



Winter dreams with the family

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Orcières Merlette is located at the point where the main routes to the Mediterranean (2hrs 30mins from Marseille) and the large Alpine ranges meet (2hrs 30mins from Grenoble). This pioneering resort dating from 1962 is tucked away in the heart of the Ecrins National Park and boasts wild, stunning scenery surrounded by the most beautiful 3,000m peaks in the Écrins range, including le Vieux Chaillol, la Pointe des Estaris, le Grand Pinier, le Petit Pinier, la Tête de Dormillouse, etc.

Its skiing area is 1,850m above sea level and reaches as high as 2,725m. Its 100km of slopes give it the advantage of being the largest resort in the Hautes-Alpes, and it is envied for its exceptional sunshine!

The 22 traditional hamlets which make up the community are custodians of a unique terroir and of long-lasting traditions such as genepi, tourtons, mountain agriculture, woodworking, breeding and cheesemaking, etc., which give this region its very particular charm. The beautiful diversity of the landscape, with its larch forests, steep granite faces, beautiful snow-covered alpine slopes and vast plateaus make it the perfect playground for enjoying unusual outdoor activities, including dog-sledding, cross-country skiing, snowshoeing, Nordic skiing, snow scootering, XXL zip lines, hang gliding, nights in igloos and freeriding, etc.

As a haven for families (the resort has the Famille Plus accreditation), a base for sports enthusiasts, a meeting place for adventurers and an oasis of fine food for epicureans, Orcières promises an unforgettable stay full of warm hospitality!

Key figures

4,8 million
visits in winter

around 200
retailers and accommodation
and service providers

19 000 beds 51 runs

30
ski lifts
including 3 telemix

Orcières' 6 greatest assets

Orcières is the **southern gateway** to the Ecrins National Park. Large natural areas or authentic mountain villages, you can choose your activity and practice the ski you love (cross country skiing, freeride excursion...)



300 days
of sunshine a year!



Ski area with an altitude
which guarantees exceptional snow
conditions completes with the artificial snow
network covering 60% of the ski area.



A wide range of non-skiing activities
and an indoor leisure and recreation complex.
The leisure centre with its Nordic area (cross-
country skiing, sled dogs, karting, etc.).

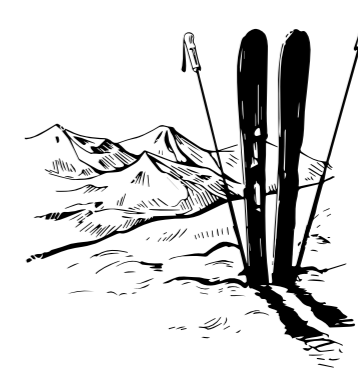


A resort with attractive prices:
Orcières has the Famille Plus accreditation
and offers many free activities throughout
the season. The rentals and holiday deals
have a real added bonus.



Unique activities
and numerous events every season!

What's new this winter?



Snowshoe excursions 'by the light of the moon' with ESF.

This trip promises to be a unique experience and allows you to explore nature in complete peace and quiet amidst snow-covered larch forests. These nocturnal snowshoe walks take place every Tuesday and Wednesday in small groups accompanied by an ESF guide. It is not unusual to come across ibexes, foxes and other local inhabitants. Participants can enjoy a meal served in a typical Champsaur auberge prepared with local ingredients : tourtons, 'oreilles d'ânes' (gratin casserole of wild spinach and either lasagna or crêpes), cheese and charcuterie, etc.

Price : €32 - Reservation required the day before. Suitable for all. Tuesday and Wednesday 5.30 pm to 9.30 pm. Meeting point is the ESF chalet



The 'rand'O fondue' with sled dogs on the high plateaus of the Écrins

Starting from the Wiliwaw igloo village 2,450 metres above sea level, enjoy a magical experience with the family in the company of huskies. Set off on an adventure seated in a musher's sled and explore the unspoilt mountains and high plateaus on a spectacular trail which takes visitors to the edge of the Rocherousse plateau. After this sensational trip, enjoy a fondue prepared in complete isolation with a view of the Écrins National Park.

Trip with fondue lasts 1hr 30 mins - €130 per person. No physical requirements. Contact: +33 (0)660683244 ph.desmurger@orange.fr 10.00 am to 4.00 pm throughout the winter.



Montagn'Art déco A painting studio dedicated to the mountains

A mountain vibe is guaranteed at the Montagn'Art déco studio! Stéphanie Escallier, a painting enthusiast, left her job working on the pistes to open her art shop. She shares her passion for painting on wood with children during hour-long workshops. The children can then leave with a holiday souvenir which they have created themselves (a painting engraved with their name). From 6 years of age.

By reservation only. Price: €29 per child (Family deal from 2nd child). Shop open every day 10.00 am to midday and 1.30 pm to 7.00 pm. Further information: Montagn'Art déco - +33 (0)6 19 60 12 37 www.facebook.com/lamontagnardeco



The Ibex refuge, an unusual and eco-responsible mountain chalet. Enjoy a holiday living in harmony with nature

Located in the Pré la Beaume at 2,050 metres above sea level, this former alpine chalet built in the 1840s is nestled in the heart of the mountains on the doorstep of the Ecrins national Park and a few steps from the path leading to the Jujal plateau and a charming stream. There is a stunning panoramic view across the peaks. The property is entirely self-sufficient. Electricity is provided via solar panels and heating and hot water are supplied thanks to the wood stove. Unchanged from its original appearance, it was completely renovated in 2021 using local materials (larch wood and the original stone). The Ibex refuge covers 100m2 and can accommodate up to 8 people. The accommodation has been awarded 3 stars and has the Orcières Qualité-Confort-Hébergement '5 griffes' accreditation. The owner provides transportation for the tenants by snowmobile.

Price: from €2,200 a week. Further information on +33 (0)4 92 55 89 69 or on www.reservation.orcieres.com.



Motoneige Aventure an experience to enjoy with the family!

As night falls, climb aboard for an unusual adventure. Every evening, the snowmobiles drive through the heart of the sleeping ski area and the magic of the Orsatus mountains takes over... Behind the guide's snowmobile, a fully glazed trailer allows children (aged 5 to 10) to enjoy the ride in complete safety, while their parents try out the basics on their machines!

Price : €45 per child. Front de neige des Drapeaux. Motoneige Aventure: +33 (0)6 64 79 78 37 - motoneigeaventure.com

Orcières, a pioneering resort



The 'Cartable à la neige' a great idea for a peaceful family holiday !

The 'Cartable à la neige' is when classes come to the mountains in ! Created in Orcières in 1970, this package offers parents the freedom to go away outside the school holidays with their children from CP to CM2 without them losing track of the school curriculum and being able to continue their lessons in the mountains ! This is a well-designed programme to allow children aged 6-11 years to alternate between skiing and extra tuition. The periods on offer are 2 January to 3 February 2023 and 3 February to 6 or 7 April 2023. Children follow the programme specified in advance by the teacher or developed according to school level.

Price : €378 per week including 6 half-days skiing accompanied by ESF ski instructors (Sunday to Friday 9.00 am to 11.30 am) and 5 half-days homework support (Monday to Friday 2.00 pm to 5.00 pm) with a 6-day lift pass and unlimited access to the swimming pool and ice rink during this period. The childcare option (with meal supplied by the family) is midday to 2.00 pm and costs €24 per day per child. 5 days: €80 or 6 days €90. Reservation/contact : ESF Orcières : +33 (0)4 92 55 72 78 - info@esforcieres.com



The first aquatic leisure and relaxation complex in the mountains!

