

A WINTER'S STORY: MOSCOW and SOCHI – II

Guaranteed arrival 03.02-13.02.2014

03.02 Arrival in Moscow. Meeting at the airport and transfer to hotel. Accommodation in the hotel Courtyard by Marriott City Center 4+* (or similar). Free time to explore the capital of Russia –Moscow.

04.02. Breakfast in the hotel. Bus sightseeing tour in Moscow. Red square (with a walk in the square), the view of the Kremlin from Sophia quay, Cathedral of Christ the Savior (external examination), the monument to Peter I, a viewing platform on the Sparrow hills (VOROBYOVIE GORI) with examination of historical objects from the height, the triumphal arch, Moscow-city, Arbat, Tverskaya street, Pushkin square, Manezhnaya square, Okhotny Ryad, building of Duma, Bolshoi theatre and others.
Return to the hotel, free time

05.02 Breakfast in the hotel. Tour to the Kremlin with a visit to one of the cathedrals. The Moscow Kremlin is a symbol of Russian statehood, one of the largest architectural structures in the world. The Uspensky, Archangel's and Blagoveshensky cathedrals, the Church of the deposition of the robe, the Patriarch's chambers with the Church of the Twelve Apostles, the ensemble of Ivan the Great bell tower of, the Tsar bell, Tsar gun.

06.02 Moscow/Sochi

Breakfast in the hotel. Transfer to the and departure to the international airport Adler.Meeting with the representative of the host company and transfer to the hotel 3* .Accommodation.

07.02. Breakfast. City-tour around Sochi. During this tour you will visit the most popular places of the famous Russian resort: the Palace ensembles, you will see the Winter theatre, where are held traditional festivals, will admire the palaces of health of the 30s - 50s of the XX century, modern hotels of the world importance, you will find out the sources of miraculous legendary -Matsesty. During the tour you can walk around the territory of the largest sanatorium «Zelenaya Roscha», where welcomes guests the well preserved villa of Joseph Stalin. For the leader, it was built in the 30s of the 20th century, when Sochi was announced the shock construction. Stalin liked Sochi and was very interested in development of the resort. While you getting know better the Villa, you will feel the spirit of the Stalin era and if you would like can take a rest, drink cup of coffee or tea at the favorite terrace of Joseph Stalin.

Lunch in one of the city restaurants.

Return to the hotel, free time.

In the evening (optional) - transfer to the opening ceremony of the Olympic Games.

08.02 Breakfast. Today you will visit Sochi from a height, rising up to the observation platform on the mountain big Akhun (663 m above sea level). Tower on the mountain Ahun were built in 1936 by architect Vorobyov and carries a collective image of the Caucasian defensive towers. On top of the tower is situated an observation platform, where you can see the Main Caucasian ridge and all the Big Sochi. Some visitors say that even saw the Turkish coast. Lunch in the restaurant.

Return to Sochi, free time.

The interested persons can visit the competition in pre-ordered tickets.

09.02. Breakfast in the hotel. Free time.

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We recommend you to visit the competitions on biathlon (Sprint 7.5 km, women 18-30).

10.02 Breakfast in the hotel. Free time. The interested persons can visit the competition in pre-ordered tickets. Optional is possible an additional excursion .We recommend an excursion to the Caucasian biosphere reserve. At the centre of the village resort Hosta on the Bank of mountain river is situated the forest «tiso –samsitovaya rosha». Here all year round you can find evergreen relics of preglacial period: boxwood - "iron" tree, yew - "red" tree. All the trees are «decorated» with lianas and unique moss nekker, which makes the air truly healing. In the grove you will meet Patriarch of the West Caucasus - yew, which is 1000 years old, oaks, beech, chestnut and other endemic in these places. In the Museum of groves you will see a stuffed inhabitants of Kolkheti forests, among them there are many rare and unique species: European bison, lynx, bears, wolves, Caucasian black grouse, white - tailed eagle and other animals listed in the Red book.

11.02 Breakfast in the hotel. Free time.Those interested can visit the competition in pre-ordered tickets We recommend visiting the competition in figure skating pairs free skating, 19-45)

12.02 Breakfast. Free time. The interested persons can visit the competition in pre-ordered tickets. Optional is possible an additional excursion. We recommend you a tour in the unique subtropical Park «arboretum», which was founded in 1892 by nobleman N. Hudekov and built similar to Franco-Italian terrace parks of the XIX century end . In the Park are collected plants from all over the world. Interesting fact that any time of the year you can find flowering plants.

13.02 Breakfast in the hotel. Transfer to airport and departure to Moscow. On arrival transfer for your international flight.

Tour cost for 1 person in euro

| Tour/accommodation | ½ DBL | SGL | TRPL |
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| Standard package | 827 | 1343 | 777 |

Tour cost includes:

Transfers airport - hotel - airport

3 nights accommodation in 4* hotel in Moscow (Courtyard by Marriott City Center or similar)

7 nights accommodation in 3* hotel in Sochi, standard rooms with all conveniences.

Breakfast American buffet», 2 Lunches

Excursions (City Tour Moscow, the Kremlin, City Tour Sochi, Panoramic Sochi)

Entrance tickets during excursions

Support groups around the route

Tour does not includes:

International flight

Flights Moscow - Sochi - Moscow

Tickets for competitions and ceremony of Games Opening

Additional excursions

Tips, personal expenses.