



Grand Hotel
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Press Fact Sheet

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Opening:

May 2009

Reconstruction period:

2005-2009

Main Developer:

J&T Real Estate, a.s.

Architectural design:

Architect Peter Černo and Cerno+Architekten, Munich, Germany

Interior design:

Living Consulting Group AB, Sweden (rooms)

Architect Zuzana Cambelova, Slovakia (Kempinski The Spa and the public areas)

History and architecture:

The Grand Hotel Kempinski High Tatras (the former treatment complex Hviezdoslav) consists of three objects established and linked in succession in different periods. The oldest „Janosik" built in year 1893-1894 was followed by „Spojovacia budova" (Link Building – then the coffee house and bathhouse parlor) in 1887, "Krivan" in 1906 (former Grand Hotel) and finally Hviezdoslav" in 1923. All these buildings were gradually linked so they composed one hotel complex. The buildings were constructed in various architectural styles and of various materials.



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Location:

This lake-side luxury hideaway hotel is located in the most beautiful surroundings of the High Tatras (Vysoke Tatry), in the picturesque village of Strbske Pleso, the highest settlement in the region, 1.351 meters above sea level. This excellent location provides a possibility of long walks along the hiking paths, cross country skiing tracks, downhill skiing areas, cycling paths, possibility of riding in a horse coach, snow scooters, bungee jumping, paragliding and mainly relaxation in the wonderful mountain scenery.

High Tatras are a natural border between Poland and Slovakia, forming the central, highest and most beautiful section of the Carpathian mountain range, where the air is famously clear and medically beneficial.

The Grand Hotel Kempinski High Tatras is an oasis of luxury on the shore of a glacial mountain lake Strbske pleso overlooking the majestic panorama of the High Tatra peaks. It can be reached by road, rail or air. Luxury limousine service, helicopter and private jet transfers are also available from Bratislava, Poprad, Kosice or Krakow and Vienna airports.

Distances:

Poprad-Tatry Airport: 28 km

Krakow Airport: 165 km

Košice Airport: 145 km

Train station Strbske Pleso: 0.5 km

Train station in Stry Smokovec: 18 km

Train station in Poprad-Tatry: 32 km

Accommodation:

The Grand Hotel Kempinski High Tatras offers 98 spacious rooms and suites with mountain, lake or valley views. Rooms are equipped with heated marble floor in bathrooms, high-speed WiFi Internet, interactive flat build-in TV screens, regular phone, mobile phone for in-house use, safe, and private bar. Some rooms feature in-room winter garden or walk-in wardrobes.

For demanding guests, the Presidential Suite is available with private butler services.

This suite offers beautiful lake and mountain views, includes two bedrooms with two bathrooms, each with Jacuzzi, spacious living rooms, one kitchen and a dining/meeting room. The Honeymoon Suite with a roof top Jacuzzi is the right choice for those seeking for a romance. You can enjoy the marvelous view at the High Tatra Mountains and the lake or the night sky from the private open tower.

Room types:

78 Deluxe Rooms (35 – 45 m2)

2 Handicapped Rooms (35 – 45 m2)

12 Junior Suite (52 m2) (with a living room)

4 Deluxe Suites (68 m2)

1 Honeymoon Suite (with private roof-top Jacuzzi)

1 Presidential Suite

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Hotel services:

Available are: 24-hour room service, Concierge service, shuttle service, car rental, parking, heli-pad, shoe shine service, Internet / Business Center, money exchange, doctor (on request), wheelchair, laundry, Kids Club, babysitter (on request), bike / ski rental, hairdresser, DVD rental.

Meeting and conference facilities:

The Grand Hotel Kempinski High Tatras offers two luxury conference rooms with daylight and breathtaking views.

Gerlach Ballroom (126 m²) can accommodate up to 150 people. Designed in the classical style with natural daylight, it offers the latest technical equipment, fireplace, business centre and has a possibility of different set ups.

Krivan Ballroom at the size of 102 m² is suitable for up to 80 guests.

Restaurants and Bars:

The Executive Chef, Gerald Vorreiter, brings an extensive international experience to this hotel and region and introduces new creative cutting edge menus.

The **Grand Restaurant** (225 m²) is an all day dining restaurant offering International cuisine, focusing on the finest fish, seafood and meat. Up to 116 guests can savor the best of seasonal, local produce and the finest of wines from celebrated cellars with the largest collection on wines in High Tatras. The restaurant has a warm and relaxing atmosphere with a sumptuously furnished sitting room where you can relax in front of the glow of an open fire and take in the wonderful views beyond.

Lobby Lounge with an outside terrace is an oasis of tranquility and serenity with spectacular lake views. It is an ideal place for light snack, afternoon tea or coffee and offers a big selection of cakes, pastries & chocolates. In the evening our guest can enjoy special cocktails or taste from our collection of cognacs and whiskies. Non-formal, casual setting is emphasized by the sound of a crackling fire place at the background.

Vitamin Bar is located in the Kempinski The Spa area and offers healthy, diet snacks and freshly squeezed juices and cocktails after a good workout in the fitness centre.

The **Player's Lounge** has all it takes to permit our guests to engross themselves in a novel or chess game whilst enjoying a glass of favorite wine, whisky or cognac.

Kempinski The Spa:

Grand Hotel Kempinski High Tatras was selected to host the very first *Kempinski The Spa*, a bespoke concept developed especially for Kempinski Hotels by Resense Spa S.A. The spa opened on 1st of November 2009, offers extreme luxury and privacy and is a reflexion of European elegance.

It covers more than 1,300 m² of lavish facilities, including an impressive lap pool, experience showers, whirlpool, caldarium, saunas, a VIP Spa Suite, herb-infused steam rooms, Kneipp-journey and cold plunge pools. The interiors are luxurious and stylish however leaving the space for the guest to be his or her normal self. It is tranquil and cool, yet full of nice entertaining surprises. Guests can relish from a unique selection of herbal teas, spa delicacies and energy drinks in the lounge area overlooking the High



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Tatras mountain range and the lake. Guests can also choose to use the fitness facilities and unleash their inner strength, drawing energy from the unspoilt candidness of the surrounding mountains.

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