

WHAT'S HAPPENING AUGUST



[DISCOVERVAIL.COM](https://www.discovervail.com)

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

GERALD R FORD AMPHITHEATER

The majesty and splendor of the Rocky Mountains meets world-class entertainment.

970.845.8497 or [grfavail.com/events](https://www.grfavail.com/events)

- AUGUST 9 | SLIGHTLY STOOPID
- AUGUST 15 | THE BEACH BOYS
- AUGUST 16 | WALKER HAYES
- AUGUST 17 | O.A.R. WITH FITZ & THE TANTRUMS
- AUGUST 18 | YONDER | RAILROAD | SALMON

VAIL DANCE FESTIVAL

JULY 26 – AUGUST 5

Celebrating 36 years of creativity and collaboration, the Vail Dance Festival returns with 13 thrilling performances and numerous special events across the beautiful Vail Valley. Don't miss the Dance Theatre of Harlem, Limon Dance Company, Colorado Ballet, DanceAspen, and Cleo Parker Robinson Dance join individual artists from national and international companies for a season including 7 world premieres. The festival is pleased to announce Sara Mearns of New York City Ballet and acclaimed choreographer Jamar Roberts as the 2024 Artist-In-Residence.

[vaildance.org](https://www.vaildance.org)

VAIL WINE CLASSIC

AUGUST 8 – 11

Elevate your wine experience at the Vail Wine Classic – where every ticket is VIP and every wine tastes better in fresh mountain air. Taste from hundreds of high-end wines, spirits and beers nestled in Vail.

Over the weekend the Classic will feature robust Grand Tastings, intimate paired wine dinners, panels of experts, and wines from around the world. The Vail Wine Classic is your chance to grow your knowledge and enjoy top quality food and wines from vineyards around the world. Join us for good food, wine, and outdoor adventures to create a weekend in Vail you'll never forget.

[vailwineclassic.com](https://www.vailwineclassic.com)

HOT SUMMER NIGHTS CONCERT SERIES

TUESDAYS

Moe's Original BBQ Hot Summer Nights is a FREE annual concert series hosted on Tuesdays at 6:30 pm throughout the summer at the Gerald R. Ford Amphitheater (The Amp). Gates will open at 5:30 pm.

[grfavail.com/hot-summer-nights/](https://www.grfavail.com/hot-summer-nights/)

- AUGUST 13 | ALLEN STONE
- AUGUST 20 | KARL DENSON'S TINY UNIVERSE
- AUGUST 27 | LINDSAY LOU

LIONSHED LIVE!

Lionshead Live! is a FREE music series hosted on select Thursdays beginning at 6 pm throughout the summer. This inaugural season is presented by the Town of Vail and Toyota. Access to food and drink will be provided. Located in the heart of Lionshead Village, at the Arrabelle Square under a tent. Music series 6 pm – 8 pm. Encore sets at The Tavern 8 pm – 10 pm.

[discovervail.com/event/lionshead-live](https://www.discovervail.com/event/lionshead-live)

- AUGUST 1 | JOEY GULIZIA
- AUGUST 8 | JOHNNY & THE MONGRELS
- AUGUST 15 | LOCAL BAND
- AUGUST 22 | TIM & TAYLOR
- AUGUST 29 | BILL MCKAY BAND

SOLARIS SUNSET SERIES

TUESDAYS

Vail's newest summer party at the Solaris Plaza with live music outdoors on select Saturdays at 6:30 pm – 9:30pm. Listen to sweet tunes, dance outside, and enjoy cocktails. This is a free family friendly event series with no ticket necessary!

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- AUGUST 3
- AUGUST 10

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VAIL COMEDY SHOW

The Vail Comedy Show brings nationally touring comedians to Vail that have been featured in film and television, like Late Night with Stephen Colbert on CBS, CONAN, HBO, Comedy Central, NBC, and more.

vailcomedyshow.com

- AUGUST 15 | 8 pm | NATHAN MACINTOSH
Gambit @ The Sebastian

ART WALK

WEDNESDAYS 11 am

Enjoy a free one-hour public art tour of Vail each Wednesday of the month starting July 3 through August 28. Meet at the Vail Village Welcome Center on the top level of the Vail Village parking structure.

