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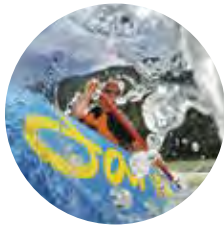
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# WELCOME TO JACKSON HOLE



Welcome to Jackson Hole, where the untamed spirit of the West lives on, jagged mountain spires reach to the sky above an unparalleled landscape, and the crystal waters of the mighty Snake River run through it all. This is the scenery that spurred our nation to establish the world's first national park, Yellowstone National Park, in 1872, and its equally spectacular neighbor to the south, Grand Teton National Park, in 1929. These parks

are part of the Greater Yellowstone Ecosystem, one of the largest, nearly intact temperate-zone ecosystems left on earth.

Even knowing about Grand Teton and Yellowstone, most visitors are surprised to learn how much there is to see and do in this magnificent valley. The variety of activities and events is so extensive you'll probably wish you had more time to spend here.



## How To Use This Guide

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Information is divided into four sections:

1: Do 3: Shop  
2: Eat 4: Stay

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Fun travel tips can be found throughout the guide. Look for Mangy, our mascot.



3

Local celebrities and infamous characters offer up what they love about our valley.

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Use Grand Teton and Yellowstone park maps in the back for planning excursions.

## Go Digital

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# The Land of Rugged Adventurers & Stoic Settlers

The name Jackson Hole refers to an entire valley in the northwest corner of Wyoming, surrounded by mountains. Originally named after an 1820s fur trapper, Davey Jackson, it's 48 miles long and between 8 and 15 miles wide. The northern end of the valley serves as the southern gateway to Yellowstone National Park and is about 6,779 feet above sea level. The town of Jackson (whose name is often confused with the valley, Jackson Hole) sits at the southern end of the valley, at an elevation of about 6,069 feet.

Although Native Americans passed through this valley thousands of years ago, the long, harsh winters discouraged any permanent settlement until the late 1800s. After the town of Jackson was established in 1894, homesteaders began to trickle in, lured by the prospect of open land for the taking. They faced a hard existence and eked out a living through a combination of cattle ranching, farming and big-game hunting. Descendants of some of those early settlers still ranch or reside within the valley today.

In 1920, Jackson residents elected an all-female

town council, continuing the pioneer spirit of Wyoming that earned it the nickname of Equality State when it became the first state in the country to grant women the right to vote in 1869.

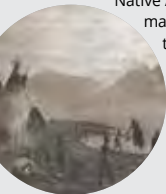
Yellowstone and Grand Teton national parks have always drawn sightseers to this region, but Jackson Hole's tourist trade truly took root in the 1920s, when dude ranches like the still-operating Triangle X Ranch began inviting visitors to stay. A "dude," in Western parlance, is a guest who pays to experience cowboy ranch life.

Perhaps nothing shaped the identity of Jackson Hole from a cowboy town to a ski town as much as the creation of the Jackson Hole Mountain Resort in 1965. Indeed, the acclaimed ski resort was built at the site of a dude ranch called Crystal Springs Ranch. Nearly overnight, the resort helped propel the valley from a one-season economy to a year-round one, drawing visitors from every corner of the world.

## JACKSON HOLE HISTORY

### Pre-1800s

Before the settlers and fur trappers come here, Native Americans make annual trips through the surrounding mountains to hunt this wildlife-rich area.



### 1807

John Colter leaves the expedition of Lewis & Clark to hunt in the northern Rockies. He is credited with discovering Jackson Hole and the area that is now Yellowstone National Park.

### 1829

Seven years after arriving here with trapping companions Jedediah Smith, Jim Bridger and David ("Davey") Jackson, William Sublette names the region "Jackson's Hole" after his fellow mountain man.



### 1907

The valley's first dude ranch—the JY Ranch—is formed, officially launching the hospitality industry in Jackson Hole.

### 1912

The National Elk Refuge is established. Today it is the winter home to one of the largest herds of elk in the world.





# Jackson Hole Today

With a population that has now expanded to about 23,000 residents, Jackson Hole is not the isolated valley it once was. Even so, locals are easily outnumbered by some 4 million visitors each year. In addition to being the home of Grand Teton and Yellowstone national parks, two major ski areas (and a third just “over the hill”), the National Elk Refuge and Bridger-Teton National Forest, we also have a thriving cultural scene. From world-class art to live theatrical, musical and dance performances—featuring national and international actors, musicians and dance companies—Jackson Hole is far from a sleepy valley.

A nod to the past is carefully maintained with the decidedly Western flair evident most everywhere, including wooden boardwalks around Town Square, twice-weekly rodeo, the Jackson Hole Shootout and authentic chuck wagon dinners. There are plenty of experiences to bring out the inner cowboy in everyone.



## A Myriad of Adventures in Store for You

“I came for the winter, but stayed for the summer,” is a popular saying by locals who have long understood the lure and beauty of Jackson Hole during the all-too-short summer months. It’s a postcard come to life, framed by the magnificent Teton Range. Thanks to efforts of generations of conservationists, 97% of this beautiful landscape is public land and protected from development. For outdoor enthusiasts, Jackson Hole has a role as both a sanctuary and a playground, no matter what the season. There are hundreds of trails to tackle, many mountains to climb and ski down, abundant wildlife to spot, rivers and lakes to float and fish on, and so much more.

So, welcome—and let the memories begin!



### TRAVELER TIDBIT



Grand Teton National Park was actually protected twice! In 1929, the original park was formed to preserve the Tetons and the glacial lakes nestled beneath them. In 1950, this protected land was extended to include most of the valley floor as well.



## Filmed in Jackson Hole



Fifteen feature films have been made on location in Jackson Hole. John Wayne’s first speaking part was in *The Big Trail*, filmed here in 1929. Other movies shot in the valley include: *Shane*, *Spencer’s Mountain*, *Any Which Way You Can*, *Rocky IV* and *Django Unchained*. The season three premier of “Modern Family” was also filmed here in 2011.

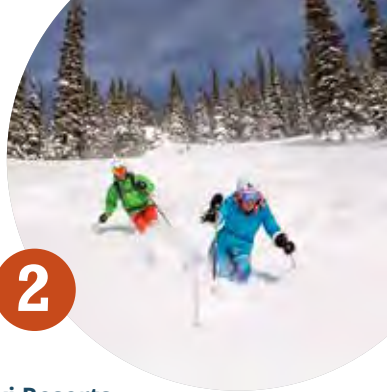
1920	1929	1939	1957	1965	1971
Jackson elects the first all-female slate of town officials in the United States, a show of progressiveness that continues to this day.	Grand Teton National Park is dedicated. 	Neil Rafferty erects a rope tow on Snow King Mountain, making it the first ski area in Wyoming.	The Jackson Hole Shootout is started by a local businessman to draw tourists to downtown. It is the longest continuously running “gunfight” in the United States.	Jackson Hole Ski Area in Teton Village opens. 	Bill Briggs makes the first ski descent of the Grand Teton.

# QUINTESSENTIAL JACKSON HOLE

## *moments*

There's a lot to do in our pretty playground in the Tetons!  
Here's a look at what makes Jackson Hole memorable.

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### Experience Grand Teton

In addition to the magnificent Teton Range framing the west side of **Grand Teton National Park**, there are myriad things to love about this 485-square-mile wilderness and recreation area. In fact, its wide range of recreational activities is among the most accessible of any national park. Exploration opportunities abound—and the amazing views just won't quit.

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### Hit Town Square

Bathed by the neon honky-tonk sign of the Million Dollar Cowboy Bar and bordered by four quirky elk-antler arches and wooden boardwalks, the **Town Square** forms Jackson Hole's retail and artistic core. It is also the site of the Jackson Hole Shootout, the longest-running one in the country.

Don't forget to take a photo under the antler arches.



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### See the Largest Herd of Elk

You won't need binoculars to view the thousands of elk wintering on the **National Elk Refuge**, a 25,000-acre swath of protected land. Each year, wapiti gather to feed, scramble for dominance with extraordinary antler clashes, and rear their young. A unique way to experience the refuge is by horse-drawn sleigh. In summer, tour the historic Miller House, which sits on the edge of this sanctuary, and scan for nearby wildlife.

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### Visit Yellowstone

**Yellowstone** is the world's first national park. It has approximately 10,000 active thermal features, the most famous of which is Old Faithful. The 3,500-square-mile wilderness recreation area is mostly in Wyoming but spreads into parts of Montana and Idaho, too. It is open year-round, but in winter the roads are closed to automobiles; only snowmobiles and snowcoaches are allowed—a decidedly bucket-list way to experience the park!







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### Watch Wildlife

With nearly 500 animal species inhabiting the Greater Yellowstone region, some have called our area the "American Serengeti." The wild things are literally all around you! Spotting a bison, moose, bear, bald eagle, coyote and/or elk is a definite possibility during your visit.

### Find Your Western Spirit

Attending the **Jackson Hole Rodeo** is a favorite way to experience a tried-and-true Western tradition. Every Wednesday and Saturday evening throughout the summer, see authentic cowboys ride bucking broncos and testy, mighty bulls, barrel race and rope calves, among other competitions.



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### Venture Down the Snake

Taking a guided, exhilarating whitewater rafting trip or mellower scenic float down the Snake River is truly a Jackson Hole must-do item during your visit. Professional and knowledgeable outfitters abound here to steer you down the magnificent Snake.



### Drink at the Iconic Watering Hole

Straddle a saddle at the bar of the **Million Dollar Cowboy Bar**; see the more than 4,000 1921 uncirculated Morgan silver dollars embedded in the bar of the aptly named **Silver Dollar Bar** in the Wort Hotel; or attend "Sunday Church" at the **Stagecoach Bar** in Wilson and dance the night away!



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### Get Active

There are endless recreational opportunities in Jackson Hole. Hiking, biking, climbing, swimming, paddling, boating, rafting, horseback riding, paragliding, golfing, fishing, ziplining, tackling ropes courses, downhill, Nordic and heli-skiing, snowshoeing, snowmobiling, dog sledding, snow tubing, ice skating and shooting experiences are all available. Phew! There's no excuse not to be active in the Tetons.

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# JACKSON HOLE

## BY THE NUMBERS



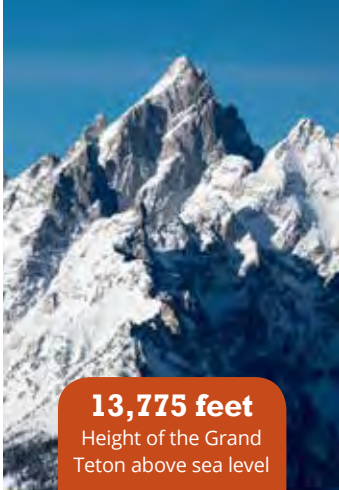
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Jackson Hole Mountain  
Resort's vertical drop



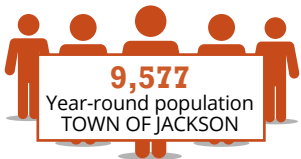
**7,300**

Elk wintering annually on  
the National Elk Refuge



**13,775 feet**

Height of the Grand  
Teton above sea level



**9,577**

Year-round population  
TOWN OF JACKSON



**2,000**

Elk antlers on each of the four  
arches on Town Square



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Jackson Hole restaurants featured in  
“Diners, Drive-Ins and Dives”

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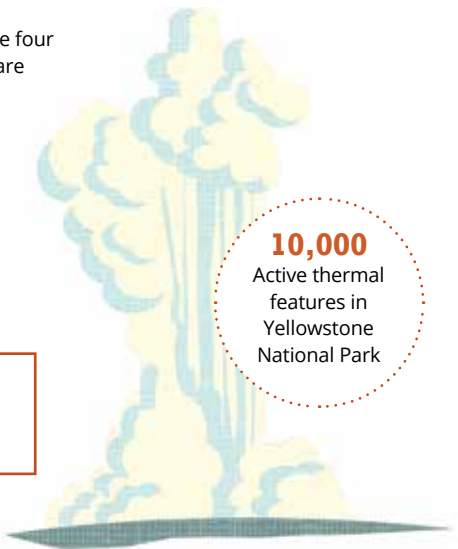
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Annual visitors



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Active thermal  
features in  
Yellowstone  
National Park



# HIGH-ALTITUDE HEALTH TIPS



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## How can I prepare for high-altitude conditions?

Most people will adapt relatively well to the altitude on the valley floor, which is 6,300 feet above sea level. The people who tend to have the biggest trouble often have other medical problems. Even healthy visitors can occasionally have issues with the altitude during an activity.

## What does altitude sickness feel like?

The most common adverse reaction we see around here is acute mountain sickness. The symptoms are: headache, nausea, fatigue and sometimes shortness of breath. Generally, those symptoms are worse when you combine higher elevations and exertion.

It's not unusual for someone to fly here in the morning and then go straight to the top of the mountain to ski. If you feel that you might be suffering from acute mountain sickness, descend to the valley floor, stay hydrated,

get some rest and most of the symptoms will pass.

If you are having trouble adapting to Jackson Hole, you shouldn't go to Yellowstone—most of the Yellowstone plateau is significantly higher than the elevation in Jackson Hole.

## How can I protect myself from altitude sickness?

**1. Stay well hydrated.** Due to our dry climate here, it's very easy to get dehydrated.

**2. Limit your alcohol intake.**

**3. Make sure you get plenty of rest and transition gradually from the valley floor to higher elevations.** Don't try to tackle a steep trail or climb a mountain on your first day or two. There is less oxygen in the air at this elevation, so your aerobic capacity is decreased. As your body adjusts, you can build up to higher elevations and more strenuous physical activity.

## What can I do if I'm still not feeling well?

It's definitely good to see a doctor who can evaluate and verify that you're not having more serious problems. Unrelated cardiac problems or other medical issues have similar symptoms to those of altitude sickness.

## Other health risks to be aware of:

**Sunburn** — In higher elevations, there is less atmosphere, so you are more susceptible to sunburn. SPF 15 or higher is adequate. Reapply throughout the day, especially on the water. A good pair of sunglasses is also recommended.

**Sports Injuries** — Wearing a helmet when snowboarding, skiing, mountain biking or riding horses can protect you from serious injury.

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## JUNE 2017

- 2** **"The Unsinkable Molly Brown" opens at Jackson Hole Playhouse**  
Mon—Sat through Sept 30  
[jacksonholeplayhouse.com](http://jacksonholeplayhouse.com)
- 17** **Teton Raptor Fest**  
held at Snow King Ball Park  
[tetonraptorcenter.org](http://tetonraptorcenter.org)
- 17** **6th Annual Plein Air Fest**  
at National Museum of Wildlife Art  
[wildlifeart.org](http://wildlifeart.org)
- 20** **Summer Solstice Celebration at Rendezvous Park**  
[rendezvouslandsconservancy.org](http://rendezvouslandsconservancy.org)
- 21** **"An Evening With Elizabeth Smart"**  
at the Center for the Arts  
[jhcenterforthearts.org](http://jhcenterforthearts.org)

## JULY 2017

- 1-2** **Jackson Hole Silver Collector Car Show and Auction**  
in Teton Village  
[silverauctions.com](http://silverauctions.com)



### 4th of July

We have celebrations in spades! Park yourself in downtown Jackson for the Howdy Pardners 4th of July Parade.

Snow King Mountain

Resort hosts a fabulous fireworks display, as does Teton Village across the valley on both the 3rd and 4th. Check the chamber website for more day-of events.

[jacksonholechamber.com](http://jacksonholechamber.com)

- 7-9** **ArtFair Jackson Hole**  
in Miller Park, hosted by the Art Association of Jackson Hole  
[jhartfair.org](http://jhartfair.org)

- 7-9** **Teton Village Art & Antique Show**  
[mcpresents.com](http://mcpresents.com)

- 14-16** **13th Annual Targhee Music Fest**  
acoustic, folk, blues and roots music  
[grandtarghee.com](http://grandtarghee.com)

- 21-30** **Teton County Fair**  
celebrating Jackson's roots  
[tetoncountyfair.com](http://tetoncountyfair.com)

## AUGUST 2017

- 11-13** **30th Annual Targhee Bluegrass Festival**  
[grandtarghee.com](http://grandtarghee.com)

- 11-13** **ArtFair Jackson Hole**  
located in Miller Park and hosted by Art Association of Jackson Hole  
[jhartfair.org](http://jhartfair.org)

- 11-13** **Teton Village Art & Antique Show**  
[mcpresents.com](http://mcpresents.com)

- 21** **Total Solar Eclipse**  
event and viewing information  
[jht.guide/eclipse](http://jht.guide/eclipse)

## SEPTEMBER 2017

- Sept 2** **Jackson Hole Marathon and Hole Half Marathon**

In their seventh year, the Jackson Hole Marathon and Half Marathon let you race in one of the most scenic locations in North America!  
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- 9** **Annual Old Bill's Fun Run**  
for charities  
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- Sept 6-17** **33rd Annual Jackson Hole Fall Arts Festival**

The Fall Arts Festival has become the premier cultural event of Jackson Hole, attracting hundreds of nationally and internationally acclaimed artists who embody the spirit of the West.  
[jacksonholechamber.com](http://jacksonholechamber.com)



- Sept 7-10** **Western Design Conference Exhibit and Sale**  
[westerndesignconference.com](http://westerndesignconference.com)

- 15-16** **Jackson Hole Art Auction**  
[jacksonholeartauction.com](http://jacksonholeartauction.com)

- 17** **Oktoberfest at Grand Targhee Mountain Resort**  
[grandtarghee.com](http://grandtarghee.com)

## OCTOBER 2017

- 11-14** **"The 25th Annual Putnam County Spelling Bee"**  
**19-21** **musical**  
at the Center for the Arts  
[jhcenterforthearts.org](http://jhcenterforthearts.org)

## NOVEMBER 2017

- 23** **Annual Thanksgiving Day Turkey Trot**  
5K run  
[tetonparksandrec.org](http://tetonparksandrec.org)

- 24** **Annual Town Square Lighting**  
holiday carols, cookies and Santa Claus  
[jacksonholechamber.com](http://jacksonholechamber.com)





## Calendar Sponsored by The Jackson Hole Chamber of Commerce

For a full list of Jackson Hole events, please visit  
[jacksonholechamber.com/events](http://jacksonholechamber.com/events)

### DECEMBER 2017

**15-24 Santa on the Town Square**  
nightly through  
Christmas Eve  
[jacksonholechamber.com](http://jacksonholechamber.com)

**31 New Year's Eve  
Torchlight Parades**  
dusk parades and fireworks  
at local ski resorts  
[jacksonholechamber.com](http://jacksonholechamber.com)

### JANUARY 2018

**27 International Pedigree  
Stage Stop Sled Dog Race**  
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[wyomingstageshop.org](http://wyomingstageshop.org)

### FEBRUARY 2018

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Winter Games**  
competitions will take place  
at both Jackson Hole  
Mountain Resort and  
Teton Pines  
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### MARCH 2018

► **7<sup>th</sup> Annual  
Jackson  
Hole  
Rendezvous**  
three-day lifestyle and music  
festival at Jackson Hole  
Mountain Resort, featuring  
national, regional and local  
musicians  
[jacksonhole.com/rendezvous](http://jacksonhole.com/rendezvous)



► **World Championship  
Snowmobile Hill Climb at  
Snow King Mountain**  
[snowdevils.org](http://snowdevils.org)

### APRIL 2018

► **Cathedral Voices  
Spring Music Festival**  
at Center for the Arts  
[jhcenterforthearts.org](http://jhcenterforthearts.org)

### MAY 2018



#### May 19-20, 25-28

#### Elkfest and Old West Days

The festivities, including the world-famous Boy Scout Elk Antler Auction (pictured), kick off on May 19<sup>th</sup> and continue through Memorial Day weekend. The spirit of the true West lives on in Jackson and is celebrated every year during Elkfest and Old West Days, where we have one of the only remaining horse-drawn parades in America!

[jacksonholechamber.com](http://jacksonholechamber.com)

**26 Old West Days Parade**  
10 a.m.  
[jacksonholechamber.com](http://jacksonholechamber.com)

**26 Old West Brew Fest**  
[jacksonholechamber.com](http://jacksonholechamber.com)



THE CENTER

**CENTER FOR THE ARTS**  
for our event schedule, visit  
[jhcenterforthearts.org/calendar](http://jhcenterforthearts.org/calendar)

## Ongoing Events

### SUMMER

#### Aerial Tram

MAY 20—OCT 8

[jacksonhole.com](http://jacksonhole.com)

#### Jackson Hole Rodeo

MAY 27—SEPT 2

[jhrodeo.com](http://jhrodeo.com)

#### Jackson Hole Shootout

The longest-running shootout in the country; Town Square at 6 p.m.

MON—SAT, MAY 29—SEPT 4

#### Farmers Market on the Town Square

Fresh produce and music every  
Saturday morning; 8 a.m.-noon

MID-JUNE—EARLY SEPT

[jacksonholefarmersmarket.com](http://jacksonholefarmersmarket.com)

#### People's Market

Crafts and produce from local  
vendors, beer and music at the base  
of Snow King; Wednesdays 4-7 p.m.

MID-JUNE—EARLY SEPT

[jhpeoplesmarket.org](http://jhpeoplesmarket.org)

#### Music on Main

FREE Thursday night concert series  
in Victor, Idaho

JUNE 11—MID-AUG

[tetonvalleyfoundation.org](http://tetonvalleyfoundation.org)

#### Concerts on the Commons

Teton Village — Sundays 5 p.m.

