

Indulge in your favourite activity or learn a new one. Whether you're a family, a couple, an empty nester, a solo traveller or taking a break with your best friend, there's a holiday to suit you



Test your survival skills on a tipi holiday

BEST FOR FAMILIES

Tipi adventure in Sweden

Intrepid families will be in their element when they set up camp in a traditional Swedish tipi beside a lake in the raw wilderness of Dalsland. You'll need your bushcraft skills as you cook dinner over an open fire before tucking the kids up in a cosy bed of reindeer skins and being lulled to sleep by the lap of water on the rocks. Each tipi comes with its own rowing boat to take fishing on the lake – plus there's a range of activities on offer, such as kayaking and zip-lining (from £22). You can also relax in a wood-fired hot tub by the water's edge.

- Three nights in a tipi (sleeps six) costs from £390 with Nature Travels. Call 01929 503080, or visit naturetravels.co.uk.
- British Airways flies to Gothenburg for around £90 return. Hire a car or take a two-hour train or bus ride to Brohögen.

ALTERNATIVELY... DONKEY TREKS IN SPAIN

For families with young children, how about a walking holiday in the Spanish heartland of Castile with your very own donkey, so that

when little legs get tired, they can hop on their new furry friend? Retracing ancient drovers' trails, each day finishes in a different medieval village.

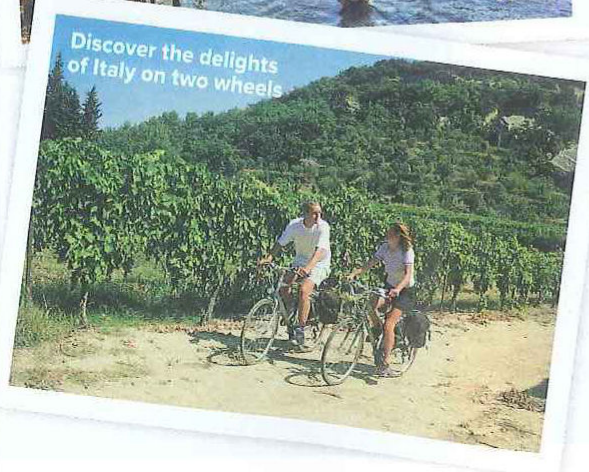
- Four nights' bed and breakfast with three dinners, two picnic lunches, luggage transportation and transfers from Madrid airport and a donkey for three days costs from £675 per adult, £355 for the first child and from £220 for any additional children, with InnTravel. Call 01653 617009, or visit inntravel.co.uk. easyJet flies to Madrid from £72 return.

SAILING IN GREECE

Set sail around the island of Lefkas, and learn from superb Royal Yachting Association-qualified instructors. Seven nights' hotel accommodation, return flights, transfers, plus unlimited sailing and tuition costs from £845 per adult and £645 per child (sharing parents' room), with Wildwind. Call 0844 499 2898, or visit wildwind.co.uk.



The beautiful city of Venice



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