The resort is a pioneer in the world of après-ski when you realise that this complex - an indoor space of 10 000 m² with swimming pool, bowling, skating rink, spa, cinema and concert hall - dates from 1985! Located in the centre of the resort and easy to access, this is the place for family gatherings indoors. The pool complex offers two large pools, waterfalls, water jets and a slide. As a bonus, there are also swimming and aquagym lessons on offer. Just a few metres away, a 1,600 m² ice rink awaits skaters of any level. Our completely renovated ice rink, with light shows and musical accompaniments, is open to all - a real dance floor on ice!

Price: Pool/ice rink: €6.20 per adult, €5.20 per child
+33 (0)4 92 55 89 96 - www.orcierres.labellemontagne.com



The first snow play area in 1967 started the basic family-oriented approach!

The resort has always been a pioneer in terms of welcoming children and families. This is how the first snow play area has been welcoming the very young since 1967. It is a colourful play area for learning to ski while having fun under the management of ESF. Little ones from 3 to 6 years old are introduced to the pleasure of skiing with ESF instructors who integrate essential notions such as fun, freedom and imagination into their teaching methods! Equipped with inflatable structures, coloured hoops and ingenious routes, this is one of the best snow play areas in France!

Prices & Info: €42 per lesson (3hrs), €175 for 6 lessons. Max. 7 students per instructor. ESF: +33 (0)4 92 55 72 78 - www.esforcieres.com



The first longest zip line in Europe !

This XXL zip line allows you to soar along at 110km per hour! The Roll Air Câble is 1.8 km in length and stretches between the summit of Le Drouvet (2,650 m) and Lac Long (2,500 m). It takes the brave, head first, on a journey between heaven and earth lasting 1 minute and 20 seconds! Your skis are taken with you, which allows you to continue skiing in the next valley - very clever ! From 8 years of age. Access on foot via the Télémix® lift or on skis (skis carried in a protective cover during the trip).

Prices and info: Roll 'air câble: €40 per person. (not including lift pass). +33 (0)6 84 44 88 10 - latyrolienne.fr



One of the first 'Famille plus' accredited resorts

The resort has had the 'Famille plus' accreditation since 2006. With its adapted range of accommodation (village clubs, hotels and residences, etc.), its facilities ('Family Plus' room, leisure and relaxation complex, 'Maison de l'Enfant' (kids' club), etc.), its ski area suitable for families (3 Télémix®, 2 fun pistes, etc.), Orcières remains a leading resort for families. This is without forgetting the entertainment available for all ages and those little services for helping out children and parents!

Initiatives for an unforgettable holiday!



La Maison de l'Enfant, where kids rule!

Orcières resort has thought of everything for the well-being and comfort of children and parents. The Maison de l'Enfant is open for children aged from 3 months to 11 years and has a range of different areas designed as colourful havens. It houses the 'cartable à la neige' (see p.4) and the 'Les Oursons' day-care centre for toddlers aged 3 months to 6 years, which has a comfortable sleeping area and play activities.

Prices: from €95 (1 to 6 participants).
+33 (0)4 92 55 89 84.



Father Christmas visits families!

24 & 25 December 2022: the Christmas holidays kick off with Christmas magic. The 'Father Christmas comes to your house' event is a unique family moment! By registering in advance with the Tourist Office, parents can create a surprise in the form of a real-life Father Christmas coming to distribute presents to their little ones! An emotional experience is guaranteed!

Admission: €15 per family or free of charge for all reservations made via reservation.orcierres.com. Reservations at the Tourist Information Office: www.orcierres.com

A 'Qualité Confort Hébergement' (Quality Comfort Accommodation) the 'griffe' which makes the difference.

Orcières has introduced a proactive policy to support its property owners and help them to make better use of their buildings. The 'Qualité Confort Hébergement' accreditation was created in 2018. The result is beautiful flats which have been renovated using local materials by professionals (decorators, construction companies, etc.). Today, 150 flats have already obtained the accreditation. 'Orcières Qualité Confort Hébergement' is an accreditation with a classification of up to 5 'griffes' (stars).

Out of concern for quality and to better meet the expectations of customers, the accreditation is evolving by integrating standards of eco-responsibility.

To be eligible for the 'Qualité Confort Hébergement d'Orcières' accreditation, the furnished tourist accommodation must first be rated ((reference ranking of Atout France). Among the compulsory criteria, owners of furnished accommodation must respect one of the eco-responsible measures relating to the reduction of energy or water consumption in the furnished accommodation, the sorting of waste or the use of environmentally friendly cleaning products.

The price for an accredited apartment for 4 people is from €390 a week (excluding handling and service charges, and excluding cancellation insurance).
Prices and booking: www.orcierres.com



The central booking site for perfect holidays in one click!

Tailor-made stays for all! Thanks to the central booking site, holidaymakers can choose and book holidays which are fully adapted to their requirements. Everything from accommodation to activities and entertainment can be managed in just one click! Easy and practical for a better control of your budget and your time!

