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At Bespoke Holiday Solutions we pride ourselves on being transparent in our dealings with customers and providing a quality service designed to meet your needs. Below are the links of our main activity and equipment providers in Akaslompolo. Prior to your departure we will supply you with discount vouchers that can be redeemed against services provided by these suppliers giving you the flexibility of pre-booking activities through us or in resort during your stay.

Although each activity is primarily supplied by the company listed Bespoke Holiday Solutions reserve the right to change suppliers where required.

[www.snowfunsafaris.com/english/index.html](http://www.snowfunsafaris.com/english/index.html)

[www.arcticsafaris.fi/en/yllas/safaris\\_winter.php](http://www.arcticsafaris.fi/en/yllas/safaris_winter.php)

We hope that you enjoy the magic of Lapland as much as we do every time we return.

Best Regards

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*If you have booked accommodation, activities or other services with us you will be receiving a comprehensive information pack at least two weeks prior to your departure*







## Snowmobiles - Guided & Self Hire

Snowmobiles can be hired from £31 per hour and from £120 per day (plus fuel)

Please note that a full UK drivers licence is required and must be produced when hiring. The hirer is responsible for the first €450 of any damage caused to any snowmobile. €6 insurance premium can be paid at the point of rental to cover this risk. Snowmobiles are subject to the same drink-drive and other laws as road vehicles in Finland.

Sunday	1000	Snow What?	Guided snowmobile. 2Hrs (20 km)		
Monday	1000		Adult on shared snowmobile	£45.00	
Tuesday	1000		Child under 15 sharing snowmobile	£25.00	
Saturday	1000		Child in sledge	£17.00	
			Adult on solo snowmobile	£66.00	

Wednesday	1500 or 1300	Yllas 718	Guided snowmobile. 2 ½ Hrs to top of Yllas Fell		
			Adult on shared snowmobile	£69.00	
			Child under 15 sharing snowmobile	£56.00	
			Child in sledge		
			Adult on solo snowmobile	£99.00	






## Husky Farm visits

The husky farm visits include a fast husky sled ride. Travel to the farm by snowmobile or by road

**WARNING:** Husky rides can be very fast and if the temperature is down to -20 C or more the wind chill can be severe. Hats, gloves and thermal clothing must be worn at all times. This activity may not be suitable for children in very cold conditions. Please ask the advice of the service providers if you are concerned.


Wednesday	1030	Husky Farm visit and sleigh safari (9 km)	2 ½ Hrs. Includes transport to Husky Farm, drinks and 9 km safari		
			Adult on shared sleigh	£89.00	
			Child under 15 sharing sleigh	£73.00	
			Adult on solo sleigh	£112.00	





## Reindeer Farm visits

The reindeer farm visits include a sleigh ride

On Request	Reindeer Farm visit and sleigh safari (3 km)	5 Hrs. Includes transport to Reindeer Farm (50 km each way), drinks and 3 km safari Adult on shared sleigh Child under 15 sharing sleigh	£96.00 £74.00	
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## Guided Snowshoe Hike



Monday	1500	Snowshoe trip to Yllas	2 ½ Hrs Includes transport, guide and drinks Adult Child	£36 £27
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## Family Cross Country Skiing

Cross country skiing is a sport that all the family can enjoy. Activity costs include all equipment hire, instruction and guiding.

With over 300 km of cross country ski tracks in the resort there will be no shortage of new routes to explore before head home to that welcoming log fire and sauna.

Sunday	1300	Family Cross Country Ski School	2 Hr. Learn the basics of cross country skiing with experienced guide Adult Child	£36 £27	
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## Equipment Hire

Equipment can be hired from any of the suppliers in resort. We have provided here the range offered by Snow Fun Safaris as an example.