JULY 3, 4; JULY 16—AUG 27

[concertsoncommons.com](http://concertsoncommons.com)

#### Grand Teton Music Festival

Walk Festival Hall in Teton Village

JULY 3—AUG 20

[gtmf.org](http://gtmf.org)

#### JacksonHoleLive

Concert series at Snow King

[jacksonholelive.com](http://jacksonholelive.com) for schedule

#### Historical Downtown Walking Tours

Conducted by Jackson Hole  
Historical Society; 2 p.m.; FREE

JULY 8—SEPT 23

[jacksonholehistory.org](http://jacksonholehistory.org)

### WINTER

#### Elk Refuge Sleigh Rides

MID-DEC—EARLY APR

[fws.gov/refuge/national\\_elk\\_refuge](http://fws.gov/refuge/national_elk_refuge)

#### Music Under the Tram

Annual, free spring concert series  
featuring local bands; 3 p.m.

[jacksonhole.com/music-under-tram](http://jacksonhole.com/music-under-tram)

# JACKSON HOLE

## PLANNING ESSENTIALS

[jht.guide/plan](#)

### When to Come

#### Winter

**Mid-November to mid-March;**

**temperatures of 30 degrees and below**

Skier or not, everyone agrees that winter is when our valley, blanketed in snow, lives up to its image. It's the time for sleigh rides in the National Elk Refuge, snowshoeing in Grand Teton National Park, snowmobile treks and skiing deep powder.



#### Spring

**April through May; 35 to 70 degrees**

Because spring is so unpredictable and uncrowded, it can be a great time to visit, particularly for wildlife lovers. Certainly the most underrated season here, spring has plenty to do if you're willing to go with the flow of what the weather presents.

### Getting Here

#### By Airplane

In true Jackson Hole fashion, even the local airport is worth seeing. Situated 10 miles north of town in the heart of Grand Teton National Park, Jackson Hole

Airport is a beautiful timber-and-stone structure featuring huge windows that frame a spectacular view of the Tetons. See [jacksonholeairport.com](#) for arrival and departure schedules. [jht.guide/airport](#)



#### Summer

**June through August; 70 to 85-plus degree days**

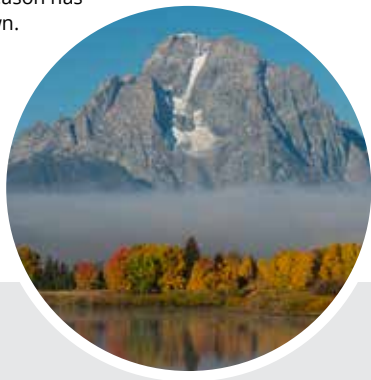
Rivers run full. Mountain trails open. Lake temperatures rise. Music festivals and dozens of special events swing back into gear. Hiking, biking, camping, rafting ... the list of summer's pleasures in Jackson Hole goes on and on.

#### Fall

**September to early November; 45 to 75 degrees**

For those who might see the bustling options of summer as a bit too much to handle, fall is essentially a quieter version. The full menu of activities isn't quite available, but the calmer fall season has benefits of its own.

Did we mention the aspens turn an incredible fiery hue?



#### Airport/Airlines

Jackson Hole Airport  
American  
Delta  
United

307-733-7695  
800-433-7300  
800-221-1212  
800-241-6522

#### By Bus

There are two bus companies that provide service between Salt Lake City and Jackson.

**Salt Lake City Express**  
[saltlakeexpress.com](#)

800-656-8824

**Alltrans Mountain States Express**  
[mountainstatesexpress.com](#)

800-652-9510



## LOCAL INSIGHT



### Bill Briggs

*First person to ski down the Grand Teton, former Exum Mountain guide and ski school director, musician*

## "I LOVE ..."

- ▶ **Playing at the "Hoot" (Hootenanny) each Monday night at Dornan's**
- ▶ **Working with Open Range Films every morning**
- ▶ **Lunch and coffee at the Virginian Restaurant each noontime**
- ▶ **Teton County Library**
- ▶ **"Going to church" every Sunday evening to make music with the Stagecoach Band**

## What to Pack

Jackson Hole is a casual place and what you wear is based more on functionality, so dress for comfort.

[jht.guide/pack](#)

### Winter

Layering is the way to go. A base layer should be made of a moisture-wicking, synthetic fabric. A fleece works fine as a mid-layer. Wear a jacket that blocks the wind. Other winter essentials: moisture-wicking socks; waterproof gloves; goggles and sunglasses with polarized lenses to guard against glare off ice and snow.



### Summer

Bring a fleece jacket for cool mornings and evenings. Lightweight, zip-off hiking pants are recommended, as are sturdy hiking boots made from a breathable but waterproof fabric. Lighter trail-running shoes can also work if you're doing a milder hike or run. Other summer essentials: rainwear; waterproof sandals; swimsuit; a spacious and sturdy backpack.



## Helpful Phone Numbers & Websites

### General Information

Grand Teton National Park 307-739-3300  
[nps.gov/grte](https://nps.gov/grte)

Jackson Hole Chamber of Commerce 307-733-3316  
[jacksonholechamber.com](https://jacksonholechamber.com)

Teton County Recreation Center 307-739-9025

Yellowstone National Park 307-344-7381  
[nps.gov/yell](https://nps.gov/yell)

### Airport

Jackson Hole Airport 307-733-7695  
[jacksonholeairport.com](https://jacksonholeairport.com)

### Resorts and Ski Conditions

Grand Targhee 800-TARGHEE (827-4433)  
[grandtarghee.com](https://grandtarghee.com)

Jackson Hole Mountain Resort 307-733-2291  
[jacksonhole.com](https://jacksonhole.com)

Snow King Mountain Resort  
[snowkingmountain.com](https://snowkingmountain.com) 307-201-KING (5464)

### Weather and Avalanche Report

Jackson Hole Weather  
[mountainweather.com/forecast](https://mountainweather.com/forecast)

Avalanche Report 307-733-2664  
[javalanche.org](https://javalanche.org)



# MOUNTAIN WEATHER



Jim Woodmencey

Part of the allure of Jackson Hole is its extremes—extreme mountains, extreme sports ... and even extreme weather. Like the locals who live here year-round, you'll want to follow the weather trends closely to be prepared for each day in the mountains. Our high elevation, rugged terrain and relatively low humidity can create major fluctuations in temperature, precipitation and wind in a short period of time, potentially putting you at risk.

Instead of relying on the default weather app on your smartphone, we recommend using our local website. Every morning during

the winter and summer seasons, Jackson Hole meteorologist Jim Woodmencey interprets the local weather patterns to create a forecast, offering an informed sense of what to expect, so you can plan and dress accordingly. His audio forecast is great, too!

There are many ways to stay current with mountainweather.com's features: from radar and satellite maps to webcams and a Yellowstone National Park weather page. You'll find the seasonal info on the climate page especially helpful for planning your trip to Jackson Hole.

**Current conditions at [mountainweather.com/forecast](http://mountainweather.com/forecast)**



## Practical Tips

Here's a local's perspective on how best to enjoy your visit to Jackson Hole and Grand Teton National Park. [jht.guide/tips](http://jht.guide/tips)

### Be Adventurous: **TACKLE ALL OF OUR ATTRACTIONS WITH VIGOR**

The main attractions in Jackson Hole are our natural setting, wildlife and recreational opportunities. Choose to engage in it all by connecting with a local wildlife, rafting, hiking or photography guide service to jump-start your trip and knowledge of the area.

### Be Prepared: **HYDRATION + WARMTH + FUEL**

Any outing needs to always include water, extra warm layers and additional food. Bring a small pack and always have it with you when you are outdoors.

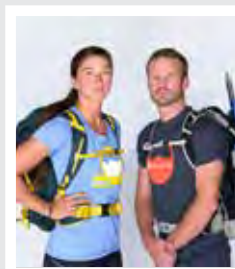
### Be Careful: **DON'T RUN OVER OR HARASS OUR WILDLIFE**

Please be respectful of our wild animals, as the growing human population of our valley has reduced their habitat. We all love seeing them, but drive very cautiously or you might have a moose coming through your windshield, which is a losing proposition for everyone. For whatever reason, some visitors think they can walk up to a bison, moose or bear. Not only does this stress the animal out, but also it can provoke a potentially deadly attack.

## Be Prepared in the Backcountry

ALWAYS pack these essentials: food, water, first aid, warm clothes, light, fire, phone and bear spray.

- Be sure to check the weather forecast and conditions before you go.
- Tell someone where you're going and when you'll be back.
- Be sure you have the right route and the right group on the right day.
- Have a communication plan with your group and speak up if you have concerns.
- Always be willing to turn around and adjust your plan or goal.



**Teton County Search and Rescue**  
[tetoncountysar.org](http://tetoncountysar.org)  
[backcountryzero.com](http://backcountryzero.com)



## Geographic Orientation

### What exactly is Jackson Hole?

This is actually the No. 1 question asked by visitors. “Jackson Hole” refers to the 13-mile-wide, 48-mile-long valley that runs from north to south along the Snake River between the Teton Mountain Range to the west and the Gros Ventre Mountains to the east. It was originally named after 1820s fur trapper Davey Jackson—trappers called a valley a “hole.” “**Jackson,**” on the other hand, is our main town, situated toward the southeast of the valley, at the base of Snow King Mountain.

North is **Grand Teton National Park**, the Jackson Hole Airport and, eventually, **Yellowstone National Park**.

West of town (the “**West Bank**”), you’ll cross the Snake River before arriving in Wilson, alongside the southern peaks of the Tetons. A bit farther north on that same western side of the Snake River is **Teton Village**, the home of Jackson Hole Mountain Resort.

To the south is the Snake River Canyon, where most of the whitewater rafting and kayaking activity is concentrated.

East of town are the Gros Ventre (“grow-vahnt”) Mountains and huge expanses of wilderness.

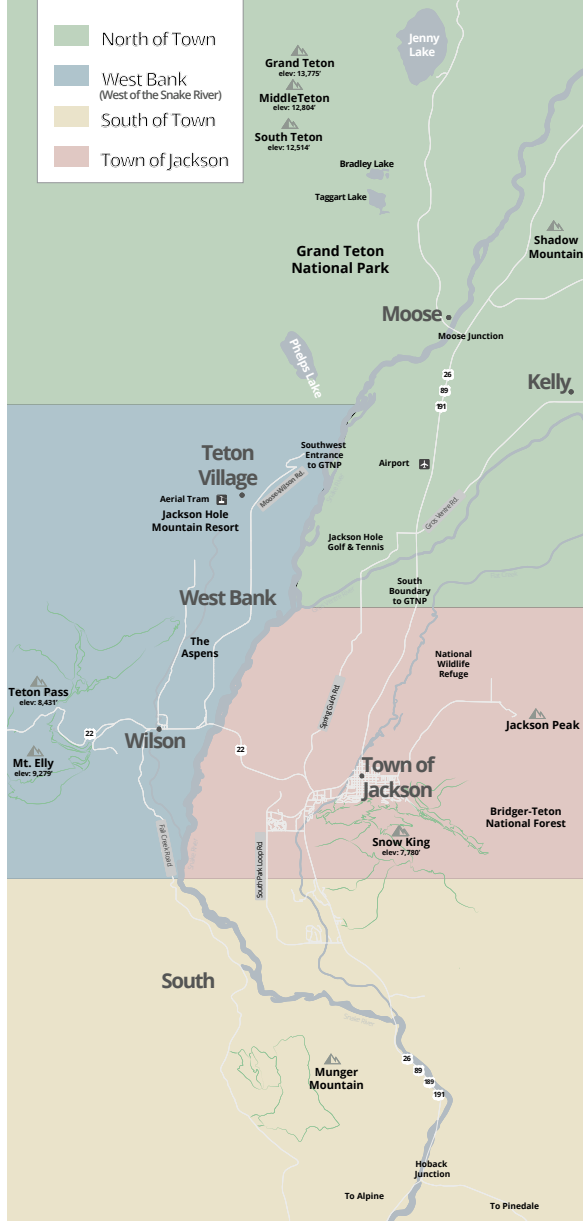
[jht.guide/orientation](http://jht.guide/orientation)



### TRAVELER TIDBIT

Bears are at their most active during late summer and early autumn as they load up on calories to fuel their long winter. Their preferred food is huckleberries, and they like lots and lots of them.

[jht.guide/bears](http://jht.guide/bears)



## Getting Around

### START Bus

The START Bus provides a free town shuttle that runs every half-hour and can get you to restaurants, supermarkets and shops in town. Buses also run between Jackson and Teton Village. Go to [startbus.com](http://startbus.com), call 307-733-4521 or get the RouteShout app.

### Rental Cars, Taxis

Rental cars are available at the airport and in town. There are multiple taxi companies and, new this summer, Uber.

### Biking

There are 69 miles of multi-use pathways. See “Get Rolling” on pages 50-51, or [jht.guide/bike](http://jht.guide/bike)

### Driving Distances

Jackson Hole Airport to downtown Jackson..... 9.4 miles

Jackson to Wilson/base of Teton Pass.... 7.1 miles

Jackson to Teton Village..... 12.2 miles

Jackson to Grand Teton National Park, Moose Entrance ..... 13.2 miles

Teton Village to Grand Teton National Park, Granite Canyon Entrance ..... 1.4 miles

Jackson to Yellowstone National Park, South Entrance ..... 57.3 miles

Jackson to Old Faithful, Yellowstone National Park ..... 98 miles

# SUMMER

## A DAY IN THE LIFE

For more suggestions, go to  
[jht.guide/summer](http://jht.guide/summer)



### WILDLIFE LOVER

#### Morning

Sunrise wildlife expedition in Grand Teton National Park. Do this first so you can know where to look for wildlife during the rest of your visit.

#### Lunch

**Palate** restaurant at the **National Museum of Wildlife Art**, overlooking the National Elk Refuge.

#### Late Afternoon

Drive back through the park and see what comes out to graze. Head toward Signal Mountain and look for bears as you take the road to its summit.

#### Dinner

Lakeside at **Peaks Restaurant** in the **Signal Mountain Lodge** or **Jackson Lake Lodge's Mural Room**.



### ADVENTURER

#### Breakfast

Fuel up with a burrito at the **Bunnery** before grabbing an Adventurer's Boxed Lunch at **Jackson Whole Grocer**.

#### Morning

Hike to Amphitheater and Surprise lakes in Grand Teton National Park (10.2 miles round trip; strenuous). Pack a lunch to enjoy at one of the lakes.

#### Afternoon

The deck at **Dornan's** in Moose for a beer. If you have any steam left, tackle the practice route of the new climbing attraction at **JH Mountain Resort**.

#### Dinner

A curry-infused meal at **Teton Tiger Restaurant** just off Town Square.

### FOODIE

#### Breakfast

Al fresco at **Café Genevieve**.

#### Morning

See Dennis, the wine shop manager at **Dornan's** in Moose, which has the largest selection around—nearly 2,000 fine and rare wines.

#### Lunch

**Jenny Lake Lodge**, in full, spectacular view of the Teton's Cathedral Group.

#### Afternoon

Tasting tour of Teton-grown libations at **Jackson Hole Winery, Jackson Hole Still Works** and **Wyoming Whiskey** at the **Town Square Tavern**.

#### Dinner

Savor a hidden secret at **Wild Sage Restaurant** in the **Rusty Parrot Lodge**.



### HONEYMOONER

#### Morning

Take the Aerial Tram at **Jackson Hole Mountain Resort** for a breakfast of **Corbet's Cabin's** famous waffles.

#### Late

**Morning**  
Two-hour mountain horseback trail ride at **Mill Iron Ranch**.

#### Afternoon

Share a romantic his-and-her massage at **Body Sage Spa**.

#### Dusk

Sparkle some more romance into your day with a scenic float at sunset.

#### Dinner

A late meal at **The Granary** at Spring Creek Ranch is a fairy-tale way to end the day.

### WHOLE FAMILY

#### Breakfast

**Nora's Fish Creek Inn** in Wilson.

#### Morning

**Jackson Hole Mountain Resort** to mountain bike, bungee trampoline, ride the Aerial Tram or tackle the ropes course.

#### Afternoon

Grab a picnic lunch from **Bodega** and drive north on Moose-Wilson Road to the **Laurance Rockefeller Preserve**. Tour the sensory exhibits then hike to Phelps Lake.

#### Early Evening

Drive back past Teton Village to **Calico** or **Q Roadhouse**. Let the kids play in the grassy lot between the restaurants while you enjoy a cocktail on the deck.

#### Evening

**Jackson Hole Shootout** on Town Square at 6 p.m., dinner at **Snake River Brewery**, topped off by the **Jackson Hole Rodeo** at 8 p.m.





# WINTER

## A DAY IN THE LIFE

jht.guide/winter

There is so much to see and do in Jackson Hole, it's hard to know where to start. So we've created some day-long itineraries for you to choose from depending on your personality—or on how you might be feeling on any given day, winter or summer.

### Morning

Sunrise wildlife expedition tour. Do this first so you can know where to look for wildlife during the rest of your visit.

### Lunch

**Palate** at the **National Museum of Wildlife Art**, overlooking the National Elk Refuge.

### Midday

Take an hour-long, horse-drawn sleigh ride on the refuge. Then drive on the elk refuge road and look for the big horn sheep.

### Dinner

The **Gun Barrel** for local game or fish as a hearty, winter meal. Fun fact: the restaurant was formerly the Wyoming Wildlife Museum!



### Breakfast

**The Alpine House Lodge and Cottages**, owned by former winter Olympians and current mountain guides.

### Morning

Backcountry excursion with guides from **JH Mountain Resort**, **Exum Mountain Guides** or **JH Mountain Guides**.

### Lunch

Late lunch or hearty snack from **Creekside Deli**. Or carbo-load on yummy pasta from **Orsetto Italian Bar & Eatery** on Town Square.

### Midday

Rent snowshoes or cross-country skis to take a tour around Taggart Lake in Grand Teton National Park.

### Dinner

**Thai Me Up** for authentic Thai and a glass of on-site craft-brewed beer.

### Breakfast

**Wild Sage** at the **Rusty Parrot Lodge** for a breakfast of seasonal and local ingredients.

### Morning

**Jackson Hole Buffalo Meat Company** to check out ranch-raised bison and elk products. Ship steaks home as a souvenir.

### Lunch

**Persephone**, an organic restaurant and artisanal bakery in downtown Jackson.

### Afternoon

**Vertical Harvest**, a three-story hydroponic farm that sells vegetables to the Jackson area and public via its on-site store.

### Dinner

**Snake River Grill** on the Town Square or the restaurant at the **White Buffalo Club**.



### Where to Stay

The top-floor Miller Suite, with 180-degree wraparound deck and outdoor fireplace, at **Hotel Jackson**.

### Late morning

Take a day off from the slopes and go on a dog sled tour with **Continental Divide Dog sled Adventures**—lunch included.

### Afternoon

Share a romantic his-and-her massage at **Body Sage Spa**.

### Dusk

A sunset wildlife expedition tour with one of the valley's local guides is the stuff memories are made of.

### Dinner

Candle-lit dinner for two at **The Blue Lion**, famous for its rack of lamb.



### Morning

Breakfast at **E.Leaven** before a half-day, guided snowmobile trip to **Granite Hot Springs**.

### Midday

**Snow King** for rides on the Cowboy Coaster and snow tubes.

### Dinner

**The Lift** at base of Snow King, followed by ice skating on Town Square under the twinkly lights.

# GRAND TETON

## NATIONAL PARK



### TRAVELER TIDBIT

The geologic and scenic core of the range, known as the Cathedral Group, includes the Grand Teton (13,775 feet), Mount Owen (12,928 feet), Teewinot (12,325 feet), the Middle Teton (12,804 feet) and the South Teton (12,514 feet).



### Quick Facts

- ▶ **ESTABLISHED:** February 29, 1929
- ▶ **SIZE:** 485 square miles
- ▶ **HEIGHT OF GRAND TETON:** 13,775 feet; second-highest peak in Wyoming
- ▶ **OUTDOOR TERRAIN:** 242 miles of hiking trails
- ▶ **DEPTH OF JACKSON LAKE:** 438 feet

### Ain't Life Grand?

Go beyond the view with our crib sheet to all the park's can't-miss highlights.

Grand Teton National Park is 485 square miles rich in extraordinary wildlife, pristine lakes, hiking trails, a multi-use pathway system, the Snake River and, oh yes, serenity. And did we mention the majestic, awe-inspiring Teton Range that runs the length of the 88-year-old park? Getting close to those mountains alone is worth the price of admission.

The world-famous Tetons are “what mountains are supposed to look like,” Theodore Roosevelt once remarked of the spectacular range, which is actually a young one—a spry 10 million years old. It was formed when multiple earthquakes along the Teton fault line pushed the peaks upward, in what is known as a “fault block.” Huge glaciers then sculpted the range into the jaw-dropping, rugged rock spires you see today.

In addition to these magnificent mountains, the park is dotted with the historic dwellings of the valley's earliest homesteaders and is still inhabited today by many of the West's iconic wildlife.

Grand Teton is equal parts “see” and “do”—maybe even more “do”! Truly a hiker's park, its mountain trails are among the most accessible of any national park. In addition to hikers, it also attracts world-class climbers and extreme skiers.