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's public art collection includes over 70 works ranging from paintings, sculptures, murals, playground components, to site-integrated art.

artinvail.com

TOWN OF VAIL ART SERIES

Town of Vail is excited to offer art programs in partnership with the Alpine Arts Center. Come create with events that are fun, social, and open to all ages (unless noted).

discovervail.com

- HAT PAINTING | AUGUST 20 | 3:30 pm
Gerald R Ford Amphitheater "The Amp"

BRAVO! VAIL MUSIC FESTIVAL

JUNE 20 – AUGUST 1

The Bravo! Vail Music Festival brings world-renowned musicians to picturesque venues throughout Vail for nearly seven weeks, drawing music lovers from around the world. It's the only festival in North America to host four of the world's finest orchestras in a single season, Bravo! Vail celebrates its 37th season this summer!

bravovail.org

VAIL JAZZ PARTY

AUGUST 30 – SEPTEMBER 1

Once more, with feeling! The Vail Jazz Party is back to celebrate 30 years of musical excellence and education in a new location, the Manor Vail Lodge. Join us in this effervescent tribute and thank you to everyone who has helped create and build three decades of memories. The Vail Jazz Party features a lineup with several headliners that join together to play in group performances, and multi-artist jam sessions.

vailjazz.org

VAIL FARMERS MARKET FARM-TO-TABLE DINNER SERIES

AUGUST 9

Please join us for a chef-crafted dinner, sourced from the fields of Colorado farmers, featuring seasonal and local ingredients. Dinner will be held rain or shine at the Donovan Pavilion so please dress accordingly and bring your sense of outdoor culinary adventure. Reservations required.

vailfarmersmarket.com/farm-to-table

VAIL KIDS ADVENTURE GAMES

AUGUST 8-11

The Kids Adventure Games is a nationwide, multi-discipline adventure race for kids.

kidsadventuregames.com

VRD DYNAFIT TRAIL RUNNING SERIES

- AUGUST 3: VAIL HILLCLIMB : BERRY PICKER

vailrec.com

VRD MOUNTAIN BIKE TOWN SERIES

- AUGUST 28: VAIL GRIND

vailrec.com

VAIL VETERANS PROGRAM GOLF IN THE ROCKIES

AUGUST 19 – 23

Wounded Veterans benefit from five days of an unforgettable golf experience. Participants play several championship golf courses, attend golf clinics provided by PGA teaching professionals, and connect over group meals and evening activities. This program encourages participants to bond with one another over a shared passion, allowing them to depart the Vail Valley with lifelong friendships and a newly developed community of mutual support.

vailveteransprogram.org

COLORADO SNOWSPORTS MUSEUM

DAILY | 10 am – 6 pm

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
TUESDAY & THURSDAY
11 am – 12 pm | \$10 per person
- YOGA
THURSDAY'S
8:30am – 9:30am | \$15 per person

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THURSDAY MEADOW MARKET

4 pm – 7 pm

The Meadow Market is entering its premier year on Thursdays this summer and located at the International Bridge / Willow Bridge Road. Vendors are focused on more produce and take-home goods, along with rotating artisans weekly, and live music for all. Enjoy eating local, supporting local, and buying local.

vailfarmersmarket.com

VAIL FARMERS' MARKET & ART SHOW

9:30 am – 3:30 pm

The Vail Farmers Market is entering 24 years in Vail on Meadow Drive. The event started with a few tents and now has grown to over 148 tents for 16 Sundays of the summer. Our vendors have been handpicked with our guests in mind. Enjoy strolling down East Meadow Drive in Vail while tasting treats from Colorado.

