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INTRO

Val d'Isère unfurls its great white carpet on November 30th for over 150 days of holiday fun and pure pleasure. Thanks to a rich past, an exceptional ski area and top quality services and facilities Val d'Isère is highly rated amongst the world's most beautiful resorts. Its unique status captivates an extensive cosmopolitan clientele. After a fabulous day on the slopes of the Espace Killy, stroll down the snow-covered footpaths under the twinkling streetlights and let the village cast its spell on you. Join in some fun-filled après-ski with friends or pamper yourself in one of the 10 health spas in the village. Don't forget a family visit to the Aqua Leisure Complex either. Take a trip to the very heart of Savoyard gastronomy by dining in one of the restaurants in the resort and sample the authentic flavours of the region.

Experience the harmonious blend of tradition and modernity, as you arrive in this dynamic resort set in a legendary alpine landscape. The world's top skiers will be setting the pace for the season as they race down the mythical Belvedere Face during the Critérium de la 1^{ère} Neige between December 13th and 22nd. That is unless you beat them to it by carving out the first tracks in the fresh snow on the opening weekend from November 30th to December 1st. All the brand new 2014 season's ski gear will be available for you to test.

Then the season will be in full swing until May 4th when the Hot Ice event, a genuine ode to springtime, rounds off the Val d'Isère season in style.

WINTER SEASON

**FROM NOVEMBER 30th 2013
TO MAY 4th 2014**

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VAL D'ISÈRE

MORE THAN JUST A
SIGN OR A SIGNATURE,
IT'S A PROMISE, A
PERSONALITY AND
REAL VALUES

Val d'Isère is an exceptional resort, which has successfully retained the heart and soul of its village just for you.

The Val d'Isère attitude: a singular international resort, a one of a kind, undoubtedly due to the fact that it grew from traditional dwellings huddled around the church steeple.

Here we nurture smiles, emotions, and hospitality. To summarize, the Val d'Isère attitude is synonymous with sharing and excellence.



VAL D'ISÈRE

INFINITY AT THE TIPS OF YOUR SKIS

Located in south-eastern France, in the very heart of Savoy, Val d'Isère opens up the great white gateway to the Espace Killy. The setting is magnificent. Listen to the call of the vast white expanse. Enjoy every modern comfort imaginable that this charming village at an altitude of 1850 metres has to offer.

From November to May the slate roofs of the wood and stone built chalets are adorned with a becoming coat of snow, as is the local Baroque church. Our cosmopolitan clientele particularly appreciates this unique atmosphere. In a few short years, this international resort has evolved into a genuine capital of art de vivre with an increasing number of luxury hotels, a new Aqua Leisure Complex, and fine dining.

Val d'Isère has retained the heart and soul of a village thus creating a harmonious blend of tradition and modernity. Surrounded by a protective range of breathtaking summits you can simply sense the magic emanating from the mountains right up to the high glacier peaks. This timeless magic is created everyday by the indomitable local "Avalins": from the spark of a smile at the "Critérium de la Première Neige" World Cup firework display to the conviviality of fine dining and the sparkle of the fabulous ski runs, these people simply dote on their environment and await you with open arms to offer you a taste of their famous "Avalin" hospitality.



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ESPACE KILLY

AN EXCEPTIONAL SKIING AREA

Val d'Isère would be delighted to welcome you to the world's most exquisite ski area, the Espace Killy.

The **ESPACE KILLY'S** trump cards

1992 Winter Olympic Games, Critérium de la 1^{ère} Neige since 1955, Alpine Skiing World Championships in 2009, the greatest alpine skiing champions have raced down the fabled Face de Belvarde or the Rhone Alpes on Solaise in Val d'Isère.... And you ski in their tracks! Some of them even grew up in Val d'Isère and learned to ski there: Jean-Claude Killy made such a mark that the legendary ski area of Val d'Isère and Tignes known as the Espace Killy is named after him.

Expanse

300km of marked slopes, vertical drop of 1 900m, two glaciers. Skiing for all levels and all winter sport activities. Special cordoned off « slow skiing » areas for beginners, kids and the more nervous skier.

Altitude

From 1 550 to 3 450 metres with 60% of the slopes above 2 200m. Exceptional snow cover from late November to early May.

Exposure

As the slopes face in several directions, it is possible to plan a day's skiing based on the sun's movements.

Guaranteed snow

In addition to some of the best natural skiing conditions available, some 900 snow cannons operate to top up the natural snow cover offering optimum conditions in the Espace Killy whenever you choose to ski.

VAL D'ISÈRE snowpark

- Bump runs for all levels (green, blue, red and black) perfectly marked out and signposted
- A park including 25 original rails for every freestyle level (dance floor, boxes, banana rail, wall barrel, spine etc)
- A 1-kilometre long natural boarder cross in the Borsat valley
- Wide open zones for beginners to practice in.
- Pro events to see the world's top current ski and board riders in action
- Queen of the Valpark, a 100% ladies only freestyle event. Free introduction to freestyle skiing by professionals reserved exclusively for girls in March 2014.

