

**Activities Guide:

SKIING OPTIONS FOR BEGINNERS AT

Harenda (north side - 6 minutes), Nosal (South Side): Each of these stations has rental points next to the lifts, so you can fit boots and equipment right at the slope and swap sizes easily if needed.

SKI MOBILING

- **Gubałówka Hill (Kościelisko side and Nowe Bystre)** Major operators run guided snowmobile tours, including night rides with panoramic views of Zakopane.
- **Gubałówka-Butorowy Wierch Plateau:** Wide open terrain suitable for longer, safer routes.
- **Poronin / Białka Tatrzanska:** Ideal for forest and open-field routes with fewer crowds.



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Dog Sledding

- **Kościelisko Valley:** The most established area for husky experiences, including short and extended rides.
- **Gubałówka Plateau:** Seasonal rides depending on snow conditions.
- **Chochołów / Witów region** Less crowded, with longer forest trails.



Snow Rafting & Snow Banana Rides

- **Gubałówka Hill:** Snowmobile-towed raft or banana rides; short but high-adrenaline.
- **Harenda (Zakopane):** Smaller-scale operators offering similar activities.



Winter Horse-Drawn Sleigh Rides (Kulig)

- **Chochołowska Valley:** Scenic, traditional sleigh rides under Tatra peaks. One of the most popular routes.
- **Kościeliska Valley:** Forest setting with controlled entry; highly atmospheric.
- **Biały Kocioł Tatrzański & Bukowina Tatrzańska:** Strong tourism infrastructure; sleigh rides often paired with bonfires.



Notes:

Evening sleigh rides with torches are particularly in demand.

Snowshoeing

- **Rusinowa Polana:** Gentle route, exceptional winter vistas.
- **Dolina Strążyska (Strążyska Valley):** Easy access; excellent introduction to winter trekking.
- **Gubałówka Ridge:** Low-risk snowshoe trails with Zakopane panorama.
- **Dolina Kościeliska & Dolina Chochołowska:** Longer routes suited for half-day hikes.

Ice Skating

- **Tatra Ice Rink (Lodowisko pod Gubałówką)**
Central, outdoor rink near Gubałówka base.
- **COS Zakopane Rink**
Larger indoor rink; consistent ice quality.



Sleigh Parks & Family Snow Zones

- **Snow Zabawa Park (Gubałówka)**
Tubing lanes, snow slides, and family activities.
- **Harenda Snow Fun Area**
Similar offering with easier access from Zakopane.