

# Wednesday WANDERLUSTER

## Slopes & Snow



This week's been a flurry of festive fabulousness, Christmas markets, Lapland magic, and even towns named Santa (yes, really). So naturally, I'm sticking with the snowy theme and sliding straight into the world of Inghams, one of my trusted business partners and the OG of ski holidays. They've been serving up slope-side sparkle for over 90 years, and they know exactly what you want before you even click "book now."






Whether you're a black-run daredevil, a chalet cheese-board connoisseur, or just here for the après-ski prosecco, this guide is your piste-perfect passport to winter wanderlust.

### PACKAGES THAT SLAY

Package Type	Whats Included	Optional Add-ons
Basic	Flights/Train, transfers, accomodation	Lessons, equipment hire, lift passes & ski carriage
Board Basis	Self-catering, B&B, halfboard, full board	Huski Meals delivery for luxe self-catering
Accommodation	Chalets, apartments, family-run & luxury hotels	Inghams Choice Properties with rep service

### Who Are Inghams?

Let's start with a little legend: In December 1934, **Walter Ingham** took a group to Austria and basically invented the British ski holiday. Fast-forward to today, and Inghams is one of the largest and most experienced ski and snowboard operators in the game.

-  **90+ years of expertise** (they practically invented ski chic)
-  **Flights or train travel, transfers, and accommodation** all wrapped up in one tidy package
-  **Premium hotels, chalets, and apartments** in snow-sure resorts across Europe & Canada
-  **Weekly snow forecasts** so you know where the powder's poppin'
-  **Lessons, equipment hire, lift passes, ski carriages** sorted

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# **CHALET LIFE** **PEAK INDULGENCE**



If your idea of a ski holiday includes prosecco before dinner and cake after, welcome to Chalet Catering heaven:

- 🍷 Continental breakfast daily + hot options 6 days
- 🍰 Afternoon tea, coffee & cake (6 days)
- 🍷 Pre-dinner prosecco & aperitif (6 days)
- 🍽️ 3-course evening set menu + optional cheeseboard (6 days)
- 🍷 Choice of 3 reds, 3 whites, 1 rosé + beer & soft drinks
- 🍵 Tea, coffee & hot chocolate all day long

**Staff Day Off:** Austria – Tuesday | France & Italy – Wednesday On these days, it's continental breakfast only and no evening meal—but reps will help you book the best local spots. Over Christmas & New Year, expect a celebratory twist.

## **SUSTAINABILITY THAT SLOPES AHEAD**

Inghams isn't just about snow—they're about smart, sustainable travel:

- 🌱 Meat-free options available
- 🥖 Local food & drink (fresh pastries, cheeses, wines)
- ☕ Compostable coffee pods
- 🚰 Refillable toiletries
- 🧼 Eco-friendly cleaning products
- 🚫 Less plastic packaging





# WHERE TO GO BASED ON YOUR VIBE

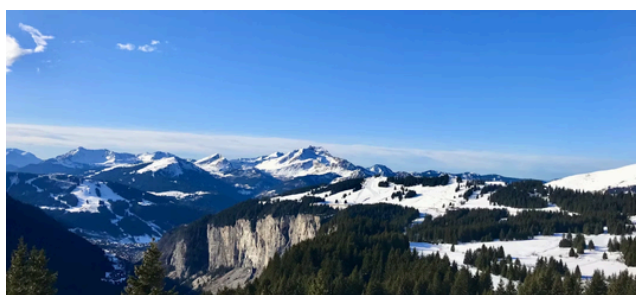


## Austria – 22 Resorts

- Great snow record + schnapps-fuelled après-ski
- Vast variety of runs, perfect for intermediates
- Schnitzel, steins, and ski-in chalets? Say less

## France – 18 Resorts

- Snow-sure, high-altitude skiing with postcard-perfect villages
- Huge choice of resorts from chic to charming
- Ideal for those who want to ski hard and spa harder



## Switzerland – 10 Resorts

- High-altitude, snow-guaranteed terrain
- Luxurious lifestyle + expert instructors
- Best for intermediate/advanced skiers who like their fondue with a side of finesse

## Italy – 17 Resorts

- Large ski areas + jaw-dropping scenery
- Beginners thrive here (and so do pasta lovers)
- Ski all day, eat all night, la dolce vita on the slopes



## Canada – 1 Resort + 1 City

- Unbeatable snow conditions + cinematic landscapes
- The ultimate bucket-list ski destination
- Think Whistler, Banff, and views that'll make your goggles fog up





# HINTS & TIPS



## THRILL SEEKERS WELCOME



### 👨‍👩‍👧♀️ Who's It For?

Literally everyone. Whether you're rolling deep with your crew or flying solo, Inghams has you covered:

- 👨‍👩‍👧♀️ **Families** – Childcare, ski lessons for kids, family-friendly hotels
- 👨‍👩 **Couples** – Spa hotels, fine dining, romantic alpine vibes
- 🧑♀️ **Solo travellers** – No single supplement on select packages
- 👨‍👩‍👧♂️ **Groups** – Exclusive chalets, group discounts, multi-airport transfers

### 🧠 Ski Jargon Decoder

Because no one wants to nod blankly when someone says "off-piste":

- **Après-ski:** Boozy bliss after a day on the slopes
- **Blue/Red/Black Run:** Beginner / Intermediate / Advanced
- **Magic Carpet/Button Lift/Gondola:** Ways to get uphill without crying
- **Ski Carriage:** Your gear's ticket to fly
- **Lift Pass:** Your golden ticket to the mountain
- **Ski in/Ski out:** Roll out of bed and onto the pist

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## BUY ONE LIFT PASS GET ONE HALF PRICE

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### 💡 Wanderluster Tip

Before you book, ask yourself:

- What's your budget (with or without extras)?
- What's your ski level?
- Where have you skied before?
- What type of accommodation do you want?
- What board basis suits you?
- Any must-haves? (Childcare, spa, ski-in/ski-out?)

Answer these, and I'll match you with a snow-stopping itinerary faster than you can say "gondola."

Ready to turn your winter dreams into slope-side reality? Whether it's a chalet in Courchevel or a spa suite in Selva, I'll tailor your trip to match your snow-style. Just say the word and I'll get your skis waxed and your itinerary polished.

