



COME AND JOIN OUR TEAM IN THE FRENCH ALPS!

Driver/Handyman

It's not hard to have a great time out in the Alps, but choosing the right company can make a huge difference to your season. Alpine Action is proud of their reputation for looking after our clients as well as our staff.

Alpine Action is a family run business which has been providing catered chalet holidays in Meribel & La Tania for 24 years and our resort management team have been with Alpine Action for 15 years. The company was originally started in 1993 because of a passion for skiing and is still run day to day by those same people.

As a fully ABTA & CAA/ATOL bonded company, it means we provide a fully protected package holiday, we charter our own flights from Gatwick Birmingham & Manchester and our coaches transfer our clients to our fourteen chalets. We have ten chalets in Meribel and four in La Tania. All our chalets are fully catered and offer breakfast, afternoon tea and a three course evening meal. The three valleys is the largest linked ski area in the world, and we think the best skiing in the world.

Enthusiastic staff join us because they will be able to ski five days a week for five months, on some of the best slopes in the world. You don't have to be a good skier or boarder, but you must love the sport enough to contemplate a season working and skiing in the Alps. The work is hard with early starts and late nights, toilets to clean and potatoes to peel, shopping and cooking, talking to guests and answering all their questions and never losing your sense of humour or your smile, even when you're tired. If you're just looking to ski and party for the season and do the minimum you need to get by, then please go and look at a much larger company. On the other hand, if you want to get job satisfaction, meet some fantastic people and get on the mountain as much as possible. Then working for Alpine Action is for you. We will provide a good team to work with and excellent staff accommodation and plenty of free time on the mountain.

Our resort staff are very important to us, we know that they represent the company and play a vital role in ensuring that all our clients enjoy their holiday and the Alpine Action experience. Alpine Action value all staff and this is reflected in the standard of your accommodation, the support and general management. We also take care to respect the chalet staffs day off. The day off is a precious time and we recognise its importance to morale and a happy energetic resort team. There are many rewards and benefits working for a small independent company though. Each year staff enjoy a variety of social events at the beginning and during the season.

To be a driver you must over 21 years for insurance purposes and hold a full current clean license.

Brief Job Description

This role involves providing the high quality service that we provide to our clients from the beginning to the end of their holidays.

It is one of the most sort after jobs in Resort. As an Alpine Action driver/handyman you should be smart and presentable at all times, with a "can-do" attitude. You will need to be able to think on your feet in a wide range of situations. You will work as part of the team in Meribel. You should be a confident driver and have worked in a recognised qualified trade. You'll need to be over 21 years and have a clean full license. The role includes meeting and greeting guests from airport, train stations or in resort on transfer days. You will advise about and help clients with lift pass purchase, ski hire and ski schools. On some occasions you will be required to assist around chalets during busy weeks. There are daily shuttles from our chalets to the lift at the beginning and the end of the day. Assist with weekly shopping and the distribution of wine, firewood and linen. The job also involves general maintenance tasks and some snow and ice clearance, maintaining the hot tubs and saunas where appropriate, but full training is given for every part of the job.

Skills and Experience Required

Over 21 years old with a full current clean driving license. If you have driving experience it will be an advantage, but it's not essential. You should have worked in a recognised qualified trade.

ACTUAL Salary & Benefits

You will attend an in resort training course at the beginning of the season with our management team. It is a fun but informative course before we prepare for the arrival of your first guests.

- Competitive salary paid monthly into your U.K. bank account
- Shared apartment accommodation in Meribel
- All food in chalet
- Meribel Ski Pass
- Medical and accident insurance
- Ski/Board Equipment Hire
- Uniform/ appropriate company clothing
- Travel to and from resort at the start and end of contract
- 1 day off a week plus plenty of free skiing time with the exception of Saturday and Thursday mornings
- In-resort training (not salaried)
- Approximately 9 days holiday pay, paid at end of contract.

Our experienced management team is on hand for help and support during your season.

Eligibility

You have to be passionate about the mountains, skiing or boarding.

You must be a confident driver, be over 21 years and hold a full clean licence. You will need to be male due to shared accommodation.

All applicants must hold an EU passport and a valid UK National insurance number and UK bank account.

