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Horse and Sleigh Ride in the Tatra Mountains

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Discover authentic Zdiar by horse and sleigh

Holiday code: WHZ

Countries included: Slovakia

Activity level: 1

Themes: Tatra Mountains

Tour type: Guided Groups

Minimum age: 2

Duration: 1 day

Available in: Jan, Feb, Mar, Dec

Overview

Explore the authentic Goral village of Zdiar, which is located within the stunning surroundings of the High Tatra Mountains on the Polish border. On this trip, visit an outdoor museum in the heart of the village where you'll learn about how the locals used to live, and experience an unforgettable sleigh ride through the forest, pulled by a pair of beautiful horses. Your finale is an enjoyable local feast on an open fire; food grilled in the traditional Slovakian way. This is an ideal winter adventure for the whole family.

Itinerary

Day 1: Horse and Sleigh Ride in the Tatra Mountains: Zdiar

Meet your guide at one of our many High Tatra pickup points and transfer to the authentic mountain village of Zdiar, beautifully nestled in the foothills of the Belianske (White) Tatras. Zdiar is a typical



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Goral village, full of traditional wooden houses and barns. You'll learn about the local way-of-life, before a horse and sleigh ride in the forest and unforgettable Slovak-style barbecue on an open fire. Meat lovers will grill sausages and we have tasty options for vegetarians too. Adults can warm up with a cup of mulled wine and children will enjoy delicious Slovakian herbal tea, which is made out of flowers picked on the Tatras' alpine meadows. After the barbecue, you meet your driver and transfer back to your hotel.

Essential Holiday Information

What's Included

High Tatras village pickup
High Tatras village drop-off
English-speaking local guide
Entry to the museum
Horse and sleigh ride
Barbecue

What's not Included

Travel insurance

What to bring

Winter clothing including walking boots
Camera

Tour Staff

English-speaking local guide
Driver

Group Size

Normally min 4, max 16

Please contact us if you'd like to arrange a private group for just you and your friends.

Start point / time

8-9am, depending on your village

We can pick you up from a central point in these places:

Strbske Pleso
Vysne Hagy
Nová Polianka
Tatranska Polianka
Tatranske Zruby
Stary Smokovec
Horný Smokovec
Tatranska Lesna
Stara Lesna
Tatranska Lomnica
Tatranska Kotlina
Zdiar

End point / time

Around 12pm, depending on your village. Drop-off points are the same as pick-up locations.

Ready to go? Signing up is quick and easy!

1. Check availability online or [contact us](#) by email or phone
 2. Secure your place/s online by clicking the BOOK NOW button and following the three easy steps or contact us by email/phone
- You'll need to pay the full amount on booking, and can pay by debit or credit card (no fees apply) or by bank transfer (fees apply)
3. A confirmation email will be sent to your email automatically

Need more information?

Have a look at our detailed trip notes or please feel free to [contact us](#) if you have any questions at all. Our knowledgeable and helpful team is here to help, and we look forward to welcoming you to our spectacular country soon!

Why book with Slovakia Explorer

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