vailfarmersmarket.com

BETTY FORD ALPINE GARDENS

GARDENS OPEN 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. The Gardens are open year-round, offering visitors beautiful streams and waterfalls, golden aspens during the change of the season, and peaceful hibernation while snow covers the ground. The current exhibition is Dinosaurs Among Us. 970.476.0103 or bettyfordalpinegardens.org

- EDUCATION CENTER
DAILY | 10 am – 4 pm
- EXHIBIT | DINOSAURS AMONG US
- GARDEN TOUR
MONDAY, THURSDAY & SATURDAY
10:30 am – 11:30 am
\$15 (Tickets Required)
Meet at Education Center
- YOGA IN THE GARDENS
MONDAY, WEDNESDAY & FRIDAY
9 am – 10 am | \$20 (Cash Only)
- HISTORY & BOTANICAL KNOWLEDGE OF THE NATIVE UTES
AUGUST 7 | 4 pm – 6 pm
\$20 (Tickets Required)
Meet at Education Center

- FINDING YOUR INNER BOTANICAL ARTIST
AUGUST 14 | 10 am – 3 pm
\$30 (Tickets Required)
Meet at Education Center
- VOLUNTEER GARDENING
MONDAY & THURSDAY
9 am – 12 pm

VAIL NATURE CENTER

MONDAY-SATURDAY

9 am – 5 pm

This seven-acre facility, in the heart of Vail, is a tranquil gem to explore the web of trails along Gore Creek or come inside to learn from the exhibits and knowledgeable staff.

970.479.2291 or www.walkingmountains.org

- WILDFLOWER WALK
MONDAY – THURSDAY THRU AUGUST 15
11 am – 12 pm | Free (Reservations Required)
- VAIL NATURE WALK
MONDAY – SATURDAY
2 pm – 3 pm | Free (Reservations Required)
- EVENING BEAVER POND TOUR
MONDAY & WEDNESDAY
7 pm – 8:45 pm | \$10 (Reservations Required)
Meet at the public parking lot off of Big Horn Drive
- CREEKSIDE NATURE TOUR
SUNDAYS
11 am – 12 pm & 1:30 pm – 2:30 pm | Free (Reservations Recommended)
Meet at Walking Mountains Science Center booth at Vail Farmers' Market

NATURE DISCOVERY CENTER

WEDNESDAY-SUNDAY

10 am – 3:30 pm

Located at the top of the Eagle Bahn Gondola and operated by the Walking Mountains Science Center.

970.754.4675 or walkingmountains.org

- MODERATE NATURE HIKE
WEDNESDAY-SATURDAY
10:30 am – 12 pm
Ages 12+ | Free (Lift Ticket Required)
- EASY NATURE HIKE
WEDNESDAY-SATURDAY
1 pm – 2 pm
All Ages | Free (Lift Ticket Required)

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EPIC DISCOVERY

Located at the top of the Eagle Bahn Gondola.
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- Forest Flyer Mountain Coaster
- Bungee Trampoline
- Eagle's Nest Tubing
- Marmot Mini Kids Tubing
- Kid's Zipline
- Paramount Peak Climbing Wall
- Mini Golf

FREE COMMUNITY YOGA @ SOLARIS

SATURDAYS 9 am – 10 am

Awaken your energy and breathe in the fresh mountain air with this lighthearted, fun, and free yoga class taught by Vail's top yoga teachers from the Gravity Haus. Bring your own yoga mat or towel, sunscreen, water, and friends. Event is rain or shine.

dryland.fitness/vail

MOUNTAIN TOP YOGA

SATURDAYS 10:30 am – 11:30 am

Mountain Top Yoga returns for Summer 24. Grab your friends and start your day off taking in mountain top views with a zen mindset. Classes take place every Saturday on the lower level of the Mid-Vail Deck. Mountain Top Yoga tickets are available at the Vail Village Ticket Office.

vail.com

- Yoga mats are provided if needed.
- Ticket with 24/25 EPIC Pass: \$10
Ticket with Scenic Gondola Ticket Included:\$69

VAIL GOLF CLUB

Highlighted by views of the Gore Mountain Range, Vail's mountain-style, 18-hole course features unique fairways, smooth putting surfaces and a scenic layout amidst the White River National Forest.