## "To Do" Options

### Hike the Park

There are 242 miles of hiking trails in Grand Teton National Park, ranging from easy strolls to more strenuous treks at steeper ascents. All have water features such as cascading streams to both valley and high-alpine lakes. Wildlife is generally viewable, including moose, deer, black bear and smaller mammals, as well as eagles and hawks. See more hiking information at [jht.guide/hike](#)

### Bike the Park

There are 16 miles of paved, multi-use pathways available for biking throughout Grand Teton National Park—the most paved trails of any national park! Rent a bike and experience its grandeur on two wheels. Visit [jht.guide/bike](#)

### Get on the Water

[jht.guide/water](#)

#### JENNY LAKE

Jenny Lake Boating runs small, passenger shuttles (for a fee) from the South Jenny Lake boat dock to the Hidden Falls/Inspiration Point dock every 15 to 20 minutes in summer. The one-hour scenic and interpretive tour gets you up close to the mountains.

#### STRING AND LEIGH LAKES

Paddleboarders, canoers and kayakers will find both String and Leigh lakes a breeze for leisurely paddling. Rent a boat or SUP. These are the best spots for beginners and children to enjoy water sports in Grand Teton.



## BARKER-EWING

### GRAND TETON PARK FLOATS

"Ten of the most beautiful miles of river in the world," and that's why we run our float trips only inside Grand Teton National Park. For more than 50 years, Barker-Ewing has provided scenic and wildlife viewing opportunities that are unique to this portion of the Snake River.

[barkerewing.com](#)  
800-365-1800 or 307-733-1800

#### JACKSON LAKE

A favorite recreation site for Jackson Hole locals, Jackson Lake is the biggest lake in the park and welcomes all kinds of watercraft. Rent a kayak, canoe or runabout at Signal Mountain or Colter Bay. Take a lake cruise and enjoy a meal at Elk Island with Grand Teton Lodge Co.

#### SNAKE RIVER

The Snake winds an ever-changing route through the valley. Take a guided scenic float down the river to soak in the spectacular scenery of the park.

## GRAND TETON LODGE COMPANY

### JACKSON LAKE CRUISES

Let yourself be spirited away across Jackson Lake for breakfast, lunch or dinner. Each lake cruise is narrated by a knowledgeable guide, and meal cruises dock at an exclusive spot on Elk Island. Narrated scenic lake cruises are also available without meals, departing 4x daily.

[gtlc.com](#) | 307-543-3100  
Colter Bay Marina  
Grand Teton National Park



SYMMETRY SPIRE MT ST JOHN ROCKCHUCK PEAK MT WOODRING MT MORAN

## Helpful Information

### Entrance Fees

A 7-day pass is \$30 for a private, non-commercial vehicle and \$25 per motorcycle. The fee for those on foot or bicycle is \$15 per person (age 16 and older). Annual passes cost \$60.

### Digital Resources

Visit Grand Teton National Park's website: [nps.gov/grte](https://nps.gov/grte). And, download the official "NPS Grand Teton National Park" app.

### Permits

Backcountry permits, which must be retrieved in person at the Craig Thomas Discovery and Visitor Center, Colter Bay Visitor Center or Jenny Lake Ranger Station, cost \$25, with an additional \$10 fee for reservations. Permits are required for all overnight stays outside designated campgrounds.

### Where to Fuel Up

After a day's adventure, have a drink and a nibble on the deck at Dornan's, Signal Mountain Lodge or Jackson Lake Lodge. Additional dining options exist at Leek's Marina and Colter Bay.

For more formal dining, try Jackson Lake Lodge's Mural Room, Jenny Lake Lodge and Peaks Restaurant at Signal Mountain.

### Insta-worthy



- ▶ Snake River Overlook
- ▶ Oxbow Bend Turnout
- ▶ Moulton Barn
- ▶ The Cathedral Group Turnout
- ▶ Jenny Lake Overlook
- ▶ View from Jackson Lake Lodge
- ▶ Schwabacher's Landing

## More "To Do" Options

### See Homesteader History

Visit the 1890s barns and ranch structures of Mormon Row, the Murie Center in Moose and Menor's Ferry Historic District, which includes the Chapel of the Transfiguration. All are intriguing historic sites.

### Catch a Native Cutthroat Trout

Grand Teton National Park is a world-renowned fly fishing destination, especially for anglers hoping to land a Snake River fine-spotted cutthroat trout. Try a guided fishing trip down the Snake River or on Jackson Lake along Signal Mountain's shores.

### Climb a Mountain

While climbing the Grand Teton can be both a bucket list item and an ambitious undertaking—"easily" experienced with Exum or Jackson Hole Mountain Guides—you may want to opt for a family mountaineering adventure with Exum's daylong intro to climbing program.

## Cultural History and Visitor Centers

### CRAIG THOMAS DISCOVERY AND VISITOR CENTER

Begin your trip into the park with a stop here at the Moose entrance. From interpretive exhibits on local flora and fauna to a helpful team of park rangers and one of the most complete bookstores of any national park in the nation, this is the place to pick up a guidebook and learn about park activities.

### LAURANCE ROCKFELLER PRESERVE AND VISITOR CENTER

This eco-conscious 1,106-acre preserve includes 8 miles of trails. The interpretive visitor center features unique sensory exhibits and various ranger-led hikes and programs.

### MENOR'S FERRY HISTORIC DISTRICT

Take a self-guided or ranger-led tour of an area offering a look at homesteading and pioneer life in Jackson Hole. Check out an early 1920s-era cabin, a general store, the Chapel of the Transfiguration and a replica of a ferry that shuttled people across the Snake River to Moose (and Dornan's). Enjoy a ride on the ferry during the late summer months.



# 10 FREE THINGS TO DO IN JACKSON HOLE

Here's a sampling of fun, free things to do in the valley. For more info, including links to helpful websites, go to [jht.guide/free](http://jht.guide/free)



## 1 Ranger Programs in Grand Teton National Park

The park boasts an amazing collection of year-round programs, including hikes, campfire presentations, bear safety and more.

## 2 The Jackson Hole and Greater Yellowstone Visitor Center

Located on the north end of town, the visitor center offers exhibits, programs and activities for all ages. Among other things, kids can earn patches through the Jr. Blue Goose Ranger Program.

## 3 Visit the Laurance S. Rockefeller Preserve

Located on Moose-Wilson Road, this 1,106-acre refuge within Grand Teton National Park features an 8-mile trail system and a LEED-certified visitors center with unique, multi-sensory exhibits ranging from innovative videos and photography to a meditative soundscape room.

## 4 Ride the Bridger Gondola

at Jackson Hole Mountain Resort for happy hour on The Deck, which overlooks the whole of the "Hole. A summer menu of appetizers and shared plates is available, as are tunes from local musicians and DJs. Free "gondli" rides start daily at 5 p.m.

## 5 See a Raptor Up Close

On Wednesdays during the summer, the Teton Raptor Center offers presentations at 5 p.m. on the Village Commons in Teton Village. Each week, avian educators from the center bring two birds of prey, such as great horned owls, eagles and hawks.

## 6 Boulder at the Base of Snow King Mountain

Open year-round, the Teton Boulder Park features three large boulders for climbers of all ages and skill levels. The adjacent Phil Baux Park includes picnic tables, horseshoe pits and a playground.

## 7 Play Disc Golf

Jackson Hole Mountain Resort's free 18-hole disc golf course starts uphill from the base of the gondola. The course design incorporates three loops, each going a bit higher up the mountain. Innova discs are available to purchase at JH Sports in the Bridger Center—or bring your own!

## 8 Walk the Sculpture Trail at the National Museum of Wildlife Art

Complementing the museum's inside offerings, the ¾-mile Sculpture Trail is an outdoor art venue that winds up and over the sage-covered hillside that overlooks the National Elk Refuge. Check out magnificent multi-medium replicas of moose, bison, bighorn sheep, an eagle and other wildlife.

## 9 Stargaze With Expert Astronomers

Wyoming Stargazing hosts public stargazing events on the lawn next to the Center for the Arts, in downtown Jackson, from November through May every Friday night from 7:30 to 9:30 p.m. During the summer, the organization leads Friday night stargazing at 9 p.m. at Rendezvous Park (R Park) in Wilson. A giant Dobsonian telescope is provided to view planets, stars, nebulae, galaxies and more.

## 10 Jackson National Fish Hatchery

located 4 miles north of the town of Jackson, welcomes visitors daily (except on federal holidays) from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. for a close-up view of Snake River cutthroat trout. Observe fish in several indoor tanks and view photographic displays of spawning and stocking.



# RESIDENTS OF JACKSON HOLE

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owner of Eco Tour Adventures



Nearly 500 animal species inhabit the Greater Yellowstone region. Viewing wildlife can be the highlight of any vacation, but remember, these animals are truly wild and unpredictable. Stay at least 100 yards away from bears and wolves and 25 yards away from all other wildlife. [jht.guide/wildlife](https://jht.guide/wildlife)



## Black Bear

Unlike grizzlies, black bears have no distinctive shoulder hump and their ears are tall and pointed. Bears weigh 200-plus pounds.

### BEST PLACES

**TO VIEW:** Signal Mountain and Jenny Lake in summer.

### INTERESTING FACTS:

Cubs, born mid-winter, weigh less than a pound.

Their claws make them great tree climbers.

"A fed bear is a dead bear." Bears given access to human food or trash are often euthanized because of the danger their familiarity with people creates.

**MYTH BUSTER:** Bears don't actually hibernate. They go into a deep sleep, called torpor, but their body temperature doesn't drop as low as that of truly hibernating animals.



## Grizzly Bear

In the Greater Yellowstone Area, male grizzlies, or boars, can weigh up to 600 pounds. They have a distinctive shoulder hump and their ears are short and rounded. Grizzly bears are opportunistic omnivores, which means they'll eat anything from berries, grasses, and insects to fish and newborn animals.

**BEST PLACES TO VIEW:** Willow Flats and Oxbow Bend

**INTERESTING FACT:** Grizzly sows (females) give birth to one to four cubs mid-winter while in their dens; the number may depend on the mother's health.

## Wolves

Males are slightly heavier than females, weighing up to 130 pounds. Usually seen in packs of about 10, wolves are capable predators, often running down prey in open territory. In Jackson Hole, they primarily feed on elk.

**BEST PLACES TO VIEW:** Infrequently seen in the Willow Flats area or among sagebrush flats throughout Grand Teton National Park. More commonly seen in northern Yellowstone.

**INTERESTING FACTS:** Wolf reintroduction efforts in the mid '90s released 66 wild wolves from Canada into Yellowstone National Park and central Idaho. There are now about 1,600 wolves in the Northern Rockies.



## Moose

The moose is the largest antlered animal in the world. Bulls weigh up to 1,200 pounds. Most moose are solitary, but you may see them in small groups.

**BEST PLACES TO VIEW:** Willow Flats and along river corridors during summer; sagebrush flats in winter.

**INTERESTING FACTS:** Moose can eat up to 70 pounds of leaves, twigs and aquatic vegetation a day. Their main defense mechanisms are their hard, sharp hoofs. Their antlers can grow as much as an inch a day.

## Elk

Large bulls weigh up to 750 pounds. Predominantly grazers, elk eat grass most of the year. During winter, when snow covers the grass, they may consume the bark of aspen trees.

**BEST PLACES TO VIEW: Summer**—early and late in the day near Jenny Lake, in Grand Teton National Park. **Winter**—on the National Elk Refuge.

**INTERESTING FACTS:** During the fall rut, dominant males collect harems of about 30 females, breeding with them and driving away other adult males by bugling (a loud, screaming vocalization) to advertise their strength.



## Bighorn Sheep

Males are larger than females, weighing on average 250 pounds. Sheep are herbivores, browsing shrubs during the winter and grasses and wildflowers during the summer.

**BEST PLACE TO VIEW:** Miller Butte, in the National Elk Refuge, primarily during winter. During summer, bighorns can be found at high elevations in the Teton and Gros Ventre ranges that border Jackson Hole.

**INTERESTING FACTS:** Bighorn sheep's hooves are able to cup around rocks for traction on sheer rocky faces. Males establish a dominance hierarchy in the fall by running and clashing together, making contact with their horns.



## Bison

The bison is the largest North American land mammal; adult males can weigh up to 2,000 pounds. These giant animals are herbivores. They look docile but they are not; do not approach one!

**BEST PLACES TO VIEW:** Yellowstone National Park, Kelly/Antelope Flats loop and Elk Ranch Flats during the summer; National Elk Refuge during the winter.

**INTERESTING FACTS:** Bison can jump a 6-foot fence from a standstill and gallop up to 35 mph. Calves are reddish in color for the first three months of life.

**MYTH BUSTER:** Although the term "buffalo" is often used—inaccurately—to describe American bison, these animals are NOT related to the two major "true" buffalo species, which reside in Africa and Asia.

## Pronghorn

Males weigh up to 140 pounds. Pronghorn are herbivores and prefer shrubs and forbs (wildflowers) to grasses.

**BEST PLACES TO VIEW:** Elk Ranch Flats and Antelope Flats

**INTERESTING FACTS:** It's thought that pronghorn evolved their quick speed when pursued by a now extinct North American cheetah. They have been recorded sprinting up to 60 mph, which is faster than any other mammal in the Western Hemisphere.



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ENTRANCE FEES: A 7-day pass is \$30 for a private, non-commercial vehicle and \$25 per motorcycle or snowmobile. The fee for those on foot or bicycle is \$15 per person (age 16 and older). Annual passes cost \$60.



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## Old Faithful

(17 miles from West Thumb)

Guaranteed to be a highlight of your day in Yellowstone, be sure to set aside a large chunk of time to explore the Old Faithful Inn, catch one of the famous geyser's on-time eruptions and explore the wondrous Upper Geyser Basin. Inside the new visitor center, you'll find posted signs predicting the next Old Faithful eruption, so grab a seat and wait for the impressive sight of up to 8,400 gallons of scalding water reaching heights topping 184 feet.

The monumental Old Faithful Inn, completed in 1904, is the largest log structure in the world. Its massive 65-foot ceiling, stone fireplace and gnarled railings made from local lodgepole pine ensure its stature as one of the most legendary buildings of the American frontier. The inn also features shops and restaurants.

### Yellowstone's Southern Loop

Here is our recommended sightseeing loop. You can join it at any point.

### TRAVELER TIP

Old Faithful erupts every 44 to 125 minutes. To plan accordingly, check with the visitor center upon arrival or [jht.guide/oldfaithful](http://jht.guide/oldfaithful) for upcoming eruption times.



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## West Thumb Geyser Basin

(22 miles from the South Entrance)

This will be your introduction to a variety of geothermal features: bubbling springs of finely milled mud, multi-colored pools and steaming lakeside cones. Located right on the shore of vast Yellowstone Lake, this stop includes the Thumb Paint Pots, the deep blue Abyss Pool and Fishing Cone, where early visitors joked one could catch a fish in the lake and then dunk it directly in boiling water to make dinner.



## Midway Geyser Basin

(8 miles from Old Faithful)

A brief stop at Midway Geyser Basin, known as Hell's Half Acre, is 100% worth it. The basin's hot water gushes from geothermal pools to meet the aptly named Firehole River, while tendrils of the massive Grand Prismatic Spring, the largest hot spring in the United States, extend out from its deep turquoise center.

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## Grand Canyon of Yellowstone

(34 miles from Midway Geyser Basin)

Many Yellowstone visitors make the mistake of turning around after exploring Old Faithful and the geyser basins. Don't be one of them! The awe-inspiring Grand Canyon of Yellowstone and its dramatic Upper and Lower Falls are well worth the extra driving time. Carved into soft rhyolite stone by the Yellowstone River, the canyon is where visitors can truly see how Yellowstone garnered its name, with a rainbow of colors (including yellow!) in the exposed rock descending to the canyon floor.

The tumbling waters of Lower Falls spiral from a height twice that of Niagara Falls. This thundering vista can be enjoyed from Lookout Point, Red Rock Point and Artist Point.



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## Yellowstone Lake

(37 miles from Grand Canyon of Yellowstone)

On the final section of your loop from the Grand Canyon back to West Thumb, you'll cruise through the rolling landscape of Hayden Valley and then along the tree-lined shore of Yellowstone Lake. Bison graze in herds on the open grassland here, and will often amble right up to the road.

## Yellowstone in Winter

While most people associate a trip to Yellowstone with the summer months, you can actually visit in wintertime—and the experience is nothing short of magical. The only way to access popular destinations is by guided snowmobile or snowcoach. Make the experience even more special by staying overnight at Old Faithful Lodge and Cabins, the sole lodging option in winter!

[jht.guide/yellowstonewinter](http://jht.guide/yellowstonewinter)



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# THINGS TO DO

## AS A FAMILY

No matter what the season, we've got family fun here in spades! Many activities are suitable for both kiddos of all ages and the most senior member of your "tribe." Here are some ways to enjoy a multi-generational trip in the Tetons. [jht.guide/family](http://jht.guide/family)

All of Jackson Hole's top attractions feature something for everyone. For instance, taking an Aerial Tram ride at Jackson Hole Mountain Resort is a must-do-or-why-bother-being-here activity. Hop on board in winter to ski down from the summit or during summer to take in the awesome 360-degree view from the top of the world.

► Tour **Grand Teton** and **Yellowstone** national parks (why, hello Old Faithful!). In the winter, taking a horse-drawn sleigh ride on the **National Elk Refuge** or ice skating on the Town Square are other classic, family-friendly activities.

- Make the most of our local parks. The new R Park, on the banks of the Snake River in Wilson, boasts a swimming pond! Phil Baux Park, at the base of Snow King, is a great place for kids to try their hands (and feet) at bouldering, while you picnic in the shade.
- The Cache Creek Nature Trail is a short, accessible hike along a boardwalk to a Forest Service picnic area—dog-friendly and appropriate for even the littlest rugrats!
- And of course, all the basics: hiking, biking, swimming, rafting, skiing, sledding and more!



## TETON TOYS

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[tetontoy.com](http://tetontoy.com) | 307-200-6066  
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William Sweetlove (Belgian, b. 1949), *Cloned Penguin with Petbottle*, Resin. 24 x 7 x 7 inches. Gift of 2017 Blacktail Gala, National Museum of Wildlife Art. © William Sweetlove.





### TRAVELER TIP

Your child can become a Junior Ranger by completing various activities at any Grand Teton National Park visitor center or the Jackson Hole and Greater Yellowstone Visitor Center.



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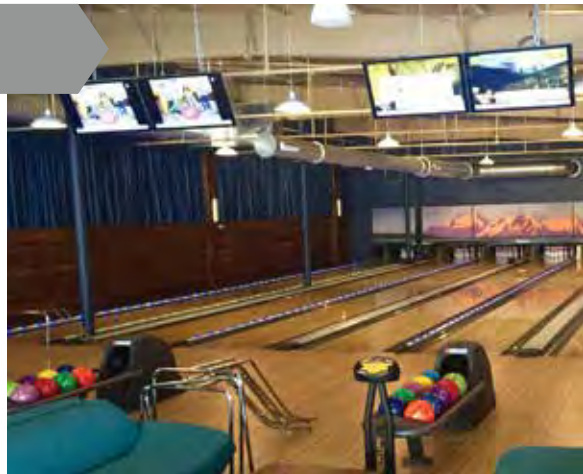
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307-699-4110  
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[holebowljh.com](http://holebowljh.com) | 307-201-5426  
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[yellowstonebearworld.com](http://yellowstonebearworld.com)  
208-359-9688  
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## LOCAL INSIGHT



### Buck Milligan

*Food Network's "Chopped Junior" champion, honor student, kayaker, skier, hunter/gatherer*

### "I LOVE ..."

- ▶ Going to my dad's knife shop, New West KnifeWorks. He makes the best kitchen knives and you can throw tomahawks there!
- ▶ The ropes course and mountain bike park at Jackson Hole Mountain Resort. My mom built them and they are super fun.
- ▶ Mead Ranch beef. I live at the Mead Ranch and sometimes help feed the cows.
- ▶ The Rendezvous Bistro. Chefs Tim and Jessie trained me for "Chopped Junior."



# FAMILY-FRIENDLY EATS AND TREATS



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# 8 THINGS TO DO YEAR-ROUND

## 1 See Wildlife

The wild things are all around you here, but you need to know what to look for and where to look. It's all about being in the right place at the right time. Sunrise and sunset are prime viewing times. Here are a few other tips for spotting wildlife around Jackson Hole:

### MOOSE-WILSON ROAD

Skirting the mountains between the Craig Thomas Discovery and Visitor Center and the Granite Canyon entrance to Grand Teton National Park, look for beaver ponds, moose in the willows and, in late summer/early fall, bears in the berry bushes.

### KELLY LOOP AND ANTELOPE FLATS

The eastern section of the valley is a great place to observe Plains species among the sagebrush, such as bison and pronghorn. Also keep an eye open for coyotes, northern harriers and sage grouse.

### OXBOW BEND

One of the most scenic Grand Teton National Park vistas, this is also one of the richest for wildlife, with moose wading in the wetlands, river otters and hundreds of species of birds, from bald eagles to American white pelicans.

### NATIONAL ELK REFUGE

In winter the National Elk Refuge is home to some 7,300 elk. Although the wapiti (the Shawnee term for elk) are visible from the road, the best way to meet them is by taking a Double H Bar horse-driven sleigh ride around the refuge. Rides are offered from mid-December through early April. Tickets may be purchased at the visitor center on North Cache. Bison, coyotes, bald eagles and wolves can also be viewed on the refuge. During winter months, bighorn sheep climb up and down Miller Butte.



### Take a Guided Wildlife Tour

Park rangers provide a variety of hikes and wildlife viewing activities in Grand Teton National Park throughout the year. There are also many wildlife expedition outfitters offering memorable experiences. These tours focus on the unique ecological spectrum of the Jackson Hole region, guiding you to prime wildlife viewing habitat and fostering discussions on a range of topics, such as how the Tetons were formed 10 million years ago. Peer through a high-powered spotting scope at an eagle or closely examine a wildflower along the trail. The most popular tours tend to run for a half day, but full-day and multi-day trips are also available.

