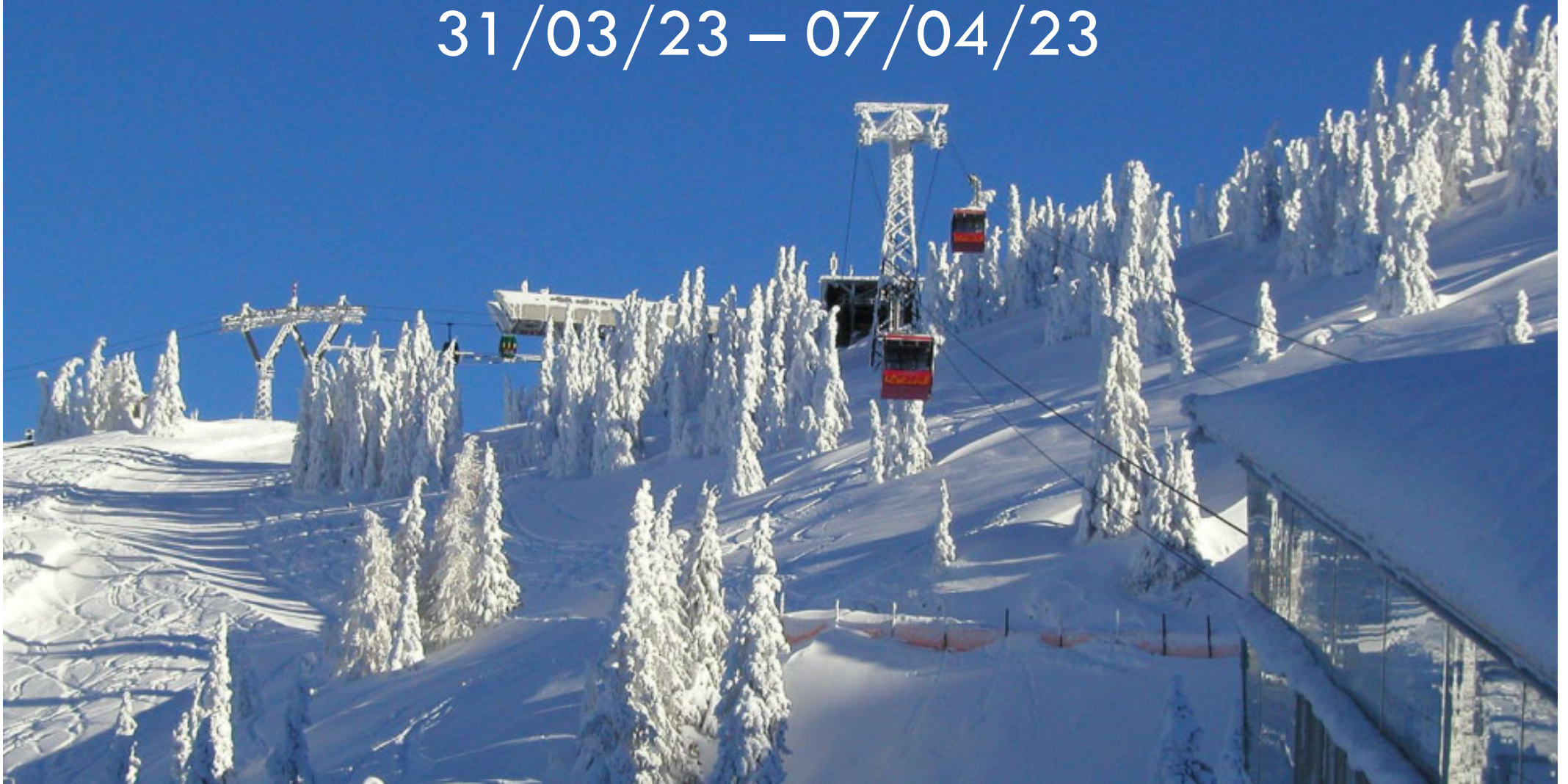


# FBS SKI TRIP

Italy

31/03/23 – 07/04/23





January 2018 - Austria



We are excited to announce that Friern Barnet will be running our next ski trip to Italy! This is a fantastic opportunity to learn to ski with your friends over 5 days. This will take place in **Easter 2023**.





