

WHAT'S HAPPENING MARCH



VAIL MOUNTAIN CLOSING DAY APRIL 24

[DISCOVERVAIL.COM](http://discovervail.com)

Official Website of the Town of Vail for events, happenings, and things to do!

VAIL APRÈS

March 1 – April 24

Turn up the volume on Vail Après this Spring. Check out live music and festive theme parties spread across town from March through closing day!

4pm DAILY - All Winter Long

After a day of adventure, join in on the second awakening of our quaint alpine villages as bells ring to signify the start of Vail's après ski. Kick off your skis, explore the Villages and enjoy Signature Specials while you reminisce on the day's best moments with family and friends.

discovervail.com/apres

WINTER WEDNESDAY ART WALK

MARCH 2 & 16

Vail Village Welcome Center, 11:00am

Enjoy a free one-hour public art tour of Vail. The tour winds its way through the Village with discussions of the history of the Vail Valley, the founding of Vail mountain, the master planning of the Village, and the importance of site-specific art. The town of Vail's public art collection includes over 55 works of art. 970.479.2344 or artinvail.com

PROJECT FUNWAY

MARCH 5

Dobson Ice Arena, 6pm - 10pm

Project Funway astounds and delights audiences of all ages! Imaginative, brilliant, one-of-a-kind fashion designs of "anything but fabric" parade the runway in this unique fundraising event. projectfunway.org

TRAIL'S END TREATS AT GOLDEN PEAK

MARCH 5 & 19, 1:00 - 4:00pm

A picture-perfect airstream being towed by a truck/SUV will anchor the space and be the hub for F&B service, while Adirondack chairs, picnic tables, bistro lighting and lawn games will create a welcoming slope-side gathering space for skiers of all abilities in Golden Peak.

10th MOUNTAIN LEGACY PARADE

MARCH 4

Mountain Plaza, 7pm

Watch skiers dressed in traditional 10th Mountain Division Ski Trooper uniforms perform a Torchlight Ski Down to the base of Gondola One, followed by a parade of military veterans. Vail's Colorado Snowsports Museum will stay open after the parade for guests to visit and learn about Colorado's ski history through the 10th Mountain Division exhibit, the most comprehensive of its kind in the world and a showing of the film "Climb to Glory."

970.754.8245 or vail.com

VAIL VETERANS PROGRAM

Winter Mountain Adventure

MARCH 6 - 11

Wounded Veterans benefit from four days of private adaptive ski and snowboard lessons with PSIA-AASI certified instructors. Guests benefit from group lessons with PSIA-AASI instructors. This program builds confidence and independence in wounded Veterans. When participants reach the top of the mountain, it is symbolic of their ability to accomplish anything, despite a severe injury.

vailveteransprogram.org

VAIL YETI HOCKEY

MARCH 11, 12, 18, 19 & 26

Dobson Ice Arena, 7:50pm

Semi-pro hockey returns to Vail with the Vail Yeti Hockey team hitting the ice once again this winter. Dobson Ice Arena plays host to the home team as well as many top teams across the nation. vailyetihsoccer.com

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KRUEGER FAMILY SHAMROCK SHUFFLE SNOWSHOE RACE

MARCH 12

The eighth annual Vail Recreation District Krueger Family Shamrock Shuffle 5K and 10K races and the kids' 1K fun run will celebrate all things green in the spirit of St. Patrick's Day! Taking place on the Vail Nordic Center trails, the event includes race categories for snowshoes and Yaktrax, as well as a non-prize-eligible running shoe category.

vailrec.com/sports-activities/vail-race/vail-grail/shamrock-shuffle-snowshoe-race

THE STEADMAN CLINIC VAIL CUP

MARCH 26

Ski & Snowboard Club Vail (SSCV) presents a fun, family-oriented complimentary competition series on Vail Mountain. It is open to the public for children year of birth 2006 and younger with skiers and snowboarders are welcome. vailcup.com

SKI & SNOWBOARD CLUB VAIL FAMILY FUN DAYS

MARCH 27

Come enjoy a day curated by the Ski and Snowboard Club Vail for families to showcase the broader lifelong-love-of-ski culture embedded in the core of the valley. *Pre-registration required at least 2 days in advance of the event.

vailtownseries.com

- 10:30am - 12:30pm
Lower Golden Peak
Duals and timed courses
Ski/ride around area
- 2:00pm - 3:30pm
Golden Peak Expansion
Ski/ride around area (t-bar access)
- 4:00pm - 5:30pm
SSCV Clubhouse Patio
Après Food and non-alcoholic drink

IMAGINATION STATION

DAILY 10am - 12pm, 12:30pm - 2:30pm & 3pm - 5pm

Located on 2nd floor of Lionshead Parking Structure. Imagination Station features a thoughtful play space to integrate physical and cognitive learning. For children 2-12 years old and their families. \$25 for a group of 6 per session. Reserve your time slot.