## WILDLIFE EXPEDITIONS

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700 Coyote Canyon, Jackson



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## Step Back in Time

Like ghostly brands on the wilderness, traces remain of the valley's original homesteaders. For a glimpse of the structures they built to shelter from the elements, drive out to Mormon Row near Kelly. There you can also see the iconic Moulton Barn, one of the most photographed structures in all of Jackson Hole!

Menor's Ferry Historic District is located half a mile from Grand Teton National Park's Moose entrance. For many years the ferry was the only dry way for people to get across the Snake River. Park rangers offer daily, free rides on a replica ferry, as well as a tour of the district, which includes settler Bill Menor's 1894 cabin and general store.

### JACKSON HOLE HISTORICAL SOCIETY

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[wyomingstargazing.org](http://wyomingstargazing.org)  
844-WYO-STAR (844-996-7827)

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## See the Stars





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## Admire Amazing Art

Within the past decade, Jackson Hole has taken its place beside Scottsdale, Santa Fe, San Francisco and New York as a major destination for art lovers, becoming known as the Art Center of the Rockies. In the spring of 2017, the National Center for Arts Research ranked Jackson the most vibrant arts community among U.S. populations smaller than 1 million.

Many famous artists and photographers have been inspired by the landscape and wildlife in Jackson Hole and our national parks, including Ansel Adams, Thomas Moran, Charles Banks Wilson and Conrad Schiewering.

Nearly 30 local galleries—including the renowned National Museum of Wildlife Art—proudly present a broad range of work, from old masters like Charles Russell and Frederic Remington to nationally and internationally known contemporary artists.



### CAYUSE WESTERN AMERICANA

**CAYUSE WESTERN AMERICANA** offers a carefully curated selection of antique Native American, cowboy and national park art and handwork. In addition, the gallery houses an incredible selection of antique Navajo and Zuni turquoise, bits, spurs, saddles, chaps and vintage silver and gold buckles.

[cayusewa.com](http://cayusewa.com) | 307-739-1940 | 255 N Glenwood, Jackson | One block off the Town Square



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### Jam Out

Jackson Hole is teeming with musicians and is also a draw for big-name minstrels who want to serenade in the Tetons. Here are some of the venues where you can hear live music:

#### IN JACKSON

Center for the Arts; Million Dollar Cowboy Bar; Pink Garter Theatre and The Rose; Silver Dollar Showroom (inside the Wort Hotel); Town Square Tavern; The Virginian Saloon; The Granary

#### IN TETON VILLAGE

Grand Teton Music Festival; The Mangy Moose Saloon

#### IN WILSON

The Pines Restaurant; Stagecoach Bar (home of the Stagecoach Band, the longest-running house band in the country, which plays every Sunday)

### TRAVELER TIP

**Hootenanny** 6 p.m. Mondays at Dornan's Spur Bar in Moose

**Free Concerts** Concert on the Commons, JH Live, Music on Main

**Virginian Saloon** 8 p.m. Tuesdays



## CENTER FOR THE ARTS

**EVENINGS ON THE TOWN.** Center for the Arts is a hub for artistic, cultural and creative activity in Jackson Hole. The Center is home to the community's 500-seat theater and 19 resident nonprofit organizations on a centralized campus, encouraging collaboration and inspiration.

[jhcenterforthearts.org](http://jhcenterforthearts.org) | 307-733-4900  
240 S Glenwood, Jackson



## GRAND TETON MUSIC FESTIVAL

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[pinkygs.com](http://pinkygs.com) | 307-734-PINK (7465)  
50 W Broadway, Jackson

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## Health and Wellness

Use the down time from playing in Jackson Hole to treat yourself to a massage, facial or other relaxing or rejuvenating treatment at one of the many spas in the valley. Most of the luxury hotels—such as Four Seasons, Rusty Parrot, Rustic Inn Creekside Resort, White Buffalo and The Lodge at Jackson Hole—have spas on-site. Wilderness Adventure Spa's treatments at Spring Creek Ranch include a spectacular view of the Teton.



### BODY SAGE SPA

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[rustyparrot.com/spa](http://rustyparrot.com/spa) | 307-733-4455  
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[hbcafeandjuicery.com](http://hbcafeandjuicery.com) | 307-200-9006  
165 E Broadway, Jackson





### TRAVELER TIP

Not all wildlife is found on the ground! Remember to look up and you may be rewarded with the sight of a bald eagle or red-tailed hawk soaring across the bright blue sky.



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### Get in the Air

If you think the Tetons look spectacular from the valley floor, just wait until you're at 12,000 feet! Here are a few ways to get airborne:

#### JUMP OFF A MOUNTAIN

Strap into a tandem paraglider with an experienced pilot from **Jackson Hole Paragliding**, who will navigate more than 3,200 feet back to the valley floor. Flights are offered at Jackson Hole Mountain Resort both summer and winter.

#### TAKE A SCENIC FLIGHT

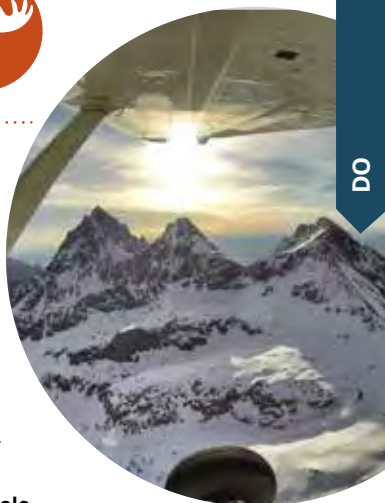
Escape into the wild, blue yonder to sail across the Tetons with **Fly Jackson Hole**.

#### GO ON A HOT AIR BALLOON RIDE

Lasting about an hour, **Wyoming Balloon Company's** flights begin just as the morning sun's rays illuminate the Tetons.

#### HELI-SKI

Get into the backcountry for the most coveted fresh-powder turns. **High Mountain Heli-Skiing** accesses 305,000 acres of the Teton, Gros Ventre, Snake River and Palisades mountain ranges surrounding Jackson Hole.



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## FLY JACKSON HOLE

**FLY HIGH.** Take off from the Jackson Hole Airport for the aerial adventure of a lifetime! Explore the untamed wilderness of Jackson Hole and soar along the rocky spine of the Tetons. Nothing compares to seeing the valley's breathtaking natural beauty from the sky.

[flyjacksonhole.com](http://flyjacksonhole.com) | 844-359-5499  
1250 E Airport, Jackson

## JACKSON HOLE PARAGLIDING

**START YOUR DAY WITH A RUNNING LEAP.** Let this be the highlight of your vacation to Jackson Hole. All JHPG tandem instructors are experienced mountain pilots with excellent safety records. A few running steps and you are airborne, seated in a comfortable chair harness, free to enjoy the awesome scenery and refreshing mountain air.

[jacksonhole.com](http://jacksonhole.com) | 307-690-8726 (TRAM)  
307-739-2626 for Jackson Hole Mountain Resort



# 11 THINGS TO DO IN SUMMER

## 1 Cowboy Up!

Indulge your inner cowboy, connect to the spirit of Jackson Hole and forge your own frontier memories; there are plenty of opportunities!

### HOP ON A STAGECOACH

Get on board a horse-drawn stagecoach modeled after the original 19<sup>th</sup>-century coaches that traversed the territories carrying mail, travelers and supplies. Rides depart from Town Square and last 10 minutes.



### READY, SET, RODEO!

As anyone who's cheered in the stands can attest, the Jackson Hole Rodeo is the real deal. Catch the excitement—and cowboy fever—on Wednesday and Saturday nights.



## JACKSON HOLE RODEO

**COWBOY TRADITION.** With Jackson Hole roots stretching back to 1890, the Wilson family has kept the authentic Western tradition of rodeo alive across generations. JH Rodeo showcases a variety of daredevil events such as bareback bronc riding, bull riding and barrel racing. It's a must-see show for all ages!

[jhrodeo.com](http://jhrodeo.com) | 307-733-7927  
447 W Snow King, Jackson

### SHOOT IT OUT

At 6 p.m. daily on the Town Square, treat yourself to the Jackson Hole Shootout, the longest-running gunfight in the country. Don't worry: They are shooting blanks.



### EAT A CHUCK WAGON MEAL

What could be more perfect than eating dinner with a cowboy or two? Book an authentic chuck wagon dinner that comes with a ride in a covered wagon and Old West entertainment.



## BAR T-5 COVERED WAGON COOKOUT

**MAKE LIKE THE ORIGINAL HOMESTEADERS** and ride to dinner in a horse-drawn covered wagon. Then, disembark and gather 'round for an evening of delicious camp-style food and fun with the Bar T-5 Band. Bar T-5, Jackson Hole's original chuck wagon, celebrates its 44<sup>th</sup> season this year. Real cowboys, real horses, and real fun for all!

[bart5.com](http://bart5.com) | 307-733-5386



### TRAVELER TIDBIT

John Wayne's first speaking part was in *The Big Trail*, filmed in Jackson Hole in 1929. It is reputed to be the first time he rode a horse!





## SPRING CREEK RANCH

**ENJOY A GUIDED HORSEBACK RIDE** atop the East Gros Ventre Butte with Spring Creek Ranch's Castagno Outfitters. Take in unique views of the Teton Range, the town of Jackson and the surrounding area from atop your well-trained steed.

[springcreekranch.com](http://springcreekranch.com) | 307- 733-8833  
1600 N E Butte Road, Jackson

## JACKSON HOLE SHOOTING EXPERIENCE

**IT'S ALL ABOUT CONNECTIONS.** Family bonding time has never felt so exciting. "Shoot for the moon" together and create memories that will last a lifetime! Families, reunions, wedding parties, corporate retreats—safe, educational and fun for the novice shooter and experienced marksman alike! Come have a BLAST!

[shootinjh.com](http://shootinjh.com) | [highcaliberwomen.com](http://highcaliberwomen.com)  
307-690-7921



## MILL IRON RANCH

**RIDE WITH REAL COWBOYS.** For five generations the Mill Iron Ranch has been known for guiding guests through the breathtaking scenery of Jackson Hole. Our trail rides and pack trips accommodate all levels of riders. We offer two-hour, half-day and full-day trips. After a day of riding, a T-bone steak dinner at our ranch hits the spot. Other options available.

[millironranch.net](http://millironranch.net) | 307-733-6390  
888-808-6390 | 3495 E Horse Creek  
10.5 miles south of Jackson

## TETON VILLAGE TRAIL RIDES

**SADDLE UP, PARDNER!** Teton Village Trail Rides offers one-hour, two-hour and half-day rides on the historic Snake River Ranch. Our horses are gentle mountain horses and fit for any level of rider. Come ride with this team of experienced cowboys at the base of the Tetons. Open mid-May through mid-October.

[tetonvillagetrailrides.com](http://tetonvillagetrailrides.com) | 307-733-2674  
Located 12 miles from Jackson in Teton Village





## HEADWALL RECYCLE SPORTS

**QUALITY GEAR AT OUTLET PRICES.** Whether you're hiking, cycling, camping, fishing, skiing, snowboarding or paddling, we have the clothing and equipment you need—new, used and recycled—at Headwall Sports. We also carry bear spray and camping fuel!

[headwallsports.com](http://headwallsports.com) | 307-734-8022  
520 S Hwy 89, Jackson (in Kmart Plaza)

### 3 Get in the Air

If you think the Tetons look spectacular from the valley floor, just wait until you're at 12,000 feet! Here are a few ways to get airborne:

► **Jump off a mountain.** Strap into a tandem paraglider with an experienced pilot from **Jackson Hole Paragliding**, who will navigate more than 3,200 feet back to the valley floor. Flights are offered at **Jackson Hole Mountain Resort** both summer and winter.

► Take a scenic flight by escaping into the wild, blue yonder to sail across the Tetons with **Fly Jackson Hole**.



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[flyjacksonhole.com](http://flyjacksonhole.com) | 844-359-5499  
1250 E Airport, Jackson

### 2 Take a Hike

Hiking in Jackson Hole runs the gamut from river walks to boulder scrambles to mountain panoramas and getting high—like thousands of feet high. Peak hiking season stretches from late June through the end of September. This is the golden time when days are longest, trails are driest and you'll see a variety of plant life, including waving wildflower meadows in July and fiery aspens in the fall.

Before you head out, check the forecast on [mountainweather.com/forecast](http://mountainweather.com/forecast). Be aware that afternoon thunderstorms are frequent. In addition, many trails are exposed and offer limited shade, so proper hydration and sun protection are crucial.

#### CONSIDER THREE THINGS WHEN PLANNING YOUR HIKE:

- The driving time to the trailhead.
- The activity level of your group. Are you seasoned hikers looking to feel the burn? Are you traveling with small children?
- The trail conditions. These can be verified at visitor centers and ranger stations.

While we recommend taking at least one hike in Grand Teton National Park during your stay (see pg. 24), fantastic hiking is also found throughout the rest of Jackson Hole. Near the town of Jackson, Goodwin Lake Trail and the Cache Creek trail system are popular, low-stress options. More challenging trails zigzag up and around Snow King Mountain. Halfway up Teton Pass, in Wilson, you'll find the Phillips Canyon Road and the trailhead for a handful of trails accessing the southern end of the Tetons, including the Teton Crest Trail. Ski Lake is a favorite, moderate, 5-mile round-trip hike in this area. Hike in groups and always carry bear spray.

For more information on hiking in Jackson Hole, visit [jht.guide/hike](http://jht.guide/hike)

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## Get on the Water

You can't go wrong with a rafting trip on the Snake River. Numerous companies guide trips through the Class I, II and III rapids that churn through the Snake River Canyon to the south of Jackson, and down the spectacularly scenic, calmer stretches of the Snake River that wind through Grand Teton National Park.

If you want to brave the Snake River Canyon, expect a rock-and-roll thrill ride that will have you dripping wet and beaming from ear to ear. Of course, there's no shortage of glorious views and wildlife viewing opportunities, as well.

During a mellower float trip in the park, you'll only get soaked if you hop out of the boat and swim. The lazily flowing waters make these stretches of the Snake River ideal for wildlife viewing and catching unique, ever-shifting views of the Teton and Gros Ventre mountain ranges.

### SANDS RIVER TRIPS



**HALF-DAY WHITEWATER FLOAT TRIP.** Set against the backdrop of the lush Snake River Canyon, each one of our 8-mile whitewater adventures is full of splashy thrills and photo ops. Founded in 1964, we are the longest locally owned rafting company. Your safety, comfort and enjoyment are our No. 1 priority.

[sandswater.com](http://sandswater.com)  
307-733-4410 or 800-358-8184

#### TRAVELER TIP

Slather on that sunscreen and don't forget to reapply, especially when you're on the water! Our high elevation means that we're closer to the sun.



### NATIONAL PARK FLOAT TRIPS

**THE NATURAL BEAUTY SEEN** while on one of our float trips lets Grand Teton National Park visitors discover the magic of the Snake River from a very unique perspective. Get off the beaten path and discover the Snake River corridor, which is a lifeline to many of the animals and other natural resources of Grand Teton National Park. Sunrise, scenic and evening dinner floats available.

[nationalparkfloattrips.com](http://nationalparkfloattrips.com)  
307-733-5500



### BARKER-EWING WHITEWATER

#### THE COOLEST THING YOU'LL DO ALL SUMMER!

Providing 54 years of lifetime memories, we are Jackson Hole's original rafting company. Our river adventures include wet and wild whitewater trips, beautiful scenic floats with homemade lunch at our riverside picnic site, or a combo trip!

[barker-ewing.com](http://barker-ewing.com) | 800-448-4202  
945 W Broadway, Jackson



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## Go Fish

One of the quintessential activities to do in Jackson Hole is fly fishing with the impressive Teton Range as a backdrop.

The legendary Snake River fine-spotted cutthroat trout draws anglers of all abilities from every corner of the world. Pursue these revered "cutties" and more with a guided trip from one of several local fly fishing outfitters. You are guaranteed a memorable experience that goes beyond landing a prized fish—you will also feel connected to Jackson Hole's unparalleled nature.

A fun and unique spot for children and first-time anglers to fish—via fly or worm—is the Jackson National Fish Hatchery, north of the town of Jackson off Hwy 191. A half-acre pond on the hatchery grounds has a disability-accessible fishing and observation deck that is open daily from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. Nonresident children under 14 must be accompanied by an adult with a license.



## FISH THE FLY GUIDE SERVICE

**JOIN ONE OF FISH THE FLY'S GOOD-NATURED GUIDES** on a guided fishing trip to one of the region's best rivers or remote backcountry creeks or lakes. Combine the serenity of the river with the thrill of the take for a vacation memory you will not soon forget! We package all of your fishing needs to get you more time on the water.

[fishthefly.com](http://fishthefly.com) | 307-690-1139



## TRIANGLE X RANCH

**OUR PROFESSIONAL GUIDES** make you feel like family and share their passion for some of the finest trout fishing in the West—on the Snake River in Jackson Hole and Grand Teton National Park or Yellowstone's spring creeks and mountain lakes.

[trianglex.com](http://trianglex.com) | 307-733-5500  
Grand Teton National Park, Moose



## JD HIGH COUNTRY OUTFITTERS

**THE VALLEY'S MOST EXTENSIVE AND KNOWLEDGEABLE FISHING RESOURCE** offers full- and half-day guided fishing excursions, wading trips and casting lessons. Stop in for fishing reports, licenses, information about local waters and all the gear you need for any angling adventure.

[jdhc outfitters.com](http://jdhc outfitters.com) | 307-733-3270  
50 E Broadway, Jackson

## WESTBANK ANGLERS

**READY, SET, FISH!** Westbank Anglers offers guided fishing trips for all anglers. We offer guided trips on all the major waters in the Jackson Hole area, including the Snake, Green and South Fork rivers. Westbank Anglers' retail shop carries the highest-quality fly fishing gear the industry has to offer.

[westbank.com](http://westbank.com) | 307-733-6483  
3670 Moose-Wilson, Wilson





# ASK A GUIDE

## SEASONED JACKSON HOLE GUIDES SHARE THEIR EXPERTISE.

**Reed Finlay**  
*River Guide*



### BARKER-EWING FLOAT TRIPS

**Q** WHAT KIND OF WILDLIFE CAN BE SPOTTED WHILE RAFTING THE SNAKE RIVER IN GRAND TETON NATIONAL PARK?

**A** In the national park we frequently see elk, moose, deer, eagles, osprey, various birds and occasional black and grizzly bears. On evening trips we can count on seeing the ever-popular beaver dining on the riverbanks or swimming and diving near its lodges.

[barkerewing.com](http://barkerewing.com)  
800-365-1800 or 307-733-1800

### MAD RIVER

**Q** HOW DOES A WHITEWATER TRIP INTRODUCE VISITORS TO JACKSON HOLE FROM A NEW ANGLE?

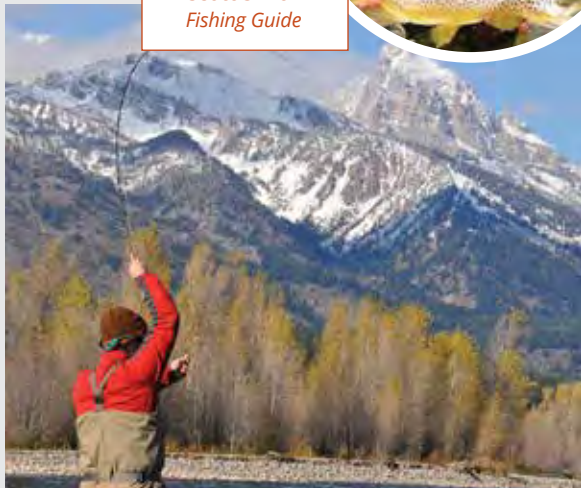
**A** What better way to see any new area than from a river! Getting out on the Snake is a great change of pace away from crowds and traffic. Plus, spending two hours with your guide is like having a sit-down with some of the best concierges in Jackson!

[mad-river.com](http://mad-river.com) | 1255 S Hwy 89, Jackson  
307-733-6203 or 800-458-7238



**Nate Mintz**  
*Whitewater Guide*

**Scott Smith**  
*Fishing Guide*



### GRAND TETON FLY FISHING

**Q** BEYOND CATCHING FISH, HOW DO YOU KNOW THAT YOUR GUESTS HAVE HAD A SUCCESSFUL TRIP WITH YOU?

**A** Beyond catching fish, a guide's best indicator for client success is summed up in two ways: how well the client was able to relax and enjoy the whole experience, and how much he or she learns from you. Fly fishing is a sport of unlimited possibilities.

