIR ITINERARY

Group space in Economy Class is being held for your group as follows:

02FEB	DL142	Depart Seattle	1:20 p.m.	Arrive Amsterdam	8:30 a.m. (+1)
03FEB	KL1795	Depart Amsterdam	12:05 p.m.	Arrive Munich	1:30 p.m.
12FEB	KL1790	Depart Munich	7:00 a.m.	Arrive Amsterdam	8:50 a.m.
12FEB	DL143	Depart Amsterdam	9:50 a.m.	Arrive Seattle	11:20 a.m.

Flight numbers and times are subject to change. You will be advised if the airline makes any changes to this itinerary.

DEVIATIONS AND EXTENSIONS

Prior to October 31, 2017, an unlimited number of passengers may deviate from the group itinerary on either the outbound or the return at the applicable fare with no deviation fee charged by the airline. From November 1, 2017, a maximum of 30% of the group may deviate on the outbound or return at the applicable fare, plus a \$50 per person nonrefundable deviation fee charged by the airline. The percentage of passengers who may deviate is based on the total number of seats held by the group. The individual traveler's credit card is the only acceptable form of payment for deviations and is required at the time the deviation is booked. In addition to the Delta deviation fee, Snow Tours will charge a \$25 per person nonrefundable deviation fee. The fee will be added to your invoice and can be paid when final payment is due. Deviations must be booked prior to ticket issuance.

CANCELLATIONS/REFUNDS

Cancellations must be received in writing. This policy takes in to consideration the policies of the club, the airlines and hotels. Prior to October 31, 2017, forfeit \$100 per person (\$50 to club/\$50 to Snow Tours). From October 31 to December 15, forfeit \$200 per person (\$50 to club/\$50 to Snow Tours/\$100 to airline). From December 16 to January 1, 2018, forfeit \$900 per person (\$50 to club/\$50 to Snow Tours/\$100 to airline/rest to hotels). From January 2 to arrival, forfeit 100% of trip costs. Once tickets are issued, a minimum ticket cancellation fee of \$350 will apply. Depending on the date of cancellation, there will be additional cancellation fees up to the total cost of the trip. Trip cancellation and accident insurance is strongly recommended.

PASSPORTS, NAME ON PASSPORT AND VISAS - IMPORTANT

The name on your air ticket must be EXACTLY as it is on your passport. You are responsible for providing the correct information to Snow Tours. **A fee of \$350 will be charged to make a name change once ticket has been issued.** U.S. and Canadian citizens must travel with a valid passport. **A valid passport means that its date of expiration is six months or more past the return date of the trip.** Visas are not required. Non-citizens should consult their consulate.

TSA PRECHECK KNOWN TRAVELER NUMBER

If you are a Nexus, PreCheck, Global Entry, or Senti card holder, please provide your 9-digit Known Traveler card number on the registration form when you sign up. It is your responsibility to include this number when obtaining your **boarding pass** and after receiving your air reservation. The Known Traveler number is the 9-digit Pass ID number from a Nexus, Global Entry, PreCheck, or SENTRI card. For information or to apply for a card, go to: <https://www.dhs.gov/comparison-chart>. Contact Jerry Fitts if you have any further questions after reviewing the comparison chart.

TRIP PROTECTION INSURANCE

Berkshire Hathaway ExactCare Travel Protection is strongly recommended. This comprehensive insurance package includes the following benefits: full reimbursement of all non-refundable invoiced expenses if trip is cancelled for an approved medical reason; \$25,000 medical expense; \$500,000 medical evacuation and repatriation; \$1000 baggage loss; \$200 baggage delay; \$500 missed connection and more. All baggage is carried at passenger's own risk. All claims must be filed directly with the insurance company. **If traveler purchases insurance within 15 days of making initial deposit (based on the date on deposit check or the date of the credit card transaction), the pre-existing conditions exclusion is waived.** Visit www.snowtourswest.com and click on Purchase Travel Insurance for complete coverage details and to purchase a policy. The premium amount currently equals 5 to 11% of total invoiced trip costs, depending on traveler's age. Conditions and exclusions apply. The insurance company reserves the right to change or increase prices at any time. By law, Snow Tours is not allowed to collect payment for trip insurance. For more information about the insurance product, call Berkshire Hathaway Travel Protection at 844-411-BHTP.

BAGGAGE – IMPORTANT!

Currently, international passengers in Economy Class are allowed to check one piece of luggage free of charge. It must weigh 50 pounds or less. A second piece of luggage (suitcase or ski equipment which consists of a ski bag and a boot bag) may be checked for a fee of \$100 to Europe and the equivalent amount from Europe. The second piece of checked luggage or ski equipment must also weigh 50 pounds or less. There are some exceptions to these rules (reduced fees may apply to certain credit card holders and mileage plan members). See www.delta.com for current policies. Snow Tours is not responsible for changes to the baggage policy.

