

# **MERIBEL FRANCE**

The world's largest interconnected ski areas of Courchevel, Meribel and Val Thorens <a href="https://www.les3vallees.com/en/news/ski-area-news">https://www.les3vallees.com/en/news/ski-area-news</a>

# **JANUARY 17 - 25, 2025**

# PRESENTED BY THE NEW JERSEY SKI & SNOWBOARD COUNCIL, INC. and Holidaze Ski Tours

## **PACKAGE INCLUDES:**

7 nights accommodations in Meribel Mottaret at the Ski in / Ski out 3 Star Hotel Le Mottaret <a href="https://www.hotellemottaret.com/en/hotel">https://www.hotellemottaret.com/en/hotel</a> Including full hot and cold breakfast buffet daily and 5 course buffet dinner 5 nights in the hotel.

#### **Choose Between**

Comfort Double Room (10 available) \$3330 a choice of double bed or two single beds

Prestige Double Room (11 available) \$3440 a choice of king size bed or two single beds

Comfort Single Room (4 available) \$4200

Welcome reception, complimentary tea, coffee, fruit and cakes available all day. Free WIFI and ski storage room. Complimentary use of all spa facilities including Indoor Pool, Jacuzzi, Steam room, Sauna, Gym, and Outdoor Jacuzzi. Massages and other treatments available for extra charge.

Round trip air transportation between Newark and Geneva via Swiss Airlines and includes 1 free checked bag and FREE Ski and Boot bag.

Also included are all local taxes, all airline taxes and fees.

**PAYMENT SCHEDULE**: \$500 deposit due at sign up by July 15, 2024 and \$500 due by September 1, 2024. Final Balance is due NLT November 1, 2024 and may change slightly due to fluctuations in the exchange rate. Make checks payable to "NJSSC" and send to the trip leader with attached Sign Up Sheet. Credit card payment can be arranged for a fee of 3.5%. Please contact the trip leader for instructions.

**PLEASE NOTE**: ENTRY REQUIREMENTS: All U.S. Citizens participating in this trip are required to have a U.S. Passport valid for at least 6 months *beyond* the return date of the trip.

Any non-U.S. Citizens participating in this trip should let the trip leader know for additional guidance.

**SKI INFORMATION:** A Full EPIC Pass provides 7 days skiing at 3 VALLÉES.

Other day passes will be available for purchase for non EPIC Pass holders (2024 pricing was \$390 for 5 days).

**ADDITIONAL INFORMATION:** Anyone wishing to add on extra days in Europe after the trip can be arranged thru Holidaze Ski Tours. There will be a \$150 fee to change the return flight and the cost or credit of the difference in airfare.

## **RESERVATIONS:**

All reservations must be made with the trip leader by submitting the attached Sign Up Form and Release of Liability.

Contact the trip leader Charlie Friedman with additional questions

Cell: (908) 666-3033

Email:charlie friedman@yahoo.com

Accommodations	1Stop Air Newark to Geneva	No Air
Comfort Room Double Occupancy	\$3,330	\$2,260
Prestige Room Double Occupancy	\$3,440	\$2,370
Comfort Room Single Occupancy	\$4,200	\$3,130



# 2025 European Ski Trip to Meribel France

Arranged by the New Jersey Ski & Snowboard Council and Holidaze Ski Tours JANUARY 17 - 25, 2025

By signing below, I enroll in the trip to Meribel France being offered by the New Jersey Ski & Snowboard Council (NJSSC). I agree to comply with the rules and regulations of ALL travel and lodging providers engaged on this trip including Holidaze Ski Tours, Hotel Le Mottaret, the bus company between the airport and hotel, and Swiss Air if I choose to include the package airfare.

The NJSSC has arranged these travel services through Holidaze Ski Tours solely as a convenience to NJSSC members & guests. Both Holidaze Ski Tours and NJSSC cannot predict or guarantee the ski conditions or weather. I understand that Hotel Le Mottaret may request my passport and a credit card imprint upon arrival for any personal charges or in case of any damage to the room.