[grandtetonflyfishing.com](http://grandtetonflyfishing.com) | 307-690-0910  
225 W Broadway, Jackson

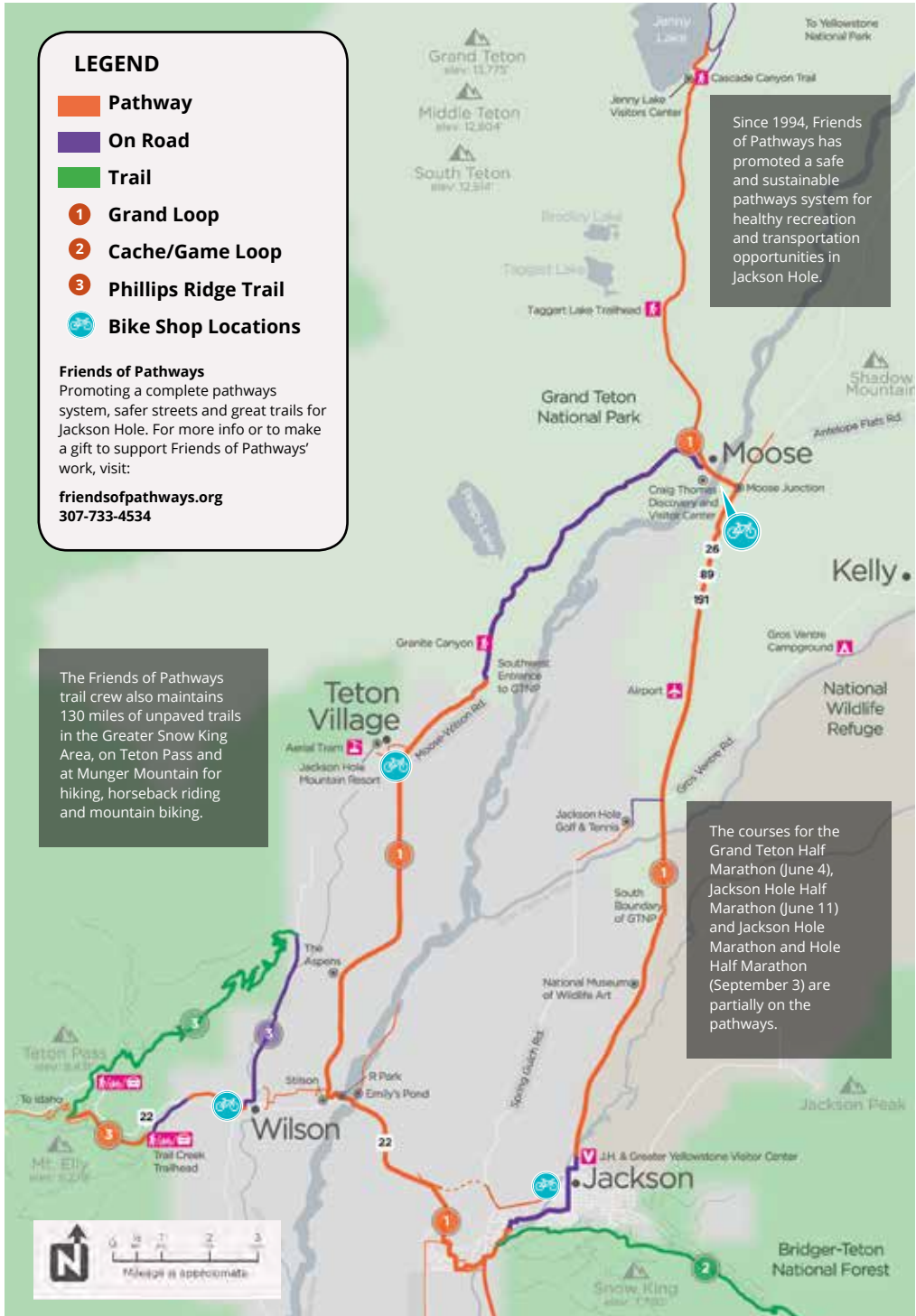


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## Go Biking

Here are some fun ways to spend a day biking in Jackson Hole. [jht.guide/bike](http://jht.guide/bike)

The Jackson Hole Pathways are multi-use, paved trails perfect for families, bikers, joggers and dog walkers. (Note: Pets are not allowed on the pathways in Grand Teton National Park.) Currently there are 53 miles of completed pathways in Teton County, as well as 16 miles within Grand Teton National Park.



## 1 JACKSON TO MOOSE

**29 MILES ROUND TRIP. TOTAL BIKE TIME: APPROX. 3 HOURS**  
**TOTAL TRIP TIME: 5 TO 7 HOURS**

Start at Teton Mountain Bikes and head north on the pathway. Stop into the National Museum of Wildlife Art and check out the newest exhibit, then continue up to Moose. Visit the Craig Thomas Discovery Center and tour the Menor's Ferry Historic District. Then head over to Dornan's for lunch on the deck. Work off the meal on your return to town.

### BIKE SHOP: TETON MOUNTAIN BIKES

Guided mountain bike and family tours for every ability level in and around Grand Teton National Park—even in the wintertime, on fat-tire bikes. We rent comfort, road, mountain and fat bikes, Trail-A-Bikes and kids trailers.

[tetonmtbike.com](http://tetonmtbike.com) | 307-733-0712 | 545 N Cache, Jackson



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## MOOSE TO JENNY LAKE

**23 MILES ROUND TRIP. TOTAL BIKE TIME: APPROX. 2½ HOURS**  
**TOTAL TRIP TIME: 4 TO 6 HOURS**

Head out on the pathway from Adventure Sports to the Grand Teton National Park entrance. Bike along the base of the Tetons up to Jenny Lake. Take the scenic boat cruise around Jenny Lake and have brunch at Jenny Lake Lodge before returning to Moose.

### BIKE SHOP: ADVENTURE SPORTS

Roll into Grand Teton National Park on just the right bike. We have everything from full-suspension mountain bikes to skinny-tire road bicycles, plus hybrid electric bikes and ride-alongs and trailers for kids.

[dornans.com](http://dornans.com) | 307-733-3307 | 10 Moose, Moose



## 3 WILSON TO TETON VILLAGE

**17 MILES ROUND TRIP. TOTAL BIKE TIME: APPROX. 1½ HOURS**  
**TOTAL TRIP TIME: 3 TO 5 HOURS**

From Wilson Backcountry Sports, follow the Wilson Centennial Pathway to the Moose-Wilson Pathway. Bike north to Teton Village, pausing along the way at the Aspen's Market for coffee or a snack. Take the Aerial Tram to the top of Rendezvous Mountain, then have lunch at one of the Village restaurants before cycling back to Wilson. Side trip: On your way home, take the tunnel under Moose-Wilson Road (near the Stilson Ranch parking lot) to cool off your feet in the R Park swimming pond.

### BIKE SHOP: WILSON BACKCOUNTRY SPORTS

The locals' favorite full-service bike retail, rental and repair shop, just two blocks from the Wilson Centennial Trail. Come demo a road bike, full-suspension mountain bike, or hybrid pathway or kids bike.

[wilsonbackcountry.com](http://wilsonbackcountry.com) | 307-733-5228 | 1230 Ida, Wilson



## TETON VILLAGE TO WILSON

**18 MILES ROUND TRIP. TOTAL BIKE TIME: APPROX. 1½ HOURS. TOTAL TRIP TIME: 3 TO 5 HOURS**

Head south from Teton Village Sports on the Moose-Wilson Pathway and grab coffee at Elevated Grounds. When you reach the Stilson Ranch parking lot, take the tunnel under Moose-Wilson Road. Cross the pedestrian/bike bridge to Emily's Pond for a great view of the Snake River. Then head back to Stilson Ranch and hop on the Wilson Centennial Pathway. Enjoy lunch at Pearl Street Bagels.

You can also continue east on the WY 22 Pathway from Emily's Pond to the Indian Springs Pathway. Take that to the Russ Garaman Pathway, which ends in downtown Jackson. If you don't feel like making the trip home, Teton Village Sports, Jackson Hole Sports and Hoback Sports all accept bike rental drop-offs from each other's shops. Total one-way distance: 14 miles

### BIKE SHOP: TETON VILLAGE SPORTS

The main Teton Village hub for downhill, cross-country and pathway/road bike rentals. Located adjacent to the Mangy Moose in Teton Village Commons.

[tetonvillagesports.com](http://tetonvillagesports.com) | 307-733-2181 | Crystal Springs Building





## 7 Tee Up

Add an extra 25 yards to your golf shot (at this high altitude, your drives go farther!) on one of Jackson Hole's world-class courses. *Golf Digest* regularly ranks **Jackson Hole Golf & Tennis Club** the No. 1 course in Wyoming. Not to be outdone, **Teton Pines Resort** has been recognized as one of the 75 best courses in the country by *Golf Digest* and *Condé Nast Traveler*.

### TETON PINES COUNTRY CLUB

**GOLF AT TETON PINES.** Experience mountain golf at its finest. Nestled at the base of the majestic Teton Mountain Range, six sets of tee boxes, spectacular scenery, abundant wildlife and immaculate conditions offer golfers of all abilities the opportunity to shoot the round of a lifetime.



[tetonpines.com](http://tetonpines.com) | 307-733-1733  
3450 N Clubhouse, Wilson

## 8 Climb High



### JACKSON HOLE MOUNTAIN GUIDES

- **Learn the ropes.** Both Jackson Hole Mountain Resort and Snow King offer ropes course adventures. Aerial challenges include riding ziplines and walking over moving wooden pieces.
- **Pull up a chair(lift).** The scenic, 15-minute chairlift ride to the top of Snow King Mountain allows you nearly unbeatable views.
- **Climb a mountain.** Making it to the top of a mountain is a major triumph and can be one of the highlights of your trip. **Exum Mountain Guides** and **Jackson Hole Mountain Guides** both offer climbing classes and professionally guided trips.

*If you're not ready to cross a Grand Teton summit off your bucket list yet, take a virtual climb instead at*  
[nps.gov/features/grte/grandteton/eclimb.html](http://nps.gov/features/grte/grandteton/eclimb.html)

**PROVIDING EXCEPTIONAL SERVICE AND UNFORGETTABLE EXPERIENCES** in the mountains. We offer rock climbing classes for the expert or beginner as well as mountaineering adventures in the Tetons and Wind River Range. Our experienced, professional guides can help you get up close and personal with the mountains!

[jhmg.com](http://jhmg.com) | 307-733-4979 | 1325 S Hwy 89, Suite 104, Jackson

## Take a Sunday Drive (Any Day!)

### MOOSE-WILSON ROAD

Wildlife spotting is a given on the narrow, winding, 8-mile stretch through Grand Teton National Park from Teton Village to Moose.

### INNER PARK LOOP ROAD

Travel for 20 unforgettable miles underneath the watchful eyes of the towering Tetons.

### JENNY LAKE SCENIC LOOP

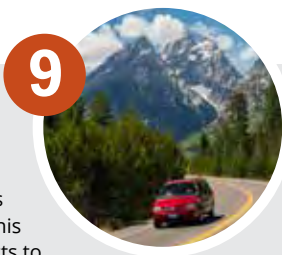
This one-way, 3-mile detour off the main park roadway is a less-traveled gem.

### KELLY LOOP

The Kelly bison herd comes out just before sunset on this 16-mile loop, which connects to Hwy 191 at Gros Ventre Junction and Antelope Junction. Other sights include Mormon Row, the Moulton Barn and Shadow Mountain.

### TETON PASS

This high mountain pass starts in Wilson and connects the valleys of Jackson Hole, Wyoming, and Teton Valley, Idaho.



## LOCAL INSIGHT



### Johanna Love

*Editor of the award-winning Jackson Hole News&Guide, cyclist, hiker, quilter, lover of vintage trailers*

## "I LOVE ..."

- ▶ Mountain biking in Black Canyon
- ▶ Attending art gallery receptions I find out about in the weekly entertainment section of the *News&Guide*
- ▶ Kayaking from Jackson Lake Dam to Pacific Creek
- ▶ Sunset horseback rides
- ▶ Happy hour at Piste atop the Bridger Gondola at Jackson Hole Mountain Resort

## 10 Visit a Wildlife Attraction

Amazing wildlife abounds in Jackson Hole and most visitors are fortunate enough to catch a glimpse or two of one of our most iconic animals while traveling through the valley. But if you want an absolute guarantee to see large, impressive animals up close, visit a nearby wildlife preserve.

## YELLOWSTONE BEAR WORLD

**DON'T MISS GREATER YELLOWSTONE'S** only drive-through wildlife preserve! View grizzlies, black bears and many other species of wildlife in their natural habitat, all from the comfort and safety of your vehicle. On our Curator Tour, experienced guides enlighten you with animal facts throughout your drive in the park. Open seasonally mid-May through mid-October.



[yellowstonebearworld.com](http://yellowstonebearworld.com)  
208-359-9688  
6010 S Bear World  
Rexburg, ID

## 11 See a Stunning Sunset

When the sun sets in Jackson Hole, it's a take-your-breath-away experience. Here are some of our favorite spots for watching it sink behind the dramatic Teton Range:



**CURTIS CANYON.** Located close to the town of Jackson and reachable via the National Elk Refuge Road, this gem of a sunset-viewing spot is in the Bridger-Teton National Forest.

**MORMON ROW.** The Mormon Row Historical District is home to the Moulton Barn, the most photographed barn in Wyoming. Sunsets there usually include bison, only adding to the jaw-dropping scenery. Drive north from Jackson on Hwy 191 past Moose Junction and turn right onto Antelope Flats Road.

**DORNAN'S.** Whether you're inside Dornan's Pizza & Pasta Company, sitting on its upstairs deck or enjoying a chuck wagon meal on a picnic table, you'll have a front-row seat to watch the beautiful sunset.

**JENNY LAKE** and the top of **SIGNAL MOUNTAIN** in Grand Teton National Park are two other great places to catch a memorable sunset.

# JACKSON HOLE MOUNTAIN RESORT

888-DEEP-SNOW  
jacksonhole.com  
@jacksonhole  
#jacksonhole



**Teton Village**, Wyoming, located just 12 miles from downtown Jackson, is home to the world-famous **Jackson Hole Mountain Resort**, known to many ski and snowboard aficionados as The Big One. It is also located just 1 mile from **Grand Teton National Park's** southern entrance. One of the premier destination resorts in the country, Jackson Hole Mountain Resort is an outdoor enthusiast's playground, offering endless possibilities for adventure. Shopping, dining, free concerts, kids camps, mountain biking, hiking, paragliding and scenic aerial tram rides are just the beginning of the offerings at this family-friendly destination. **There really is something for everyone!**



## Jackson Hole Sightseeing Pass

*\* Bike park lift ticket sold separately.*

Jackson Hole Mountain Resort is excited to introduce the **Sightseeing Pass**, which allows unlimited, all-day access to the iconic **Aerial Tram**, **Bridger Gondola** and **Teewinot chairlift**! Now hikers and sightseers can explore the mountains whatever way suits them best: riding up and hiking down, riding the whole way or creating a combination that caters best to the group.

Ride the famous 100-passenger **Jackson Hole Aerial Tram** from Teton Village to the summit of Rendezvous Mountain at 10,450 feet and stand on the crest of the Teton Range. This unforgettable ride whisks passengers an amazing 4,139 vertical feet up

for unbeatable, 360-degree views of the Tetons and the surrounding national park. Sightseers often spot a variety of wildlife during the ride!

**The Bridger Gondola** also offers a wide range of hiking and dining activities from where it tops out at 9,095 feet. Take the 12-minute ride to explore the expansive network of hiking trails. Then treat yourself to a cold drink before the ride or hike down.

Down at the base of the resort, the **Teewinot chairlift** accesses several family-friendly hiking trails as well as the downhill mountain bike park. No downhill bike? No problem. You can rent bikes and gear at JH Sports.



## Kids Activities

**The Kids Ranch** is the ideal place for children to grow, explore and learn about Jackson Hole, with great day-camp and bike-clinic programs. Hiking and a variety of other fun outdoor adventures keep kids energized, while a science project or ride on the **Aerial Tram** can add wonder into the day. Arts and crafts, water play in the pop-jet fountain or mountain bike riding round out the experience. A summer favorite is bike camps for all ages, where young rippers can learn fun and safe mountain biking skills. The well-trained and fun-loving staff at the Kids Ranch will have your children demanding a return trip!



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## Hiking Trails

If you prefer to explore the mountains by foot, you'll be delighted to learn that the extensive hiking trail system has expanded at Jackson Hole Mountain Resort. In addition to new trails connecting the tops of the Aerial Tram and Bridger Gondola through Tensleep Bowl, the trail crew recently completed the beautiful **Wildflower Trail**, which links the **Lower Faces** trails from the bottom of the mountain all the way up to Casper, and the **Hoback Trail**. Great views of the valley, the Aerial Tram, Bridger Gondola and wildflowers can be soaked in to the fullest, as the trail boasts benches at several scenic points. There is even a picnic table that offers shade and one of the best views around. You can expect this hike to take about three hours round trip.

## Culinary Exploration

There is a splendid variety of dining opportunities in Teton Village, from delicious pizzas to gourmet dinners with a view. Stop by **Nick Wilson's** for lunch on the patio and watch the iconic Aerial Tram leave its dock every 15 minutes. For an unparalleled evening experience, take a ride to the top of the Bridger Gondola and try our top-rated restaurants overlooking the greater Teton Valley.

Executive Chef Michael Britton is proud to introduce **Piste Mountain Bistro**, which offers a comfortable menu of locally sourced dishes that you can savor yourself or share with the table.

**The Deck at Piste** offers casual, al fresco dining, shared plates, tasty brews and creative cocktails along with its breathtaking view of the valley from a 9,095-foot perch.

The gondola ride to these venues is free



of charge nightly starting at 5 p.m. (occasionally closed for private events or weather—check **jacksonhole.com** before you go). See a full description in the restaurant section of *Jackson Hole Traveler*.

## Music & Outdoor Entertainment

Teton Village has a central commons area and a fantastic amphitheater that provides a gorgeous setting for evening entertainment for the whole family.

**Concerts on the Commons**, a free outdoor concert series, happens Sunday evenings in July and August at 5 p.m. It's a great chance to experience a variety of local and national musical performances in a truly memorable setting.

**Alive @ 5** is another wonderful opportunity to enjoy summer in the Village Commons. An hour of free, family-oriented presentations and activities takes place Tuesday through Thursday nights at 5 p.m. in the Commons starting June 28<sup>th</sup>. You can catch anything from wildlife presentations to great live music from various local musicians. For a complete lineup of concerts and events, visit [jacksonhole.com](http://jacksonhole.com) or call 307-739-2753.

Embrace the serenity of your surroundings with **Yoga** on the deck at the top of the Bridger Gondola. More details at [jacksonhole.com/yoga.html](http://jacksonhole.com/yoga.html).



## Downhill Bike Park

Jackson Hole Mountain Resort's downhill mountain bike park is accessed via the Teewinot chairlift. Built by Gravity Logic, the world's premier mountain bike park developer, this park represents the finest in trail design and construction. There are multiple trails of varying ability providing plenty of fun and challenge for everyone, from new bikers to the seasoned rider. The trails have a progressive rating system, just like the ski trails. Wide, smooth "green" trails cater to the largest number of riders, but you can work your way up in difficulty to the "blue" trails with their banked turns, or the "dark blue" and "black" trails, which provide tight turns, drop features and big jumps.

Should you need to rent a bike or bike gear, **Teton Village Sports** in Teton Village has an expert staff that can outfit you and your family and friends for any biking expedition, whether it's hitting the new trails or cruising along the scenic bike path north into Grand Teton National Park or south into Wilson. Cruiser bikes, freeriders, trailers, kids bikes—they've got it all. **Jackson Hole Sports** is where you can "gear up" for your downhill biking experience. They are also the headquarters for the **Jackson Hole Mountain Sports School**, offering day camps and clinics for novice and intermediate bike riders.







## Winter

Jackson Hole Mountain Resort (JHMR) extends a world of wonder to new and returning visitors alike. Famous for world-class skiing, breathtaking scenery and a truly Western spirit, no other resort in North America offers such a completely authentic ski vacation.

**Rendezvous and Apres Vous mountains** can accommodate beginners through experts, and every



adventurer in between. Situated in the heart of the Tetons and home to North America's most iconic lift, the **Aerial Tram**, JHMR has the country's longest vertical rise served by a single lift. As a counterpoint to the vast, yet challenging terrain accessed via the tram, the high-speed **Bridger Gondola** provides acres of moderate, groomed slopes for the intermediate skier. The new **Sweetwater Gondola**, located between the Bridger Gondola and Teewinot High Speed Quad, has a mid-station approximately a third of the way up the mountain, in the Solitude area. It then proceeds upward to its termination just uphill of the **Casper Restaurant**. This gondola provides access to terrain perfect for beginners and intermediates.

Families and individuals will enjoy exploring the mountain with our **Mountain Sports School** instructors and unique **Backcountry Guide** program. Improved grooming and snowmaking across the mountain continue to be a priority at the resort as well.

Forgot your goggles? Need to rent skis? The friendly and professional staff at **Jackson Hole Sports**, located conveniently near the Bridger Gondola, is prepared to get you on the mountain quickly.

Have kids? Make a stop at the newly expanded **Kids Ranch** facilities, where children learn to ski and so much more.

With reliable snow, friendly staff and great terrain for all abilities, Jackson Hole Mountain Resort is a memorable vacation destination for all types of skiers and riders. Come experience Western hospitality at its finest this winter in Teton Village.

**For the latest mountain information and daily condition updates, visit [jacksonhole.com](http://jacksonhole.com) or download our free app, JH Tapped (available on Android and iPhone).**



# SNOW KING MOUNTAIN RESORT

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402 E Snow King Ave  
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#snowkingjh



Just six blocks south of the Town Square, on the corner of King Street and Snow King Avenue, Snow King Mountain—Wyoming's first ski hill—is a year-round activity hub right in the heart of Jackson.



## On-Mountain Dining

### KING'S GRILL

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**GEAR UP FOR ADVENTURE AT SNOW KING MOUNTAIN SPORTS.** Whether you're biking, paddling, skiing or just lounging, Snow King Mountain Sports has gear and accessories to help you make the most of your time in Jackson. With bike and SUP rentals in summer and snow-sports rentals in winter, we've got you covered!



