



# SNOWMASS

COLORADO



*That's the Beauty  
of Snowmass*

## The Great Outdoors

**MAROON BELLS:** The most photographed peaks in North America, the Maroon Bells are known for their rugged splendor and varied hiking trails, but many visitors opt to spend the day enjoying a picnic beside picturesque Maroon Lake followed by a moderate hike to Crater Lake.

**OUTDOOR ADVENTURE:** The white water rafting, kayaking, stand up paddle-boarding, Jeep tours, hiking, biking, rock-climbing, gold medal fly-fishing, golf, horseback riding, hot-air ballooning and paragliding combine with the fresh air and gorgeous natural surroundings to create the perfect place to get outside and explore.

## Experience the Wild West

**SNOWMASS RODEO:** This authentic Western event includes fun for the whole family with bull riding, barrel racing, team roping, kids' activities and more. Celebrating over forty years this summer, the Snowmass Rodeo is the oldest continuously running rodeo in Colorado. (Wednesday nights, Mid-June to Mid-August).

**ASHCROFT GHOST TOWN:** Founded in the spring of 1880 during the silver boom, the town of Ashcroft was home to nearly 2,000 people and had newspapers, saloons, sawmills, and a school. Today it is maintained by the Aspen Historical Society and is open year round for free, self-guided tours.

## Culture and Cuisine

**DINING:** With over 130 restaurants Aspen & Snowmass offer a wide variety of choices from pub grub to haute cuisine and new options appearing every season. Award-winning chefs focus on local ingredients and farm to table dining whenever possible and the local brewery guarantees you freshly made brews for every palate.

**SHOPPING:** From international designer brands to local shops - the choices in Aspen & Snowmass appeal to a wide variety of tastes and budgets. Shopping in Aspen & Snowmass is on par with metropolitan cities and is unparalleled in any other mountain destination with designer labels such as D&G, Fendi, Gucci and Prada.

**EVENTS & FESTIVALS:** Aspen & Snowmass are home to dozens of events during the summertime. With culinary and wine festivals, cultural and historical events, season-long music festivals, adventure races and the annual balloon festival, there is something for everyone in Aspen & Snowmass.

# SUMMER HIGHLIGHTS



# 10-DAY ITINERARY

## Day 1-3: Denver to Estes Park

Fly into DIA, collect your car and enjoy the beautiful scenery on your way to Estes Park, the base camp for adventures in Rocky Mountain National Park. (78 mi, 1.5 hours) Visitors will enjoy park tours & scenic drives, wineries & breweries, wildlife watching and more.

## Day 4-6: Estes Park to Glenwood Springs

Drive to Glenwood Springs and visit the world's largest Hot Springs, which is 125 years old. Visitors will also enjoy the Adventure Park, Mountain Tram, and Caverns & Fairy Cave tours. (210 mi, 4 hours)

## Day 6-8: Glenwood Springs to Aspen/Snowmass

Drive to Aspen/Snowmass (39 mi, 45 min)

### DAY 6

- White water rafting or fly fishing on the Roaring Fork River with picnic lunch on the river
- Horseback ride in Snowmass White River National Forest
- Snowmass Gondola ride and dinner on top of Snowmass Mountain at the Elk Camp restaurant

### DAY 7:

- Morning hot air balloon ride above Snowmass
- Light walk around the historic Ashcroft Ghost Town
- Shopping in Aspen or a round of golf
- Wine & Dine in Aspen
- Classical Music at the Benedict Music Tent

### DAY 8:

- Maroon Bells scenic hike and photo opportunity
- Tour of Anderson Ranch Arts Center, with lunch
- Downhill bike ride or scenic hike in Snowmass
- Snowmass Rodeo and BBQ dinner

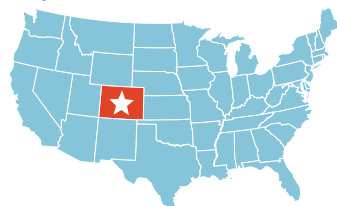
From here you can fly out of Aspen Airport, return to DIA or continue on.

**Day 9-10: Continue on to Moab, Utah (237 mil, 3.5 hours) or continue your Colorado adventures. Fly out of any major airport.**



**Situated at 8,000 feet above sea level, Aspen & Snowmass are tucked away in Colorado's Elk Mountain Range at the southeast end of the Roaring Fork Valley.**

Aspen & Snowmass are served by the Pitkin County Airport, only 6 miles from Snowmass and 3 miles from Aspen, it is the most convenient mountain-resort airport in the US. Additionally we are only 70 miles from Eagle County Regional Airport and 220 miles from Denver International Airport (DIA), only a 4 hour drive.



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