# Key Information

- This trip is being run through the reputable company PGL
- The 8 day trip takes place from the 31<sup>st</sup> March to the 7<sup>th</sup> of April, 2023
- Full Covid insurance/guarantee
- You will get 5 full days of skiing with 5 hours a day of expert instruction based on your ability (so it doesn't matter if you have not been skiing before!)
- The hotel has comfortable rooms and good food (all included in the price), with an activity available (some paid) each night
- Passo Tonale is a quiet resort that is an excellent place for beginners to learn how to ski.
- Executive return coach travel
- Cost: **£929**

*For more information, please see Mr Soave or Mr Reilly*





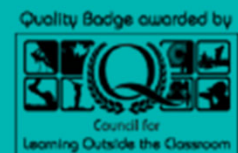
# Friern Barnet School PGL Ski **by Coach**





# Welcome to PGL Ski

- Over 20 years' experience in school ski
- School Travel Forum assured
- Fully risk assessed
- ABTA bonded & ATOL protected
- Awarded the Quality Badge by the Council for Learning Outside the Classroom





## Travel

- Pick up from school (Time TBA – usually around 6pm )
- Channel crossing (ferry)
- Overnight journey
- Evening meal on arrival





## Your PGL Representative

Dedicated PGL Representative with every group, providing full support and assistance.

**Staff accompanying:**

Mr Soave, Mr Reilly, Miss Kane, Miss Ayscough, Mr Davies.





# Resort: Passo Tonale

- No. of runs: 12 blue, 23 red, 6 black



# ELLO SKI PONTE DI LEGNO - TONALE

E - 19 SEGGIOVIE - 3 SCIOVIE - 2 TAPIS ROULANT







## Albergo Milano

# Accommodation

### Accommodation

The friendly Albergo Milano has 65 beds in 21 en suite rooms on three floors. Students are generally accommodated in 2-4 bedded rooms and teachers in twin rooms. Rooms are equipped with hairdryers and telephones and many have their own balconies.





# Rooming's

- Rooms are small – 1 to 4 in each room.
- We will speak to all students and ensure that they are with at least one person that they know.
- We will try everything to ensure that friends are together, but this is not guaranteed.
- Students are not allowed in other students rooms under any circumstances. Deliberated damage to a room may have to be paid by those students.

PHOTOS



















## Evening Entertainment

### Paid options:

- ✓ Pizza Night (40)
- ✓ Karaoke (43)
- ✓ Ice Skating (37)
- ✓ Bowling (43)

### Free options:

- All students are encouraged to attend.
- Quiz night
- Bingo
- Film



## Equipment

### Provided:

- ✓ Ski and boot hire
- ✓ Helmet hire

### Not provided

- ✓ Students need to bring their own jacket, trousers (salopettes), thermal layers, gloves, goggles.
- ✓ Mountain Warehouse is recommended.



**PGL**

## Tuition

- 5 hours daily tuition
- Maximum 12 per group for skiing (of same ability)
- English speaking, locally qualified instructors





## Looking after you

- Comprehensive Winter Sports Insurance policy
- 24 hour medical emergency assistance
- 24 hour PGL emergency helpline while you are away
- Snow guarantee



# Expectations

- We expect students to treat others how they would like to be treated at all times.
- All school rules apply. Theft, etc. will be dealt with and reported in the same way as if they were at school.
- Be aware that mobile phones will be collected at 10pm each day and returned in the morning.





# Expectations

- We hope that every student appreciates what an expensive opportunity you have given them.
- The aim is for students to try their hardest each day to improve – skiing is a difficult activity to learn, but it is one where you get out what you put in.
- We will try to ensure that students participate throughout the 5 days.



