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Barcelona is snow and mountains too!

Did you know that Barcelona isn't far from the Pyrenees? A mountain range that stretches to the Mediterranean, by the sea, with peaks up to 3,000m, deep valleys, leafy forests, protected areas, an abundance of plant and animal species, mountain lakes... Landscapes of breathtaking beauty where you can enjoy all kinds of mountain and winter sports and activities.

Barcelona and the Catalan Pyrenees are joining in the celebration of **World Snow Day**, an initiative sponsored by the International Ski Federation (FIS) with the aim of giving children and their families the opportunity to enjoy the snow.



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ACTIVITIES AT THE SKI RESORTS

Baqueira Beret



To mark World Snow Day, Baqueira Beret will be organising special activities for expert and first-time skiers, as well as children who want to discover the sport and the breathtaking beauty of the surrounding landscape. The special programme includes:

- Special weekend skiing course for beginners (14-15/1/2017 and 21-22/1/2017). Includes skiing lessons, equipment hire (skis, sticks, boots) as well as food on the slopes. 77€
- Saturday 14/1/2017:
 - Snowman-building competition at Beret (11am-1pm, café)
 - Open Baqueira: Open-skiing course at the stadium in Beret (pre-enrolment required)
 - 6.15pm-6.45pm: Torchlight descent for expert skiers followed by flaming rum punch at the Baqueira 1500 bar (pre-enrolment required)
- Prize draw of two passes for the funniest photos taken on 14th and 15th January in Baqueira (#baqueiraworldsnowday).

Information and enrolments:

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www.baqueira.es · Afueras s/n 25598 Baqueira (Lleida)

Boí Taüll



The Boí Taüll ski resort will also be joining in World Snow Day with activities specially designed for kids.

- Free ski pass for children aged 6 to 12.
- Introductory skiing session and free equipment (2 hours) for the first 100 people enrolled.
- Sunday 15/1/2017: Group lessons from 10am to 12 noon.
- Entertainment for kids, music, human table football, face painting, hot chocolate and other fun activities.

Information

Tel. 902 406 640 · reservas@boitaullresort.com ·
www.boitaullresort.com
Pla de l'Ermida
Vall de Boí (Lleida)

La Molina



La Molina has been taking part in World Ski Day for five seasons and this is why it is organising the Nocilla Cabirol Minifreestylers in association with the Catalan Winter Sports Federation (FCEH). The competition is aimed at future freestylers aged 15 and under, as well as snowboarders and Alpine skiers. It will be a fun-filled morning for families and kids who will be able to see how the up-and-coming talent is faring. All participants will get discounts on the price of the ski pass.

Activities:

- Time trial
- A variety of freestyle games and challenges featuring different jibs and jumps
- Prize-giving ceremony
- Gift for all participants

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www.lamolina.cat/hivern/
Edifici Telecabina s/n
17537 La Molina (Girona)



Masella



To mark World Snow Day, the ski brand Wed'ze Decathlon will be hosting a free ski test on 14th and 15th January so that all the children visiting the resort can try out its equipment. There will also be equipment parents can try together with their kids. The ski test will be held in the Pla de Masella area which has been specially designed for children of all ages, from beginners to those with an intermediate skiing level.

Information:

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www.masella.com
Av. Peu de Pistes s/n, 17538
Masella – Alp (Girona)



Vall de Núria



To mark World Snow Day, Vall de Núria will be organising a series of events to encourage people to visit winter sports resorts and raise awareness of the need to protect the natural environment. The programme includes:

- Saturday 14/1/2017: Night-time torch descent followed by a barbecue and live music.
- Sunday 15/1/2017: Slalom open to all-comers with hot chocolate in front of the Cau de la Marmota (10am-12 noon).

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17534 Queralbs (Girona)

OTHER WINTER SPORTS ACTIVITIES

Centre Excursionista de Catalunya



If you've never tried trekking through the snowy landscapes of the Pyrenees on snowshoes, our guides will accompany you on your first steps and tell you which equipment and techniques you'll need to make your way safely and enjoy walking across the snow. 20% off the standard price: includes

equipment (snowshoes and sticks), insurance and mountain guide.

Times: 9.30am-2pm

Days: 22/1/2017; 5/2/2017 &
19/2/2017; 19/3/2017

Venue: Ulldeter, Vallter 2000 car park

Information and sales:

Tel: 933 152 311 · guies@cec.cat ·
www.guies.cec.cat
Paradís, 10 (Barcelona)

Globus Kon-Tiki



If you want to enjoy aerial views of snow-capped mountains, Globus kon-Tiki will be offering two flights featuring 10€ discount per person to mark World Snow Day:

- 1 h 15 min balloon flight over La Cerdanya, from Bellver to Puigcerdà. Price with discount included: 140€ (includes photos and diploma).
- Flight over the peaks of the Eastern Pyrenees to an altitude of 4000m departing from the foothills of the Cadí Ridge. Length of flight: 3 hours. Price with discount included: 330€ (includes photos, diploma and lunch).

NB: Promotion valid for the whole of January.

Information and bookings:

Tel: 935 156 060 · info@globuskontiki.com ·
www.globuskontiki.com



ROCROI

ROCROI will be marking World Snow Day with a snowshoe trek through the snowy woods of the Parc Natural de l'Alt Pirineu in the Pallars Sobirà. You'll be able to identify plants and the tracks left by the animals that live there throughout the seemingly peaceful winter. Length of trek: 2 hours.

- You can book a room in a hostel or chalet.
Cost of snowshoes: 20 €/pax.
Cost of snowshoes plus accommodation: from 42.50 €/pax.

NB: Promotion valid for the winter season.

Information and bookings:

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