<https://reservation.orcierres.com/bons-plans-promos-orcierres.html>

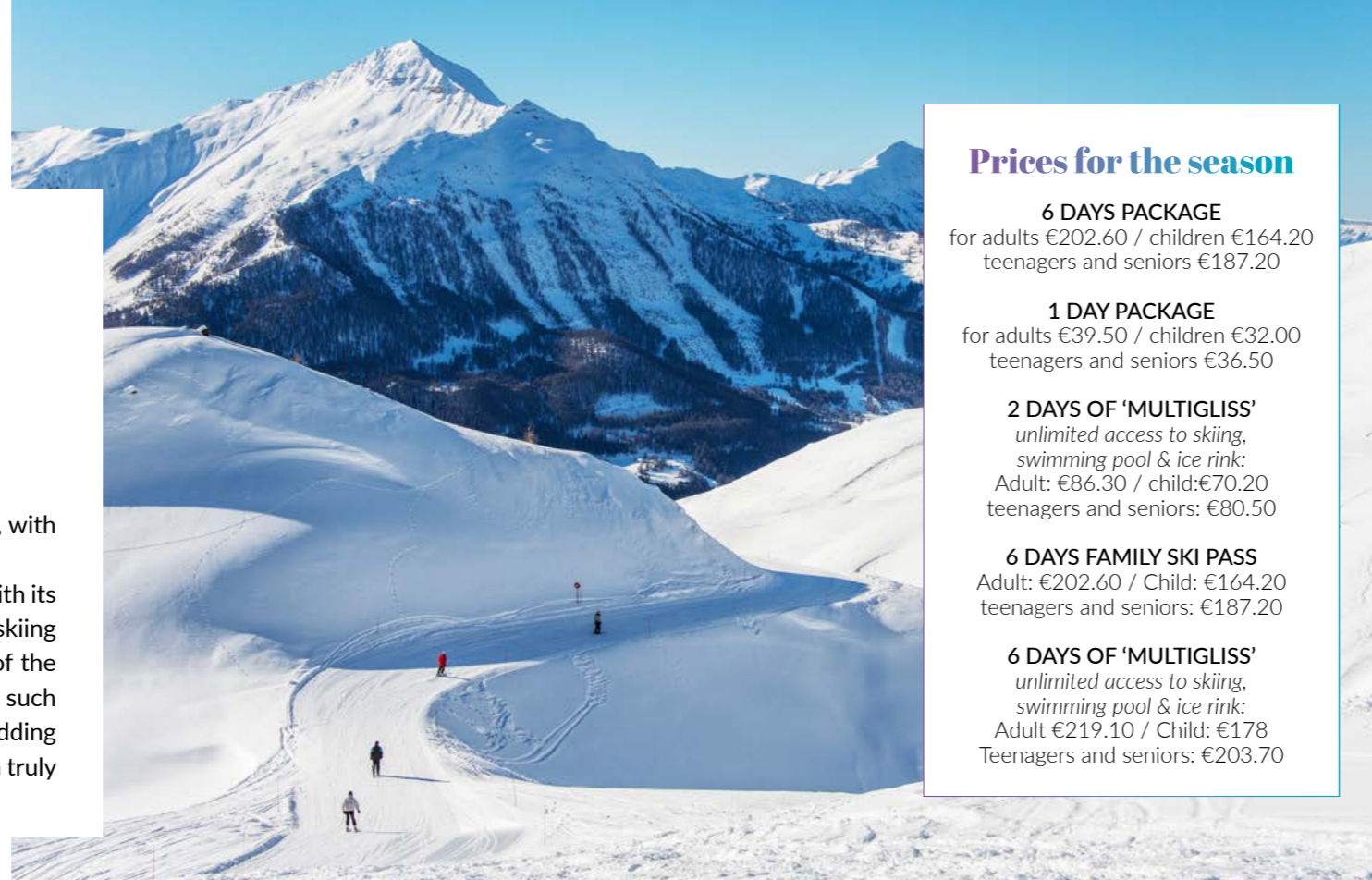


10 DECEMBER 2022 TO 16 APRIL 2023
OPEN

A skiing area with many experiences

Orcières skiing area is the largest in the Hautes-Alpes, with 100 km of pistes!

Located on the edge of the Écrins National Park, and with its highest point reaching 2,725m above sea level, the skiing area offers good skiing and a spectacular 360° view of the Écrins mountain range. The many managed fun areas, such as the Winterparc, XXL zip line, igloo village dog sledding tour, fun pistes for children and snowpark, etc, create a truly welcoming place for unique experiences!



Prices for the season

6 DAYS PACKAGE
for adults €202.60 / children €164.20
teenagers and seniors €187.20

1 DAY PACKAGE
for adults €39.50 / children €32.00
teenagers and seniors €36.50

2 DAYS OF 'MULTIGLISS'
unlimited access to skiing,
swimming pool & ice rink:
Adult: €86.30 / child: €70.20
teenagers and seniors: €80.50

6 DAYS FAMILY SKI PASS
Adult: €202.60 / Child: €164.20
teenagers and seniors: €187.20

6 DAYS OF 'MULTIGLISS'
unlimited access to skiing,
swimming pool & ice rink:
Adult €219.10 / Child: €178
Teenagers and seniors: €203.70



A skiing area full of fun activities!

The Snake slide!

Using sledges attached one behind the other, holidaymakers race down the slopes in the ski area at sunset. The 'snake' zigzags all the way down, laughing and yelping as it goes... Whether as a family or with friends, it'll bowl you over – particularly if you're one of the brave ones at the back, clinging on for dear life! An experience like no other. 3 options are available: Découverte (3 km), 'Apéro gliss' (6 km + mulled wine), Sensation (8 km).

From 4 years - Prices : From €15 per child, €20 per adult.
+33 (0)7 83 51 23 62 - www.orcieressnakegliss.fr

An exceptional Camile Ricou FIS-approved downhill slope

This iconic slope was created from an existing slope. In 2014, the commune of Orcières started creating a permanent FIS-approved downhill slope. With a start at an altitude of 2,447 metres and a 2 km descent over a 600 metre difference in altitude covered in an average of 1 minute 20 seconds by the world's best skiers, it is acclaimed as much for its technical qualities as its exceptional snow cover. Good skiers can use it and enjoy what the pros experience!

This winter, the slope will once again host the European Downhill Cup and a Super G from 27 to 31 January.



Fun spaces

The Opoualand slope

For children already addicted to the thrill of skiing, the world of Opoual (a friendly yeti) offers a perfect slope and playground for fun on skis. Located on the Rocherousse plateau, this fun area provides freedom and fun thanks to the colourful elements and skiing activities. In addition, there are breathtaking views to enjoy for free over the Écrins mountains.

Accessible for children aged 6 to 12 years via the Télémix® Rocherousse and the Torrent ski lift.

The Winterparc

The Winterparc is the perfect place to discover new downhill thrills! The gentle slopes of the Rocherousse plateau allow you to ride down the slopes in a rubber ring. You can do it alone or go as a group. Up to 8 rings can be tied together, which spells a whole lot of fun – or trouble – for the most adventurous! A special lift carries the rings, so you'll reach the top of the slope without getting exhausted. There are also Baby runs for the little ones. From the age of 4. Access via the Telemix® from Rocherousse.

Prices and further information: 1 hour of activity from €16.5 per person in the morning and €17.5 in the afternoon.
+33 (0)6 69 40 52 57 www.winterparc.com

Great deals on the slopes!

The weekend deal!

To improve skiing skills at a low cost, ESF at Orcières offer group lessons every Saturday and Sunday outside the school holidays from 10.00 am to 12.30 pm for children aged 5 to 13 and from 'Ourson' ski level to '2ème étoile'.

Price: €80 for 2 half-days.
ESF +33 (0)4 92 55 72 78 - www.esforcieres.com

Free skiing for beginners!

In Orcières Merlette 1850, beginners can discover the joys of skiing for free! Every Tuesday morning from 8.00 am to 9.00 am, beginner skiers can calmly start learning the basics of skiing under the supervision of an instructor.

**Free access to the beginners' ski lift and provision of ski equipment by a rental company during the lesson.*

Please book at the Tourist Office before midday on Monday.
+33 (0)4 92 55 89 89

Orcières welcomes children in the spring

From 25 March to 16 April 2023, a ski pass is being offered to children aged under 10 with no conditions attached as part of the 'Le printemps des montagnes' scheme. The stay includes 7 nights accommodation, 6 days ski passes for 2 adults with unlimited access to the swimming pool & ice rink, and ski passes for 2 children under 10 years.

Prices and further information: from €768 a week. Prices based on an apartment with 2 rooms, 4 people (2 adults, 2 children) with ski passes. Valid from 25 March to 16 April 2022. Further information available at reservation.orcieres.com



A gourmet break in the heart of the ski area

The Baniols sheep farm is a restored stone and wood former sheep farm. Located 300 m from the Orcières 1850 resort in the heart of the ski slopes, this establishment has a south-facing, 250 m² terrace with panoramic views. The cuisine here has soul and is made using fresh ingredients bursting with the flavours of the Hautes-Alpes. Whether it is for coffee in the morning, lunch or crêpes at snack time, there's something here for everyone!

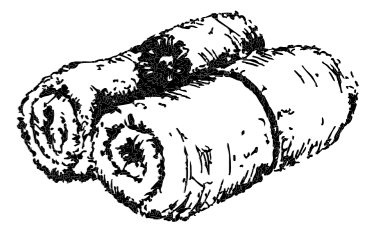
Ski access via the 'Télémix Drouvet 1' following the 'Marmottes' slope or via the chairlift of the Bergerie following the 'Mezelles' and 'Baniols' slopes. Prices: pizza from €12.

**Family fun
at the Grande Ourse
complex:
10 000 m² of fun!**

A 10,000 m² leisure and relaxation complex in the heart of Orcières no less! A wide range of activities are available to extend a day spent skiing or simply for sharing activities together as a family during the day.

Open: 10 December 2022
to 16 April 2023

www.orcieres.com



Spa Peau d'Ours

Mums and dads can enjoy the sauna, hammam and water jets but the innovation is the Bubble Bath Session for babies every Tuesday at 11.00 am (except during the school holidays). The massages are good for the baby's night and it's stimulating your relationship with your child.