## Base Dining

### LIFT

**LIFT IS LOCATED AT THE BASE OF BEAUTIFUL SNOW KING.** We offer plenty of parking, outstanding views and the best outside dining in Jackson. Ask any local to identify the "comfort food capital of Jackson Hole" that offers seasonal lunch and dinner with funky décor and 17 draft beers. Answer: the Lift, of course! All ages welcome.

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## Summer Activities

SCENIC CHAIRLIFT

COWBOY COASTER

TREETOP ADVENTURE

MINI-GOLF

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BUNGEE TRAMPOLINE

HIKING

BIKING

STAND-UP PADDLEBOARDS

NEW, FUN MAZE

The Big King Pass includes all the above—**RIDE YOUR HEARTS OUT!**  
There is also **PARAGLIDING** at the King.

## Winter Activities

COWBOY COASTER

DAY AND NIGHT SKIING  
AND SNOWBOARDING

KING TUBES SNOW TUBING

SCENIC CHAIRLIFT

LEARN WITH A PRO

WINTER ICE SKATING



## Winter Ice Skating and Events

### SNOW KING SPORTS & EVENTS CENTER

**THE SNOW KING SPORTS & EVENTS CENTER** is Jackson's home for all things ice during the winter season (November to March). Open public skating is available throughout the season (check online schedule). The center is also home to the Jackson Hole Moose hockey team, the best family fun in town on Friday and Saturday nights during the winter.





# GRAND TARGHEE

## RESORT

Grand Targhee Resort is a year-round destination located on the western slope of the Tetons in the Caribou-Targhee National Forest.

[grandtarghee.com](http://grandtarghee.com)  
307-353-2300 or 800-TARGHEE (827-4433)  
3300 Ski Hill, Alta, WY

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### Epic Singletrack

Throughout the summer, **Grand Targhee** turns into a mountain bike mecca for downhillers and cross-country riders. There are more than 61 miles of multi-use trails with spectacular views, and downhill and free-ride terrain that appeals to beginner and advanced bikers. Since 2013, over 36 miles of new trails have been installed—and there are more on the way. Downhill biking has continued to grow at the resort, which now offers eight different downhill trails, totaling 11 miles.

**Rock Garden**, an advanced trail covering 2 miles of rocky terrain with 12 jumps and features, descends 1,809 feet in elevation. This is the steepest downhill to date and the first to descend to the rider's right from the top of **Fred's Mountain**. The Grand Targhee Bike Park was voted the No. 2 bike park in 2014, 2015 and 2016, and the No. 1 bike park in the Northwest in 2013 by **MTBParks.com**. This summer, look for additional trails and new flow trails in the Shoshone area.

Grand Targhee Resort is a great stop for all adventures in Teton Valley and the Yellowstone-Teton area.

### TRAVELER TIP — SUMMER TUNES

**13<sup>th</sup> Annual Targhee Fest—July 14-16**

*Music and mountain lifestyle right on the slopes*

**30<sup>th</sup> Annual Grand Targhee Bluegrass Festival—August 11-13, 2017**

### Super Skiing

There's one statistic that should stand out when you consider a trip to Grand Targhee Resort: 500 inches. That's the average amount of light, dry powder that pummels this laid-back Wyoming resort each season, thanks to a high-alpine barrier that deposits consistent, double-digit dumps on its 2,602 acres of glades, bowls and groomed runs. From slopeside accommodations, a locally inspired menu at the Branding Iron Grill and après music at the Trap Bar & Grill to massages, snowshoeing, tubing, fat biking and nature tours, there's plenty for the entire family to enjoy. Kids can explore the Kids Adventure Zone and excel their skills in the Powder Scouts or Mini Moose programs. Looking to spread out? The resort offers a wide selection of vacation rentals in Teton Valley.



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# 9 THINGS TO DO IN WINTER

[jht.guide/winterfun](http://jht.guide/winterfun)

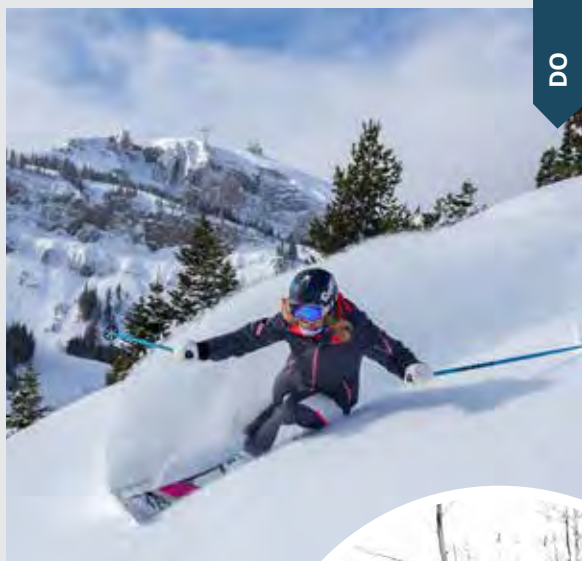
## 1 Hit the Slopes

With an average annual snowfall ranging from 450 inches to more than 500, skiing in and around Jackson Hole is world-class.

**Snow King Mountain Resort**, known as the “Town Hill,” boasts one of the steepest sustained pitches, top-to-bottom, of any area in the lower 48 states. A favorite lunchtime destination for locals, it hosts many national ski teams during the early season and local, state and regional alpine races throughout the winter. The King also offers night skiing under the lights until 7 p.m.

**Jackson Hole Mountain Resort** celebrated its 51<sup>st</sup> season in 2016-17. It has been named the No. 1 Ski Resort in North America by *Forbes* magazine six years in a row. Considered the closest to a European ski experience in the U.S., JHMR has acres of expert terrain, plus the longest continuous vertical drop of any ski area in the country: 4,139 feet.

**Grand Targhee Resort** is located on the typically snowier west side of the Tetons in Alta, Wyoming, and is known for the most powder days of any ski



area in the country. With a vertical drop of 2,270 feet, it offers a mellower atmosphere with excellent skiing for all abilities.

### History of Skiing in Jackson Hole

**1925:** Early valley skiers transition from using a single pole, placed between the legs to slow down, to using two poles and making turns.

**1930s:** Local skiers install rope tows on various mountains around Jackson Hole. Olympic ski team member Betty Woolsey arrives in the valley to train. Paul and Curly Petzoldt and Fred Brown ski the first-known descent of Rendezvous Mountain, the future home of Jackson Hole Mountain Resort.

**1939:** Snow King opens, becoming Wyoming’s first ski area.

**1946:** Neil Rafferty installs the first chairlift in Wyoming on Snow King, driven by the wheels of an Army pickup truck.

**1964:** A Californian named Paul McCollister purchases 166 acres at the base of Rendezvous Mountain and forms the Jackson Hole Ski Corporation, the precursor to Jackson Hole Mountain Resort.

**1965:** Jackson Hole Ski Corporation opens Apres Vous Mountain to the public.

**1966:** The Jackson Hole Aerial Tram starts taking skiers to the top of Rendezvous, solidifying Jackson Hole as an international ski destination.



### LOCAL INSIGHT



#### Benny Wilson

*JH native, ski instructor, fly fishing guide, ski designer/builder, Jackson Hole Air Force founder*

#### “I LOVE ...”

- ▶ Paddleboarding on Jackson Lake
- ▶ Margaritas at Hatch
- ▶ Dropping the right side into Corbet’s
- ▶ Rack of ribs and slaw at Big Hole BBQ
- ▶ Hanging out on the Snow King ropes course with my son, Mattias



## 2 Play in the Snow

**Old Pass Road, Cache Creek Trail, R Park and Rangeview Park** are popular places to sled and play in the snow. You can buy sleds, tubes and saucers at Kmart or Headwall Sports.

**King Tubes (Snow King).** Anyone taller than 42 inches can snow tube. Ages 14 and up: \$20/hour; kids 13 and under: \$15. Buy an extra hour for only \$5.

**Grand Targhee Resort Tubing Park.** A magic carpet whisks you up the hill for each tube run. Tickets are \$14.



## 3 Go 'Biling

With hundreds of miles of trails and some of the most beautiful winter terrain in the country to explore, a snowmobile trip in Jackson Hole is a day you won't soon forget. Rent a snowmobile or join an outfitter for a guided half- or full-day tour. The latter excursions are generally early wake-up affairs that make the most of an entire day of snowmobiling.

### WHERE TO GO

- ▶ **Yellowstone National Park** is closed to vehicular traffic in winter, making a snowmobile tour on the park's snow-covered roads a special, once-in-a-lifetime experience.
- ▶ **Togwotee Pass.** Zoom along the Continental Divide trail system on the No. 1-ranked snowmobile terrain in the country.
- ▶ Cruise out to **Granite Hot Springs** and then hop into the welcoming thermal pool.

### GO COACH!

Experience the snow-covered roads of Yellowstone National Park in a snowcoach—one of the only ways to access Old Faithful in the winter. Snowcoach tours provide a warmer, more social and relaxing alternative to snowmobiling. They also offer guided interpretations of the wildlife, history and geological features of the world's first national park.

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[scenic-safaris.com](http://scenic-safaris.com) | 307-734-8898  
1255 S Hwy 89, Jackson

## 4 Take a Sleigh Ride

Riding on a horse-drawn sleigh is one of the most unique ways to enjoy the winter landscape and to get up close to wild animals.

### MILL IRON RANCH

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## 5 Take a Dog Sled Tour

Imagine silently gliding through the snow on a sled powered by an experienced team of Alaskan huskies. Dog-sledding tours have a wide range of costs because they are very customizable, from half days to multiple overnights.

### Watch a Dog Sled Race

Held during Jackson Hole's annual WinterFest in late January/early February, the **Eukanuba Stage Stop Sled Dog Race** is the only race of its kind. It starts on the Jackson Town Square and traverses four states before finishing in Evanston, Wyoming.



### CONTINENTAL DIVIDE DOG SLED ADVENTURES

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[dogsledadventures.com](http://dogsledadventures.com) | 307-455-3052



## LOCAL INSIGHT

**"I LOVE ..."**

- ▶ **Playing all-weather mountain music with Tram Jam at Jackson Hole Mountain Resort Saturdays during ski season**
- ▶ **Dining out at Lotus Organic Restaurant with my wife, Kathie**
- ▶ **Concert on the Commons, summer Sundays in Teton Village**
- ▶ **Riding the bike paths**
- ▶ **Polka at the Alpenhof Lodge**



**Peter "Chanman" Chandler**  
*Co-founder of Tram Jam,  
 musician, bandleader, singer/  
 songwriter, skier, husband,  
 father, homeowner*

## 6 Get Into the Backcountry

Jackson Hole is internationally renowned for its backcountry skiing and snowboarding. With access available from the Jackson Hole Mountain Resort, Teton Pass and Grand Teton National Park, getting into the backcountry is easier than ever. But be warned: It's also easier than ever to find yourself in trouble. Teton County Search and Rescue volunteers and Grand Teton park rangers are dispatched several times a year to extract the unaware or unprepared from the Teton backcountry. Injuries and fatalities caused by avalanches and falls off of cliffs also occur far too frequently, even with the most experienced skiers and snowboarders.

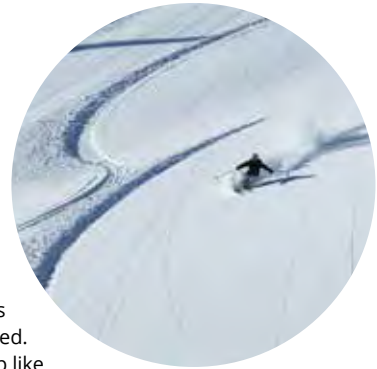
All backcountry users, regardless of their chosen mode of travel—alpine or Nordic skis, snowboard, snowshoes or ice axe and crampons (for ice

climbers)—need to be prepared for and educated about every possible condition and scenario. An avalanche course is highly recommended.

Start at a local shop like

**Teton Mountaineering**

or **Wilson Backcountry Sports** to find out what information and gear is required for a successful backcountry experience. Or contact a local guide company, such as **Exum Mountain Guides** or **Jackson Hole Mountain Guides**, about available courses and trips.



Whether you head into the backcountry with or without a guide, always check the avalanche conditions first at [jhave.org](http://jhave.org).

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[holehike.com](http://holehike.com) | 307-690-4453

## 7 Explore the Best Nordic Trails

Take in Jackson Hole's amazing wilderness on cross-country skis, snowshoes—or a “fat bike.” With most of the roads in Grand Teton National Park closed in the winter, a half- or full-day tour with an outfitter such as **Hole Hiking Experience** or **Teton Mountain Bike Tours** offers a truly unique glimpse into the park's winter habitat. Jackson Hole Mountain Resort also offers guided tours, classes and rental gear.

Day passes are available to groomed trail systems at **Teton Pines Cross Country Ski Center**, **Grand Targhee Nordic Ski Area** and **Trail Creek Nordic Center**. Looking for an all-inclusive experience? Stay in a cozy cabin at **Triangle X Guest Ranch**, the only concession open in Grand Teton National Park in the winter, which offers cross-country skiing, snowshoeing and wildlife viewing right outside your front door. Or go to **Brooks Lake Lodge & Spa**, on the eastern edge of

Jackson Hole, where you can enjoy miles of Nordic trails, plus ice fishing, snowmobiling and more.

For do-it-yourselfers, multiple options are available throughout the valley.

Teton County grooms many of its pathways in the wintertime. Popular destinations include the Cache Creek and Game Creek trails near the town of Jackson, the Snake River levee at Emily Stevens Park and the Wilson Centennial Pathway. In Grand Teton National Park, skiers and snowshoers enjoy the trails to Bradley and Taggart lakes and the Phelps Lake overlook.



## 8



## Take to the Ice

### FREE OUTDOOR RINKS

- ▶ **Winter Wonderland on the Town Square**  
Free hot chocolate and skate rentals (\$8) are available in the Stage Stop building from 4:30 to 9 p.m. Wednesday to Friday and noon to 9 p.m. on weekends.
- ▶ **Powderhorn Park Rink**  
Family skate time: noon to 8:30 p.m. daily.
- ▶ **Rodeo Grounds Rink**  
Family skate time: 2 to 4 p.m. daily.
- ▶ **Owen Bircher Park Rink (Wilson)**  
Family skate time: noon to 2 p.m. daily.

### INDOOR RINK

**SNOW KING SPORTS AND EVENTS CENTER ICE ARENA.** Public ice skating Monday to Friday, noon to 2 p.m. Adults: \$8; kids: \$6; rentals: \$5. Jackson Hole Moose Hockey: The Moose play a 30-game home schedule at 7:30 p.m. Friday and Saturday nights throughout the winter at the Sports and Events Center. Adults: \$10; kids: \$5.

[moose.pucksystems2.com](http://moose.pucksystems2.com) | 307-201-1633

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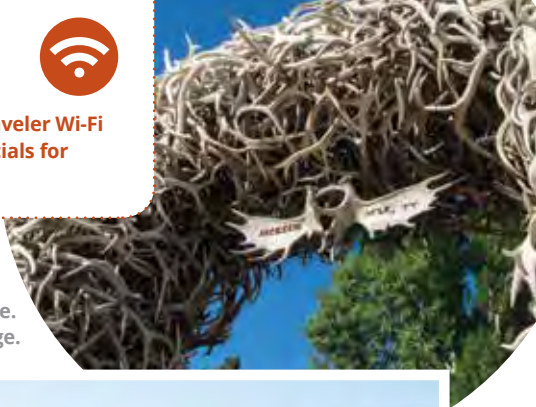
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307-733-3595 or 800-850-3595

170 N Cache, Jackson

**FIND ALL THE HIKING, CAMPING, CLIMBING AND BACKCOUNTRY GEAR** you need at Teton Mountaineering. Our full range of products and knowledgeable staff are a great resource for planning adventures in Jackson Hole. Located just one block off the Town Square.



# GASLIGHT ALLEY



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## DANSHELLEY JEWELERS

[danshelley.com](http://danshelley.com) | 307-733-2259  
125 N Cache, Jackson

**REFLECTING OUR BEAUTIFUL SURROUNDINGS IS DEFINITELY EXCITING!** Experience a delightful look into the world of gems. A visit to this gallery is a must with designs that have truly been inspired by living and loving life at 6,000 feet.



## VALLEY BOOKSTORE

[valleybookstore.com](http://valleybookstore.com) | 307-733-4533  
125 N Cache, Jackson

**A CLASSIC MOM-AND-POP INDEPENDENT BOOKSTORE,** we've supplied the literary needs of Jackson Hole for 45 years. From field guides to trail guides, kids books, great fiction, out-of-print and rare books, we can find the books you want.



## A TOUCH OF CLASS

[facebook.com/atouchofclassjh](https://facebook.com/atouchofclassjh) | 307-733-3356 or 800-726-1803 | 125 N Cache, Jackson

**OFFERING SPECTACULAR JEWELRY AND SPARKLING KEEPSAKES,** A Touch of Class has been serving Jackson Hole since 1983. Our family-owned shop features selections and exclusive charms from internationally renowned brands such as Swarovski, Pandora and Alex & Ani.



## CRAZY HORSE

[crazyhorsejewelry.com](http://crazyhorsejewelry.com) | 307-733-4028  
125 N Cache, Jackson

**BRING HOME AUTHENTIC, HANDCRAFTED JEWELRY AND ART FROM CRAZY HORSE.** You will find sterling jewelry, beadwork, Zuni fetishes, pottery, rugs and much more. Explore the exquisite collection we have been building for more than four decades.

# TETON VILLAGE

SHOP



## BELLE COSE

[bellecose.com](http://bellecose.com) | 307-732-5612

Four Seasons Resort and Residences, Teton Village

**AN OUTPOST OF OUR OTHER STORES IN DOWNTOWN JACKSON**, these two delightful shops within the Four Seasons Resort and Residences offer a bit of everything you love from our three other locations, including fine jewelry, clothing, accessories and unique gifts.



## JACKSON HOLE SPORTS

[jacksonhole.com](http://jacksonhole.com) | 307-739-2687

Bridger Center, Teton Village

**THE VILLAGE HUB FOR SKI AND SNOWBOARD RENTALS**, outerwear and accessories, as well as boot fitting, ski repairs and tuning. The largest retailer of outdoor lifestyle apparel in the valley, we also offer bicycle rentals, biking equipment and more during the summer.



## TETON VILLAGE SPORTS

[tetonvillagesports.com](http://tetonvillagesports.com) | 307-733-2181

3285 W McCollister, Teton Village

**TETON VILLAGE SPORTS IS THE OLDEST SPECIALTY RETAILER AND SKI SHOP IN JACKSON HOLE.** We offer hard and soft goods from top brands, ski and bike rentals, repairs and professional boot fitting, paddleboards, plus full-service guided fishing trips with Grand Fishing Adventures.



## STIO

[stio.com](http://stio.com) | 307-201-1897

Terra Hotel #1267, Teton Village

**DESIGNED AND TESTED IN THE HEART OF THE TETONS** in Jackson Hole, Stio apparel is made for the epic and everyday. Visit our new store in Teton Village or the flagship location on the Town Square.

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ARTIST: ED MELL  
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THE BEACH FOR A WEEK AND  
ASK THEM TEN YEARS LATER  
THE NAME OF IT; THEY WILL  
HAVE FORGOTTEN. TAKE  
THEM TO A RANCH, AND THEY  
WILL REMEMBER ITS NAME  
AND THE NAME OF THEIR  
HORSE FOR THE REST OF  
THEIR LIVES. ”

GENE KILGORE,  
AUTHOR OF RANCH  
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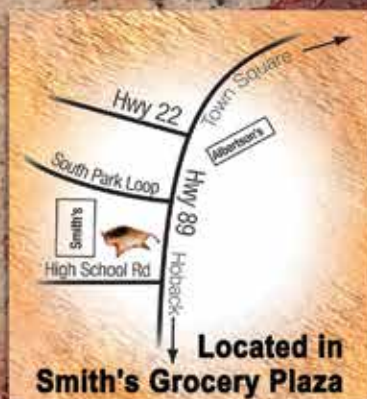
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**10,000 years of  
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The Jackson Hole Buffalo Co. prides itself on bringing you the finest in native North American game meats; house-made jerky, salami, sausages and more made right here in Jackson Hole. We would be delighted to help you savor the history of the American West.



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[jhbuffalomeat.com](http://jhbuffalomeat.com)

**307-733-4159 or 800-543-6328**





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## WILD SAGE

175 N Jackson St, Jackson  
888-739-1749 | [rustyparrot.com](http://rustyparrot.com)

**AS THE ONLY RESTAURANT TO RECEIVE AN AAA FOUR DIAMOND RATING IN JACKSON**, a meal in the Wild Sage's intimate dining room is one you'll remember. We pride ourselves on our spirit of hospitality and menu of exceptional regional cuisine featuring organic and sustainable meat and seafood prepared in a classic style. Our welcoming exhibition-style kitchen and river-rock fireplace reflect the warmth of a genuine mountain lodge. Join us for a truly special evening.

# EDIBLE JACKSON HOLE

Get a taste of the Tetons during your visit to Jackson Hole. Here's a guide to the best locally made food and fare. [jht.guide/edible](#)

## Fresh Approach Farms

**Vertical Harvest** is a three-story hydroponic farm located in downtown Jackson. The greenhouse grows fresh produce year-round, allowing local restaurants and grocery stores to offer the fruits of its bounty to customers. Visit Vertical Harvest's retail store for locally sourced food and artisanal products. [verticalharvestjackson.com](#)

Keep an eye out for **Huidekoper Ranch** produce on the menus of many restaurants around Jackson Hole. Huidekoper is a small-scale, bio-intensive farm in Wilson growing healthy food for the community.