VAL D'ISÈRE - TIGNES



SKI PASSES

CHOOSE THE PERFECT PASS FOR YOU!



Passes

- 1 day adult pass (14-64 yrs): 50,50 €
- 6-day adult pass (14-64 yrs): 252,50 €
- 1 day child pass (5-13 yrs) or senior (65-74 yrs): 40,50 €
- Family pass: -20% discount for all the family!



- Ski « à la carte » : 15 to 30% reduction + loyalty days for 1€ + access to 6 major ski areas with one pass

43 € 1 DAY / ESPACE KILLY

PLUS ...

Pedestrians: 5 € reduction in the mountain restaurants for the purchase of a pedestrian ticket

Swimming pool: every 6 to 15-day Espace Killy pass includes one free entry to the Aqua Leisure complex pool

Ski for free:

- 5 free beginner lifts on the nursery slopes.
- Free skiing for children under 5 and seniors over the age of 75 (proof of age required)



NEW THIS YEAR



NEW THIS YEAR

IN THE VILLAGE

Opening of a family home

« LES 5 FRÈRES »***

The Family Home Hotel « Les Cinq Frères » awaits you between the church and the Tourist Office in the heart of the village. It is adjacent to the oldest house in the village the « Maison Moris » and a stone's throw from the slopes. It's simply home from home. Come in and feel like you would in your own home where you'll find the same atmosphere, spirit, smells, furniture and people you like year after year. From a single room to a whole floor with a dining room, a lounge, library and playrooms.. Even a kitchen to make your own cakes and toss a few pancakes ... Oh home sweet home! Don't miss out on the homemade meals served at the « Table d'Yvonne » where family meals are the speciality. Jérôme Labrousse, the Table de Neiges chef, adds his own personal touch to family dishes, simmered and served up straight from the oven. The « Cinq Frères » has all the features of a 3-star establishment with the atmosphere of a family home.

Opens Christmas 2013

17 rooms each with an individual theme and decoration inspired by family members and local traditions.

→ www.les5freres.com



NEW THIS YEAR

Grand Paradis Hotel **** : Discover the new wooden facade of the establishment as well as the renovation of the 2nd floor rooms. Balconies have also been created on the north facade for the 3rd and 4th floor rooms. Discover the varied menu created by the new « Schuss » restaurant chef. Also new this year: light refreshments served all day long at the foot of the slopes. Ideally located on the Val d'Isère snowfront, the Grand Paradis attracts skiers and walkers to its sun drenched terrace. The atmosphere in the hotel is just as warm and welcoming.

→ www.hotelgrandparadis.com

The Ormelune hotel awarded its 4th star. Shake up alpine tradition and add a little fun and brightness to the mountains. Bring a little of the alpine colours inside and you get the vivacious Ormelune**** atmosphere.

→ <http://ormelune.com>

« La Table des Neiges » restaurant, Tsanteleina Hotel : Chef Jérôme Labrousse is now featured in the Michelin gastronomic guide with 2 ½ forks heralding the quality of his work. It's a good idea to ask for the half-board menu that is also available to non-hotel guests.

→ www.tsanteleina.com

Creation of 8 alpine chalets: at the foot of the Belvedere Face slightly overlooking Val d'Isère. 8 chalets, of which 4 will be available for rent, have been built in la Balme quarter of the village. Interior deco by Michel Covarel, practical, stylish and cosy. An ideal cocoon in which to relax after a day on the slopes.

Renovation of the Lhotse chalet

The Lhotse is one of Val d'Isère's top establishments. This fully serviced chalet offers all the comfort you can imagine in an intimate chalet atmosphere. The facilities and services are unrivalled by even the best hotel. Dominique Montel, an ardent admirer of Val d'Isère, is improving the interior deco and installing a glass elevator in the heart of the chalet leaving room for a brand new indoor pool.

La Baraque restaurant

After having « decided to be happy as it is good for the health » in true Voltaire style, the Salon des Fous team are breathing new life into the « Baraque » restaurant: the interior is in true Alain Perrier style, atmosphere and live music await you...



ICE DRIVING CIRCUIT

New concept, new circuit, new organisation

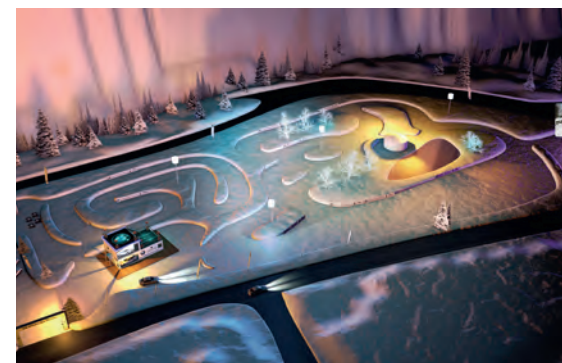
- Drive the very latest BMWs on ice, go-karting and, new for 2013-2014, piste basher driving lessons. Try out the special 20-minute session for a whole new experience.