SEAT ASSIGNMENTS

You may submit specific seat requests to Snow Tours (aisle/window/seatmate preference). These seat requests will be given to the Delta Group Department. The fulfillment of requests is not guaranteed by Delta or Snow Tours.

MILEAGE CREDIT

Mileage points can be earned on the Delta SkyMiles program. Mileage points may also be earned on partner airline programs. Review all mileage policies on www.delta.com, and then submit the mileage number you want to use to Snow Tours, or give to the airline when you check-in. If you submit your mileage information to Snow Tours, double check that it has been entered in to your record by reviewing your reservation online or by checking with an airline representative at check-in. The exact number of miles received is determined by the airline and is out of the control of Snow Tours. With Delta, the points received are based on the cost of the airline ticket rather than miles flown. A lower-priced ticket earns fewer miles than a higher-priced ticket. **In case credit is not given, retain all boarding cards and ticket receipts to show proof of travel.**

LIFT PASSES – IMPORTANT!

Lift passes are NOT included in package prices. A 6-day ADULT Ski Arlberg pass (valid for entire Arlberg region) costs Euro 275 (approx. \$305). A 6-day SENIOR Ski Arlberg pass (born 1943 or earlier) costs Euro 237 (approx. \$263). Purchase passes at the hotel front desk.

SKI AND SNOWBOARD RENTAL INFORMATION

The rental shop, Strolz, is right next door to the hotel. Costs and further information will be provided.

INTERNET ACCESSIBILITY AT HOTELS

Both hotels offer free WIFI to hotel guests.

TOUR ESCORT

Tour is escorted but not necessarily on all flights. Your escort's primary concern is the welfare of the group. He or she will assist in tour-related and individual problems, but not at the expense of group needs.

NOT INCLUDED

Lift passes, beverages at meals, portage of bags at airport and hotels, tips to hotel staff and airport taxes of approximately \$205.

TIPPING

If you have received good service, it is customary to tip ski guides, wait staff and chambermaids at the end of your stay. Your tour escort will discuss details. Tips for bus drivers are already included in your package price.

RESPONSIBILITY

Snow Tours the operator and/or their agent, and/or the tour escorts' responsibility is limited. They act only as agent for the passenger in regard to travel, whether by railroad, motor coach, private car, boat of aircraft or any other conveyances and assume no liability for injury, damage, loss, accident, delay or irregularity which may be caused either by reason or defect in any vehicle or through the acts or default of any company or persons engaged in conveying the passenger or carrying out the arrangements of the tour. The tour operator accepts no responsibility for loss or additional expenses due to delay or changes in schedule or other causes. The right is reserved to decide to accept or retain any person as a member of any tour, to make substitutions or change, or withdraw the tour in the interest of the passenger as circumstances warrant it. All rates are based on tariffs and currency exchange in effect at the time that the tour was planned and are subject to change in the event of adjustment thereafter. Airline fuel surcharges and taxes are subject to change at the sole discretion of the airline and are only guaranteed upon ticket issuance. Baggage is carried at the owner's risk. Insurance is recommended. The issuance of tickets and vouchers will be deemed to be consent to the above conditions. Tour operator will not grant refund for the unused portion of the tour. Amenities listed for hotels are based on information supplied by the properties. Snow Tours cannot guarantee that all facilities will be available and operating. WST #600173050. Printed 05/04/17



**I WANT TO SKI AND SNOWBOARD IN ZÜRS AND VISIT MUNICH, GERMANY
with JERRY FITTS and the S'NO JOKE SKI CLUB - February 2- 12, 2018**

1st participant name (all names as SHOWN ON PASSPORT) _____ Frequent flyer # (Delta) _____ Date of birth _____

2nd participant name (all names as SHOWN ON PASSPORT) _____ Frequent flyer # (Delta) _____ Date of birth _____

A \$350 fee will be charged by the airline for any name changes/spelling corrections after tickets have been issued.

TSA PreCheck Known Traveler Number (if you have one) _____

Mailing address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip Code _____

Home phone _____ Cell/Work phone _____ E-mail _____

Sharing room with _____ or I prefer a single room _____

S'no Joke Ski Club member: YES _____ NO _____ (\$40 will be added to your invoice for temporary club membership)

YES, my passport meets validity requirements for this trip: _____

Initials of participants

A valid passport means that its date of expiration is six months or more past the return date of the trip.

Enclosed is a check for my/our \$500 per person deposit for _____ persons = \$ _____.

Or charge payment to my credit card and add 4%. VISA _____ MasterCard _____ American Express _____

Account number _____ Expires _____ Security code _____

Signature _____



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