## Wild West Caffeine

See what all the buzz is about at **Jackson Hole Roasters**, 50 W. Broadway, where the coffee is made in small batches from beans originating worldwide.



**Snake River Roasting** also has handcrafted coffee available at **Persephone** and **Picnic** cafés. It is sold at **Jackson Whole Grocer** and **Lucky's Market** as well as at [snakeriverroastingco.com](#).

## Baked Goodies

**Persephone Bakery** is the home of artisanal, rustic breads and pastries, created using the highest-quality ingredients and traditional processes. You have to try their cinnamon brioche—it makes for a decadent breakfast treat or an amazing midday snack.

**Picnic Coffee & Café** stocks locals' favorite pastries, handmade by Persephone, as well as its own versions of American classics like Pop-Tarts and whoopie pies. Located at 145 E Broadway (Persephone) and 1110 Maple Way (Picnic).



## Sweet and Savory

► **Bovine + Swine** (craft sausages and specialty meats) and **Cream + Sugar** artisan ice cream are Teton treats made by Fine Dining Restaurant Group that can be found at **Bodega** in Teton Village and **Bin22** in town.

► **Nom Nom Donuts** and **Delish Donuts** have provided us with a donut dilemma here: We can't decide which made-from-scratch donuts we love more! **Nom Noms** are available at **Creekside Market** and **Jackson Whole Grocer**. **Delish Donuts** are also sold at **Jackson Whole Grocer**.

► **Kate's Real Food Tram Bars** are organic, on-the-go energy for foodies, athletes, kids and everyone in between. Find them at **Jackson Hole Buffalo Meat Co.**, **Jackson Whole Grocer** and **Creekside Market**. [katesrealfood.com](#)



► **Café Genevieve's Pig Candy**. Your taste buds won't know what hit them when you try this otherworldly concoction of sugar-coated bacon goodness.

► **The Bunnery's O.S.M. Granola**. Pick up a bag or two of the eatery's trademarked O.S.M. (Oats, Sunflower seeds, Millet) granola, pancake and waffle mix or oatmeal.



## LOCAL INSIGHT

### "I LOVE ..."

- ▶ A Saturday morning hike up Snow King, then the farmers market for a Sweet Cheeks Meats Sunnyside Swine breakfast sammy
- ▶ Dining at Sub Rosa—a ringside seat in The Rose's kitchen as the chefs use local ingredients
- ▶ Meeting friends at Bin22 for a glass of Barolo and a plate of arancini
- ▶ A pour-over coffee for one at Picnic
- ▶ The kale salad with a side of falafel at the Stagecoach after mountain biking on Teton Pass. Oh ... and I'll get the truffle fries, too.



**Annie Fenn**

*Physician turned food writer,  
creator of [jacksonholefoodie.com](http://jacksonholefoodie.com)  
and [brainworkskitchen.com](http://brainworkskitchen.com)*



### Shop for Crops

During summer, explore the variety of fresh produce available at **Jackson Hole Farmers Market** on Town Square every Saturday morning, or the **Jackson Hole People's Market** from 4 to 7 p.m. Wednesdays at the base of Snow King.

### Classic Seasonal Menu Items

Jackson Hole goes **huckleberry** happy in late summer every year when residents scurry to their secret spots to pick these tart cousins to the wild blueberry. Long after the harvesting ends, huckleberries can be found on local menus and in food items throughout the year. Dubbed "purple gold" by old-timers, according to Jackson Hole food writer Annie Fenn, they make great jam, pies, tarts and especially milkshakes.

**Morel mushrooms** also have their own "hunting season" here. For just a few fleeting weeks in May, Jacksonites forage for these tasty morsels in the forests and near water. Many of the fungi then find their way onto menus in restaurants such as the **Snake River Grill**, **Rendezvous Bistro** and **Il Villaggio Osteria**.



### Meat of the Matter

Meat that comes from one of our local cattle ranches or butchers can be found on the menus of eateries throughout the valley. Stop by one of the butchers or markets, too, such as **Sweet Cheeks Meats**, to purchase a local farm-to-table beef product. **Mead Ranch**, **Lockhart Cattle Company**, **Jackson Hole Buffalo Meat Company**, **Jackson Hole Hereford Ranch**, **Purely By Chance** and **Robinson Family Farm and Ranch** are some of the names to remember.



# LOCAL LIBATIONS

Savor and then stock your bar with some of Jackson Hole's home-grown libations, which are as heady, wild and glacially pure as Wyoming itself.

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## MELVIN BREWERY

### HOME OF MELVIN BREWING

and voted 2015's Small Brew Pub of the Year, Thai Me Up is the happening spot before and after your Jackson nights. We have 20 craft beers on tap, alongside a few guest brews. Explore our Thai-curious cocktails and \$8 wine selection. Full menu is available until 10 p.m. and late night food until 11 p.m.

[thaijh.com](http://thaijh.com) | 307-733-0005  
75 E Pearl, Jackson  
Just off the Town Square

## WYOMING WHISKEY

**THE WHISKEY OF THE WEST.** Saddle up with the best of the West and taste a true local spirit. Non-GMO corn, wheat and barley, all grown in Wyoming, combined with ancient limestone water, make for an impressive whiskey. Come try a free sample at the Town Square Tavern every afternoon all summer long.

[wyomingwhiskey.com](http://wyomingwhiskey.com) | 307-864-2116  
100 S Nelson, Kirby, WY



## JACKSON HOLE WINERY

**A SMALL, LOCAL, FAMILY-OWNED WINERY,** we handcraft award-winning wines with only the finest grapes from California's Sonoma and Napa counties. Wyoming's high altitude and cold climate provide the finishing touch. On-site tastings are available in two locations by appointment only.

[jacksonholewinery.com](http://jacksonholewinery.com)  
307-201-1057  
2800 Boyles Hill, Jackson;  
Gallery on Main  
307-655-2221  
Hwy 14, Dayton, WY

## Where to Buy Beer, Wine & Spirits

### JACKSON

**Creekside Market** 545 N Cache

**Plaza Liquors** 832 W Broadway

**Bin22** 200 W Broadway

### TETON VILLAGE

**Mangy Moose Cellars** 3285 Village Dr.

**Bodega** 3200 W McCollister



## ROADHOUSE BREWING CO.

**BORN IN JACKSON HOLE.** Roadhouse beers draw inspiration from ancient Belgian brewing techniques, as well as forward-thinking American styles. Available on draft throughout Jackson Hole and now available in bottles. Be sure to visit our Pub & Eatery in Wilson and production brewery in Jackson.

[roadhousebrewery.com](http://roadhousebrewery.com) | 307-264-1900  
1225 Gregory Ln, Jackson

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## SNAKE RIVER BREWING

**JENNY LAKE LAGER** is an amber-colored, Vienna-style lager and one of the most popular flagship brews from Wyoming's oldest brewery. Part of the proceeds from each can of Jenny Lake Lager goes to Inspiring Journeys, a campaign for Jenny Lake in Grand Teton National Park.

[snakeriverbrewing.com](http://snakeriverbrewing.com) | 307-739-BEER (2337)  
265 S Millward, Jackson



## JACKSON HOLE STILL WORKS

**ARTISANAL SPIRITS.** Two friends united decades ago by magnificent rivers and mountains formed a brotherhood and, later, Jackson Hole Still Works. Our non-GMO, gluten free, 100% Wyoming-sourced and -produced, artisanal grain-to-bottle spirits are distilled at the foot of the Tetons and emerge from our passion for Wyoming.

[jhstillworks.com](http://jhstillworks.com) | 307-699-8998  
3940 S Eagle View, Jackson  
Open for tours and tastings



# LOCAL FAVORITES

Indulge your taste buds at some of the locals' favorite haunts for breaking bread.



## ALPENHOF

[alpenhoflodge.com](http://alpenhoflodge.com) | 307-733-3242  
3255 W Village Dr, Teton Village

**NUTELLA CRÊPES.** Treat yourself to a hearty European breakfast from our full buffet or choose from one of our irresistible indulgences like rich Swedish pancakes or a Tram croissant with eggs, bacon and cheese—the perfect fuel for an adventure-filled day. Circle back for a delicious lunch including flavorful sandwiches, salads, strudels and a special Bavarian platter.

## RENDEZVOUS BISTRO

[rendezvousbistro.net](http://rendezvousbistro.net) | 307-739-1100  
380 S Broadway, Jackson

**SEA SCALLOPS.** The seared sea scallops with ginger-soy butter, spinach, oyster mushrooms, tobiko vinaigrette and crispy red onions are a local favorite no matter the time of year.



## CAFÉ GENEVIEVE

[genevievejh.com](http://genevievejh.com) | 307-732-1910  
135 E Broadway, Jackson

**PIG CANDY.** It's the item you must try at Café Genevieve, whether as an appetizer, in a salad or topping your bloody mary. Expertly made in-house daily. We coat thick, applewood-smoked bacon with a blend of dried sugars and spices, then bake it low-and-slow for the perfect bite.



## RUSTIC INN BISTRO

[rusticinnatjh.com/dining](http://rusticinnatjh.com/dining) | 307-733-2357  
475 N Cache, Jackson

**ENJOY OUR RUSTIC INN BISTRO'S** locally sourced, seasonal menus, extensive wine list and cozy atmosphere. Start your day with our gourmet breakfast buffet, purchase a box lunch to enjoy while you are out and about and then join us for a fireside dinner and your favorite cocktail. Open daily.

# FUEL UP



The best way to start your day of adventure is with a hearty breakfast and a shot of caffeine.



## E.LEAVEN

**HUEVOS RANCHEROS.** E.leaven's signature huevos rancheros are topped with feta, avocado and homemade tomatillo sauce—they're one-of-a-kind! Breakfast is served from 7 a.m. to 3 p.m. daily with menu options to suit every palate, including filling breakfast burritos and corned beef hash and eggs.

[eleavenfood.com](http://eleavenfood.com)

175 Center, Jackson | 307-733-5600



## CREEKSIDE MARKET & DELI

**GRAB 'N' GO.** Headed to Grand Teton, Yellowstone or the airport? Pick up bagged lunches from Creekside on the way. Include deli sandwiches, chips, drinks, cookies and locally made energy bars. Large-group catering and phone-in orders also available!

[creeksidejacksonhole.com](http://creeksidejacksonhole.com) | 307-733-7926

545 N Cache, Jackson



## PEARL STREET BAGELS

**BEST BREWED.** Pearl Street Bagels brews locally roasted, organic Bolivian house coffee, as well as a rotating special coffee, handpicked from our favorite small roasters around the country. We are passionate about staying on top of trends in the coffee world and serving amazing drinks from our full espresso bar.

[pearlstreetbagels.com](http://pearlstreetbagels.com)

307-739-1218 | 145 W Pearl, Jackson

307-739-1261 | 5674 Hwy 22, Wilson



## ELEVATED GROUNDS COFFEEHOUSE

**COME ENJOY BREAKFAST AND LUNCH** with your favorite coffee or alcoholic beverage in the West Bank Center on your way to Teton Village. Locally roasted coffee, 100% fruit smoothies, salads and free Wi-Fi.

[elevatedgroundscoffeehouse.com](http://elevatedgroundscoffeehouse.com)

307-734-1343 | 3445 N Pines Way, Wilson

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## ◀ SMOKIN' IRON

**EXPERIENCE MEDITERRANEAN BBQ!** Savor succulent, juicy kebab, authentic rubs and fresh, traditional flavors on our sunny deck. Vegetarian options include scratch-made falafel and our famous watermelon salad. Full-size drink flights and cocktails under the sun or stars.

[hoteljackson.com](http://hoteljackson.com) | 307-733-2200  
135 N Cache, Jackson



## FOOD WITH A VIEW

Head here for delicious food and drinks with even better views.



## ▲ MOE'S ORIGINAL BAR-B-QUE

**A SOUTHERN SOUL FOOD REVIVAL** serving fresh, fruitwood-smoked, Alabama-style barbecue daily. Enjoy award-winning pulled pork, ribs, wings, turkey, chicken and seafood with traditional sides and tasty desserts on our new deck with beautiful mountain views overlooking the historic Town Square.

[moesoriginalbbq.com](http://moesoriginalbbq.com) | 307-733-MOES (6637)  
140 N Cache, Jackson

## ▲ TETON THAI

**TETON THAI** offers spacious summer patio seating with heat lamps, a fireplace and expansive views of the valley. With a menu ranging from appetizers like tom kha gai soup to curries and pad see ew noodles, all your favorites are right here. Take in the Teton Village breeze and toast a day well spent.

[tetonthaivillage.com](http://tetonthaivillage.com) | 307-733-0022  
7342 Granite Loop, Teton Village



## ▲ THE DECK AT PISTE

**OVERLOOK THE VALLEY WITH A COLD DRINK AT THE DECK AT PISTE.** After a long day of adventuring in Jackson Hole, there's no better way to enjoy the peacefulness of the mountains than at the top of the Bridger Gondola, where you can savor shared plates or cool down with a signature cocktail. Free gondola service starting at 5 p.m.

[jacksonhole.com](http://jacksonhole.com) | 307-732-3177  
Bridger Gondola, Teton Village





## ▲ LIFT JACKSON HOLE

**PULL UP BY BIKE OR CAR** to enjoy the best outdoor deck in the valley. Lift offers a delicious menu, full bar and outdoor games. Located at the base of Snow King Mountain with plenty of parking. Open seasonally for lunch and dinner. Families welcome.

[liftjacksonhole.com](http://liftjacksonhole.com) | 307-733-5438  
645 S Cache, Jackson



## CUTTY'S BAR & GRILL ▶

**OUR DECK IS A GREAT PLACE TO UNWIND AFTER A LONG DAY IN THE MOUNTAINS.** The full bar and tasty menu replenish your energy stores, while our large lawn is perfect for recreation. We've got cornhole boards, lots of seating and a fantastic atmosphere year-round.

[cuttysgrill.com](http://cuttysgrill.com) | 307-201-1079  
1140 W Hwy 22, Jackson



## ▲ CALICO BAR & RESTAURANT

**THE CALICO BAR & RESTAURANT'S INSPIRED PIZZAS** are made-to-order and crafted with love in our fruitwood-burning oven. Calico's delicious menu offers a variety of local, sustainable dishes driven by seasonal produce and humanely sourced game. In the summer, we offer an outside deck and lawn—perfect for families.

[calicorestaurant.com](http://calicorestaurant.com) | 307-733-2460  
2560 Moose-Wilson Rd, Wilson

## ◀ HATCH TAQUERIA & TEQUILAS

**HATCH PAIRS A FRESH, MODERN MEXICAN CUISINE** with an inviting, lively atmosphere. Over ten different varieties of fresh tacos on house-made, GMO-free corn tortillas. Mexican beers on tap and over 70 tequilas and mezcals behind our bar. Join us for brunch, lunch, cocktails or dinner.

[hatchjh.com](http://hatchjh.com) | 307-203-2780  
120 W Broadway (corner of Glenwood), Jackson



# TETON TREATS



Satisfy your craving for something sweet or savory with one of these downtown delights.

## HÄAGEN-DAZS

### DULCE SPLIT DAZZLER.

Häagen-Dazs' dulce de leche ice cream is a delicious combination of caramel and sweet cream, swirled with ribbons of golden caramel. Add this to warm caramel and bananas and you've got the Dulce Split Dazzler. It's so decadent you won't want to share with anyone!

307-739-1880 | 90 E Broadway, Jackson



## YIPPY I-O CANDY CO.

**FAMOUS FUDGE & TAFFY.** Yippy I-O Candy Co.'s fudge and taffy are a big hit! Visitors and locals alike love to stock up on their favorites to take home or ship across the country. Our saltwater taffy and fudge come in every flavor—the hardest decision is which one to choose!



yippii-ocandy.com | 307-739-3020  
84 E Broadway, Jackson

# ON THE GO!

Grab snacks for hiking, biking or skiing—or stock up on picnic fixings.



## JACKSON WHOLE GROCER & CAFE

**JACKSON'S FAVORITE COMMUNITY-ORIENTED SPECIALTY GROCER** has the area's largest organic, gluten-friendly, vegan and vegetarian offerings. Our award-winning café features handcrafted soup to sushi, plus a coffee/juice bar. Enjoy specialty wines and craft beers by the bottle or glass. Open daily 7 a.m.-10 p.m.

jacksonwholegrocer.com | 307-733-0450  
1155 S Hwy 89, Jackson



## LUCKY'S MARKET JACKSON HOLE

**AT LUCKY'S MARKET**, we're serious about good food without taking ourselves too seriously. Sip on a \$2 pint while you shop our selection of natural, organic and local products. Visit our kitchen for made-in-house dishes, pizza and signature sandwiches.

luckysmarket.com | 307-264-1633  
974 W Broadway, Jackson



# EAT IN JACKSON HOLE



## ALPENHOF

[alpenhoflodge.com](http://alpenhoflodge.com) | 307-733-3242  
3255 W Village Dr, Teton Village

**CLASSIC EUROPEAN CUISINE AT OUR HISTORIC ALPINE-STYLE LODGE**—the ideal spot to linger over delectable dishes paired with our imported wine and beer selection or to cozy up fireside après ski. Enjoy indulgent hors d'oeuvres and wine flights on our intimate deck prior to attending the Grand Teton Music Festival summer concerts.



## BIN22

[bin22jacksonhole.com](http://bin22jacksonhole.com) | 307-739-WINE (9463)  
200 W Broadway, Jackson

**AN INTIMATE WINE, TAPAS BAR AND BOTTLE SHOP**, Bin22 pairs excellent wines from around the world with a well-rounded, small-plate menu of house-pulled mozzarellas, imported meats and cheeses, seasonal salads and more. Perch yourself at the community-style tables inside or outside and enjoy a European-inspired experience.



## BLUE LION RESTAURANT

[bluelionrestaurant.com](http://bluelionrestaurant.com) | 307-733-3912  
160 N Millward, Jackson

**THE BLUE LION HAS SERVED CREATIVE LOCAL BEEF, GAME, LAMB, FISH AND OTHER ECLECTIC ENTRÉES** in a historic home and outdoors on its deck two blocks from the Town Square for 39 years. Early bird special: 20% off when you dine before 6 p.m. and mention this ad. Live acoustic music. Reservations recommended. Ask a local about us!



## BODEGA

[bodegajacksonhole.com](http://bodegajacksonhole.com) | 307-200-4666  
3200 W McCollister, Teton Village

**STOP BY TETON VILLAGE'S QUIANT GROCERY STORE**, bottle shop and food truck for high-quality groceries and provisions, grab-and-go eats, artisan ice cream and more. An in-house butcher, deli and thoughtfully curated bottle shop, all in an existing gas station, make Bodega a must-stop destination.





## THE BUNNERY

bunnery.com | 307-733-5474  
130 N Cache, Jackson

**A LOCAL FAVORITE SINCE 1975**, The Bunnery's breakfast and lunch menus offer an extensive selection of hearty, delicious classics as well as original recipes you'll find nowhere else. Fresh-brewed bottomless coffee, espresso, wines, craft beers and cocktails round out the bill of fare. The bakery counter features the freshest pies, cakes and baked goods, as well as Bunnery Natural Foods' signature O.S.M. products, based on oats, sunflower seeds and millet, available to stay or to go.



## CAFÉ GENEVIEVE

genevievejh.com | 307-732-1910  
135 E Broadway, Jackson

**CAFÉ GENEVIEVE'S HISTORIC LOG CABIN** welcomes diners with inspired home cooking. Serving brunch daily, enjoy Eggs Benedict while people-watching from the deck. In the evening, relax with a hand-crafted cocktail and the famous fried chicken, or choose a wine from the eclectic list with fresh fish and local greens.



## CALICO

calicorestaurant.com | 307-733-2460  
2560 Moose-Wilson, Wilson

**THE CALICO BAR & RESTAURANT'S** inspired pizzas are made-to-order and crafted with love in our fruitwood-burning oven. Calico's delicious menu offers a variety of local, sustainable dishes driven by seasonal produce and humanely sourced game. In the summer, we offer an outside deck and lawn—perfect for families.

# EAT IN JACKSON HOLE



## CUTTY'S BAR & GRILL

[cuttysgrill.com](http://cuttysgrill.com) | 307-201-1079

1140 W Hwy 22, Jackson

**CUTTY'S IS A LOCAL FAVORITE** for authentic cheesesteaks, pizza and drinks. Delicious burgers, hoagies, sandwiches, salads and appetizers are also available. Our full bar always includes local beers on draft. Stop by to enjoy the relaxing atmosphere or call ahead for fast and delicious takeout.



## E.LEAVEN

[eleavenfood.com](http://eleavenfood.com)

175 Center, Jackson | 307-733-5600

**SUNNY AND SPACIOUS**, E.leaven is your family-friendly, fast, casual place for breakfast or lunch. Fuel up to tour downtown, or stop in for a hearty salad or sandwich after touring the park. Open daily from 7 a.m. to 3 p.m. Box lunches and full catering menu available.



## FIGS

[figsjh.com](http://figsjh.com) | 307-733-2200

120 N Glenwood, Jackson

**EXPERIENCE FINE, AUTHENTIC LEBANESE CUISINE** including a wide variety of vegan and vegetarian options, meant to share. Pair your meal with our unique handcrafted cocktails either by the two-story fireplace or at the copper bar inside Hotel Jackson.