- New reception area on three floors including a cloakroom, ground floor briefing area for groups. The dual floored terrace, the ideal location for gala cocktails, offers optimum visibility of the circuit.

- One quality high speed driving simulator this winter at the circuit. Discover the joys of driving on the world's top racing circuits with hyper realistic sensations. This simulator set on 6 axes offers 180° vision, a pro steering wheel with force feedback and a guarantee to take your breath away.

- An authentic yurt mid-track offers the impression of distant horizons. Why not get away from it all during one of the special traditional evening dinners served up once a week by local restaurants?

→ www.valdisere-ice-driving.com





AQUA LEISURE COMPLEX

A brand new well-being zone

- Creation of a new massage area. This new well-being area is more spacious than before and offers a special reception desk plus three massage cabins offering Pure Altitude treatments.
- Extension of the fitness/form area with a brand new layout. One room dedicated to cardio activity, another to weights plus a brand new 200m² room for yoga and aerobics. This temple of fitness is fully equipped by TRX and Technogym. The area is managed by Yannick, who also offers personal coaching services.

New in the pool and wellness zone

- Brand new layout with two extra jacuzzis
- Try out aquabiking! Strengthen your legs whilst improving stamina. It's refreshingly new and great fun. Thanks to great coaching you'll be able to climb mountains whilst staying in the pool.
- Weekly entertainments for children with a special soft play area and bouncy fun ...



NEW THIS YEAR

Improved bar/lounge area : Fun for young and old alike

- The children's play area is to be integrated in to this area and trampolines are to be added. The table football remains a key point and your kids can bounce from one game to another whilst you relax in the bar.
- **Work on that swing!** In preparation for the Winter Golf event or simply to keep in practice during the winter, try out the professional golf simulator. Why not reserve a private lesson with a golfing pro from 5pm onwards?
- **Drive in style!** One high quality driving simulator is also to be installed in this animated area this winter. This simulator, the result of aeronautical technology, is based on 6 axes and is used regularly by world-class pilots. With 180° vision and a pro steering wheel with force feedback this simulator is extremely realistic. Take a seat behind the wheel on one of the world's top racing circuits.



BUT ALSO :

Renovation of the Henri Oreiller Conference Centre

The reception area of the conference centre has undergone a total facelift: modern interior deco and an adjustable layout allowing the area to be adapted to a multitude of uses to suit to any requirements.

→ www.valdisere-congres.com

↑ SUMMARY



NEW THIS YEAR

ON THE SLOPES

Joseray slope

The Joseray slope has been redeveloped during 2013 and is destined to host ladies World Cup ski racing events. This would allow both men's and ladies' racing to take place in the same place during the Critérium de la 1^{ère} Neige (as the Belvedere Face and the Joseray are located on adjacent slopes) in the heart of the village. A snow factory has been created at the foot of Belvedere in order to guarantee snow cover on these two slopes.

New Family Pass format

20% discount for all the family! Are you a family of four or more including at least one adult over the age of 14? Then it's child's rate for all the family - the equivalent of 20% discount! Example: 202€ for a 6-day pass per family member. Parents, children included, blended families and grandparents and their grandchildren. 6 or 7 day passes available.

Save Your Logo

Val d'Isère redefines its actions to protect biodiversity on a more local level (royal eagle, bearded vulture) and extends its actions to include the black grouse by creating protected zones on designated off-piste areas such as the Cairn forest (Belvedere zone).

Be First on the Slopes

Have you always dreamed of being the very first person on the slopes? Make your dream come true, and open the slopes with the ski patrol. Carve the best curves of your life on freshly prepared snow and discover the world of the ski patrol who will explain what their job entails whilst sharing breakfast with you in an altitude chalet. You will be the envy of all the other skiers.

Children's Snow Garden

Your kiddies will discover a brand new children's snow garden this year with the ESF. A genuine chalet in the midst of the slopes to have a quick snack before making their very first snowy turns.

New Webcam

Discover the new 360° webcam at the summit of Belvedere allowing even more precise viewing of real time conditions in your favourite ski area.

Espace Killy in 3D

Discover the Espace Killy from another angle, with a precise, realist and attractive 3D plan.



TRADITION



VAL D'ISÈRE

FOR THE ENVIRONMENT

Carbon footprint assessment, charter for sustainable development, ISO 14 001 certification for the local ski lift company and the Alpine World Skiing Championships organising committee, eco-friendly initiatives...

For several years now, Val d'Isère has been actively participating in the protection of this exceptional environment, which provides a living for the resort during the four seasons of the year.

Val d'Isère in white

Extending pedestrian and skier areas, maintaining a thin layer of snow on the roads and footpaths, banning salt gritting, restricting delivery vehicle access, indoor and outdoor car parks, promoting public transport.

Protecting the environment

Every aspect of local environment management is a key issue for Val d'Isère including wildlife protection, sustainable territorial development and waste and energy management.