Prices : Baby's massage 1h : €20 - 1 entrance in the Spa : €28 per adult.
www.spapeaudours.com - 04 92 55 39 42

The Spa of the leisure complex's

The relaxation area SPA offers a moment of escape after beautiful days of skiing in the open air! The sauna, hammam and jacuzzis offer a timeless break in beautiful wood and mosaic surroundings. The beauty salon offers expert body treatments and indulgent, divine massages.

Spa prices: Adult and child (from 13 years) 1 entrance: €23. Treatments by appointment, on site or by telephone on +33 (0)4 92 55 89 97 - Every day outside the school holidays 2.00 pm - 8.00 pm. School holidays: Every day: 10.00 am - 8.00 pm

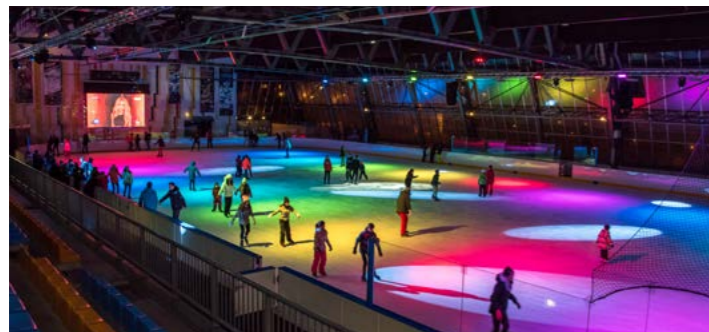
Orcières, THE family resort



Getting together in the pool area

It starts with the aquatic oasis bathed in daylight. With a great slide, two pools for swimming and leisure, a waterfall and water jets, children full of energy can enjoy the activities on offer, with the added bonus of a panoramic view over the snowy peaks of Orcières. So that time with the family can be extended, the pool complex is open up until 10.00 pm on some evenings. As a bonus swimming and aqua gym classes are also available.

Price of 1 entrance: €6.20 per adult, €5.20 per child.



**The ice rink,
the ice queen of the dancefloor**

A few metres from the pool complex, there is a fully renovated 1,600m² ice rink! To continue the pleasure of gliding after a day on the slopes, this ice dance floor welcomes the public in a music-filled atmosphere with a giant screen and light effects which are reflected throughout the space. Theme nights are organised once or twice a week.

Price of 1 entrance: €6.20 per adult, €5.20 per child.



Bowling and tapas evening

A different kind of piste! A game of bowling will enliven the early evening with a mix of competition and friendship on one of the 6 lanes. As reward, the wine and tapas bar offers a panoramic view of the moonlit peaks. For the more enthusiastic, it is possible to alternate between bowling and billiards, while film lovers can enjoy the cinema.

Price: €9 per person per game

Experiences with the mountain professionals!



Patroller for a day!

Ski patrollers are a professional group still greatly admired by the public. Genuinely passionate about their environment, they watch over the safety of everyone on a daily basis and are the real 'guardian angels' of the ski area. Every week in Orcières, holidaymakers can get an insight into this line of work by going along with the ski patrollers as they open the ski area in the morning. This is a great opportunity to explore the deserted trails and make the first tracks under the rays of the sun. Allow a minimum of 2 hours.

Free, registration and draw every Thursday at the Tourist Office.
+33 (0)4 92 55 89 89



Climb on up into my snowcat!

When the slopes close, the Orcières ski area invites the most curious holidaymakers to climb aboard a snow groomer and find out about this job and the grooming secrets involved in preparing a perfect piste for the following morning. Riding the slopes on this machine while admiring the sunset and enjoying the peace and quiet of the snow-covered peaks is every skier's unspoken dream.

Free, registration and draw every Thursday at the Tourist Office - +33 (0)4 92 55 89 89

Little mountain-top professionals

Every Wednesday during the school holidays from 1.30 pm to 4.00 pm, young mountain dwellers can set out to find out more about jobs in the mountains. This unique experience might lead to new careers. A behind-the-scenes tour of the ski area includes riding in a snow groomer, meeting the ski patrollers and discovering the snow production system, etc.

Free, from 8 years of age, during school holidays. Participation form available from the Tourist Office
+33 (0)4 92 55 89 89



The world of the Piou-Piou

Share the joys of skiing from an early age in the Jardin des Piou Piou, one of the most beautiful areas in France dedicated to toddler skiers aged 3 to 5. Nothing could be more endearing than seeing your child in a ski suit with little skis and round sunglasses! Under the watchful eye of ESF instructors, little ones gently learn the basics of this winter sport thanks to 2 moving carpets, an adapted ski lift and fun and colourful facilities in the 2 hectares dedicated to skiing. Freedom, imagination and fun are the key words in this snow play area! Accessible via the Piou-piou shuttle service.

Prices & Info: €42 per lesson (3hrs) / €175 for 6 lessons (morning or afternoon). Skiing equipment not included. Max. of 7 pupils per instructor. ESF - +33 (0)4 92 55 72 78 - www.esforcieres.com

The Baby snow

More like team snow? Little ones can also experience excitement in complete safety on the baby snow. During lessons with ESF, children discover the initial joys of sliding on a snowboard with fixed handlebars at the front, steered by an attentive and caring instructor. Small, yet already real riders!

Suitable from 18 months to 2 years. Price: €46 an hour - ESF - +33 (0)4 92 55 72 78 - www.esforcieres.com

A skiing area full of unique activities!

Learn about cross-country skiing and safety equipment (group lessons)

For experienced alpine skiers wishing to extend their activities into cross-country skiing, ESF in Orcières offers introductory lessons for learning the basics and precise techniques of this activity. Providing access to this activity also means preventing accidents in the mountains and training in the proper use of safety equipment.

Price & info: €42 a lesson. Every Wednesday in the season, 7.00 am to 9.00 am. Loan of safety equipment (transceiver, shovel, probe). Contact ESF Orcières: +33(0)4 92 55 72 78. esforcieres@gmail.com

Team Rider Course for teenagers for a thrilling experience!

For teenagers aged 13 and over and holders of the 'étoile d'or' (gold star), this course is an opportunity to refine your style and go further in the discipline. Join Team Rider and have fun skiing with new friends! It is an opportunity to get away from conventional skiing and be creative on the mountain with fun instructors who will share their techniques in each discipline in complete safety, including freeride, carving, snowpark and slalom!

Prices & info: from €162 - 6 half-days every morning Sunday to Friday 9.00 am to 11.30 am. ESF - +33 (0)4 92 55 72 78 - www.esforcieres.com



Alpi traîneau altitude sled school: discover all the secrets of a musher

A unique activity for the holidays in February. Located on the Rocherousse plateau, the course involves discovering the different phases of learning to mush. 3 unique days! From making contact with the pack, to instruction using your voice and leading your team independently on the 3rd day, apprentice mushers will become proficient in 3 days! Sessions last between 1 hour and 1 hour 30 mins for the trip on the last day.

Price: €215 for the 3 days. Age from 8 to 15 years old, come in ski clothes and with a helmet. Contact: Alpi traîneau: www.alpi-traîneau.com/reserver/



Orcières without skis!

The Baby sled

A unique and fun activity, the baby sled offers the opportunity to learn the art of mushing from the age of 3 years. Children can learn how to handle the sled, the safety instructions and the dogs' way of life. Then, they can set off for a special adventure in 'Narnia World' surroundings! This is a beautiful moment of bonding and interaction between the children and the huskies.

