

## Tavri Refuge – Askifou –East Apokoronas

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Wine tasting, a visit to the eastern mountain shelter on “Lefka Ori”, Cretan traditional flavors combined with local wine, an off road *adventure* in a landscape where the element of mountain farming is dominant. A cup of coffee in the afternoon will take you back to the memories created all day.

Our *adventure* begins!

**Chania – Vrisses - Alikambos:** Let’s visit the “Dourakis” winery, the cellar, and have a wine tasting tour accompanied with Cretan tastes.

**Askifou – Tavri Shelter – Niatos Plateau:** In Askifou the wild landscape is a typical example of Sfakia villages. Just a few kilometers southwest of Askifou is the eastern shelter on “Lefka Ori”, named “Tavri” and “Niatos” plateau, where you can see the peaks “Fanari” and “Kastro” in a height close to 2250 meters.

**Imbros:** Time for lunch! The area is well known for it’s traditional tasty Cretan cuisine. Let’s eat!

**Askifou – Vatoudiaris –Emprosneros:** Continue our off road *adventure* during which is easy for you to capture local culture and understand hard shepherds way of life. We will stop, admire nature and take pictures as the mountain’s landscape beauty is memorable.

**Vrisses:** Let’s have a last break in one of the most famous villages in “Apokoronas” area. The flavor of a nice cup of coffee in the afternoon is a good idea for us to rest.

**Distance :** 155 km

**Duration:** 9-10 hours

**Altitude:** 1250 m

**Price :** ages 8-12 : 70 euro

ages 12+ : 100 euro [The prices are for group participation (min 3 adults or 2 adults and 2 children)]

**Schedule:** All year (on request)

**Pick up times:** upon request

**Price includes:** liability insurance and local taxes, entrance fee for the winery tasting accompanied with Cretan tastes, tour in 7 seat Mitsubishi Pajero, English speaking guide – driver, lunch with traditional food and wine, coffee or orange juice.

**Items to bring:** sunglasses, hat, sun cream, a jacket (depending on the weather conditions). Sport shoes or sandals recommended.

*Remember to inform us if you or another member of your group is vegetarian or if there is a food allergy. If you do, we may arrange a different menu for them.*

*This adventure is not recommended for people, with mobility problems, suffering from car sickness, don’t like being in bumpy roads and for persons with fear of heights.*