

ALPICO Kotsu launches direct bus from Haneda Airport to Hakuba Ski Resort area

Matsumoto, December 8, In order to cater for the increasing number of visitors from overseas to the Hakuba ski resort area during winter, ALPICO Kotsu has continued to expand its transportation network to Hakuba by launching a direct bus service from Haneda Airport to Hakuba, starting this ski season. An addition to the already existing Narita-Hakuba service, this newly launched direct bus makes the lengthy, tiring trip to Hakuba more accessible, convenient and relaxing.

Even if travelling with bulky luggage or ski and snowboard equipment, passengers can travel with ease by stowing their belongings in the baggage compartments under the bus. Spacious three-row seats allow the passengers to sit in comfort and relax during their journey, while enjoying onboard facilities and services including toilet, electrical outlets, blankets and paid Wi-Fi service.

1. Name of Service

Highway Bus Haneda Airport –Hakuba Line

2. Operation Period

《Hakuba-bound》 December 17, 2016 (Sat) – March 4, 2017 (Sat), excluding Dec 29 – Jan 3

《Haneda-bound》 December 18, 2016 (Sun) – March 5, 2017 (Sun). excluding Dec 29 – Jan 3

※Winter limited service

3. Service Frequency

2 round trips daily

4. Operating Company

ALPICO Kotsu Tokyo Co., Ltd. and Haneda Keikyu Bus Co., Ltd.

5. Service Schedule

《Hakuba-bound》

1) Haneda Airport 7:40 (dep) → Hakuba Goryu 12:58 (arr) → Hakuba station 13:05 (arr) → Hakuba Happo Bus Terminal 13:10 (arr)

2) Haneda Airport 12:40 (dep) → Hakuba Goryu 17:58 (arr) → Hakuba station 18:05 (arr) → Hakuba Happo Bus Terminal 18:10 (arr)

《Haneda-bound》

1) Hakuba Happo Bus Terminal 10:40 (dep) → Hakuba Goryu 10:45 (dep) → Hakuba station 10:52 (dep) → Haneda Airport 16:10 (arr)

2) Hakuba Happo Bus Terminal 15:40 (dep) → Hakuba Goryu 15:45 (dep) → Hakuba station 15:52 (dep) → Haneda Airport 21:10 (arr)

6. Fares (One-way)

Adult: 9,000 yen Child: 7,000 yen

7. Facilities and Services

Green car (3 row seats), toilet, blankets, electrical outlets and paid Wi-Fi

8. Reservation and Inquiries

【Website】 English website: <http://www.alpico.co.jp/traffic/en/express/hakuba/>

【Phone】 ALPICO Kotsu Highway Bus Reservation Center (Nagano) TEL: 026-229-6200 (8:00 - 20:00)