<b>Equipment</b>	<b>Daily (£)</b>
Snow shoes and sticks	£T.B.A.
Ice fishing equipment	£T.B.A
Drill for ice fishing	£T.B.A
Sled for children	£T.B.A
Thermal Suit & Boots Set	£T.B.A
Thermal Suit	£8
Snow Boots	£3.50
Jacket, very warm, adults only	£4.75
Overall, also for children	£8
Wool socks	£1
High pants, very,very warm, for adults	£4
Mittens	£2
Helmet & Headwear	£4



# Meeting Santa

Lapp village and the Poro Restaurant are situated just 100m from your cabin



Over the summer the elves of Father Christmas have been busy in their new log house, where Father Christmas and his wife are now looking forward to meeting you. What are you waiting for, he is only a sleigh flight away here in the Lapp Village in Äkäslompolo. In the same house there is also the Santa's Gift Shop.

In December 2008 Father Christmas welcomes you to his hideaway at the Poro Restaurant and Gift Shop. He will be in residence on selected days from early December to Christmas Day. Dates and times will be announced in October. Times do not need to be booked in advance. Just visit the gift shop and take a ticket

Come with your family and make it an unforgettable Christmas with a photo of Father Christmas and your family. With the help of the digital camera we are also able to send you your photo via e-mail. Larger group photos are also possible.

For the extra special experience Santa can visit your cabin. Prices and availability on request.



## More to do in Lapp Village

[www.lappvillage.fi](http://www.lappvillage.fi)



In Ylläs Lapp Village we also have some activities for children. The elves, gnomes and earth spirits will lead the customers to the world of reindeers and huskies, for a snowshoe walk in the mythical forest, for a snowmobile ride designed especially for children, and of course, to meet the Santa Claus himself.

The Husky elf Nastyweather with her team of dogs is ready for action. Nastyweather will tell you everything she knows about the Siberian husky dogs, after that everybody gets to pose with the dogs before heading out for a speedy ride (2 km). Prices and availability are expected to be released October 2008. While waiting for your turn you can play with the husky puppies

Our quickest guide, Speedy, has made a special snowmobile track for the children in the yard. The snowmobiles are small, and they do not go too fast either. Speedy fits a helmet for each participant, and helps to get started. Every day between 12 noon and 6 p.m. if the bikes are running.

### some useful links

Akaslompolo roadcam - <http://www.tiehallinto.fi/alk/kelikamerat/kamera-LA.html>

Yllas ski webcam - [http://www.sevennet.net/ftplhwebcam/yllas\\_00001.jpg](http://www.sevennet.net/ftplhwebcam/yllas_00001.jpg)

Yllas Weather Report -

[http://www.yllas.fi/?deptid=9043&showmodul=45&defaultarea=Lapland\\_a1\\_c8](http://www.yllas.fi/?deptid=9043&showmodul=45&defaultarea=Lapland_a1_c8)

Ski School & Equipment Hire - <http://www.yllas.fi/?deptid=9043>



## Additional Items

Please note that at least two weeks notice must be given of any additional items to be added to your booking

<b>Description</b>		<b>Cost (£)</b>
<b>Transfer – Kittila Airport</b> Return taxi transfer from the airport direct to your cabin Approximately 45 minutes	Adult	£50
	Child 2 – 12 yrs	£25
	Child under 2	F.O.C.
<b>Transfer – Kolari Railway Station</b> Return taxi transfer from the station direct to your cabin Approximately 45 minutes	Adult	£50
	Child 2 – 12 yrs	£25
	Child under 2	F.O.C.
<b>Grocery Welcome Pack</b> Delivered to your cabin 250g Coffee    Tea    1 Litre Milk    1 Litre Juice Bread    Butter    Jam    10 Eggs    340g Bacon 300g Cold Meat    350g Cheese		£43



# SEARCHING SANTA

## *Adventure visit to meet Santa Claus himself*

Santa's little helper will pick you up from your hotel and take you to dress on warm safari outfits. Santa's helpers know his secret place in the Northern wilderness; it is time to search for him!



After travelling a while, we start to approach a cosy candlelit hut. Inside the hut children will meet their favourite person, Santa Claus himself. Between a nice chat and telling their wishes to Santa you will have cup of hot juice/coffee and ginger bread. Children, don't forget to bring your letters to Santa!

Duration	2 – 2,5 hours
Price	£80/person (child discounts confirmed on request)
Departures:	once / week T.B.A..