Val d'Isère for the preservation of the eagle

Val d'Isère joined the Save Your Logo programme in August 2010. This innovative scheme promotes the protection of the biosphere throughout the world. Val d'Isère leads a programme for the protection of the eagle, the Val d'Isère trademark, as well as the bearded vulture on both a local and national scale in association with the Vanoise National Park. These two species of bird may be found in the skies of Val d'Isère and the birth of a eaglet or nestling bearded vulture is always very closely monitored.

Surveillance and eco-watch

The two major threats to these birds have been identified as poisoning and collision with cables or electrocution by electric wires. Val d'Isère has already equipped a number of electric wires with fluorescent balls and is working in close collaboration with the Vanoise National Park to reduce the impact of ski lift cabling. Information boards are posted in strategic areas informing paragliders of the particularities of these species and the areas to be avoided.

NEW : A new educational programme in Val d'Isère's schools to raise awareness of even the youngest pupils of the importance of biodiversity preservation. This project is to be extended to other schools : the creation of an educational « package » about the Royal eagle in association with the Vanoise National Park and the pupils of the Val d'Isère schools.

NEW : Val d'Isère is to add the black grouse to its list of protected birds with the creation of restricted access zones on a selection of off-piste areas such as the lower part of the Cairn forest at the foot of Belvedere.



VAL D'ISÈRE

SPORTS

The history of skiing was written here in Val d'Isère. It has organised every major skiing event including the 1992 Winter Olympic Games, Critérium de la 1^{ère} Neige World Cup event since 1955, and 2009 World Alpine Skiing Championships. All the greatest skiers in the world have raced in Val d'Isère on legendary racecourses such as the Belvedere Face, the Oreiller Killy (otherwise known to friends as the OK), and the more recent Rhone Alpes slope on Solaise. The Critérium de la 1^{ère} Neige rapidly became a key event on the great white racing circuit. This top competition is now firmly engraved in Val d'Isère's genetic sporting DNA. Generations of local racers grew up and learned to ski in Val d'Isère. Henri Oreiller, Jean-Claude Killy, Marielle and Christine Goitschel gained the racing glory that is associated with Val d'Isère today. Local boy Jean Claude Killy left such an impression on skiing history that the area linking Val d'Isère and Tignes was named after him: the Espace Killy. More recently a new generation of racers has emerged, Patrice Bianchi, Mathieu Bozzetto and Ingrid Jacquemod represented Val d'Isère in top-level international racing. The younger generation is not far behind with alpine skiers Anémone Marmottan, Hugo and Romane Geraci and Alexandre Bouillot ! Not forgetting freestylers Tom Lesuire, César Reversade and Léo Taillefer. And you're skiing in their tracks !

The view from the top of Belvedere is breathtaking for both racers and spectators alike. Racers plunge at dizzyingly high speeds towards the village as the crowds enthusiastically cheer them on. The spectators have a great view of the entire racecourse, which simply takes their breath away. The reputation of the Belvedere Face and the OK stretches much further than the mountains of Haute Tarentaise.

Anémone Marmottan



2013 French Giant Slalom champion, Bronze medallist at the 2013 JMM, 11th place in the 2010 Vancouver Olympic Games.

→ www.anemone-marmottan.fr

Hugo Géraci

2013 French downhill vice-champion in the under 18 category

Scara 2011 : winner in giant slalom and slalom

Romane Géraci

Scara 2013 : winner in super G in the u16 category and 2nd in slalom. Topolino 2013 : winner in slalom

VAL D'ISÈRE

THE AUTHENTIC

Today Val d'Isère is an international resort, which has successfully retained the heart and soul of its village.

The centre of Val d'Isère is the perfect example with its Baroque church along with the old Moris house dating back to 1662, which is now a local history museum.

How a small alpine village perched high up in the Alps at 1850m became an internationally famous ski resort is quite an incredible tale. One small mule track winding dangerously through the gorges was the only way for the local residents known as "Avalins" to travel to Bourg St Maurice to sell their local specialties: lace and blue cheese. Huddled around the church steeple, Val d'Isère existed along with all the other Savoyard villages, shrouded in a thick coat of snow eight months of the year. The residents, referred to as "winter swallows", gradually emigrated to the valleys until the trend for winter sports holidays appeared as if by magic.

Val d'Isère's first stroke of luck was its ideal location, which even back in 1930 was considered as one of the best for skiing: long months of snow, good slope exposure. Then French President Albert Lebrun opened the Iseran mountain pass in 1937. The third lucky break was the determination of Charles Diebold and Jacques Moufflier, respectively from Alsace and the north of France, who from 1929, invested all their time and effort in to making Val d'Isère one of the top winter

sports resorts in the world today.

Jacques Moufflier loved to recount how they had to start totally from scratch, deal with landowners, a shrinking population, not forgetting the difficulties due to the altitude, isolation, traditions and the harsh climate. At the same time Charles Diebold opened the first ski school in 1932 and two years later Jacques Moufflier built the first ski lift, the Rogoney, which is still used today by beginners.