# Expectations

- Please be aware that this trip is fantastic, but is challenging in places. The first two days are TOUGH.
- Be supportive, also take everything they say with a pinch of salt.
- If you have any concerns, I will be available to contact – details will be sent nearer the date.





## Checklist

- Passport & EHIC card
- Hat and gloves
- Goggles / sunglasses
- Salopettes
- Ski Jacket
- Sun cream
- Ski socks
- Pocket money



## What not to bring

Please do not bring valuable items, your own ski equipment or mobile phones – these are not covered under our insurance.





# The Coach Journey

The coach will be executive – it will have a toilet (emergency), and air conditioning.

Students should bring books, games, battery packs and earphones.

As it is overnight, a pillow, eye mask and ear plugs are essential items.



# The Coach Journey

Although we leave at 6pm (estimate), the meals en route are not provided.

Provide a packed lunch with snacks for the evening and morning. Students will need some euros to purchase a hot meal. We will stop regularly for rest stops.

Any damages to the coach will have to be paid for.





## Ski fit

Students should travel with ski socks in their hand luggage so that they are prepared for the ski fit on arrival. Depending on your arrival time in resort, we will endeavour to ensure the ski fit takes place that day. When this is not possible, it will take place on the morning of your first ski lessons.

If the ski hire shop is small, it may be advisable to break into smaller groups to aid the process of fitting equipment. Your PGL rep will organise a system for noting down the binding release value (RV) settings for each person.



## Luggage Allowance

Please note that there are weight restrictions on the coach as storage space is limited. We kindly ask that all party members limit their luggage size according to the dimensions shown (90 litres).





# Weekly Itinerary

FRIDAY	SATURDAY	SUNDAY	MONDAY - WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
		Breakfast	Breakfast	Breakfast	Vacate rooms & breakfast	
Depart school early afternoon	Arrival in resort early afternoon	Meet ski instructors divide into ski groups. Ski lessons AM	Ski lessons AM	Ski lessons AM	Ski lessons AM	Arrival at port for channel crossing AM
Arrive at port for channel crossing	Check into hotel	Meet with teachers and PGL rep for lunch	Meet with teachers and PGL rep for lunch	Meet with teachers and PGL rep for lunch	Meet with teachers and PGL rep for lunch	Arrival in UK
Arrive in Calais	Ski Fit & Welcome talk	Ski lessons PM	Ski lessons PM	Ski races & Lessons	Ski lessons PM	Travel back to school
	Dinner	Dinner	Dinner	Dinner	Dinner	
Overnight travel to resort	In house' Quiz organised by PGL rep	Bowling/Skittles night	Evening Entertainment which may include: Talent Show, Ice Hockey Match or Ice Skating	Pack Bags, Presentation Evening & Disco organised	Depart for UK late afternoon/early evening	Arrival at school late afternoon/early evening

Meals shown included as part of the package price, all other meals are to be purchased by individuals en route.



MONDAY 1st JAN 2018	TUESDAY 2nd JAN 2018	WEDNESDAY 3rd JAN 2018	THURSDAY 4th JAN 2018	FRIDAY 5th JAN 2018	SATURDAY 6th JAN 2018	SUNDAY 7th JAN 2018	MONDAY 8th JAN 2018
		Breakfast 0730	Breakfast 0730	Breakfast 0730	Breakfast 0730	Breakfast 0730	
Depart school 1745	Arrival in Zell am See	Meet ski instructors divide into ski groups. Ski lessons AM	Ski lessons 10.00- 12.00	Ski lessons 10.00- 12.00	Ski lessons 10.00- 12.00	Ski lessons 10.00- 12.00	Arrival at Calais for early morning channel crossing
Arrive at Dover/Folkestone for channel crossing	Check into Hotel Club Kitzsteinhorn	Meet with teachers and PGL rep for lunch	Meet with teachers and PGL rep for lunch	Meet with teachers and PGL rep for lunch	Meet with teachers and PGL rep for lunch	Meet with teachers and PGL rep for lunch	Arrival in UK
Arrive in Calais	Ski Fit & Welcome talk/fire safety with PGL rep	Ski lessons PM	Ski lessons PM	Ski lessons PM	Ski lessons PM	Shower, change and pack to board coach	Travel back to school
	Dinner	Dinner	Dinner	Dinner	Dinner		
Overnight coach travel to resort	In-house Evening activity	Evening activity (swimming)	Evening activity (Ice skating)	Evening activity (Pizza & Austrian skittles)	Presentation Evening & Disco organised by PGL rep and Ski School	Travel overnight	Arrive at school 1330

