



Best for Après Ski

- **La Cage Aux Folles**
In the Planibel complex, this is the place to go after the lifts close. There's an excellent atmosphere with great value food and drinks.
- **Angela's**
Popular with locals and a great place to go for good value, authentic Italian aperitivos, served with complimentary Italian snacks.
- **La Clotze**
This is the perfect laid-back bar for a quiet drink.

La Thuile is based in an old mining village in Italy that has been expanded and restored, with an attractive village centre and plenty of shops, bars and restaurants. Its ski area, linked with La Rosière across the border in France, offers extensive slopes that are excellent for beginners and intermediates. Noticeably crowd free, La Thuile is a great resort for families looking to avoid the peak season rush of larger resorts.

Top Runs

- The slopes above Les Suches mostly consist of gentle blues and reds. Many of these reds should probably be marked as blue, making it ideal for cruising and building confidence in beginners looking to progress.
- For beginners, there is a nursery slope in the village and the Les Suches sector, with plenty of long, easy blues.
- For experts, black pistes 2 and 3 down through the trees from Les Suches are seriously steep, usually groomed, and great fun when they are. There is also plenty of off-piste opportunity here, with heli-skiing available. For those heli-skiing, there's a 20km run from the Rutor glacier to Sainte-Foy in France, which is a short taxi ride from La Rosière to catch the lifts back.



Recommended Restaurants

- **Lo Tatà**
Just off the slopes at the top of the village, this is an excellent lunch spot in a rustic building with stone walls and wood ceilings.
- **La Maison de Laurent**
Described as charmingly chaotic, and is tipped for its huge portions.
- **Coppapan**
Located in a traditional mountain building, close to the ski lifts. The restaurant's a la carte menu offers traditional Alpine cuisine, both Valdostain and Savoyard.
- **Pizzeria Le Dahu**
This pizzeria does fantastic wood-fired pizzas available to eat in or takeaway.