970.479.2260 or vailrec.com

- SWING TIPS & SIPS
TUESDAYS AUGUST 6, 13
5:30 pm – 6:30 pm
\$30 per person (Reservations Required)
- LADIES, LESSONS & LIBATIONS
THURSDAYS AUGUST 1, 8, 22
5:30 pm – 6:30 pm
\$30 per person (call to RSVP)
- SENIOR CLINIC
SUNDAYS AUGUST 4, 11, 18
10 am – 11 am
\$30 per person (call to RSVP)

BILL WRIGHT TENNIS CENTER

The Bill Wright Tennis Center offers a slice of heaven, eight Har-Tru clay courts, and four hard courts with the Gore Range as a stunning backdrop. Open daily in the summer, the Tennis Center includes a full-service pro shop that rents racquets and courts, offers private lessons, and provides clinics for all ages. 970.479.2294 or vailrec.com

- MONDAYS & THURSDAYS | CARDIO TENNIS
9 am – 10 am
- TUESDAYS | DOUBLES CLINIC
9 am – 10am
- TUESDAYS | MEN'S DOUBLES
10 am – 12 pm
- WEDNESDAYS | LADIES DOUBLES
10 am – 12 pm
- SATURDAYS | LEARN TO PLAY
8:45 am – 9:45 am
- SATURDAYS | MEN'S FLIGHT A & B DOUBLES
10 m – 12 pm
- SUNDAYS | MIXED DOUBLES
10 am – 12 pm

GOLDEN PEAK PICKLEBALL CENTER

One of the finest outdoor pickleball facilities on the Western Slope, the Golden Peak Pickleball Center features six dedicated pickleball courts, generous spacing around each court, a shaded seating area, drinking fountain water bottle filling station and bathroom facilities.

970-390-2952 or vailrec.com

- INTRODUCTION TO PICKLEBALL
MONDAY
3 pm – 5 pm
- OPEN PLAY
DAILY
8 am – 12 pm & 5 pm – 8 pm
- COURT RESERVATIONS
MONDAY – FRIDAY | 3 pm – 8 pm
SATURDAY – SUNDAY | 3 pm – 5 pm

VAIL PUBLIC LIBRARY

MONDAY-THURSDAY | 10 am – 8 pm

FRIDAY-SUNDAY | 11 am – 6 pm

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

- STORYTIME
MONDAYS & WEDNESDAYS | 11 am
- JOY OF JOURNALING: SUMMER SERIES
AUGUST 7 | 6 pm – 7 pm
- EVENINGS OF ENGAGEMENT: Acoustic Eidolon
AUGUST 21 | TBD
- 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! Featuring the title "The Collectors" by Alice Feagan.
vaillibrary.com/storywalk

VAIL GYMNASTICS CENTER

Tumble, bounce, and cartwheel at the Vail Gymnastics Center, a 9,000-square-foot, state-of-the-art facility that 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

IMAGINATION STATION

OPEN WEEKDAYS: 9 am – 11 am, 11:30 am – 1:30 pm, 1:45 pm – 3:45 pm (subject to availability)

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. \$12 per child and \$6 per adult (17+). Reservations required.

970.479.2292 or vailrec.com

DOBSON ICE ARENA

Conveniently located between 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. 970.479.2271

BOWLING

Deca+Böl offers a unique dining and family entertainment experience. With a full-service dining room and a 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

RELIGIOUS

Vail Interfaith Chapel – vailchapel.com/

B'nai Vail Services – bnaivail.org/

Chabad Vail – jewishvail.com

VAIL WELCOME CENTERS

DAILY | 9 am – 5 pm

Visit our friendly and knowledgeable staff.

vailgov.com/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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