Pioneers

of Bakhmaro

Bring along:

- Slippers there are no outdoor boots allowed in the house.
- Whatever you want from the **Duty Free Shop**...
- **Earplugs** - the cottage is very clairaudient, as we noticed.
- Flip Flops for the shower.
- If needed a thermos flask.

We have on site:

- Beds including duvets, pillows and blankets.
- Towels & bathrobes.
- Restricting internet, electricity and mobile phone (4G) reception (sockets according to European and UK standard)



Freeride & Safety equipment:

- Freeride skis if possible with touring bindings and skins or freeride-board.
- Crampons are not required.
- Avalanche transceiver, probe, shovel obligatory.
- We strongly recommend an **airbag** and a **helmet**.
- In addition, a bivouac sack, rescue blanket and a first aid kit are advisable.

Luggage (Wizzair):

- WizzAir does officially take cartridges. When it is a problem, leave the cartridge behind and lend it with us (20,-€ per week; limited number available: Mammut, Ortovox and ABS)
- The **sports baggage** is cheap; officially it should not contain clothing. Even so, there were no problems last year. For ski boots a separate bag is officially allowed, but not always accepted.
- **Check-in** necessarily via the internet. Everything costs much more at the airport.

On arrival:

- We pick you up at the airport Kutaisi. Please provide us with a mobile phone number before departure so that we can contact you in the event of a flight delay or detour.
- Please keep warm clothes and snow-resistant shoes at hand as we will change to snowcat on arrival. At night it can get a bit colder in the cabin.

Money:

 There are not too many chances to spend money in Bakhmaro. In the lodge alcoholic drinks or any rental equipment can be paid in Euros.

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