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INFORMATION SHEET

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Abisko - STF Aurora Sky Station Night Visit



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The world's most illuminating experience.

Turn off your lights and let the chairlift transport you one step closer to space, up to Mt. Nuolja. Slowly you glide up to STF Aurora Sky Station, 900 meters above sea level, with the mighty mountains in front of you, a starry sky above you and the silence around you. With some luck you might see a sudden flare of green light, and before you know it the northern lights are dancing in the sky right above you, and you are caught in a meeting between Earth and space.

At STF Aurora Sky Station there is a large outdoor terrace and a lookout tower, which are perfect for watching the northern lights, the stars and the view. If you would like to know more, you're welcome to listen to your guide's introduction to northern lights, and why not join them for a guided walk on the mountain. Inside the STF Aurora Sky Station you can relax in front of the fireplace or buy some Swedish "fika" or souvenirs in the café while waiting for the northern lights to appear.

Information	
Meeting point	STF Abisko Turiststation at 8.30 p.m. for a guided walk to the chairlift. You can also come directly to the chairlift; it starts running at 9.00 p.m.
Finish	Latest 1.30 a.m. at the valley station of the chairlift.
Minimum age	12 years old
Experience	You need no prior experience to participate in this activity.
Included in your package	
Equipment	Warm overall and warm boots.
Chairlift	Return ticket for the chairlift.
Guide	This tour is led by a guide certified according to the Swedish standard "Fjälledarnormen"
STF Aurora Sky Station	Access to the Aurora Sky Station until 1.00 a.m.
Other	The program can be changed due to challenging weather or other unforeseen events. Please see the "Important information" below. Cancellations can be made up to 14 days before arrival, after that no refunds will be made.

Important information
<p>If STF Aurora Sky Station needs to be closed for safety reasons due to weather conditions, such as strong winds or cold temperatures, a specially arranged event called the Aurora Lounge will be carried out. The Aurora Lounge takes place in the lower area of Abisko National Park, where the weather doesn't have the same impact as it does up on the mountain. The decision regarding the Aurora Lounge will be made no later than the start time of the activity. All affected guests will be contacted as soon as a decision about the Aurora Lounge is made.</p> <p>When booking any of our products at STF Aurora Sky Station, we cannot guarantee that you will see the Northern Lights as it is a natural phenomenon. However, if you stay with us, you have very good chances of seeing the Northern Lights due to the cloud conditions that characterize Abisko, also known as "the blue hole."</p> <p>Aurora Lounge</p> <p>The Night Visit program will take place in our wood-heated lavvu-tent (goahti) which is situated in the Abisko National Park. You will have the opportunity to join your guide for a walk in the northern parts of the national park, where they will share insights and advice on northern lights. Later during the evening, we will serve warm drinks and something light to eat from the Lapland cuisine in our wooden lavvu, while your guide will be happy to share their knowledge about the history of Abisko, as well as the northern lights and other interesting stories about the area.</p>

Bookings any of STF's products at Aurora Sky Station are binding, and no refunds will be given when Aurora Lounge replaces the visit to Aurora Sky Station.

Getting here

The easiest way to get to Abisko is by train. STF Abisko Turiststation has its own train station!

You can also fly to Kiruna, and from there take a bus or the train out to Abisko.

For more information on travel alternatives to Abisko, please visit:

<https://www.swedishtouristassociation.com/facilities/stf-abisko-mountain-station/directions/>

Questions?

If you have any further questions, do not hesitate to contact us!

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