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Whether you are a beginner or an advanced skier / snowboarder, Ski Packages are fully-catered events created for groups, families and individuals. They are great for those who want to experience 3 - 7 days of incredible skiing or snowboarding in the Swiss Alps and come back to a cosy traditional Swiss Chalet, filled with your favourite Guiding and Scouting spirit. Adelboden is a famous ski resort and part of an extensive ski region. Take this opportunity to explore the extensive Adelboden-Lenk ski area, which includes 5 sub-regions, 72 cableways, and 210km of groomed pistes

Cost

To best accommodate all groups, we have created three package options. You can start your package any day of the week.

Low Season

4 January - 14 Feb 2020 & 1 March - 3 April 2020

	3-Day (4 Night)	5-Day (6 Night)	7-Day (8 Night)
Child	CHF 390	CHF 570	CHF 740
Youth	CHF 450	CHF 660	CHF 850
Adult	CHF 480	CHF 710	CHF 910

Please note: Children are aged 6-15; youth are aged 16 - 19 years

High Season

Mid December 2019 – 4 January 2020 & 14 - 29 February 2020

	3-Day (4 Night)	5-Day (6 Night)	7-Day (8 Night)
Child	CHF 470	CHF 690	CHF 900
Youth	CHF 530	CHF 780	CHF 1010
Adult	CHF 560	CHF 830	CHF 1070

Please note: Children are aged 6 - 15; youth are aged 16 - 19 years

Package includes

- Our Chalet in-house accommodation
- All meals from dinner on arrival day to packed lunch on departure day
- Luggage transfer on arrival and departure day (within office hours, must be pre-booked)
- A 3-day, 5-day or 7-day ski pass for the Adelboden-Lenk area, depending on your package choice
- Ski shuttle to/from the gondola station "Oey"
- Evening programmes for the duration of your package (availability will depend on minimum number of guests wishing to participate, and is therefore subject to change)

Package price does NOT include

- Personal souvenirs and snacks
- Additional taxis or buses
- Travel or health insurance
- Travel to and from your home to Our Chalet
- Ski rental or ski lessons
- Use of internet and laundry facilities
- CHF10 per person per night surcharge for single or twin rooms (limited availability).

Booking

To reserve your place, contact info@ourchalet.waggs.org or make an on-line booking on our website at www.ourchalet.ch.

Please take the time to read through this Information Pack. When you are ready to book your Ski Package, please contact Our Chalet. We will then provide you with a booking contract and request a 10% non-refundable deposit which will secure your reservation.

You are also very welcome to stay beyond the dates of the Ski Package. Please email info@ourchalet.waggs.org for further information about availability and pricing.

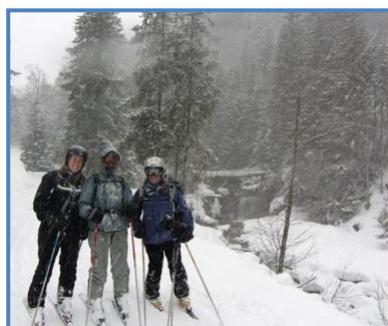


Programme Overview

Spend some days skiing or snowboarding in a winter wonderland, exploring the extensive ski areas surrounding Our Chalet and Adelboden. During the days, you can choose to ski / snowboard or explore the region, and then join us in the evenings for programme activities with staff and guests.

These tailor-made events run from end of December 2019 – Mid April 2020. You can choose to visit us at any time during these time periods depending on your availability and preference of activities.

Day	Day Programme	Evening Programme
Monday	Skiing / Snowboarding	Magic Tree Snowshoe Hike
Tuesday	Skiing / Snowboarding	Swiss Night
Wednesday	Skiing / Snowboarding	WAGGGS Night
Thursday	Skiing / Snowboarding	Our Chalet Challenge Badge
Friday	Skiing / Snowboarding	Campfire
Saturday	Skiing / Snowboarding	Games Night
Sunday	Skiing / Snowboarding	Our Chalet Tour / Free Evening



If you are a first-time skier / snowboarder we recommend that you have lessons with one of the ski schools in Adelboden. You can book your lessons by contacting Schweizer Schischule Adelboden or directly on their website at <http://www.skischule-adelboden.ch/en/w/home>.