## GATHER

[gatherjh.com](http://gatherjh.com) | 307-264-1820

72 S Glenwood, Jackson

**SAVOR MODERN AMERICAN FOOD** with a creative twist, prepared by Jackson Hole's premier chefs. New weekly specials, relaxed atmosphere, daily happy hour, private dining and catering. Be a food critic: Join us for Tuesday Tastings! One block from Town Square and parking garage.

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## THE GRANARY

springcreekcranch.com | 307-732-8112  
800 Spirit Dance, Jackson

**PRESENTING BOTH PANORAMIC VIEWS OF THE TETON RANGE** and cuisine dubbed by *Bon Appétit* as “upscale mountain-man cooking.” The Granary’s menu offers regional fish and game and a discerning wine list. On certain evenings, catch the jazz trio in the upstairs lounge. Offering breakfast, lunch and dinner.



## JACKSON HOLE ROASTERS

jacksonholeroasters.com | 307-200-6099  
50 W Broadway, Jackson

**COFFEE SHOP AND RESTAURANT**—offering breakfast, lunch and dinner. In-house roasted organic coffee. Serving burgers, sandwiches, soups, beer, wine and cocktails. Enjoy outdoor seating and free Wi-Fi.



## GUN BARREL STEAK & GAME HOUSE

gunbarrel.com | 307-733-3287  
862 W Broadway, Jackson

**COME VISIT JACKSON HOLE’S LEGENDARY DINING EXPERIENCE!** Take in the Old West in our rustic lodge atmosphere while indulging in the valley’s finest steak and game, all slow-cooked over an open, river-rock mesquite grill. Open daily at 5:30 p.m.



## THE KITCHEN

thekitchenjacksonhole.com  
307-734-1633 | 155 N Glenwood, Jackson

**THE KITCHEN BLENDS REFINED CULINARY ARTISTRY AND COMFORTING TRADITION** just steps away from the Town Square. Favorites include fresh seafood crudo and seasonal meat and game. The modern American cuisine is complemented by an artisan cocktail program, diverse wine list, contemporary atmosphere and outdoor deck.





## THE MANGY MOOSE

Mangymoose.com | 307-733-4913  
3295 Village Dr, Teton Village

### THE ORIGINAL, WORLD-FAMOUS MANGY MOOSE

offers a variety of delicious, reasonably priced dining options for friends or the entire family. Offering outside deck dining, a one-of-a-kind main dining room, full bar menu, lunch and breakfast with barista service.



## ORSETTO

orsettojh.com | 307-203-2664  
161 Center, Jackson

### ORSETTO SERVES ITALIAN-AMERICAN CLASSICS

in a contemporary setting on Jackson Hole's historic Town Square. Outdoor seating, an all-Italian wine list and full bar round out the experience. Open nightly.



## OSTERIA

jhosteria.com | 307-739-4100  
3335 W Village Dr, Teton Village  
Inside Hotel Terra

**DELIGHT IN OSTERIA'S ENTRÉES** of house-made pasta, oven-fired pizza and other delectable, rustic Italian dishes. This little piece of Italy in western Wyoming presents an unparalleled dining experience—all slopeside in Teton Village.



## PALATE

palatejh.com | 307-201-5208  
2820 Rungius, Jackson  
Inside the National Museum of Wildlife Art

**PALATE, OVERLOOKING THE ELK REFUGE**, is a dining atmosphere unparalleled in the valley. Enjoy a creative lunch experience to match the world-renowned art and the view, daily from 11:30 a.m. to 3 p.m. Patio seating, beer and wine, kids menu. Please contact us for catering and special events.

# EAT IN JACKSON HOLE



## PEARL STREET BAGELS

[pearlstreetbagels.com](http://pearlstreetbagels.com)

307-739-1218 | 145 W Pearl, Jackson

307-739-1261 | 5674 Hwy 22, Wilson

**SAMPLE PEARL STREET BAGELS' 14 VARIETIES OF AUTHENTIC BAGELS**, boiled and baked in the East Coast tradition. We make our dough on-site, and our bagels are baked and served fresh throughout the day, never toasted. Find your favorite today!



## PERSEPHONE

[persephonebakery.com](http://persephonebakery.com) | 307-200-6708

145 E Broadway, Jackson

**LOCATED STEPS FROM JACKSON'S TOWN SQUARE**, Persephone is the local favorite for artisanal breads and pastries, sumptuous breakfasts and satisfying lunches. Try a fresh omelet, schnitzel-wich or smoked-trout salad—or reserve a place at our full-service afternoon high tea.



## PICNIC

[picnicjh.com](http://picnicjh.com) | 307-264-2956

1110 Maple Way, Suite B, Jackson

**VOTED BEST NEW RESTAURANT BY LOCALS!**

Escape the crowds just a few minutes from downtown. This is where locals hang out and enjoy great coffee, pastries, brunches and lunches. Grab a burrito or fresh, pre-made salad on your way to the river or hiking trails.



## PINKY G'S

[pinkygs.com](http://pinkygs.com) | 307-734-PINK (7465)

50 W Broadway, Jackson

**PINKY G'S HAS BEEN VOTED THE BEST PIZZA IN THE VALLEY** since opening in 2011 and was recently featured on the Food Network's program, "Diners, Drive-Ins and Dives." Located only steps from the historic Town Square. Be sure to stop in for a quick slice of New York-style hand-tossed pizza. Full bar, open late and family friendly.



## THE PINSETTER

holebowljh.com | 307-201-5426  
980 W Broadway, Jackson

**NOT YOUR TYPICAL BOWLING ALLEY FARE,** The Pinsetter is the place for a casual midday lunch or dinner with friends. Featuring a curated menu by a gourmet chef of classically made-from-scratch American fare. Kids menu offers \$6 entrées with two sides. Open daily, inside Hole Bowl.



## RENDEZVOUS BISTRO

rendezvousbistro.net | 307-739-1100  
380 S Broadway, Jackson

**SINCE OPENING IN 2001,** RENDEZVOUS BISTRO has maintained its reputation as a local favorite dining spot for any occasion. The French-American menu includes the area's first raw bar and traditional, yet inspired, bistro cuisine. Cozy up inside for what promises to be a memorable Jackson Hole evening.



## PISTE MOUNTAIN BISTRO

jacksonhole.com | 307-732-3177  
Bridger Gondola, Teton Village

**INTRODUCING PISTE MOUNTAIN BISTRO,** JHMR's newest restaurant at the top of the Bridger Gondola. Piste offers an assorted menu of savory, locally sourced dishes. The outdoor deck at Piste features shared plates and signature cocktails, all enhanced by breathtaking views. Reservations recommended.



## ROADHOUSE PUB & EATERY

roadhousepubandeatery.com | 307-739-0700  
2550 Moose-Wilson Rd, Wilson

**CRAFT BEERS AND GASTROPUB CUISINE** meet at Roadhouse Pub & Eatery. Our award-winning beers, versatile menu, summertime patio, family-friendly atmosphere and vibrant energy make Roadhouse the spot to be year-round. And be sure to visit our production brewery on Gregory Lane in Jackson.



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## SILVER DOLLAR BAR & GRILL

worthotel.com/silver-dollar-bar/ | 307-732-3939  
50 Glenwood, Jackson

**RIGHT NEXT TO THE TOWN SQUARE,** The Silver Dollar Bar & Grill puts you in the heart of the action. Our wine list includes a broad range with recommended pairings for the elevated Western cuisine.



## SNAKE RIVER BREWING

snakeriverbrewing.com | 307-739-BEER (2337)  
265 S Millward, Jackson

**KNOWN BY LOCALS AS “THE BREWPUB,”** Snake River Brewing is a laid-back destination for any time of day. Ten taps keep flagship beers flowing while also delivering a wide variety of specialty brews. Hearty burgers, creative salads and artisan pizzas round out the people-pleasing menu.



## SNAKE RIVER GRILL

snakerivergrill.com | 307-733-0557  
84 E Broadway, Jackson

**CELEBRATING OVER 20 YEARS ON THE TOWN SQUARE,** the Grill offers mountain dining in a rustic, elegant setting. Our modern American menu features organic produce, prime steak, wild game and jet-fresh seafood. Our chef is a three-time nominee for James Beard’s “Best Chef Northwest.” Dinner nightly from 5:30 p.m.



## TETON PINES

tetonpines.com | 307-733-1005 x 1  
3450 N Clubhouse, Wilson

**SERVING DELICIOUS FOOD, HAND-SELECTED WINES AND APRÈS DRINKS FOR MORE THAN 30 YEARS.** Beautifully remodeled in 2016, our casual lounge, elegant dining room and heated outdoor deck offer a relaxing, sophisticated atmosphere to enjoy lunch, dinner or cocktails in style.



## TETON THAI

tetonthaivillage.com | 307-733-0022  
7342 Granite Loop, Teton Village

**FOR MORE THAN 16 YEARS**, Teton Thai has offered traditional Thai food prepared by authentic Thai cooks. Our location in Teton Village is a quaint, 30-seat restaurant and patio complete with a bar and full liquor license. Teton Thai is consistently voted the best Thai food, vegetarian option and takeout in the valley.



## TETON TIGER

tetontiger.com | 307-733-4111  
165 N Center, Jackson

**INSPIRED BY FAR EAST ADVENTURES** and the desire to consume healthy, flavorful food—from Asian street noodles and wok-seared rice dishes to traditional tandoori meats in savory curries—our Thai, Chinese, Korean, Japanese and Indian dishes all incorporate local ingredients. From the minds behind Teton Thai.



## THAI ME UP

thaijh.com | 307-733-0005  
75 E Pearl, Jackson – Just off the Town Square

**THAI ME UP OFFERS LOCALLY CRAFTED BEER THROUGH MELVIN BREWING**, modern curry dishes, classic Thai noodles and killer brew food. Come relax, enjoy the vibe and drink some of the best beer in the world! Food is available until 11 p.m.



## WHITE BUFFALO CLUB

whitebuffaloclub.com | 307-734-4900  
160 W Gill, Jackson

**READY TO BE WOWED?** Invigorate your palate with savory USDA Prime steaks, market-fresh seafood and an extensive wine and spirits list. Our menu highlights seasonal selections using locally sourced ingredients. From intimate dinners to festive events, a night at the White Buffalo Club is guaranteed to be memorable.





# STAY

## THE LODGE AT JACKSON HOLE

[lodgeatjh.com](http://lodgeatjh.com) | 800-458-3866  
80 Scott, Jackson

**THE NEWEST IN LUXURY LODGING RESTS IN THE HEART OF JACKSON HOLE.** This resort recently completed a multimillion-dollar renovation project, boasting lavish room enhancements and state-of-the-art amenities. The comfortable rooms, in a modern Western style, provide the perfect accommodations for relaxation, adventure and anything in between.



# THE RUSTIC INN CREEKSIDE RESORT & SPA

[rusticinnatjh.com](http://rusticinnatjh.com) | 800-323-3866  
475 N Cache, Jackson

**OUTDOOR ENTHUSIASTS AND HEDONISTS ALIKE** can indulge in the lavishly appointed historic accommodations and luxury cabins at The Rustic Inn Creekside Resort & Spa. Enjoy luxurious resort amenities, a revitalizing spa, innovative cuisine and year-round Wyoming activities in an idyllic setting.

STAY

# WHERE IS THE BEST PLACE TO HANG YOUR HAT?

Anywhere—you're in Jackson Hole! That being said, it really depends on what you're looking for and what region of the valley you'd like to call your temporary home. [jht.guide/stay](http://jht.guide/stay)



## Town of Jackson

Some of the advantages of choosing lodging in the town of Jackson include easy access to restaurants—from casual eateries to decidedly upscale dining establishments—and a multitude of shops. There are also a number of venues to enjoy live music and theater just steps away from your downtown hotel. Other perks include the rodeo grounds, museums and art galleries. Snow King Mountain, which offers both day and night skiing in the winter and numerous activities and events throughout the year, is located on the southern edge of town. Jackson is also a short drive from Jackson Hole Airport and Grand Teton National Park.

The widest range of accommodations is found in town, too, from charming B&Bs to budget motels.

## Teton Village

Your other major lodging choice is Teton Village, the home of Jackson Hole Mountain Resort and many of the valley's largest and most amenity-packed hotels. "The Village" is the happening place to be during the ski season, with its own enviable roster of shopping and restaurant options.

In the winter you have instant access to the ski resort without the hassle of parking—simply carry your skis to the base lift of your choice and off you go into the powder! During the summer months a stay in The Village is quieter, but imbued with expansive views and a mountain feel.

Teton Village is very pedestrian-friendly, so you don't need a car to go anywhere within it. The START bus provides regular service to and from the town of Jackson. And the southwestern entrance to Grand Teton National Park is only minutes away.

## West Bank/Mid-Valley

Condominiums and overnight suites are available in the Aspens/Teton Pines area 4 miles south of Teton Village.

Spring Creek Resort, which sits atop East Gros Ventre Butte, is 3 miles west of the town of Jackson and offers a range of overnight and weekly accommodations. Its next-door neighbor, Amangani, caters to the even more luxury-minded.

Scattered throughout the valley are B&Bs, guest ranches, cabins and private homes to rent. Check out [vrbo.com](http://vrbo.com) and [Airbnb.com](http://Airbnb.com) for the latter option or go to [jacksonholetraveler.com](http://jacksonholetraveler.com) for more suggestions.

## Grand Teton National Park

To experience Grand Teton National Park to its fullest, many people choose to stay within its boundaries in the summer. This offers you the opportunity to be close to what the park has to offer while still being able to travel back and forth to Jackson for other activities and in-town dining.

There are a number of lodging options, from camper cabins in Colter Bay and historic cottages at Jenny Lake Lodge to a full-service resort at Jackson Lake Lodge and an honest-to-goodness dude ranch, the Triangle X, which is the only lodging open in the park in the wintertime!

No matter where you choose to stay while on vacation in Jackson Hole, the Teton Range watches over you. So any choice is the right choice.





## Camping

Many campgrounds in the national parks and surrounding Jackson Hole area are first-come, first-served. All will give you incredible views and fresh mountain air—and memories to last a lifetime. The following is a brief overview of your options. For more details and contact info, go to [jacksonholetraveler.com](http://jacksonholetraveler.com).

### BRIDGER-TETON NATIONAL FOREST:

Campgrounds normally open in late May and close in early September, depending on the weather. (A favorite spot is Curtis Canyon, just minutes from downtown, overlooking the entire National Elk Refuge.) Improved camping in designated sites is available for \$12 to \$15 per night.

**GRAND TETON NATIONAL PARK:** There are seven campgrounds throughout the park. Camping fees range from \$20 to \$35 a night for tent sites and can be more than \$60 for some RV campsites.

**GROS VENTRE WILDERNESS AREA:** For those seeking a true wilderness experience, the Gros Ventre Wilderness Area east of Jackson offers free camping in primitive sites with spectacular views of the Tetons.

**YELLOWSTONE NATIONAL PARK:** Daily camping fees range from \$15 for basic sites to more than \$40 in campgrounds with improved facilities for RVs.



## RV Parks

**GRAND TETON NATIONAL PARK:** There are two trailer/RV-specific campgrounds located in Colter Bay and at Flagg Ranch. Three other campgrounds have electric hookups available.

### JACKSON HOLE CAMPGROUND/

**FIRESIDE RESORT:** Full hookups, pull-through at each site and dump station.

**JACKSON HOLE/SNAKE RIVER KOA:** Open April 15<sup>th</sup> through October 15<sup>th</sup>; full hookups with Wi-Fi; pets allowed.

**THE VIRGINIAN:** Open May 1<sup>st</sup> through October 15<sup>th</sup>; 104 sites, full hookups, water, dump station, electricity, pull-through sites, swimming pool, laundry and showers.



### TRAVELER TIP

Visiting Jackson Hole in the off season (April and May, September to mid-November) means great deals on lodging—in some cases up to 50% less.



## ALPINE HOUSE LODGE & COTTAGES

[alpinehouse.com](http://alpinehouse.com) | 307-739-1570  
285 N Glenwood, Jackson

**A LOVINGLY MAINTAINED EUROPEAN-STYLE INN** offering 22 rooms and five stand-alone cottages. A daily breakfast at “the cutest breakfast spot in town” and on-site spa and sauna mean you’ll feel right at home.



## HOTEL JACKSON

[hoteljackson.com](http://hoteljackson.com) | 307-733-2200  
120 N Glenwood, Jackson

### SITUATED IN THE HEART OF DOWNTOWN

**JACKSON**, Hotel Jackson redefines the art of Western hospitality, providing an extraordinary luxury, boutique hotel experience. LEED-built, it is the town’s only *Forbes* four-star, AAA four-diamond and TripAdvisor Travelers’ Choice award-winning property.





## JACKSON HOLE HIDEOUT

[jacksonholehideout.com](http://jacksonholehideout.com) | 307-733-3233  
6175 Heck of a Hill, Wilson

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## RENDEZVOUS MOUNTAIN RENTALS

307-739-9050 or 888-739-2565  
3610 N Moose-Wilson Rd, Wilson

**RENDEZVOUS MOUNTAIN RENTALS** has more than 40 years of property management and booking expertise, ensuring you a worry-free vacation rental experience while visiting Jackson Hole. Our helpful, local staff will provide all the details you need to make the most of your stay.



## RUSTY PARROT

[rustyparrot.com](http://rustyparrot.com) | 307-733-2000  
175 N Jackson St, Jackson

**THE RUSTY PARROT** has been named one of the top Jackson Hole luxury hotels in the world by *Condé Nast Traveler*. It is also home to the AAA four-diamond award-winning Wild Sage Restaurant and Body Sage Spa.



## SPRING CREEK RANCH

[springcreekranch.com](http://springcreekranch.com)  
307-733-8833 | 800-443-6139  
1800 Spirit Dance, Jackson

**LOOKING FOR AN ALL-INCLUSIVE GUEST RANCH EXPERIENCE?** We offer trail riding, private wildlife tours, luxurious spa treatments and wintertime dinner sleigh rides. Enjoy the rustic elegance of our lodge and deluxe cabins, plus our Granary restaurant's floor-to-ceiling Teton views.



## TRIANGLE X RANCH

[trianglex.com](http://trianglex.com) | 307-733-2183  
2 Triangle X Ranch, Moose

**HAVE THE PARK TO YOURSELF AT TRIANGLE X RANCH**, the only guest ranch located entirely within Grand Teton National Park and the only lodge open there during the winter! Comfy cabins, fine dining and activities—all at a family-owned guest ranch established in 1926.



## WHITE BUFFALO CLUB

[whitebuffaloclub.com](http://whitebuffaloclub.com) | 307-734-4900  
160 W Gill, Jackson

**LOCATED IN THE HEART OF JACKSON**, our luxury boutique property boasts one of the most premium locations amidst all Jackson Hole properties. Numerous amenities and eccentric guest services make The White Buffalo Club truly one of the best lodging options Jackson has to offer.



## WILDFLOWER LODGE

[jhwildflowerlodge.com](http://jhwildflowerlodge.com) | 307-222-4400  
3725 Shooting Star, Wilson

**THE WILDFLOWER LODGE IS A LUXURY RETREAT NEAR TETON VILLAGE** where you will enjoy an unmatched culinary experience offered by our private chef in a large, mountain-modern accommodation, nestled in a private setting.



## THE WORT HOTEL

[worthotel.com](http://worthotel.com) | 307-733-2190  
50 N Glenwood, Jackson

**SINCE OPENING IN 1941, THE WORT HOTEL HAS EXEMPLIFIED HISTORIC CHARM** while providing graciously appointed accommodations and four-star service, making it Jackson Hole's finest boutique hotel. The Wort features 55 guest rooms, including five Western-theme suites.

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Jackson Hole and Grand Teton National Park

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Inn on the Creek	Inn	innonthecreek.com	800-669-9534
Lexington at Jackson Hole	Hotel	lexingtonhoteljacksonhole.com	307-733-2648
Lodge at Jackson Hole	Hotel	lodgeatjh.com	800-458-3866
Rustic Inn Creekside Resort	Resort	rusticinnatjh.com	800-323-9279
Rusty Parrot Lodge	Lodge	rustyparrot.com	888-739-1749
Spring Creek Ranch	Resort	springcreekranch.com	800-443-6139
White Buffalo Club	Inn	whitebuffaloclub.com	888-256-8182
Wort Hotel	Hotel	worthotel.com	800-322-2727

## GRAND TETON NATIONAL PARK

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Jackson Lake Lodge	Resort	gtlc.com/lodges	307-543-3100
Jenny Lake Lodge	Resort	gtlc.com/lodges	307-543-3100
Headwaters Lodge at Flagg Ranch	Resort	gtlc.com/lodges	307-543-2861
Signal Mountain Lodge	Resort	signalmountainlodge.com	307-543-2831
Triangle X Ranch	Dude Ranch	trianglex.com	307-733-2183

## TETON VILLAGE/ WEST BANK

Alpenhof Lodge	Lodge	alpenhoflodge.com	307-733-3242
Bentwood Inn	Inn	bentwoodinn.com	307-739-1411
Fireside Resort	Resort	firesidejacksonhole.com	307-733-1177
Four Seasons Resort	Resort	fourseasons.com/jacksonhole	307-732-5000
Hotel Terra	Hotel	hotelterrajacksonhole.com	307-201-6065
Jackson Hole Hideout	B&B	jacksonholehideout.com	307-733-3233
Rendezvous Mountain Rentals	Vacation Homes	rmrentals.com	888-739-2565
The Hostel	Hotel	thehostel.us	307-733-3415
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