

## **Travel conditions of Kuling Trekking**

*Please note that by registering for a trek of Kuling Trekking (KT) you also agree to the below travel conditions. Please read them carefully!*

### **Registration for a trek**

Registration has become official upon receiving your deposit. Registration is possible through the website of KT by filling in the special registration form and by making a deposit (advance payment) of € 200,=. This will be confirmed by email. The rest of the cost (the balance) shall be transferred to KT not later 4 weeks before the trek takes place. After receiving the full fee for the trek, KT will send a confirmation email and provide more detailed information on aspects like personal clothing and equipment, fitness preparations and participants list.

The minimum number of participants for a trek is 4, the maximum is 10 to 12 (depending on the specific trek, as specified on the website). With more than 8 participants, KT will arrange a second experienced guide.

### **Guidance and safety**

Trekking in natural areas inhibits certain risks. Therefore, the trek will be guided by an experienced guide who will be in charge of the actual day-to-day planning, logistics and safety matters. For emergencies, depending on the trek, KT will arrange special equipment for the group like a first aid kit, bivouac sacs, snow shovels and GPS. In areas without mobile phone coverage we will bring a satellite telephone. Unexpected weather or snow conditions may need to change the original trekking route, upon decision of the KT guide.

### **Physical fitness conditions and personal risks**

Cross-country and back-country (ski) treks are not without personal risks for injuries and other dangers. Participants should be aware of these risks; have the needed technical (skiing) skills and prepare themselves physically for the trek. They are responsible for their own safety and participate at their own risk. KT cannot accept any liability for personal injuries or other damages. Participants themselves should arrange for an adequate travel and health insurance.

### **Costs included in the agreement**

The price for a trek excludes travel to the starting place of the trek. Contact data of participants will be shared within the group to encourage joint travel to the start of the trek. Mostly, the trek includes food, basic drinks (coffee/tea/chocolate) and accommodation in cabins or huts. Depending on the trek skiing equipment can be included, as specified on the KT's website. In a situation of extreme currency fluctuations (more than 10% to the NOK within 6 months period), KT has the right to alter the price.

### **Cancelation**

Cancelation can take place by KT in a situation of too few participants (less than 4) or unexpected snow or weather conditions, ultimately announced 2 weeks before departure. In those situations, the paid fare will re-imbursed.

Cancellation by a participant up to 4 weeks before departure will cost € 100,-; up to 1 week before departure cancellation will cost 50% of the price. Cancellation within 7 days of departure will cost 100% of the trek price.