



# Swiss Ski Club Trip 2018 Zermatt, Switzerland



Fri, February 23 – Sat, March 03, 2018

Package Price per person (double-occupancy) - **\$2,095 SUPER EARLY BIRD Member Price**

## INCLUDES:

- Round trip airfare via Swiss International Airlines New York to Zurich nonstop flight
- Round trip private transfers Zurich airport to Zermatt Hotel
- Zermatt Hotel Ambassador **4-STAR**. Close to ski lifts
- Seven nights' accommodation based on double occupancy
- Sumptuous Breakfast daily
- Daily **4-course GOURMET** Dinners
- All hotel taxes and service charges
- FREE BAGGAGE ALLOWANCE for first checked bag plus skis and boots
- Lift tickets are not included (approx. \$330 for 5 days; \$380 for 6 days)



**SPACE IS LIMITED TO 40 PEOPLE. RESERVE EARLY for \$200 super early-bird price discount!!**

## ABOUT Zermatt, Switzerland

- Highest ski resort in Europe (5,726 feet); snow certainty - **you can ski 365 days of the year.**
- Zermatt does not allow cars; only silent electric vehicles and horse-drawn sleds.
- The Matterhorn - one of the world's most photographed mountains towers over Zermatt.
- Ski in 4 areas: Sunnegga, Gornergrat, Klein Matterhorn and Schwarzsee; **224 miles of pistes.**
- Or **ski to Cervinia in Italy** via the Plateau Rosa glacier for lunch & shopping (add'l lift ticket).
- The Gornergrat, Europe's highest cog railway, brings passengers over dramatic bridges and tunnels to the summit. **Enjoy panoramic views of Switzerland's highest peaks.**
- Ski Klein Matterhorn where you can look the Matterhorn right in the eye.
- Savor fantastic lunches at cozy mountain restaurants surrounded by spectacular scenery.
- Zermatt's runs are carefully groomed for every skill level. 60 % of runs are red (intermediate); 20 % of runs are expert (black). Longest run is 15 miles.
- Cervinia, Italy is an intermediate skier's paradise with wide and deserted pistes.
- Expert skiers can enjoy ski touring and heli-skiing over untouched snow.
- **Non-skier or want to take a day off?** – Enjoy the ice rink or a sunny terrace. Go snowshoeing or sledding at the Gornergrat and take in the beautiful views of the Matterhorn.

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## FLIGHT

- Swiss Airlines R/T NONSTOP trip JFK to Zurich. Flight times are subject to change.  
LX#15 JFK / ZRH / 21:10P / 10:50A +1    RETURN: LX#14 ZRH / JFK / 12:55P / 16:05P
- Zermatt is a 3.5 hours' drive from Zurich.
- If land package only (no airfare or transfer), price is reduced by \$400.
- **Free ski & boots and first checked bag, one carry-on.** Carrier restriction regarding weight and size for skis, boots and luggage applies.
- Trip extension can be arranged and price will vary based on itinerary. Reserve early!

## LODGING **Hotel Ambassador - [www.ambassadorzermatt.com](http://www.ambassadorzermatt.com)**

- 4-Star modern hotel. All rooms have balconies with mountain views.
- Located in the center of Zermatt; next to the Gornergrat train station. Other lifts are easily accessible within walking distance or via shuttle bus next to the hotel.
- Hotel Amenities: large indoor pool, whirlpool, sauna, hotel bar, ski storage, ski shop/rental.
- Double-occupancy rooms. Single occupancy add \$500.
- Daily generous buffet breakfast.
- **Includes 4-course gourmet dinner** every night.
- Luggage delivered from the transfer bus to the hotel.



## PRICE

- **Save by reserving early (with paid deposit):**
  - Thru **July 14:** Total \$2,095 members /\$2,195 non-members
  - July 15 thru Aug 31:** Total \$2,195 members /\$2,295 non-members
  - Sept 1 and after:** Total \$2,295 members /\$2,395 non-members
- **Single Room Occupancy** (subject to availability): Add \$500
- **Land Package** (no flight, no transfer): Subtract \$400
- See additional considerations below.

## PAYMENT SCHEDULE

- **First payment (Deposit) is due with reservation ("registration"), to secure your place on the trip:**

Reservation & Payment date	First payment
through July 14, 2017	\$600
July 15, 2017 - August 31, 2017	\$700
September 1, 2017 or after	\$800

- **Second payment:** \$800 due October 1, 2017
- **Final Payment:** \$695 (members) or \$795 (non-members), due November 1, 2017
- **Late fee:** \$100 if final payment not received by November 1, 2017. Reservations are subject to cancellation and replacement from wait list if final payment not received by December 1, 2017.
- **Cancellation policy:** Prior to 10/22/17 = \$150 due; between 10/22/17 and 11/22/17 = \$800 due; between 11/23/17 and 12/10/17 = 75% of trip price due; after 12/10/17 = 100% of trip price due. Trip insurance is highly recommended (see [www.swisskiclub.org](http://www.swisskiclub.org)).
- **Copy of passport needs to be submitted to book flight.** Passport needs at least two blank pages and must be valid for at least 6 months beyond conclusion of the trip.

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