There were 4 hotels in 1932, 11 in 1938, 36 in 1952 and 62 in 1966. The ski lift company was created in 1938 and the (illegal) construction of the Solaise cable car commenced in 1940 and was completed two years later in 1942. Work then commenced on the Belvedere cable car in 1945.

After good fortune, all Val d'Isère needed was fame! Henri Oreiller, Jean-Claude Killy, Marielle and Christine Goitschel all brought skiing glory to Val d'Isère with their racing exploits.

Val d'Isère continues to evolve and expand to this day. The architecture remains unerringly traditional, the services and facilities improve every year and each generation strives to keep Val d'Isère on the top rung of the world winter sports ladder.



Museum « Val d'Histoire »

The local history museum retraces the history of the resort and is the collective memory of the village. Locals, personalities and champions have all donated their souvenirs to this convivial place that has become the living memory of the resort. The museum is housed in the oldest dwelling of the resort, the Moris house. Museum founder, Pim Geldof, will be more than happy to tell you a tale or two. Open Tuesday to Sunday from 5pm to 7pm

→ www.valdhistoire.com



- 1888 1st hotel opens in Val d'Isère
- 1934 Creation of Val d'Isère ski resort
- 1937 Official opening of the Iseran mountain pass
- 1955 Launch of the "Criterium de la Première Neige"
- 1963 Creation of the Vanoise National Park
- 1968 Val d'Isère skiers Jean-Claude Killy and the Goitschel sisters excel at the Grenoble Olympic Games.
- 1992 Val d'Isère hosts the Albertville Olympics Men's alpine skiing events except the slalom.
- 2009 Val d'Isère organises the World Alpine Skiing Championships
- 2010 Mathieu Bozzetto wins the bronze medal at the Vancouver Olympic Games

1 700 permanent residents
25 000 tourist beds
2 000 000 nights' accommodation in winter
1 450 000 days skied in the resort

Highly cosmopolitan clientele with 45 % from France and 55 % from abroad

VAL D'ISÈRE

THE ART OF LIVING YOUR DREAMS

Patrick Chevallot

« Meilleur ouvrier de France »

Established in Val d'Isère since 1965, the "Maison Chevallot" has since become a genuine institution. Patrick Chevallot, who was awarded France's most distinguished "Meilleur Ouvrier de France" award, continues the family tradition. Try his pastries, breads, chocolates and other gourmet treats. This year why not take a bite out of the new "Marmotte Chevallotte" cake. Patrick also organises baking classes that are the perfect opportunity to share his gourmet secrets.



Chef Benoît Vidal

Enchanted by the Atelier d'Edmond*

It was Régis Marcon who introduced Benoit Vidal to the Atelier d'Edmond. It was love at first sight and the rest is history. This chalet restaurant in Le Fornet was hand built by local Jacques Leprivey and offers a unique décor resembling a mix of a workshop and a mountain refuge. Shortly after taking over the kitchens, this talented chef was awarded a Michelin star. Sample the exceptional, inventive menu offering a blend of gourmet cuisine and local produce. Benoit also offers cookery lessons in small groups that always end with dining on the meal you've cooked!

The Atelier d'Edmond will also be opening during the summer of 2014.

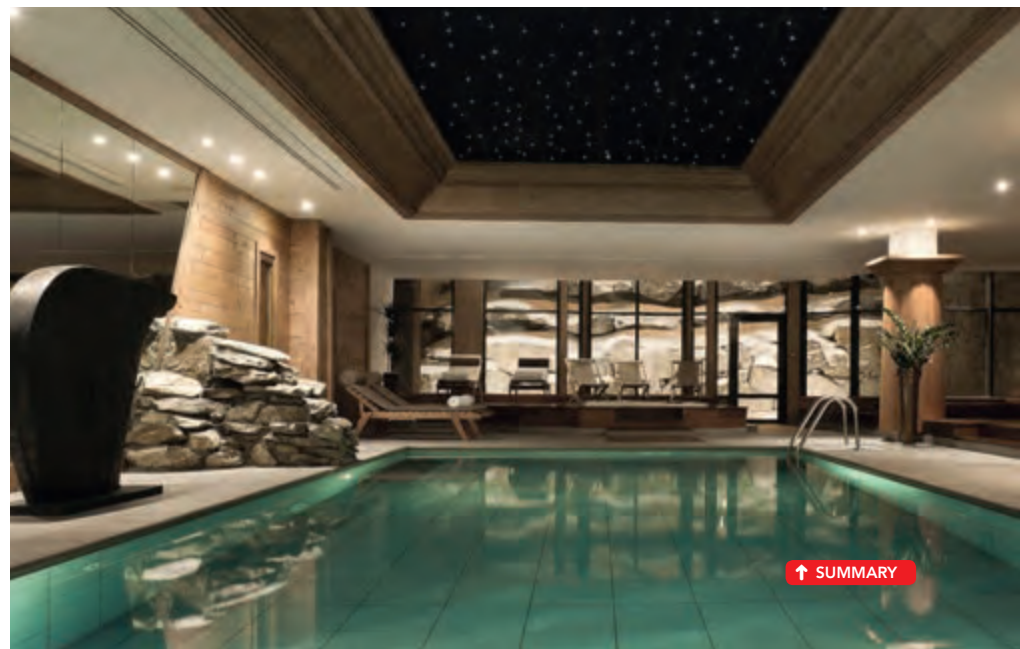


A choice of 10 spas

Succumb to the unique atmosphere of one of Val d'Isère's charming spas, an open invitation to pure relaxation. No less than 10 spas are available for the well-being of the clientele. After a hard day on the slopes, a visit to the spa is a must. Nothing could be nicer than being pampered at the hands of the experienced staff and their famous name beauty products such as Clarins, Carita, Decléor, Comfort Zone, Payot and Pure Altitude.