If you do not have your own equipment you can rent it from our preferred retailer, Oester Sport, for a discounted price. We are happy to prearrange that for you.

If you are unfamiliar with the slopes around Our Chalet, there is the possibility of a Staff Guide introducing you to the area.

This would come at an extra cost, so please contact us for a quote at programme@ourchalet.waggs.org

Please let us know when booking the package if you would like to hire equipment or book a staff guide. Please note that equipment hire, ski lessons, and ski guides are at an additional cost.

Skiing and Snowboarding at Our Chalet

Our Chalet is conveniently located near Adelboden's main ski area (starting at Oey Gondola – only 10 min away by car or 20 min on foot downhill). Adelboden is a famous ski resort and part of an extensive ski region. With six mountain areas and a piste network of 210 km, it makes up one of the largest and most beautiful ski areas in the Swiss Alps. Numerous sporting highlights are based in the region, including the annual Men's Skiing FIS World Cup in January. A variety of mountain restaurants provide the perfect place to warm up, enjoy the view, and rest for an hour or so. For an interactive ski map, visit the Adelboden-Lenk website at <http://www.infosnow.ch/~apgmontagne/?lang=de&pid=62&tab=map-wi&adelboden-lenk>.

Ski Regions Summary

Silleren-Hahnenmoos Lenk

This is the largest ski region, and located at the base of the Our Chalet hill. There are a total of 81km of pistes (52% easy, 36% medium, 12% difficult). Numerous restaurants, bars, and lodges are scattered across the area. The longest sledge runs are located in this area, as well as numerous winter hiking routes.

Within the Silleren-Hahnenmoos ski region is Chuenisbärgli, an additional sub-region. This region is most well-known for hosting the FIS Men's World Cup Slalom and Giant Slalom races every January.

Lovers of snowboarding can also explore the Gran Masta Park. This professionally designed Snowpark was built by Dänu Kaufmann and is open from December to April with an obstacle course, airpark and slide zone.



Engstligenalp

The Engstligenalp ski sub-region's base is located at 2000 metres above sea level and thus is the region open the latest in the season. There are plenty of safe free-ride opportunities on Engstligenalp, and it is the ideal starting point for skiing or snowshoeing on Wildstrubel or Ammertenspitz. Engstligenalp is also home to an 8km cross-country ski loop, winter hiking trails, snow tubing, numerous restaurants, and a special winter restaurant located in an igloo.

Tschentenalp

Tschentenalp, accessible by gondola from Adelboden village, is the original ski area of Adelboden, but is now the smallest of the sub-regions. While it only has easy and intermediate pistes, it hosts a variety of sledge and airboard runs as well as several hiking and snowshoeing routes.

Elsigen-Metsch

Considered the 'locals' ski area, this area has 29 groomed pistes. The base of this gondola is approximately 20 minutes away by car. However, accessing Elsigen-Metsch is not easy by public transport and requires traveling to Frutigen and catching a special bus back to the gondola station.

Kandersteg

Located in the neighboring valley, this small ski sub-region is perfect for beginners. This region is accessible by car in 45 minutes and by public transport in 1 hour.