970.479.2292 or vailrec.com

BETTY FORD GARDENS

EDUCATION CENTER OPEN 10am - 4pm, DAILY

At 8,250 feet above sea level, the spectacular Betty Ford Alpine Gardens in Vail, Colorado is the highest and one of the most visited botanical gardens in North America. Providing free access to over 100,000 visitors annually, the Gardens delight and educate with each changing season. Offering visitors beautiful streams and waterfalls, golden aspens during the change of the season, and peaceful hibernation while snow covers the ground. Current Exhibition: From Platte to Peak

970.476.0103 or bettyfordalpinegardens.org

- SELF-GUIDED SNOWSHOE TOUR
Daily, 10am - 3pm
\$5 snowshoe rental
- GUIDED SNOWSHOE TOUR
Tuesday, 10:30am
\$10 per person includes snowshoe rental
Reservations required

COLORADO SNOWSPORTS MUSEUM

DAILY, 11am - 6pm

The Colorado Snowsports Museum is a world-class museum, unique gift shop and intimate theater. Located on the third level of the Vail Village Parking Structure.

970.476.1876 or snowsportsmuseum.org

- VAIL HISTORY TOUR
TUESDAYS & THURSDAYS
11am - 12pm | \$5 per person
- TALES OF THE 10th
MARCH 4, 4:00pm
Join at the Museum with authors and historians that present the stories of the 10th Mountain Division soldiers. Upon returning from World War II, 10th Mountain Division veterans contributed significantly to the sport of skiing in North America
- THROUGH THE LENS SPEAKER SERIES
5:30pm (In-Person or Virtual)
 - March 2
Cheryl Jensen - How it all Began: The Vail Veterans Program
 - March 16
Erik Lambert - Bluebird Backcountry and the Future of Skiing
 - March 23
Rudi Hartmann - Winter Sports and Wildlife
 - March 30
Billy Fiske - Air Force to Aspen

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VAIL PUBLIC LIBRARY

MONDAY - THURSDAY: 10am - 8pm

FRIDAY - SUNDAY: 11am - 6pm

Located on the in-town bus route, the library includes over 52,000 fiction, non-fiction, visual media, and audio books, plus more than 300 magazine subscriptions and newspapers in print or electronic format. Free computer stations and WIFI. 970.479.2184 or vaillibrary.com

- IN-PERSON STORY TIME
MONDAY, WEDNESDAY & THURSDAY
11:00am - 12:00pm
- VIRTUAL YOGA VIA ZOOM
MONDAY, WEDNESDAY & FRIDAY
11:30am - 12:30pm
- STORYWALK AT BIGHORN PARK (EAST VAIL)
An innovative and delightful way for children and adults to enjoy reading and the outdoors at the same time! vaillibrary.com/storywalk

VAIL MOUNTAIN TOURS

This is an opportunity to ski with a Mountain Host guide with extensive knowledge of Vail Mountain, its trails, and its ever-changing conditions. 970.SKI.VAIL or vail.com

MOUNTAIN TOURS

- FRONTSIDE TOURS
Sunday - Friday, departs at 10:30am
Top of the Eagle Bahn Gondola
- BACK BOWLS / BLUE SKY BASIN TOURS
Tuesday & Thursday, departs at 10:30am
The Legacy Hut at the top of Chair 4
- WOMEN'S WINTER ADVENTURE TOURS
Monday & Wednesday, departs at 10:30am
The Legacy Hut at the top of Chair 4
- LEGACY TOURS
Tuesday & Thursday, departs at 1:00pm
The Legacy Hut at the top of Chair 4

(Intermediate skiers/riders or above recommended for all tours.)

NATURE DISCOVERY CENTER

OPEN WEDNESDAY - SATURDAY

Explore an array of natural history exhibits about local wildlife such as ravens, weasels, lynx and black bears. Snowshoe tours are also offered. Accessed via the Eagle Bahn Gondola out of Lionshead, the Nature Discovery Center is in a yurt and is adjacent to the Eagle's Nest building. All visitors must have a valid ski pass or Vail Scenic Ride Ticket in order to ride the gondola.