Sublime shopping

Val d'Isère is a pedestrian's paradise and is perfect for a little retail therapy. This modern international resort with the heart and soul of a village has no less than 50 sports shops, and prêt-à-porter boutiques, 92 restaurants and brasserie-type restaurants, 4 nightclubs, 13 delis and food stores plus various other shops (jewellers, hairdressers, florists, bookshops, photographers, art galleries....). Everything you could possibly need for your holiday. Enjoy the relaxed, personal service you're sure to receive in every establishment.



LUXURY FACILITIES

Conference Centre

A quality conference centre ideally situated at the foot of the slopes. It includes:

- A conference hall and auditorium (360 seats)
- Nine committee rooms,
- **New** A fully renovated reception lobby with bar, reception desk and cloakrooms,
- An office reserved for organiser's exclusive use.
- A 650m² multi-function sports hall, which can be used for exhibitions, banquets or cocktails,
- An adjoining underground car park,
- A turnkey organisation service.

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→ www.valdisere-congres.com



Children's Village

Enjoy Val d'Isère as a family. Nursery for infants 18 months to 3 years. Childcare for children 3 to 13 years. Open from Sunday to Friday from 9am to 5.30pm. Children are looked after by a team of state qualified staff. They can try out many stimulating indoor and outdoor leisure activities. They may learn to ski or improve on their technique. All the activities are adapted to every age and every taste.

Tél. +33 (0)4 79 40 09 81



Aqua Leisure Complex

5 000 m² of pure pleasure, five different worlds

- **Beach/spa world** : 25m swimming pool plus a leisure pool with currents, water cannons, massage jets, and 150 m² heated solarium
New this year: extension of the wellness world to include three jacuzzis, three saunas (including one infrared) and a steam bath
- **Beauty world** : **New** areas including three massage rooms
- **Sports world** : 550 m² wooden floored sports hall for team sports, table tennis, badminton courts. 135 m² climbing wall.



Ice Rink

A natural ice rink in the heart of the village. A welcome chalet, hot drinks and numerous events. Open every day from 2pm to 7pm and from 3 pm to 8 pm from mid February onwards.

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- **Exercise world** : 2 full sized squash courts, 200 m² cardio training room equipped by Technogym. 120 m² weights room. 200 m² aerobics rooms equipped by TRX.
- **Lounge world** : Bar, wifi access, boutique. **New this year**: 1 professional driving simulator, 1 pro golf simulator with the possibility of private lessons. And for the kiddies a soft play area, trampoline and table football.

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Every 2 to 15 day Espace Killy pass includes one free entry to the Aqua Leisure Complex swimming pool.



FAMILY FUN IN VAL D'ISERE

Kids stay for free

at Christmas and Easter

Hotel offer

Free accommodation (Bed & Breakfast) for children* : under 12 years old sharing the parents room (maximum 2 children for 2 adults)

- Buy 1 adult ski pass and get 1 child's pass for free
- Buy 1 ski hire and get 1 child's hire for free

When booking via our Val hotel booking office

*Subject to availability and hotels

Snow sports for all the family

New Family Pass format : 20% discount for all the family! Are you a family of four or more including at least one adult over the age of 14? Then everyone pays child's rate, the equivalent of 20% discount! Example: 202€ for a 6-day pass per member of the family. Parents, children included, blended families and grandparents and their grandchildren. 6 or 7 day passes available.

■ Two quiet skiing areas.

Located on the upper slopes, these two special areas allow children, beginners and the more nervous skier to gain

confidence away from the faster skiers. Madeleine slope on Solaise and Verte slope on Bellevard.

■ The Fun trail

Fab fun for all the family as you make your way down this fun trail.

■ Val d'Isère Aqua Leisure Complex

An essential part of your holiday

- 5 free ski lifts on the Snowfront for beginners.

■ Children's Village

9am to 5.30pm. Children are looked after by a team of state qualified staff. They can try out many stimulating indoor and outdoor leisure activities. They may learn to ski or improve on their technique. All the workshops are adapted to every age and every taste.

■ Ski Kindergartens

On the Daille and Centre snowfronts

- Sledge slope for the kids next to the Savonnette run on the Snowfront



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Apres ski a state of mind

- Fun on the snow: all the family can enjoy a variety of sledging devices (snake gliss, yooner, airboard etc) on the floodlit Savonnette slope

- Dynastar races: racing for all the family with pairs of skis to be won.