For children aged 3 months to 7 years accompanied by an adult.

Price: €55 for a 2-hour session. A maximum of 10 children per group. Information and reservations at www.chauffarel.com. +33 (0) 6 87 37 48 30

'I can handle myself in the mountains' discovering the life of a trapper

In the heart of the mountains, children can find out all about nature and the most adventurous can learn about the life of a trapper by practising the basics needed for survival. Lighting a fire, building a shelter, recognising animal tracks and edible plants, equipping yourself against the cold and knowing how to use a rope, etc. - a very true-to-life experience!

Prices & info: €16. Every Tuesday during the holidays in February at 9.30 am. 2-hour half-day trip. Bureau des accompagnateurs du Champsaur (Guides office): +33 (0)6 63 64 05 97 accompagnateurs-champsaur.com



Multi-activity course for maximum fun

ESF in Orcières have designed a programme over 3 days full of activities for children aged 6 to 12 years to help them explore the mountains in a different way.

Day 1: 'Snow & the mountains' in order to learn all about mountain safety, including ARVA searches (hand-held device to find avalanche victims), snow science, the formation of wind slabs and rescue gestures.

Day 2: 'Fun snowshoe excursion' with obstacles to overcome, animal tracks to discover and flora to admire.

Day 3: 'Treasure hunt' in teams in the great outdoors.

Prices: €126 for 3 half-days / €42 for one half-day - Sunday, Tuesday and Thursday or Monday, Wednesday and Friday 2.00 pm to 4.30 pm (4.30 pm to 6.30 pm during the holidays in February). ESF: +33 (0)4 92 55 72 78 - www.esforcieres.com





Orcières, setting off on an adventure...



Secret spot!

Freeride skiing in the larch forests in Serre-Eyraud.

Serre-Eyraud is a fresh-air haven appreciated by purists who mark their trail through the larch trees. This unspoiled ski area is a secret spot for skiers who enjoy authentic skiing. Its two technical slopes are a delight for 'riders', who will also appreciate the numerous off-piste skiing possibilities. To talk of Serre-Eyraud is to talk of nature and authenticity. In this age of globalisation and a fast-paced life, it is a real break. The resort dominates the little hamlet of 20 inhabitants and offers a 360° view over the Champsaur valley. The pistes here follow the natural terrain, with preserved slopes and moguls which have not been groomed with a power shovel. The result is a unique skiing area! The resort is small but demanding, with an altitude difference of 600 m (1480 - 2100 m). Its north/north-east orientation allows it to retain quality snow. With its 3 ski lifts, the area offers 10 km of pistes for all levels: 2 green runs, 2 blue runs and 2 black runs. Here, you pick up your pass from the refreshment bar - a pleasant moment for a chat.

1/2 day pass:

Adult: €13.70. Child: €11. Senior: €11.

1-day pass:

Adult: €17.00. Child: €13.70. Senior: €13.70

6-day pass:

Adult: € 85.00. Child: €68.50. Senior: €68.50.



A dog sledding adventure with one of the best mushers in La Grande Odysée, Philippe Desmurger

This adventure is led by one of the mushers of La Grande Odysée, Philippe Desmurger, who has 20 years of experience in long journeys. Lovers of wide open spaces and excitement will enjoy a unique experience, as the sleds can reach speeds of up to 40 km per hour!

Taking control of a team of 3 to 5 dogs, apprentice mushers set off for a 2-hour excursion along the plateaus and peaks of Orcières and on the doorstep of the Ecrins National Park. Get ready for speed and excitement as your faithful team pulls you uphill and down, while you learn to communicate with the dogs. Physical and intense, this is an all-encompassing experience!

Price for the trip: €145 per person for a ½ day (suitable from 11 years, ski helmet compulsory for children up to 12 years, sledding time at least 2 hrs).

A polar evening:

a Nordic adventure with the family!

The evening begins with a beautiful walk lasting 1 hr 30 mins in the company of a guide. Participants explore the Rocherousse plateau, located 2,300 m above sea level, to admire the sunset over the Ecrins mountains. On the way back, a mountain-style meal is served under the stars, with a discussion about light pollution with professional skywatchers. Then the ice doors of the igloos close and the magic of a night spent in the Williwaw igloo village begins. The next day, the pleasure of breakfasting in the heart of the snowy countryside will delight young and old alike!

Price: €110 per person (included: hike supervised by a state-certified professional, meal, night in an igloo and breakfast).
Reservation: +33 (0)660683244 5.30 pm to 7.00 pm only.
www.alpi-traineau.com/activites-hiver/



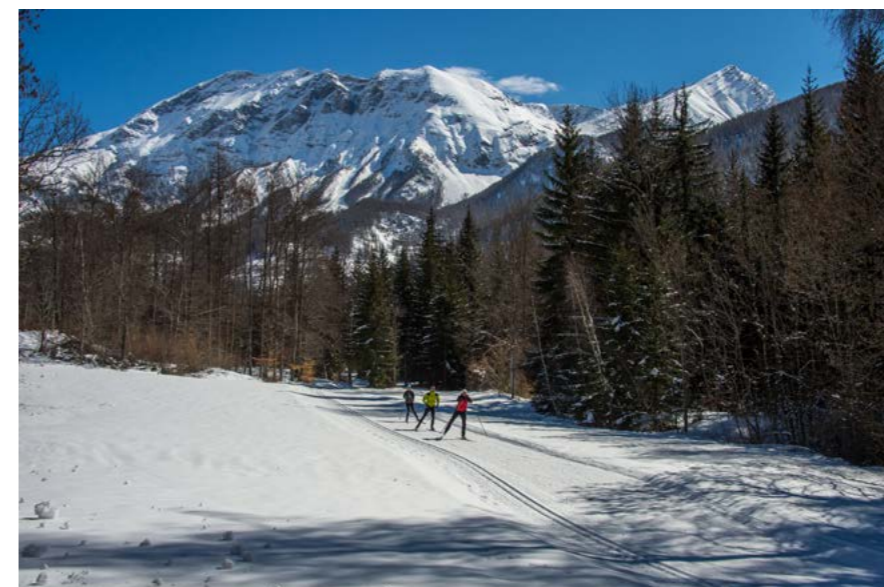
Cross-country skiing: getting closer to the Écrins

Exploring virgin slopes in a silent and majestic setting is the dream of every cross-country skier! Clément Infante, a high mountain guide, offers freeride / free style cross-country ski outings in complete safety. He knows Orcières like the back of his hand, down to the most remote corners where he'll take you to find the best snow. Clément offers trips over 2 to 3 days in the heart of the Ecrins park, with nights spent in a refuge or an auberge.

2 days / 1 night package: 1,500 m +E (in total) €180 /pers for 2 days (price valid for a group of 4 people minimum). Meals provided. Overnight stay at the unmanned Pré la Chaumette refuge in the Champoléon valley. Bring a sleeping bag.

Package of 3 days / 2 nights: 1,200m +E / day: €270 per person for 3 days (price valid for a group of 4 people minimum). Overnight at the unmanned refuge of Pré la Chaumette in the Champoléon valley and in an auberge in Prapic. Meals provided. Bring a sleeping bag.

Contact: clement.infante@gmail.com - +33 (0)6 32 93 04 71



Try out the laser biathlon!

The biathlon is a unique and energetic activity. Young and old alike can explore the Nordic ski area in Orcières while enjoying this unusual activity. This ski area is a playground for discovering new skiing sensations on traditional cross-country skis or skatings. After grasping a few technical basics, the shooting requires concentration and skill. It's a sport experience like no other!