Please indicate which room type you would like, complete the rest of the form an	nd sign at the bottom.
Comfort Double Room (10 available) \$3330	No Air \$2260
a choice of double bed or two single beds	
Prestige Double Room (11 available) \$3440	No Air \$2370
a choice of king size bed or two single beds	
Comfort Single Room (4 available) \$4200	No Air \$3130

Note Non Members of a NJSSC club must add a \$25 guest membership fee. We will check your affiliation.

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**TRIP CANCELLATION POLICY:** All cancellations must be received in writing before calculating the amount of refund due. Up to a \$100 penalty if cancelled by July 15, 2024. Up to a \$300 penalty if cancelled by September 1, 2024. Up to a \$1000 penalty if cancelled by November 1, 2024. Up to a \$1500 penalty if cancelled by December 1, 2024. After December 1, 2024 there may be no refund available. Please purchase trip cancellation insurance if you're concerned.

**PLEASE NOTE: ENTRY REQUIREMENTS**: All U. S. Citizens participating in this tour program are required to have a U. S. Passport valid for at least 6 months beyond the return date of the trip. Any non-U.S. Citizens participating in this trip must check with the appropriate consulate for all countries being visited and transited to ensure that they have met all entry requirements. It is the participant's responsibility to be sure that all proper entry requirements are met and that they have all the appropriate documents necessary. Please ask the trip leader if you are uncertain.

**SKI INFORMATION**: A Full EPIC Pass provides 7 days skiing at 3 Vallees. Other day passes will be available for purchase by non EPIC Pass holders (2024 pricing was \$390 for 5 days).

**RESERVATIONS**: All reservations must be made by completing this form and sending to the trip leader. We anticipate the trip may sell out and will do our best to prioritize registrations in the order in which received. Contact the trip leader Charlie Friedman via Email at <a href="Charlie Friedman@Yahoo.Com">Charlie Friedman@Yahoo.Com</a> or by cell at 908-666-3033 with additional questions and/or send this form and payments payable to New Jersey Ski & Snowboard Council or "NJSSC"

To NJSSC C/O Charlie Friedman 82 Laura Drive Gillette, NJ 07933.

### **REGISTRANT INFORMATION:**

1. Roommate (if any) (Please be sure to indicate 1 or 2 beds	s per room)
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2. Full passport name
3. Date of Birth (mm/dd/yyyy)
4. Gender
5. Passport Number
6. Expiration date (mm/dd/yyyy)
7. Airline and Frequent flyer numbers
8. TSA or Global numbers
9. Seat requests
10. Club Membership

# 11. Copies of Passports are recommended

IMPORTANT NOTE: While providing copies of passports are not required, Airlines are getting very strict when it comes to names matching the travelers ID. Providing passport copies reduces the risk of mistakes on names. If someone does not wish to provide their Passport Copy, this will be fine, however, if a name is given to us incorrectly, there will be a \$100.00 name change fee to correct the ticket once it has been issued. And *Tickets are Non-Refundable once issued*.

### FLIGHT SCHEDULE:

17 JAN. LX 0019 EWR / ZRH	10:05PM - 11:40AM
18 JAN. LX 2806 ZRH / GVA	12:55PM - 1:45PM
25 JAN. LX 2811 GVA / ZRH	2:50PM - 3:45PM
25 JAN. LX 0018 ZRH / EWR	5:15PM - 8:25PM

## FREE BAGGAGE ALLOWANCE:

Currently, Swiss Airlines allows the following baggage on all flights:

- 1 Checked suitcase, not to exceed 50lbs
- 1 Carry on item, not to exceed 15lbs and must fit in the overhead compartment
- 1 Personal item, such a purse or lap top bag that must fit under the seat

Please see the item below about seats and Free Ski Bags:

