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### **Peak Retreats adds new properties in the French Alps to summer programme for 2019**

**Peak Retreats**, the award-winning French Alps specialist providing quality accommodation in traditional French resorts, introduces a number of new additions to its 2019 summer programme. These include several newly-built properties and comfortable self-catered apartments in **St Martin de Belleville, Samoëns, Les Saisies, Arêches-Beaufort, Tignes, Les Houches, and Valmorel.**

#### **Newly added resort for Summer**

Peak Retreats adds the traditional and friendly Beaufortain village of [Arêches-Beaufort](#) to its summer programme. Found in the Savoie region, **Arêches-Beaufort** is known for the local speciality – Beaufort cheese. Visitors can visit the cheese cooperative and museum in nearby Beaufort to find out more about how the cheese is made and its history, and for those who get a midnight craving the museum has a cheese vending machine outside! The area also includes over 225km of marked trails and circuits for hiking or mountain biking. Stay at the brand new 4\* residence [La Cle des Cimes](#). Located 400m from the village centre of **Arêches-Beaufort**, this self-catered accommodation includes spacious well-appointed apartments. Facilities also include access to the indoor pool and wellness area and free WiFi.

#### **Newly added accommodation**

**St Martin de Belleville** is perfect for a summer Alpine holiday, the surrounding area is renowned for its rich natural and architectural heritage, the mouth-watering Savoie cuisine and a number of outdoor pursuits. [5\\* hotel La Bouitte](#) is an intimate hotel located in the pretty hamlet of Saint Marcel, 1km from the centre of **St Martin de Belleville**. The family run hotel boasts a 3 Michelin starred restaurant, and the Bela Vya Spa, which offers Savoyard inspired wellness treatments. Also in **St Martin de Belleville**, the stylish self-catered apartments at [Chalets Home](#) have been added to the Peak Retreats summer programme. Situated just 300m from the centre, there is a choice of two 5-bedroom chalets (sleeping up to 12) or three 3 to 5-bedroom apartments (sleeping up to 10), all with en-suites. This stylish accommodation includes a fully equipped kitchen, living area (with fireplace), balcony and unlimited free WiFi.

The traditional village of **Samoëns** is popular with summer visitors as there is so much to do in Samoëns and the surrounding areas, with the rivers Giffre, Dranse, and Arve for fun in the water and chairlifts/gondolas allowing access to the highest points for mountain walks. This season Peak Retreats has added the recently built stunning self-catered apartments and hotel suites at the [Alexane](#), 150m from the centre of Samoëns (which opened in December 2018) to its summer programme. The high-quality residence includes 31 apartments and a number of hotel suites, with access to the spacious leisure centre with heated pool and sauna, a bar-lounge area with WiFi, children's area, and free underground parking. There is also the Italian restaurant Fabio located in the residence.

**Les Saisies** also has a brand new 4\* residence, [Les Chalets des Cimes](#) offers mountain views and is situated just 200m from the resort centre. Facilities include panoramic lounge, multimedia room, indoor pool and wellness area, and free WiFi. An onsite restaurant is also planned. Les Saisies draws visitors because it sits between the 'Beaufortain' valley and the 'Val d'Arly' valley, two magnificent areas of Savoy, with views towards Mont Blanc.

Also new for summer 2019 are the brand-new **Altaviva** apartments in Tignes 1800, the impressive apartments at **Chalets Elena** in Les Houches and **Anitea** in Valmorel, and the 3\* **Club Hotel les Brevières** in the pretty low-key village of Tignes Les Brevières.

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**Peak Retreats** is an award-winning French Alps specialist offering accommodation in over 50 traditional mountain resorts. Peak Retreats has a passionate UK-based team who have provided genuine personal service and expert advice tailored to each customers' needs since 2002.

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