Price: €48 per session (please bring traditional cross-country ski equipment and lift pass)

Monday and Friday 2.30 pm to 4.30 pm, suitable for 12 years and over.

ESF - +33 (0)4 92 55 72 78

www.esforcieres.com

Excel yourself in Orcières...

Independent cross-country skiing in safety: 2 marked routes in the ski area

With 2 permanent and safe cross-country skiing routes, both exercise enthusiasts and recreational skiers will be able to practice their hobby at their own pace all day long .until the ski area closes.

> **'Méollion'** (3.4 km, 640 m elevation gain), duration approximately 1 hr 30 mins, starting from the foot of the slopes at Les Drapeaux (1,850 m) and finishing at Pointe de Méollion (2,474 m).

> **'Estaris'** (4.6 km, 800 m elevation gain) going uphill for 2 hours, starting from the resort (1,870 m) and arriving at the top of the Estaris chairlift (2,670m). To be extra safe, the descent takes you back along one of the ski area's blue runs.



WINTER SPORTS CHALLENGES

A white trail in the heart of the Écrins National Park

A change of scene on a trail in the heart of the Écrins National Park in the magical setting of winter with the crunch of the snow under your feet is a unique sporting experience. Throughout winter, the 1.5 km of groomed and marked footpaths will delight sports and nature lovers alike. In this setting, running becomes a pleasure! 8km and 15 km for the run and a walk of 5km.

You can go a step further and get a racing number for the 'Trail Étoilé d'Orcières'. This is a chance to run under the stars in the unspoiled scenery of the high alpine ranges. This year, the 3rd 'Trail Étoilé' will take place on 14 January 2023.

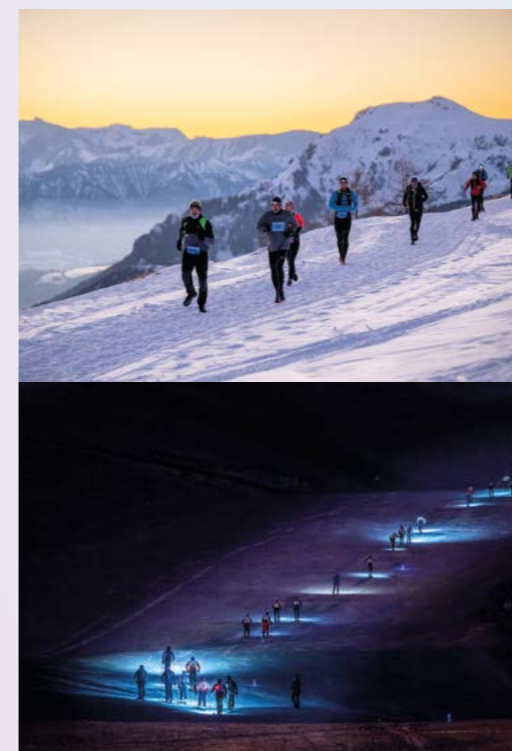
Further information: <https://trails-orcieres.com/le-trail-etoile>

The 'Montées Givrées' a festive and sporting event!

The 'Montées Givrées' challenge is an opportunity to put your skills to the test or just enjoy a sociable sporting event accessible to all! The event is offered every Thursday during the school holidays. Races start at 6.00 pm from the foot of the slopes at Les Drapeaux and arrive at La Bergerie chairlift, 2.5 km further on and 500 m lower down. Refreshments are provided after the downhill descent. From 15 years of age.

Registration: €7 per person. Includes participation in the race and post-race buffet .Every Thursday during school holiday.

Further information: www.mgo.as2pic.org or +33 (0)6 52 68 42 47. Register on the day and on site before the start of the race. You can rent equipment at various shops in the resort.



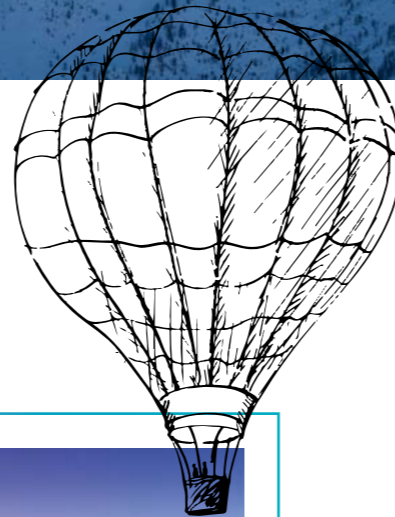
High altitude ballooning: a timeless moment!

As the sun rises, it is time to get away from it all. A driver will take the passengers to the take-off point located in the heart of Orcières ski resort. The preparation of the balloon is an amazing moment during which you can watch it inflate and take shape in the sky. Once the passengers are on board, the balloon takes off for a flight lasting an hour and a half at high altitude in the heart of the mountains. The beauty of the Écrins range can be admired down below. A 360-degree view of the snow-covered mountains provides a unique view as far as Mont Blanc and La Sainte Victoire. Participants are equipped with oxygen to enable them to fly safely during this high-altitude flight at an altitude of over 4,000 m. During the flight, a hostess prepares a delicious chocolate fondue to be enjoyed in the basket. The balloon travels with the wind and will slowly make its way to the landing place, which is generally located around Gap-Tallard. Once the balloon is stowed away, the driver takes the passengers back to the original meeting point.

Suitable from 12 years. Price: €385 per person.
Please call on +33 (0)4 92 54 32 10 or +33 (0)6 98 52 06 24.
www.alpsudmontgolfiere.com/produit/vol-en-montgolfiere-orcieres



Take some time in Orcières...



Tea time and sunset while snowshoeing

A snowshoe walk to enjoy the quietness at the end of a winter's day on the snow-covered mountains... A sporting moment which lets you to relax and let go of your worries while the sun sets. Once at the top, the landscape will be the setting for a gourmet moment - a friendly break over a snack and a hot drink for a magical moment with the family far from the hustle and bustle of the outside world. Departure is from the resort in the direction of the Forest des Marches and its hushed atmosphere. Every Tuesday from 5.30 p.m. to 8.00 p.m.

Prices: €23 per adult, €18 per child.
Contact and further information: +33 (0)6 63 64 05 97
www.accompagnateurs-champsaur.com



Zen Walk

Céline Desmet, a mountain guide, offers walks or snowshoe hikes through the heart of nature accompanied by workshops on well-being (yoga, meditation). Under the trees in the forest or in mountain pastures, Céline enables hikers to relax their mind and body. This involves breathing exercises and sophrology, in order to forget the everyday and reconnect with nature. Observation of the surrounding environment and the intermingling of different sensations are a great way to relax.

Prices & info: €25 for a half day Céline Desmet +33 (0)6 65 45 08 99

Getting to know the land: workshops on using mountain plants and flowers in jam-making

Passionate about nature, Stéphane Bertrand-Pellisson is an expert in extracting flavours from plants as he turns them into jam. In this way, the most unusual flavours are bottled, including larch flower, genepi, dandelion, poppy, wild carrot flower and elderberry, etc. The range is as wide as the range of plants which can be harvested in the area surrounding Orcières. The chef at 'Les Gardettes' restaurant provides the opportunity to find out about the benefits of wild plants during the 'Flavours of mountain plants' workshop.

