

# **Snowkite in Aosta**

## **Explore Aosta alpine wonders**



# ADVENTURE AND KITING



To be free. Free as the wind. Free to fly away, stop, then start again. Free to live your passion, to stop time in front of a preserved nature.

At **Snowkite Sensation**, we believe in simple pleasures and this is precisely what we offer you: freedom. This is why our trips are tailor-made for snowkiting enthusiasts by snowkiting enthusiasts. Our clients are free to choose among our services, with multiple options available to them.

Freedom is also moments of conviviality, whilst you can enjoy intense riding sensations, you also want to share them. So take a look at our snowkite travel collection, because what we have to offer, we have already done.

Lovers of wide open spaces and freedom, snowkiting is for you.



## YOUR ADVENTURE

Situated in the Aosta region of the Italian Alps, iust a few hours from Milan. this stunning location is nestled in a flat region with rollina terrain and consistent winds. For more advanced and adventurous riders, there are steeper slopes behind. There's a fantastic selection of snowkite spots nearby. allowing you to choose the best one based on the weather forecast. The base camp is easily reached on foot. Drive up to Hotel Notre-Maison, park in the hotel's parking garage, and the base camp is only 200 meters (600 feet) away, accessible via a small path.



only Enjoy not the pleasures of snowkiting but also explore the rich region of Aosta Valley. Immerse yourself in the local culture, discover its gastronomic delights, and take the time to appreciate the hidden treasures of this alpine valley. You are about to embark on an experience where adventure, nature, and authenticity harmoniously come together.

# THE SPOTS

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#### VETAN

Nestled on a high plateau at 1820 meters (6000 feet) above sea level, Vetan offers unobstructed views. expansive plains, and gentle Facing south, it slopes. basks in sunlight throughout the dav. delightful creating a outdoor experience even in winter.

The snowkiting season kicks off with the first substantial snowfall around late November and extends until mid-March. In case the base camp lacks sufficient snow, a brief trek to higher altitudes might reveal more snowy treasures.

### Col du PETIT ST. BERNARD (La Thuile)

Access to this location involves utilizing the lifts at La Thuile ski resort, requiring skiing skills. The snowkite pass (15 euros) can be procured at the cashiers at the bottom station of the gondola.

This spot enjoys a consistent thermic wind from France occasionally and (SW) experiences a stronger NE wind from Italy.Snow coverage is reliably excellent throughout the winter and into spring. Nightly snowfall at the site erases daytime tracks, leaving an expanse of untouched powder for your exhilarating adventures the next day.

## YOUR SNOWKITE LESSONS

Learn the basics of snowkiting in Aosta Valley. The concept of snowkiting is quite simple and you don't need to be an expert skier or snowboarder to enjoy the many sensations provided by the speed and the jumps this activity allows. A couple of lessons are usually enough for anybody to get the hang of the equipment.

Though physical at first, it is not as extreme as kitesurfing, and more generally, it takes a lot less wind to move you across the snow than if you were kitesurfing on water. Snowkiting is enjoyable on any type of snow: powder, sludge snow, ice (frozen lakes). This makes it a very flexible sport that can be practiced in many different locations as long as they are windy enough. Rest assured, snowkite beginners who already know how kite and to ski/snowboard will be able to manage on their first session!







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This family hotel is located in a sunny village at an altitude of 1800 metres. The exterior is made of stone and wood, the building materials of the Alpine tradition. The hotel has 22 rooms, large communal areas and a bright restaurant that serves typical Italian food !

### IN CASE OF LOW WIND CONDITIONS

In the event that the wind doesn't play along, which kite enthusiasts are well aware can happen even in prime spots, Snowkite Sensation has a range of alternative activities to ensure your time is well spent.

Other Winter Sports: Pila. Courmayeur, La Thuile, and Cogne ski resorts are in close offerina proximity, opportunities for alpine skiing and snowboarding. excursions, Backcountry experiences, freeride and heliski services are also readily available.