# Ski Kit List

## General

- Passport (with at least 6 months until the expiry date)
- UK Global Health Insurance Card (GHIC) / EHIC
- Pillow for the journey
- Wash bag, towel and toiletries
- Night clothes
- Reusable water bottle
- Small rucksack
- Pocket money - £5 - £10 a day



- 2 pairs of ski socks
- 1 pair of ski gloves
- Good quality sunglasses and goggles
- A thick jumper / fleece
- Thermal base layers or long sleeved t-shirts or polo necks
- Scarf and warm hat
- High factor sunscreen and lip balm
- Ski jacket
- Ski trousers



## Free time

- Casual wear for travel and evenings, including a warm fleece
- Swimming costume or trunks (not shorts)
- Several T-shirts – long and short- sleeved
- Shoes suitable for indoors
- Warm / waterproof jacket
- Warm & waterproof shoes / boots
- Labelled strong plastic bags (bin liners) for dirty clothes



### Packing for air travel

We strongly recommend that you check with your airline (via your Party Leader) regarding baggage allowances shortly before travel.



### Packing for a coach trip

One soft holdall type bag max. dimensions 70cm x 35cm x 35cm  
+ one item of hand luggage for food and essentials for the journey.

# Insurance FAQs

## Medical and Emergency Travel Expenses, Including COVID

Is COVID covered?

All coronaviruses and any subsequent variant/mutation are covered by the policy.



Does the insurance policy cover individual cancellations due to contracting COVID pre-travel?

Full cancellation cover is included for the individual if they:

- receive a positive COVID test up to 14 days before the trip is due to commence; or
- are instructed to isolate by NHS Track and Trace, either directly or via the app, up to 14 days before the trip is due to commence; or
- are hospitalised with COVID up to 28 days before the trip is due to commence.

If a PCR test is mandatory to meet the claim conditions, is the cost of the PCR test subsequently included in a successful cancellation claim?

No, you must provide all certificates, information and evidence that is required at your own expense.



If an insured person has a positive COVID test result on day 25 before the trip, are they covered?

If the individual is hospitalised due to COVID during the 28-day period preceding the trip starting (when the individual leaves their home to begin the journey), then full cancellation cover is in place for any non-recoverable costs.

If an insured person has a positive COVID test result on day 12 before the trip, are they covered?

If the individual tests positive for COVID during the 14-day period preceding the trip starting (when the individual leaves their home to begin the journey), then full cancellation cover is in place for any non-recoverable costs.

## Personal Belongings and Documents

Are electronic items covered?

Electronic gadgets are specifically excluded, as the items should be insured under home/contents insurance.

Is cover for lost Documents e.g. passports and travel documents (including student documents to re-enter the UK) included?

Yes, cover is up to £1,500 per person and includes accommodation, sustenance, additional travel and documents etc.



## **GHIC information**

Under Britain's new agreement with the EU, UK residents' rights to emergency and medically necessary healthcare will continue when travelling in the EU. This includes medically necessary treatment for a pre-existing or chronic condition.

Current European Health Insurance Cards (EHIC) are valid as long as they are in date and people can continue to use these when travelling to the EU.



**Thank you for listening**  
**Any questions?**