Prices and further information: Free, book in advance. From 6 years of age. Meet at 'Les Gardettes' restaurant Wednesday 3.30 pm.
+33 (0)4 92 55 71 11 - www.lesdelicesorsatus.com.
Order online and have it delivered anywhere in France:
www.lesdelicesorsatus.com/livraison-etrejour/



A gourmet region



Enjoy a snack at Les Cabrioles farm

This educational farm located in the hamlet of Les Marches welcomes families and groups for free or guided visits. These are an opportunity for the farmers to explain milking, cheesemaking, etc. The farm has around fifty goats, which produce around ten raw milk cheeses, including 'Marchou', named after the inhabitants of the hamlet. The visit concludes with a snack of sweet pancakes (goat's milk dough), to be filled with home-made goat's milk jam or sugar, accompanied by a hot chocolate. You can then go home with beer brewed using water from Orcières.

Blonde, brown, white or amber, La sOrcière is a typical beer brewed with Orcières water.

Educational farm tour: €7 per family, snack €8.50 per person.
+33 (0)6 45 37 10 23 - www.fermedescabrioles.com



Le Salon des Souvenirs

Everything here invites you to enjoy some samples and some comfort. From the sweet and intoxicating smells of hot chocolates made with milk from the neighbouring farm, to the steaming home-made waffles and not forgetting the crêpes filled with the delicious jams by Délices Orsatus - this is a real focal point for ultra-local flavours and the perfect place to indulge yourself after a day out in the fresh air. This is a warm, stylish place where even the gorgeous decoration is for sale. Le Salon des Souvenirs is a shop as well, with local products to sample along with household linen, crockery, you name it - whatever your tastes, bring home a little piece of Orcières!

Open 9.30 am - 7.30 pm
www.facebook.com/lesalondessouvenirs/



'Esprit Parc national'

a label to reflect an unspoilt region

The 'Esprit Parc national' label, a guarantee of environmentally friendly production and operation, brings together over 250 accommodation providers, shopkeepers, craftsmen and activity providers. Delicious mountain and dandelion honeys, organic cheeses from the Cabrioles farm, syrups concocted from aromatic and medicinal plants... These are just some of the products made in Orcières which carry the 'Esprit Parc National' label. Every Tuesday during the holidays in February, producers with the 'Esprit Parc national' label who are committed to the preservation of biodiversity showcase local products.

Infos: www.orcieres.com

Guillaumette génépi

The Bernard-Reymond family has mastered the art of making génépi! A family of instructors in the winter, the 'Guillaumette' make the génépi, which is produced in the hills around Orcières, in the summer. The father and Thomas, the son, collect the ingredients and distil it together during the season. 'Joujou', the grandfather, was the first ski instructor in the resort to invent a digestif to be served at the end of the meal to his customers at the restaurant in Prapic in 1974. It was made from genepi flowers and alcohol. Guillaumette génépi is available in many forms and can be found in macaroons, terrines and sweets, etc. The business won a gold medal at the 'Concours Général Agricole' in 2020 during the 'Salon de l'Agriculture'. In 2021, it was awarded the 'Prix de l'Excellence Française 2021'. This prestigious award reflects the passion and commitment of Thomas, Perrine and their team. As for the recipe - that still remains a secret!

Tel: +33 (0)4 92 21 11 19
www.guillaumette.com - Shop at Pont-du-Fossé



Holiday clubs for a total rest!



The Gîte du Bois de l'Ours

This former farmhouse, entirely restored in a pure mountain style, is located at an altitude of 1,750 m on the road leading to the resort. The décor and atmosphere brings to mind a chalet from a children's story. The wood, stone, comfortable duvets, wood stove and wooden ladder to climb into bed invite you to rest, relax and get cosy. 15 people can stay here, each with their own bedroom and private bathroom. It can be rented in whole or in part depending on the number of guests and is composed of 2 family suites (2 to 5 people) and 2 bedrooms (2 to 3 people). **The owners make a table d'hôtes available every evening with a menu comprising a starter, main course and a dessert for €22 featuring recipes based on local ingredients.** If you want to go for a walk, a snack is also available! Prices: from €70 per room per night for 2 people. (Breakfast and table d'hôte are extra)

Contact: +33 (0)6 61 55 56 95 - www.giteduboisdelours.com



The 4-star Rochebrune les Cîmes, accessible on skis!

The new **** 'Rochebrune.Les Cîmes', with its mountain-style architecture, covers a surface area of 3,800 m² and welcomes holidaymakers into its warm surroundings. Modern, wooded and perfectly integrated into the surrounding landscape, the building is located at the foot of the slopes and offers direct access to the Télémix de Rocherousse. It consists of 3 chalets making up a total of 50 flats, ranging from studios to ultra-comfortable 4-room apartments. After a great day out skiing, holidaymakers can relax in the spa area featuring a swimming pool, sauna, jacuzzi and hammam.

Prices: from €260 per week in a studio for 2 people.
Contact: +33 (0)825.825.677 - agence@labellemontagne.com
further information: www.labellemontagne.com



Family accommodation: holiday clubs, the all-inclusive haven.

In Orcières, holiday clubs are the mainstay of families who want to have a peaceful and sociable stay. They're all ruled by the same policy: to offer incomparable services and prices. They boast kids' clubs adapted to each and every age range, from 4 months to 17 years old, to offer your children a chance to enjoy various activities on their holidays, such as sledding, snow games, snowshoe outings, snowball battles, ski guiding for teenagers, and the list goes on. The packages offer: half-board or full board + lift passes + swimming pool + skating rink or rental. Entertainment and festivities and 6-day alpine ski passes are included.

The Belambra Le Roc Blanc impresses with its key attractions. Ideally located 1,850 m above sea level in the heart of a resort with the 'Famille Plus Montagne' accreditation, the Belambra Roc Blanc offers fully-equipped kitchenettes in its apartments or all-you-can-eat buffets in its restaurant with panoramic views. Its location at the foot of the slopes and close to the ski lifts and the shops is undoubtedly the main attraction of the hotel.

Prices: Stay from 24/12 to 31/12 all inclusive full board for 2 adults and 2 children (one under 6 years old) with accommodation in a 4 person flat, ski passes, children's club, linen and access to the swimming pool and ice rink: €4,330 (€1,080 per person).
Reservation: www.belambra.fr or on +33 (0)1 46 10 13 14.

The Village Club du Soleil all-inclusive holiday offers at attractive prices.

Its key attractions: A high-altitude chalet for sociable lunches at the top of the slopes.

Cross-country ski passes include access to the Rocherousse ski area and a tour of the Orcières leisure centre. Also included is loan of equipment such as children's helmets, sledges and snowshoes.

The Spa: The Village Club du Soleil d'Orcières has a 200 m² relaxation area dedicated to well-being and includes a sauna, hammam, whirlpool baths, relaxation room, herbal tea room and large sun terrace. Aesthetic or comfort massages are available for an additional fee. The gym offers classes taught by coaches: bungypump, stretching and relaxation. Snowshoeing trips are accompanied.

Prices: Stay in an apartment for 4 people (based on 2 adults and 2 children) all inclusive with full board, equipment and ski passes, access to the children's clubs, activities and entertainment at the club, from 04/02 to 11/02/23: from €3,690 per week (or €920 per person). Contact: www.villagesclubsdusoleil.com - 08 25 80 28 05.



The Chalet Kitz, accessible on skis!

Located 1,950 m above sea level in the pretty hamlet of the Forest des Estaris, Le Kitz is a former alpine chalet which housed the shepherds who came to guard the animals and make sheep's cheese at the beginning of the last century. Fully renovated using larch wood collected around Orcières, this chalet covering 120 m² can accommodate up to 10 people in its mountain-inspired and modern surroundings.