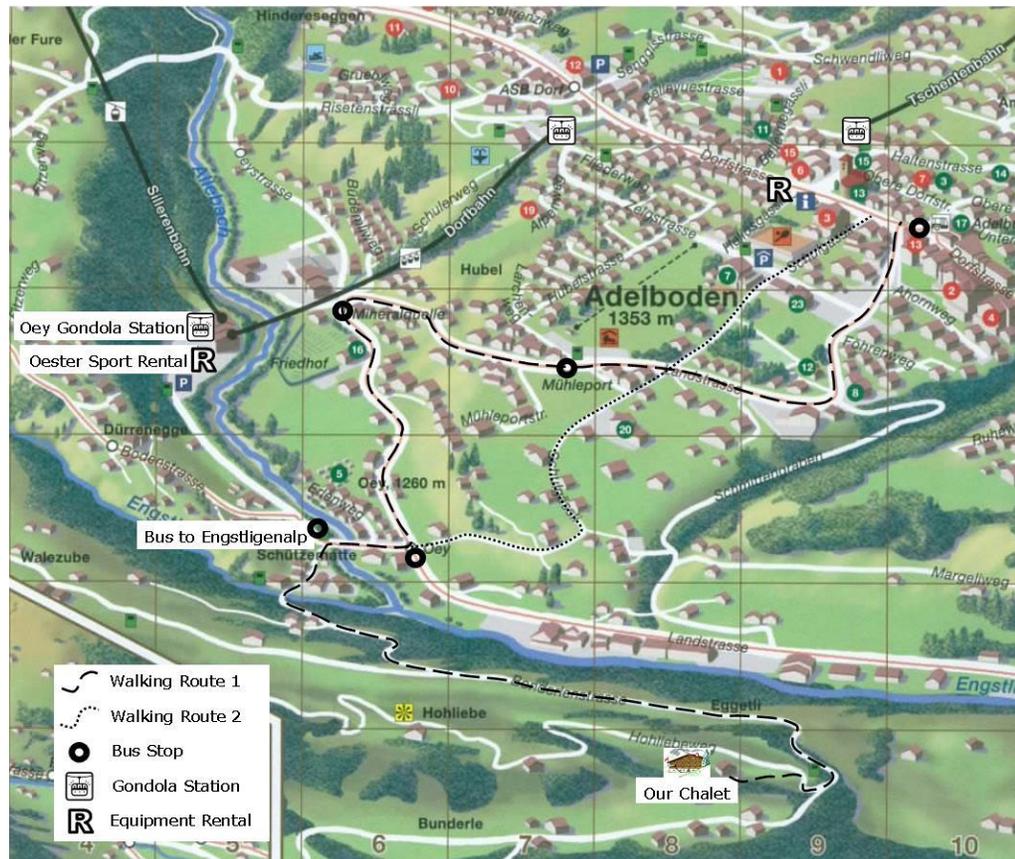
Lenk Betelberg

This region is located on the far side of the Silleren-Hahnenmoos region in the Lenk valley. There are 42km of pistes, the majority of which are easy and intermediate pistes. This region is best accessed by skiing to the Lenk valley via Silleren-Hahnenmoos and catching the public bus to the ski area.

Our Chalet Ski Shuttle

Our Chalet provides a free ski shuttle service for guests from Our Chalet to Oey gondola station which is the main starting point for skiing in Adelboden. During the winter season the shuttle departs daily from reception at 09.00 and returns from Oey between 16.00 and 16.30. Please note that the shuttle is subject to road conditions and can take up to 8 guests at one time.

If you would like to travel to or from Our Chalet at a different time you are welcome to use the local taxi service, AFA: + 41 (0)79 849 5041 (www.afabus.ch)



Our Chalet Challenge

If you feel like giving yourself the ultimate physical challenge, and would like to discover more about Our Chalet, Switzerland and WAGGGS, then the Our Chalet Challenge is for you! The Our Chalet Challenge consists of six components: Physical Challenge, WAGGGS Knowledge, Our Chalet History, Swiss Culture, Personal Challenge and Service. If you manage to complete all six sections, you will be presented with a special Our Chalet Challenge badge. The cost of the badge is included in the programme package.

Preparation and suggested packing list

Our Chalet is located in the Swiss Alps, 1353 metres above sea level, and the weather can vary greatly on a daily basis. In order to fully enjoy this programme and feel comfortable with changing weather conditions in the Alps, we advise you to be aware of this while packing, as well as build up your level of fitness prior to your arrival. You can find our suggested packing list on our website in the FAQ section.