

## Hakuba Valley Ski Resort – Home of the 1998 Nagano Olympics

Basic Ski Week: March 9-16, 2019 (SFO & LAX Group Air departs Mar. 8th)

**Optional Pre-Trip to Niseko** – March 4-9, 2019 (Min. of 22 & Max. of 32 & departs US Mar. 3<sup>rd</sup>)

Pre-trip must be combined with BASIC Hakuba Valley Trip – not sold separately

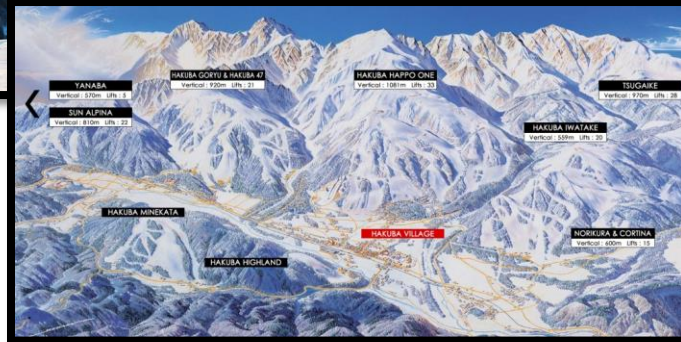
### Optional Extension trip to Kanazawa, Kyoto & Tokyo

March 16-23, 2019

Experience the "LAND OF THE RISING SUN".  
Enjoy the "LAND OF SAKE and CHERRY BLOSSOMS"



*Learn  
A further option  
for experiencing Hakuba*



Why Japan? Where else can you have some of the best skiing in the world and use your **EPIC PASS!**

Why Japan? Where else can you enjoy such a rich and unique culture that spans thousands of years?

*Here's why...Japan offers something for everyone, whether it's deep powder skiing, long winding groomed skiing, sightseeing in some of the ancient temples, or the Wild Monkey habitat, there is something to please everyone!*

### BASIC TRIP Land Package - The Tokyo Hotel (Not including Air Transportation or Lift Tickets)

- Approximate lodging package costs – starting at \$1720.00 per person based on double occupancy
- Pricing is based on exchange rate of 1USD vs. 110 Yen – subject to change
- Basic land package pricing is based on a min. of 86 people & the Extension pricing is based on a min. of 34 people – subject to change if requirements are not met. All local taxes are included
- Single Supplement rooms are available – quantities are limited.

#### Land Package Includes:

- All airport ground transfers with Multi-lingual guide meeting the FWSA Group Air people upon arrival
- 7 nights' accommodations with breakfast daily and Free Wi-Fi
- 5 Dinners – 2 nights **on your own** to dine at the local restaurants of your choice.
- Welcome/Orientation at the hotel **on the 2<sup>nd</sup> day after arrival** due to group's air late arrival time
- Special Ezura Goryu Drumming and Dinner Show, including bus transportation
- Complimentary **Mountain Escort for 3 hours on the 1<sup>st</sup> day of skiing** – groups of 20 max.
- Local guide at the hotel each evening for 1 hour
- Optional Day Tour and mid-week Après ski party – details to be provided

### Air Transportation Information - It is HIGHLY recommended to use FWSA air transportation!

- Group Air - SFO & LAX air details to be provided
- Stand Alone Trip Air – contact Debbie Stewart
- Alternate airport and/or post trip deviations are available - they are limited)

\*Air prices **DO include** estimated Fuel surcharges, Taxes and current Exchange Rate – subject to change.

*If you are arranging your OWN flights but wish to take the FWSA bus transfers, you **MUST** coordinate your flight schedule with the FWSA group air schedule. No special alternate pick-up or drop offs by the bus will be permitted.*

Make checks out to: **Far West Ski Association (FWSA)**. Please reference "FWSA 2019 JAPAN Trip" on each check.

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## **Pre-trip to Ski Niseko on the island of Hokkaido**

March 4 - <, 2019

Depart US Mar. 3<sup>rd</sup> and join Basic Ski Week on Mar. 9th  
Minimum of 22 and Maximum of 34 – Space is limited!

*The Niseko pre-trip is offered in conjunction with the Basic Hakuba Valley Ski Week trip.  
This trip will NOT be sold without the Basic Hakuba Ski Week.*

Niseko is a town located in Shiribeshi Subprefecture, Hokkaido, Japan. To Japanese people, Niseko principally refers to a mountain range and a municipal area. However, overseas the name has come to refer to a wider area of ski resorts encompassing Hokkaido's Mount Yōtei, often referred to as the "Mt. Fuji of Hokkaido", and Annupuri ranges. The name Niseko derives from the Ainu language, and it means "a cliff jutting over a riverbank deep in the mountains". The Niseko town's main industries are agriculture and tourism.



### **Location, location, location**

Hilton Niseko Village is located on the southern slopes of the famous Niseko Annupuri Mountain and is surrounded by a wealth of outdoor activities.

#### **Land Package includes:**

- Round trip transfers from/to Sapporo Airport
- 5 nights lodging at the Hilton Niseko Hotel
- Daily breakfast (dinner on your own)
- All local taxes

Lift tickets not included in land package

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## **Extension trip to Kanazawa, Kyoto and Tokyo – March 16-23, 2019**

Approx. Land Package – Double Occ. = \$1724.00 & Single Supp. Rooms available

*A Stand-Alone trip is available for experienced travelers!*

*Discuss the Stand-Alone trip details with Debbie Stewart, VP of Int'l Travel*



*Experience Local Culture*



**FREE TIME  
TO EXPLORE!**



*Enjoy Regional Cuisine*



### **Kanazawa, Kyoto and Tokyo Trip includes:**

- Transfer between Hakuba and Kanazawa via private coach including half day city tour, ending at hotel.
- 2 night's accommodations at the 4 Star Hotel Nikko in Kanazawa. (Or Similar\*\*)
- Breakfast buffet daily in Kanazawa.
- Luggage truck between Hakuba and Tokyo Hotel to take luggage with ski clothes & equipment
- Bullet train between Kanazawa Station and Kyoto Station with assistant
- Half day city tour of Kyoto upon arrival with English speaking guide. Tour ends at hotel.
- 2 night's accommodations at the 4 Star Kyoto New Miyako Hotel (Or Similar\*\*)
- Breakfast buffet daily in Kyoto.
- Walk to Train Station for bullet train with assistant
- Bullet train between Kyoto and Tokyo Station
- Half Day city tour of Tokyo upon arrival with English speaking assistant. Tour ends at hotel.
- 3 night's accommodations at the 4 Star Akasaka Excel Tokyu Hotel. (Or Similar\*\*)
- Breakfast buffet daily in Tokyo
- Optional full day tour to Mt. Fuji with English speaking guide and lunch included – details tbd
- Transfer between Tokyo Hotel and airport via private coach with English speaking assistant.
- All local taxes

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