- Children's shows, every week

- Aqua leisure complex: leisure pool, sports hall, squash, climbing...

- Outdoor ice rink

Not forgetting firework displays, torch lit descents, street entertainments for all the family, literary encounters

See Val d'Isère under a new light

- Visit the Adroit farm and milk the cows, see how cheese is made.

- Behind the scenes in Val d'Isère: youngsters can satisfy their curiosity and discover how the Olympique cable car works, or what goes on in the rescue posts. Once a week from December 23rd.

- Val d'Isère local history museum Val d'Histoire. The local history museum retraces the history of the resort and is the collective memory of the village. Locals, personalities and champions have all donated their souvenirs to this convivial place that has become the living memory of the resort. The museum is housed in the oldest dwelling of the resort, the Moris house. Open Tuesday to Sunday from 5pm to 7pm.

- Bakery classes with Patrick Chevallot, award winning pastry chef. This passionate chef shares his baking secrets and gourmet recipes every week.

DON'T MISS !

- Enchanted Christmas, from December 23rd to 29th: meet Father Christmas, magic shows, and illuminations.

- La Scara, from April 8th to 11th 2014. The key event of the season for young racers from 12 to 15 years old. Top class racing and a fabulous atmosphere.

6 FAMILY PLUS PROMISES

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A family friendly holiday

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Entertainments for all the family

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Special rates for every member of the family

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Activities for children and adults, together or individually

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Shops and facilities within easy reach

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Special attention paid to children by all the local services.





EVENTS

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First tracks

November 30th to December 1st 2013

To celebrate the beginning of the new winter season, come and discover the latest in ski and snowboard equipment. Try out the entire latest 2014 ski and snowboard gear and explore the Espace Killy skiing area with a qualified guide. A guaranteed party atmosphere.



58th Critérium de la 1^{ère} Neige

From December 13th to 22nd 2013

World Cup Men's and Ladies' alpine ski racing

Val d'Isère sets the pace for the coming season with these two spectacular weekends of international racing. Free entry for all. Men's (December 14th GS and December 15th SL) Women's (December 21st Downhill and December 22nd Giant slalom) World Alpine World Cup racing.



An Enchanted Christmas

From December 23rd to 29th 2013

Giant snow sculptures, larger than life nativity, shows, concerts, torchlight descent, a visit from Father Christmas ... Even the snowflakes glisten as brightly as the children's eyes! A pure winter wonderland.



New Year's Eve Airstar Night Light

December 31st 2013

The heart of the village comes alive to a million twinkling lights and colourful balloons bouncing gaily between heaven and earth. Curious creatures may be found wandering along the main street to bring in the New Year with light-hearted laughter. So join in the party!



Polo masters

From January 15th to 18th 2014

6th edition of Polo on Snow
For four days, the top professional polo players will compete at the foot of the floodlit Face de Belvédère. Discover this majestic sport at dusk. The show, music and the specifically built village will certainly warm your heart and soul!
→ www.polo-master.com



21st CLASSICAVAL music festival

opus 1: from January 21st to 23rd 2014
opus 2: from March 18th to 20th 2014

Dates not to be missed this winter, the two opuses of the Classicaval festival have attracted classical music lovers to the Baroque church of Saint Bernard de Menthon for over 20 years. Share the heart and soul of classical music with the musicians.

→ www.festival-classicaval.com



Alpine Skiing European Cup

From January 21st to 26th 2014

Come along and cheer on the racers during these three Downhill events on the Belvédère Face.



Frost Gun Invitational

From February 13th to 14th and February 27th to 28th 2014

Freestyle contest

This top freestyle Big Air competition will be back in Val d'Isère to liven things up a little on the Belvédère Face. After the qualifying heats on February 13th to 14th the finals will take place on February 27th to 28th with some really fancy tricks in store. Get ready for a fantastic show!

Yoga Festival

From February 28th to March 2nd 2014

35 yoga workshops, live music on Friday night, organic café, three days in the mountains ... unique experiences to share with yogis and yoginis from throughout the world.



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Altigloss Challenge

From March 22nd to 29th 2014

4th Student Skiing Meeting

Pro ski and snowboard riders come along to perform at this student winter sports gathering which is now the largest in Europe. An exhibitor's village and a host of entertainments are also planned for the weekend.



2nd Winter Golf

From March 25th to 30th 2014

Golf on snow: competition, entertainments and course open to all on Sunday. When the Winter Golf comes to Val d'Isère things really heat up in the village with street golf at nightfall. Then at dawn, 40 teams of two players (Pro Am) discover the specially prepared 9-hole course in the Manchet Valley in breathtaking alpine surroundings. March 25th and 26th: Ski/Golf Championships. March 27th-29th BMW Winter Golf Cup. March 30th Course open to the public.



34th Scara

April 8th to 11th 2014

International junior ski racing

The key event for young racers aged from 12 to 15 years. The Scara has unveiled many a future champion such as Luc Alphand, Jean-Baptiste Grange.