970.754.4675 or walkingmountains.org

- Snowshoe Tours (ages 10 & older)
Wednesday - Saturday
11:00am - 12:00pm
2:00pm - 3:00pm
FREE (reservations and lift ticket required)

BOWLING

Deca + Bol offers a unique dining and family entertainment experience. With a full-service dining room and sixty-foot bar, we also have an ace up our sleeve with ten lanes of bowling glory. At Solaris Vail on East Meadow Drive.

970.476.5300 or decabolvail.com

VAIL GYMNASTICS CENTER

Tumble, bounce, and cartwheel at the Vail Gymnastics Center, a 9,000 square-foot, state-of-the-art facility, which houses martial arts, trampoline, fencing and gymnastics for all ages. Walk-in guests are welcome to join classes and visiting competitive gymnasts can join the team for practices while in the area. Drop-ins are welcome.

970.479.2287 or vailrec.com

- ADULT / TEEN OPEN GYMNASTICS
MONDAY & THURSDAY, 8pm - 9pm
\$10 per person
- KIDS OPEN GYMNASTICS
TUESDAY & FRIDAY, 3:30pm - 4:30pm
\$10 per child (ages 5-13)
- TODDLER OPEN PLAY
MONDAY & THURSDAY, 10:45am - 11:45am
FRIDAY, 10am - 11am
\$10 per child (walking up to age 5)

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VAIL NORDIC CENTER

When snow blankets the Vail Golf Club, it becomes the full-service Vail Nordic Center. Glide along 17 kilometers of daily-groomed skate and classic track, or snowshoe on 10 kilometers of scenic trails. Check out 13k of fat bike trails and fat bike rentals. The exceptional staff offers daily lessons on classic and skate skiing and specialty clinics on technique and tuning for adults and children, plus a wide variety of rental equipment is available.

970-476-8366 or vailrec.com/vail-recreation/nordic

VAIL REC ADULT OPEN GYM

- **MONDAY - BASKETBALL**
Red Sandstone Elementary School
6pm - 8pm
\$5 per person
970.479.2279 or vailrec.com
- **FRIDAY - VOLLEYBALL**
Red Sandstone Elementary School
6:30pm - 9:30pm
\$5 per person
970.479.2279 or vailrec.com

ICE SKATING

- **ALDERHOF ICE RINK (Arrabelle)**
Located in Lionshead Village
Ice skate rentals available. 970.754.7777
- **SOLARIS ICE RINK**
Located in Vail Village
Ice skate rentals available. 970.479.7132
- **DOBSON ICE ARENA**
Conveniently located in the middle of Lionshead and Vail Village, on the in-town bus route on West Meadow Drive across from the Vail Public Library. Visit vailrec.com for public skating & activity time schedules.
 - Bumper Cars!
Slide, spin and bump your friends on ice!
15-minute rides \$10 per person
 - Public Skate
\$3 for ages 4 & under; \$6 for ages 5 to 12
\$7 for ages 13 & older
Skate rentals \$3 per person
 - Stick & Puck Hockey
\$7 per person, must bring a helmet

VAIL SYMPOSIUM

Affordable, thought-provoking, and diverse programs for all. The Vail Symposium is a non-profit organization that has been part of the life and history of Vail since 1971. Their mission is to provide educational programs for the Vail Valley community that are thought-provoking, diverse, and affordable.

970.476.0954 or vailsymposium.org

- **MARCH 1, 6:00-7:30pm**
Invisible Bad Guys: Cybersecurity and Crypto Terrorism
- **MARCH 7, 6:00-7:30pm**
Founders of Vail: Rod Slifer in Conversation With Terry Minger
- **MARCH 15, 6:00-8:00pm**
Mountainfilm on Tour - Vail
- **MARCH 23, 6:00-7:30pm**
Scott Pelley of 60 Minutes: Values Matter and the Truth Is Worth Telling
- **MARCH 29, 6:00-7:30pm**
Back on Track: The Colorado Economic Outlook

RELIGIOUS

Vail Interfaith Chapel - vailchapel.com
B'nai Vail Services - bnaivail.org
Chabad Vail - jewishvail.com
Alpine Resort Ministries Mountaintop Worship Services
Eagle's Nest and Two Elk Lodge
Sundays 12:30pm - 1pm
alpineresortministries.com/eagle-county

VAIL WELCOME CENTERS

DAILY, 9am - 5pm

Visit with our friendly and knowledgeable staff. Get local advice and browse our extensive supply of brochures and magazines. vailgov.com/visiting/welcome-centers

- *Lionshead Welcome Center*
Located on the bottom level of the Lionshead Parking Structure. 970.477.3523
- *Vail Village Welcome Center*
Located on the top deck of the Vail Village Parking Structure. 970.477.3522

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