**SPECIAL SWISS AIRLINES NOTE**: Please be aware that Swiss Airlines Group Desk does not allow individuals to make any seating choices online prior to departure. All seat requests and changes can only be done at the airport when checking in. Please provide the trip leader on this form a request for items such as Aisle/window, or adjacent seats, etc., but Swiss will not provide seat numbers until you check in. In addition, it is extremely important to be aware of Swiss Airlines regulations regarding ski bags. While Swiss will transport your ski equipment for free, it is important that you be aware of the current guidelines:

- 1. You must notify the trip leader if you are bringing ski equipment no later than 60-days prior to departure so that we can register the skis with the airline. If you are not registered, you cannot check your skis.
- 2. You must adhere to the rules that state:
  - a. A Ski Bag contains 1 pair of skis/board, bindings and poles
  - b. A Boot bag contains 1 pair of boots and a helmet
  - c. The combined weight of these bags must not exceed 50lbs
  - d. Any bags that fail to adhere to these rules will be charged excess baggage fees that can reach up to \$285.00 per way.

**TRIP CANCELLATION/INTERRUPTION INSURANCE**: Trip cancellation insurance is available and is highly recommended. The premium depends on the amount of coverage desired and is based on the trip cost as indicated above. This insurance will cover all non-refundable amounts in the event of a covered cancellation or trip interruption up to the amount of coverage selected. Please use the link below or other insurance of your choice.

**LAND ONLY PASSENGERS**: In the event participants choose air that is not part of the air arrangement as offered in the package, then the following conditions concerning "PPPI" passengers will apply. Such passengers are considered "Participants Pursuing Personal Itineraries" or PPPI. It is imperative that any and all people falling under this category be fully aware of the following facts pertaining to the trip's program:

- 1. Transfers between airports and hotels are always arranged for the main group and are coordinated with the main group's flight itineraries.
- 2. The transfers also pick up and drop off only at airport terminals that are in the main group's itineraries. Transfers do not stop at alternate terminals for pick-ups or drop offs.
- 3. It is the responsibility of such PPPI passengers to coordinate their flights with the group and for them to be at the appointed place and time that the group is being picked up.
- 4. There can be no special arrangements made for PPPI passengers for alternate pickups or drop offs by the transfer companies involved.
- 5. All of the above is equally applicable to any luggage that such PPPI passengers are bringing.

RELEASE OF LIABILITY AND HOLD HARMLESS AGREEMENT: I hereby appoint Holidaze Ski Tours/NJSSC/my local Club to perform necessary acts deemed desirable in connection with planning and leading any ski trips or other social/activity function on my behalf. I understand the Council/Club acts as coordinator only and accepts no responsibility for the services of any person or agent, ski area, airline, motor coach, hotel or condominium, or any organization whatsoever rendering any of the services or accommodations being offered on any trip or activity. Ski trip and other activity fees are based upon current tariffs and are subject to change without notice. The Council/Club accepts no responsibility in whole or part for any delayed departures or arrivals, missed plane or other carrier connections, loss, damage or injury to person or property, mechanical defect or failure of any nature however caused, or for any substitution of hotels or common carrier, with or without notice, or for any additional expenses occasioned thereby. I fully understand that the Council/Club is a voluntary association run by volunteer officers and Board Members who have no special or professional training in conducting ski trips and other activities. By participating, I do not rely on the expertise of any director, officer, activity coordinator or the agents of any of the foregoing: delivery of goods and service as described is the responsibility of the contracted vendors. Further, I realize that skiing or snowboarding, as well as many other outdoor activities, has innate danger that may result in physical injury or death. I acknowledge that these risks may be known or unknown. Since safety is directly tied to my physical ability and skill to participate in any sport, I hereby release the NJSSC, local club, their officers, directors, trip leaders and Holidaze Ski Tours, from any liability in connection with injuries or physical and equipment damages I may incur in relation to my participation in any event.

Signature of Participant		Date
Print name of Participant		
Signature of Witness  Does not have to be notarized, but must be witnessed		Date
Print name of Witness		
Address of Participant		
Day Phone #	Evening Phone #	
Email of Participant		
Emergency Contact (primary)	Phone # _	
Emergency Contact (secondary)	Phone # _	