

UK TOUR OPERATOR EXCLUSIVE: PEAK RETREATS INTRODUCES A NEW SKI RESORT TO THE UK MARKET

The PRAZ DE LYS resort, a new hotel, 9 new apartments, and a chalet have been added to the 2016-17 winter programme of the French Alps specialist Peak Retreats (<u>www.peakretreats.co.uk</u>, 0844 576 0170), the award-winning tour operator with a selection of more than 50 traditional mountain villages.

This season Peak Retreats adds <u>Praz de Lys</u> to its programme of village resorts with great ski access. Just 40 minutes from Geneva Airport, this hidden jewel in the Giffre Valley is sat at 1500m and surrounded by trees with stunning views of Mont Blanc. Virtually <u>unknown to the UK</u>, it hosts a great beginners' area, 56 slopes, a snow park, and 60km of cross-country skiing.

Accommodation in Praz de Lys includes the centrally located 3* apartments <u>Les Soldanelles</u> located 120m from the ski lifts, the nursery slopes and the ski school meeting point and snow permitting, skiers can ski back to the residence. Facilities include an indoor heated pool & spa facilities. Prices from **£208pp** for **7 nights** self-catering.

New apartments have also been introduced to the programme in **La Rosiere, Morillon, Les Saisies, Les Carroz, La Clusaz, Vallorcine** and **Chamonix**. Accommodation options include 4* apartments with spas & saunas, Jacuzzis and an outdoor ice rink.

EARLY BIRD BOOKING OFFERS FOR NEW PEAK RETREATS ACCOMMODATION for 2016-17, based on 7 nights self catering and all including return Eurotunnel crossing for car and passengers with free FlexiPlus upgrade:

- New: 4* Résidence des Armallis in Les Saisies has been newly built for 16/17, in an ideal south-facing location offering panoramic views, with a spa area. Book before 31/10 to save 10% on self-drive prices from £174pp (normal price £193pp).
- New: 4* Chalet Les Marmottons in La Rosiere is located a short walk from the slopes, and the spa facilities at Lodge Hemera. Book before 31/10 to save 10% on self-drive prices from £203pp (normal price £226pp).
- New: 4* Résidence & Spa Vallorcine Mont Blanc, in Vallorcine is just 100m from the cable car! It has its own indoor pool and private outdoor ice rink. Save 10% prices now from £232pp (normal price £258pp) when you book before 30/09, based on 7 nights self-catered.

Note: Accommodation only holiday packages available. Ski packs, insurance and transfers also bookable. Holidays are fully ABTA bonded.