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Gastronomy: Italy stands as a culinary paradise. In northern regions like Langhe, Parma, or Valtellina, the sun blesses the land, yielding local treasures for travelers to savor and bring home: Barolo wine, white truffles from Alba, hazelnuts from Cortemilia, and Parma ham. The finesse of Italian cuisine unfolds with dishes like fresh pasta adorned with Parmesan cheese (from Parma, naturally!), such as Agnolotti del plin, a delightful blend of meat and vegetables. Indulge in the renowned eggplant Parmigiana gratin or authentic polenta. Olive oil and Mediterranean herbs sun-kissed dance with vegetables, charcuteries, and fish in an array of recipes bound to entice your return.

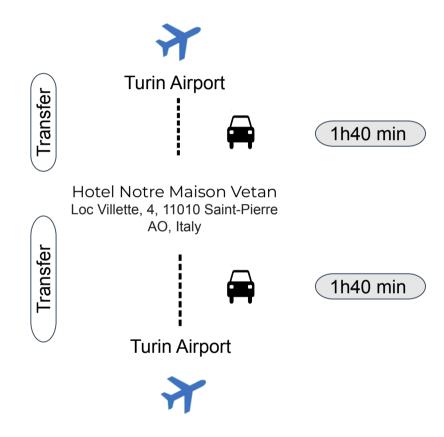


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Visiting and Relaxing: Aosta city is a brief 20-minute drive from vour location. Don't be surprised to hear French spoken; residents of the Aosta Valley traditionally converse in French. The city boasts a wonderful selection of restaurants, three including Michelin-starred establishments for a truly exquisite dining experience.



## YOUR itinerary



#### Getting to Vetan :

We recommend renting a car at Turin airport. A service we can include in the package

# **A NEED FOR EQUIPMENT**



10% discount for our snowkite adventurers

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#### Ozone Backcountry V3 - 159.00€

- Waist harness with leg straps ideal for backcountry touring
- Strong yet lightweight construction only 660 grams (approx.)
- Heavy duty webbing loop connection for the Quick Release
- Fully adjustable to fit all shapes and sizes, both under or over clothing and outer winter layers. one size fits all

## Explore V2 kite - 799.00€ to 1 089€ depending on size (4m to 12m)

- Single surface dedicated to snowkite
- Entry level to expert riders
- Light weight and ultra compact
- Industry Leading Internal Re-Ride Release System



#### Snowkite Ozone bar - 455€

An all-new push-away quick release with an innovative one-step Click-In reload function that is incredibly intuitive. The release handle fits comfortably in the hand, it is quick and easy to activate the release by pushing the handle away. A self-positioning release mechanism locates automatically, ready to be re-loaded by simply 'clicking' in the loop



#### OUR OFFER

#### DESCRIPTION OF YOUR TAILOR-MADE TRIP

THE PRICE INCLUDES	
<ul> <li>Snowkite gear 4h + guide</li> <li>Snowkite gear 4h + guide for two</li> </ul>	€130 / day € 230 / day
ACCOMMODATION	
Notre Maison , Vetan - 3 nights double bedroom breakfast included. 2 pax	€ 300
OPTIONS TO CONSIDER	
<ul> <li>Skis/ snowboard rental + helmet mandatory</li> <li>Car rental Europcar Turin airport</li> <li>Multi Risk insurance</li> </ul>	On request On request On request
NOT INCLUDED	
Flights - Turin return from departure city	

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#### **CANCELLATION BEFORE DEPARTURE**

In accordance with the provisions of Article L211-14-I of the French Tourism Code, the Client may cancel all or part of the Order by sending a registered letter with acknowledgement of receipt to the following address at the head of these GTC. The date of receipt of the letter shall be the date of cancellation. All requests for cancellation must be accompanied by a bank account number of the person placing the Order. Any cancellation will result in the collection of at least the following fixed charges:

- 100% refunded 7 days after the first payment

- between 60 and 31 days before departure: 50% of the total price of the stay will be forfeited to the travel operator.

- less than 30 days before departure or no-show: 100% of the total amount of the Order and/or the accommodation rental, if applicable.

- The service lost due to the cancellation policy of the agency can be recovered only if the Provider has subscribed to a multi-risk or cancellation insurance

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