The decoration is themed on skiing and the discipline's greatest athletes. What clinches its appeal is that you can put your skis on right at the door: ski in, ski out. With a quality rating of 5, Le Kitz offers the ultimate in comfort with its 4 bedrooms and 3 bathrooms. From up here, you'll enjoy panoramic views of the resort and the Champsaur valley. Since the road to the chalet is covered in snow in winter, the owner provides snowcat transport for arriving and departing guests: A magnificent experience which really feels like being out in the wilderness of nature!

Prices are from €1,750 per week for 10 people to €3,150 per week during the Christmas holidays.
Further information: www.orcieres.com - +33 (0)6 85 55 04 84

Accommodation surrounded by nature: a guaranteed escape!

L'Ecrin des Hautes Alpes, a delightful eco-gîte and winner of the 'Prix Coup de Cœur National des Gîtes de France'.

At l'Ecrin des Hautes-Alpes, located in the middle of the countryside in the charming hamlet of Saint-Jean-Saint-Nicolas and just a stone's throw from Orcières Merlette, the 'Gîtes de Charme' accreditation takes on its full meaning. It's composed of three lodges, proper little gems of 70 to 100 m² which accommodate 2 to 4 people each. The result of the renovation of a traditional high alpine farmhouse, the charm and traditional decoration also provide every comfort for your stay, making this place an ideal haven of peace for the holidays!



THE ECOGITE ACCREDITATION

Ecogîtes® is an accreditation which recognises High Environmental Quality accommodation. This means accommodation which preserves natural resources and minimises the negative impacts of tourism on the environment. Integration of the accommodation into its environment is a major criterion of the accreditation, so this architecturally authentic building perfectly meets the requirements. It is one of the most traditional farms in the Champsaur valley with its shrine at the entrance of the property and respect for the local architecture (overhanging roof with its stone staircase, dormer, orchard, old trees, meadow, forest and vegetable garden, etc.).

Use of renewable energy: the central heating and domestic hot water are provided by a wood-fired boiler. The wood comes from the 5,000m² of woodland adjoining the property. The Nordic bath is also wood fired (stove located inside the bath).

Water and waste management: the taps are equipped with aerators to reduce the flow of water; natural water is collected to supply the Nordic bath and water the gardens, a shower has been installed instead of a bathtub, there is a rainwater recovery system and a composter is available for organic waste, etc...

www.ecrin-des-hautes-alpes.fr/les-ptits-plus/

Prices: From €405 to €755 + €70 to share with the East gîte, + €150 for the Grange (reduced rate for short stay).
Prices for 2 people: €80. Additional person (reduced rate for a short stay).

Contact: +33 (0)6 23 85 21 43
contact@ecrin-des-hautes-alpes.fr



The best deals for winter holidays!

The 'CARTABLE À LA NEIGE' (school bags in the snow) package

PRICES FROM €341

The holiday includes accommodation for 4 people for a week, 6-day ski passes for 2 adults, 6 half-day ski lessons for 1 child aged 3-6 years and 6 days of ski lessons for 1 child aged 6-12 years (½ day of lessons and homework provided by professionals so as not to lose track of school and the other part of the day is devoted to learning to ski with ESF). The package also includes access to the swimming pool and the ice rink for the whole family.

Prices from: €341* per person based on 4 persons maximum occupancy, subject to availability, excluding handling fees, excluding cancellation insurance, excluding service charges.

'ALL INCLUSIVE' family holiday

PRICES FROM €401

Your 'all-inclusive' family holiday for a week without any stress during the school holidays!

The holiday includes accommodation in a 2 room apartment, 6 day ski passes for 2 adults and 1 child (6-12 years old) and 6 half days of ski lessons for 2 children (6-12 years old), and 6 half days in the snow play area for one child (3-6 years old). It also includes unlimited access to the swimming pool and the ice rink at the leisure & relaxation complex!

Prices from: €401* per person. (based on 2 adults + 2 children and excluding administration fees, service charges and cancellation insurance). Valid: Winter 2022-23.

*price of a holiday from 17/12/2022 to 24/12/2022

'STARRY' package

PRICES FROM €287

Going to the mountains means combining sport and relaxation! The stay includes a week in a 2 room flat, a 6 day package for 4 people, registration for the star trail and the 'under the stars' activity. It also includes unlimited access to the swimming pool and the ice rink at the leisure & relaxation complex!

Prices: From €287* per person (based on 4 adults and excluding administration fees, service charges and cancellation insurance).

*Valid: from 14/01/2023 to 21/01/2023

'TEDDY BEAR CHRISTMAS' package

PRICES FROM €390

The holiday in the land of Father Christmas includes 7 nights in accredited accommodation for 4 people (2 adults + 2 children), 6-day ski passes for 2 adults and 1 child (6 - 12 years), 6 half-day ski lessons with ESF (Piou Piou) or ESI. Unlimited access to the swimming pool and ice rink in the leisure and recreation complex. 'La Grande Ourse' is included in the offer!

The highlight: Father Christmas giving out gifts on the evening of the 24th or the morning of the 25th!

Prices from: € 390 price based on 4 people maximum occupancy, subject to availability, excluding handling fees, excluding cancellation insurance, excluding service charges.

'MOUNTAIN THRILLS' package

PRICES FROM €300

Going to the mountains is always an adventure with a capital A! And Orcières promises a week full of thrills! The package includes a week's stay in a two-room apartment, 6-day lift passes for 4 people, 1 adrenaline-pumping activity of your choice: zip line, paragliding or snowmobiling. It also includes unlimited access to the swimming pool and the ice rink at the Leisure & Relaxation Complex!

Prices: From €300* per person (based on 4 adults and excluding administration fees, service charges and cancellation insurance).

*Valid: Winter 2022-23 (excluding school periods) *price of holiday from 07/01/2023 to 14/01/2023

FOR ALL THESE BEST DEALS: WWW.RESERVATION.ORCIERES.COM OR +33(0)4 92 55 89 89

Save the date this winter



'Clap d'entrée'

10 & 11 December 2022

A festive weekend to launch the season during which proprietors will be honoured.

'Noël des Oursons'

24 & 25 December 2022

All the magic of Christmas is at work in Orcières! Numerous events mark this beautiful family festival. All the resort's shops will light up with the magic of Christmas.

European Cups (2 downhill races and 1 SG Men)

from 27 to 31 January 2023

Orcières Merlette 1850 will host the speed events of the Men's Alpine Skiing European Cup on the splendid FIS-approved 'Camille Ricou' downhill slope. Three races are on the programme: two descents and one Super G.



'Trail étoilé'

14 January 2023

The 4th event of this unique night race on snow around the resort. Departure at sunset to complete the race by the light of a headtorch.

'Imagine Pop Song Live'

5 February 2023

The pop music event comes to Orcières Merlette 1850 in partnership with Imagine la Radio for an unforgettable show at the foot of the slopes.



'Ski Games'

18 & 19 March 2023

A skicross race for children (under-11s and under-14s). 500 young French and Italian racers challenge each other at this great festive event.

'Derby d'Orcières'

25 March 2023

The ultimate festive event! For this 3rd event, timed challenges and increasingly crazy activities throughout the day and evening.



'Color'Ski'

2 April 2023

The equivalent of the Color Run, but on skis! On the programme, a colourful descent open to all, the challenge being to brave the obstacles and jets of coloured powder!

'Trophée des Petits Champions'

14/15/16 April 2023 & 21/22/23 April 2023

For its 31st event, over 400 hockey players will come and compete on the ice at Orcières Merlette 1850.



'Clap de fin'

15 April 2023

The programme includes skiing and cycling, all in good spirits, to ensure a good transition to the summer season!

'Les Montées Givrées'

Night backcountry skiing race. Every Thursday during the school holidays.



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