Did you ever want to discover the Far North?

Did you ever think that – one day – you would picnic on the Arctic Polar Circle?

You dream to sunbathe in the midnight sun?

Would you consider „discovering-Amsterdam-by-boat” as one of your travel musts?

Would you think it a pleasure of kissing Copenhagen’s « Little Mermaid »?

To cross a veritable Norwegian fjord – would this mean a fairy dream come true?

And what about experiencing all this with your own Traction* Avant?

* You are not a Traction owner? You possibly could do without your own Traction. Kindly contact us.
Well, then you simply ought to join us ...

- 30 days of discovery of Northern Europe under excellent conditions with a carefully planned and well-explored route
- Accommodation categorized as "comfort" or "luxury"
- A balanced program with short stages, guided tours of cities and capitals
- Moments of rest based on our extensive experience in organizing international rally-raids
- Reserved parking
- Typical dinner
- Drinks included
- Mechanical quality assistance
- Surprise!
The Program of RAID ARCTIC POLAR CIRCLE 2015:

- Visits (among others) to Ghent, Amsterdam, Bremen, Stavanger, Norwegian fjords, Trondheim, Stockholm, Copenhagen, Arnhem
- Passage of 11 (eleven) borders with 7 (seven) countries and 4 (four) currencies, no less!
- Crossing the longest road tunnel in the world
- Visit of Norwegian glaciers
- Visit of the famous wooden stave churches
- Several passages of fjords by ferries (typical and very nice)
- Tasting of local food
- Some roads absolutely wonderful
- Crossing the Arctic Circle. Each raider will be handed over a diploma of Arctic passage
- Accommodation at the "Last Viking" still alive
- Beautiful museums not to miss
- Meetings with local collectors
- And many other things, a feast .......
Since 2005, TRACTIONS SANS FRONTIÈRES has administered 12 international Rallies

- in North America
- in Europe
- in Africa
- in South-East Asia
- in South America

**Facts and Figures**

- The participating cars accomplished in total 1,110,540 kilometres
- TSF organized 17022 meals and booked 5115 rooms
- In the course of these journeys, nine languages had been applied. There were 13 different currencies in use, and for 23 times, our tractions had crossed state borders...
RAID ARCTIC POLAR CIRCLE 2015

Price: 8450 € / crew (2 persons)
From SUNDAY evening, 28th of June 2015 until TUESDAY morning, 28th of July

This price includes:

- All accommodation with 29 nights in *** and **** hotels all along the route from first day in Lille to return day in Lille
- All breakfasts
- All evening meals (with some exceptions. In this case, it is the lunch that is included or 2 meals)
- Drinks (water/wine) at dinners. This is far from trivial in Scandinavia.
- Parking lots at night. This is far from being trivial either. You might pay 10 to 30 € / night / car.
- Crossing Hirtshalls (DK) / Kristiansand (N) with a superb buffet on board. Crossing time: 03:30 o’clock.
- Guided tours by boat and/or bus
- Shuttle busses to reach the cities centers.
- Preparation costs: guides, maps, phone ...
- The cost of the course exploration
- The presence of a qualified mechanic equipped with a truck (parts and tools)
- Road-Books
- TSF shirts with embroidered inscription *Raid 2015 Arctic Polar Circle* + TSF logo
- A surprise gift
- The markings of the car (rally plate, big stickers of Raid, Logo TRACTION SANS FRONTIÈRES, small stickers of Raid)
- Some surprises on the way...
This price does not include:

- Personal expenses: fuel, drinks not explicitly included in the beverage package, ferry tolls and tunnels.
- Lunches * except when crossing from Norway and Denmark the Arctic Circle where a dish "up there" is the program of festivities.
- Mandatory Repatriation Insurance for each crew

Additional Information:

- Lunches are not programmed. There are several reasons:
- As you do not have to drive in convoy and time management drive back, you do not have a schedule imposed for lunch, which would be faster binding
- We found that these free meals allow more authentic and easier contact with the population rather than when we enter as a horde of 30 or 40 at the same time in a small town
- Breakfast buffets often allow to comfortably enjoy food in the morning. One can easily "make light" lunch.
- Similarly, dinners often take the form of buffets (gargantuan in some cases). A lighter lunch might do some good!

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We propose to furnish our accounts by sending us (with your registration form) a cheque of € 1,500 + 7 cheques at € 900 each with possible bank at a specified date if the 10th of each month does not suit you. The exact balance will be release in spring 2015.
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Average daily: 227 km / Tag  
Shortest stage: 85 km  
Longest stage: 489 km (entirely on paved roads)
Dear friends of *Tractions Sans Frontières*,

Here are a few things good to know:

The consolidation of crews will take place at Fâches-Thumesnil, on the southern outskirts of Lille, on Sunday, June 28, 2015 in the late afternoon. After 30 days of discovery and adventure, we will return on Monday, July 27.

In the meantime, we will have crossed borders 11 times, although we only encounter 1 real one once – that one of Kristiansand – upon our landing in Norway. And even this one is a "light" control! It is not Mozambique either!

Take time to read, to dream and to calculate. If you want to follow us, let us know and we shall send you the registration form RAID ARCTIC CIRCLE 2015. You will have to return it with a first payment of € 1,500. As usual and already known, payment by installments knowing that the total amount will have reached us by end-May 2015.

You certainly know already as well, and we repeat: Scandinavia is expensive or even very expensive (Norway) and we spend 22 of the 30 Raid days there. This explains the higher than usual daily rate.

The ARCTIC CIRCLE RAID 2015 is classed "comfort", you can even say "luxury" with *** and **** hotels always in best locations or close to, and accessible by taxi or public transport.

À bientôt – see you soon, for *Tractions Sans Frontières*

*Nana und Philippe LASSON*

Remark:
In addition, we tried very hard and were able to extend our offer by including the evening meal drinks. Not an easy task in countries where alcohol falls under a state monopoly with very high taxes (i.e., a bottle of wine purchased in Southwest France at € 3.50 sells at € 37.50 at the restaurant).
TRACTION SANS FRONTIÈRES

ROUTE CITROËN THAI:
Malaysia and Thaïland

RAID DES CARIBOUS : le Québec

Two passes, two highlands, two countries, two continents... and... always the very same Traction:

- Tizi n’Tichka in Morocco (2260 m / Africa) and
- La Cumbre, in Bolivia (4500 m / South America)
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