

## Snowmobile tour Hibinskiy Fresh — Detailed description

Trip Length: 3    Group: 4-10    Departure: Fixed    Period: December - January

### Trip overview

Our tour of a great snow safari takes place in a picturesque part of land on the Kola Peninsula. Mountains, boundless snowy desert and heavy moving machines taking you to a trip of incredible landscapes. Then you go downhill through the frozen mountain lakes, fantastic winter woods and aurora to experience this unforgettable adventure.

To recover our strengths from the day and spend the night with comfort we will go to a nice cozy hotel standing in the midst of snowy mountains.

### Highlights

- The entire journey is taken on snowmobiles
- Tour goes through a snowy desert
- Incredible landscapes
- Accommodation in a hotel that located in the mountains
- Chance to see the famous aurora (polar light)

### Tour type

ACTIVENATURE

### Difficulty

Moderate - 3-5 hours of physical activity daily

### Comfort

Standard — most of nights in comfortable rooms, some nights in tents or rooms with shared WC.

### Beginning / end of the tour

Tour starts: Kirovsk, End of the tour: Kirovsk

### Program

#### Day 1 — Lake Maliy Vudiyav and Kaskasnyurchorr mountain

10:00 — Meeting with the group  
10:30 — Breakfast (Not included)  
11:30 — Snowmobile tour beginning  
13:00 — Lunch  
14:00 — Continuation of the passage on snowmobiles  
17:40 — Arrival and accommodation in the guest house  
19:00 — Dinner  
20:00 — Russian banya  
Overnight in the guest house

#### Day 2 — Lovozero tops

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09:00 — Breakfast  
10:00 — Snowmobile passage  
13:00 — Lunch  
14:00 — Continuation of the journey  
18:00 — Return to the guest house  
19:00 — Dinner  
20:00 — Russian banya  
Overnight in the guest house

### Day 3 — Tahtarvumchorr mountain range

09:00 — Breakfast  
10:00 — Snowmobile passage  
13:00 — Lunch  
15:00 — Speed descend and return to the snowmobile base

### Departures

Start	End	Basic price per person
10.03.2017	12.03.2017	45000.00 RUB
14.03.2017	16.03.2017	45000.00 RUB
26.03.2017	28.03.2017	45000.00 RUB
07.04.2017	09.04.2017	45000.00 RUB
14.04.2017	16.04.2017	45000.00 RUB

### Note

The price is given per one seat in snowmobile. According to the weather conditions the itinerary can be changed. If you want to book the supplementary overnights in hotels before or after the tour, please contact as in advance. Thank you for taking the backpack or luggage of 50 litres maximum.

### What's included

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**Price includes**

- English-speaking guide
- Russian-speaking guide services
- Accommodation as per itinerary
- Transport as per itinerary
- Meals
- Medical insurance
- Excursions and visits as per itinerary
- Administrative registration
- Reserves and national parks entrance permissions
- Transfer from airport / railway station on first day
- Transfer to airport / railway station on last day
- Banya
- Letter of invitation
- Snowmobile and equipment rental

**Price does not include**

- Personal expenses and tips
- Visa fees and travel insurance
- Optional activities
- Beverages
- Airline tickets

**Checklist & Equipment**

We recommend you to pack all your stuff in two bags: a small backpack and a large travelling bag.

**SMALL BACKPACK:** will be useful for carrying your personal belongings during the day (camera, film, personal medication, bottled water, etc.) You will also use it as hand luggage during air travel for all your heavy (to lighten the travel bag in the luggage compartment), fragile (camera, etc.) and necessary (toilet bag, etc.) things.

**BIG TRAVEL BAG or BIG BACKPACK:** must contain the rest of your stuff. It will be in the luggage compartment during the flight. It will be transported by vehicles.

**Recommended checklist**

Raincoat or wind and waterproof shell jacket (with hood !)

Thermal underwear

POLARTEC or similar pullover

Windproof waterproof pants and jacket (GORE-TEX, EVENT, SIMPA-TEX)

Long sleeve shirts or sweatshirts

Down jacket

Fleece jacket or warm sweater

Comfortable pants

Mountain boots for walking on ice and snow

Wool gloves and winter cap

Important travel documents: Passport and visa, original or electronic airplane tickets (with a sets of photocopies kept separately), bank card

Charger and spare battery for camera/phone

Photo / video camera

Tour vouchers and programme

Currency in euros, dollars

**Meals**

At restaurants and homestays in cities, traditional cuisine consists of local specialties.

Homestay cuisine based on fresh products.

If you are a vegetarian or have any particular preferences, please let us know, so we could adapt the menu.

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## Visa

You need a tourist visa to travel to Russia. It can be issued for a maximum period of 30 days. Your passport has to be valid for at least six months after the expiry date of your visa and to have at least two blank pages.

BaikalNature offers visa support and has created "BaikalNature letter of invitation" package. If you buy a BaikalNature tour, this package is absolutely free; when you buy any other BaikalNature service, you will have to pay for this package.

For more information please contact your nearest Russian Embassy or Visa Application Center.

## Money

The Russian currency is ruble. In all cities and many large villages of Russia, you can easily withdraw rubles, using a Visa or MasterCard, from ATMs, located in banks, department stores or hotel lobbies, some of them are open 24 hours a day. If you have euros or dollars with you, exchange offices will allow you to change them easily in the cities, seldom in the countryside. However, it can be difficult to exchange traveler's checks, even in cities.

## Tipping

All persons who compose the BaikalNature travel team (guides, drivers, cooks, etc.) are paid a decent wage for their services and do not expect any tips from you. So you have no obligation to leave anything. If you really want to express your satisfaction by leaving a gratuity, and if it is in foreign currency, be aware that torn or glued coins and banknotes cannot be exchanged. Anyway, thank you for your tips, left at your discretion in envelopes.

## Health

No compulsory vaccination.

## Emergency Contact

You can contact BaikalNature by phone: +73952 26 56 94.

In addition, your call will be forwarded to your manager, reachable 7/7.

## Legal Mentions

Professional Guarantees: BaikalNature LLC (ООО "БайкалНейче"), United Federal Register of Tour Operators number: RTO 009402.

Financial Guarantee: "Gaide insurance company" JSC (АО "Страховая компания Гайде"). Insurance contract N 7890/22-49 from September 19, 2022. Amount of coverage: 500 000 RUB. Legal and actual address: BaikalNature LLC, 55 Dekabrskikh Sobyti Str., office 405.2 664007 Irkutsk Russia

## Travel Insurance

In addition to your personal insurance, you have an opportunity to purchase local insurance. Please, do not hesitate to ask us about our services.

## Security

The travelers' security is our primary aim and also the long-term reputation of our travel agency. First-aid kit, adapted for this tour, is available at your guide.

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