18th International Adventure and Discovery Film Festival

from April 14th to 17th 2014

11 films in the running, exhibitions, meet the adventurers. The Adventure and Discovery Film Festival simply gets better and better each year!

→ www.festival-aventure-et-decouverte.com



Hot Ice

from April 12th to May 4th 2014

End of Season Festival

Fabulous spring skiing in the morning followed by red hot entertainments in the afternoons and evenings. Enjoy the last days of the season with all-inclusive packages including accommodation, spring skiing with an instructor from the French National Ski School, free entry to the Aqua Leisure complex.



All winter long

■ Entertainments every day: torchlight descents, firework displays, shows for all the family, concerts, alpine and cross-country ski races and sledging.

■ 2014 Fun on the Snow. Discover a host of new ways of speeding down the slopes once the lifts have closed as a family or with friends. Every week from December 23rd on the floodlit Savonette nursery slope. The host will show you how to pilot your yooner, airboard, sna-kegliss etc.

■ Behind the scenes in Val d'Isère. Join a guided tour of the resort's facilities including the rescue post, CATEX avalanche blasting and cable car machine rooms. The resort staff will be more than happy to share their job secrets with you. Every week from December 23rd.

■ Guided tour of the resort: Baroque Church, Moris house, architecture. Every week

Pedestrian evenings

Airstar Night Light : The snow-covered streets of Val d'Isère come to life with a host of street entertainments, percussions and DJs. Sparks fly as the ice sculptor creates a masterpiece. Every week from December 31st to late February. Festive Thursdays then take over as spring approaches with a wind garden and live music in the streets. Every week in March and April.

■ Literary encounters with Vivre Livre Val d'Isère welcomes a number of well-known authors. Readings, autographs, theatre, discussions etc. Share a little culture...

→ www.rencontres-litteraires.com



The whole agenda on :

→ www.valdisere.com/valdisere/fr/evenements/agenda/agenda_jour



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GREAT IDEAS

First tracks

Self-catering

November 30th & December 1st
check in on November 29th
extend your stay to December 2nd

2 nights self-catering accommodation*
+ 2 day "Val d'Isère +" pass**
+ 1/2-day ski guiding with a qualified instructor
+ 1 free entry to the Aqua Leisure Complex
+ Free 2014 equipment tests
+ Wide range of entertainments

From 109 € per person

*Subject to availability, Prices based of 4 people sharing a 4 bed apartment

**Buy a Val d'Isère pass and get the Espace Killy for free



Children stay for free at Christmas and Easter

Hotel offer

Free accommodation for children under the age of 12*. Children sharing their parent's room stay for free on Bed and Breakfast (maximum 2 children for 2 paying adults)**

- Buy one adult pass and get one child's pass for free
- Equipment hire: buy one adult equipment hire and get one kids hire for free

For all bookings via the Val hotel booking office.

*Depending on availability and hotel consent

** Same duration

Hotel accommodation

November 30th & December 1st
check in on November 29th
extend your stay to December 2nd

2 nights in a hotel*
+ 2 day "Val d'Isère +" pass**
+ 1/2 day ski guiding with a qualified instructor
+ 1 free entry to the Aqua Leisure Complex
+ Free 2014 equipment tests
+ Wide range of entertainments

From 188 € per person

*Subject to availability, Prices based on a double room occupied by two guests on B&B basis.

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Spring Offer

From April 12th to May 4th 2014

Accommodation+ski pass+lessons package

Festivities and free entertainments every day.



Hotels and private rentals: Val Hotel

The hotel and private rentals central reservations office offers made to measure services to organise the perfect holiday (accommodation, ski passes, ski hire etc)



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SUMMER IN VAL D'ISERE

CELEBRATE NATURE

Summertime in Val d'Isère is a celebration of nature. Stone chalets with slate roofs, Baroque church, babbling fountains, flower lined streets... Located in South-eastern France on the "Grandes Alpes" route, one of Savoy's most beautiful villages welcomes you with open arms to its breathtaking lush green mountains. Recharge your batteries in the heart of the Vanoise National Park and meet the warm-hearted locals known as Avalins. Whether you arrive from Italy via the Iseran pass or climb up from the Tarentaise valley, Val

d'Isère will quickly cast its spell on you and you'll be charmed by this small alpine village.

With international MTB competitions, Tarentaise Ice Trail race, classical music academy, village fetes and the Avaline local summer fair, the summer entertainments programme is as rich and varied as the alpine flowers. Bellevarde and Solaise, the Tsanteleina French Italian boarder, Grand Sassièra peaks... Succumb to the beauty of nature.

Unlimited access to the ski lifts

Bike Park Val d'Isère – Tignes 100% free
Ice Trail Tarentaise : 4th edition of the highest trail in Europe.



Summer Freebies

A special card to enjoy your summer holidays to the full.

- Unlimited access to the ski lifts
 - Unlimited access to the Aqua Leisure Complex
 - Free guided hike
 - Free activities in the Sports Parks
- Offer details : www.valdisere.com





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