

# SKI the VOLCANO at MT BACHELOR

*With 4,300 acres of diverse terrain with 8 high speed quads, 462 average inches of snowfall and easy air access via Redmond, Oregon (RDM), your downhill adventure awaits*

BEND, OR – Just 20 miles west of Bend, Ore., sits Mt. Bachelor, a stunning, dormant volcano with unique, diverse terrain accessed by 12 chairlifts (eight high-speed quads). With 4,318 acres of lift-accessible terrain, Mt. Bachelor, a POWDR company, the sixth-largest ski resort in the U.S., is known for its light, dry snow, long seasons, and access for families.

The winter season at Mt. Bachelor typically thrives from Thanksgiving to Memorial Day, thanks to a reliable 462-inch average snowfall. Mt. Bachelor caters to all ability levels with terrain ranging from gently sloping groomers to steep, ungroomed tree skiing. From the 9,000-foot summit, guests can ski or ride any direction with 360 degrees of powder-filled options. Surrounded by the tall hemlocks and pines of the Deschutes National Forest and breathtaking views of the Three Sisters and other Cascade peaks, the experience at Mt. Bachelor is unlike any other.

Amenities at the resort include lesson services, rentals, demos, dining, events, and Gravity Sports, a large specialty retail shop. Other on-snow activities include Iditarod sled dog rides, snow tubing and free snowshoe tours in addition to a cross-country facility with up to 56 kilometers of trails and the longest groomed Nordic season in North America.

Mt. Bachelor's close proximity to Bend and Sunriver make lodging options, nightlife and other outdoor pursuits easily accessible. Lodging choices include everything from luxury resorts to hotels, condos and houses. Central Oregon is also known as "Beervana," with an iconic craft brewery scene and endless après ski options.

Getting to Mt. Bachelor and Central Oregon has never been easier. Redmond Municipal Airport (RDM) is just 20 minutes away from Bend and is served by Alaska, Allegiant, American, Delta and United with nonstop flights from Chicago, Denver, Las Vegas, Los Angeles, Phoenix, Portland, Salt Lake City, San Francisco, and Seattle. The airport is so close to Mt. Bachelor that you can fly and ski or snowboard on the same day.

#### What's New for Winter 2019-20

Mt. Bachelor offers a fun, new and engaging guest experience for the 2019-20 season that includes a Woodward Mountain Park with expanded learning terrain, enhancements to Sunrise lodge, and improvements to how guests park and access the mountain, which will make it easier for visitors to enjoy the resort's year-round adventure.

Offered in partnership with Woodward, an experiential action sports company also owned by POWDR, the Mt. Bachelor Woodward Mountain Park reinvents the way people experience an already amazing mountain. Only available at POWDR resorts starting with Mt. Bachelor in 2019-20, Woodward Mountain Park features includes easy skill development in the Start Park; family-focused fun in the Adventure Zone, Progression Park and Family Cross Run; and freestyle terrain parks that progress from small to medium and large. Guests can choose their own pathway and set their own pace to building personal skill and adventure within every zone.

To enable progression at every level, the Mt. Bachelor Woodward Mountain Park encompasses new terrain and infrastructure including three new lifts: one new fixed-grip quad chairlift and two new covered conveyor carpets.

Upgrades to the Sunrise lodge and base area include modernized restroom facilities, a remodeled rental shop to add capacity and quicken the rental process, new kitchen equipment and a reconfiguration of the food court that that will allow for an enhanced menu and faster service, and new furniture, paint and décor throughout the building.

Mt. Bachelor also added a third parking lot in the Sunrise base area that increases parking capacity by 50 percent. The new lot, with an initial capacity of 300 cars, sits below the existing lower Sunrise lot and will provide guests with quick and easy access to the new chairlift.

As conditions permit, the Mt. Bachelor Woodward Mountain Park will be open every day. There is not an extra fee to experience the Woodward Mountain Park. Access is available with a regular lift ticket or season pass to the mountain.

#### Summer at Mt. Bachelor

Mt. Bachelor finishes one of the longest winter seasons in the world with a "Sunchaser Spring" celebration during April and May that includes the one-of-a-kind festival, "RendezVan" and a finale weekend of pond skating.

Then, after the snow melts, summer comes alive at Mt. Bachelor with a new three-stage zip line that will be the Northwest's highest-elevation zip adventure when it opens in June 2020. Designed as a multi-stage tour that allows customers to explore the unique volcanic terrain via three zip line spans, riders will fly over open bowls and off-piste terrain previously only accessible to advanced skiers and snowboarders in winter.

On the ground, passionate mountain bikers and thrill seekers can test their ability and push their limits during an adrenaline-pumping ride down the mountain on more than a dozen downhill bike trails.

For a more relaxing experience in the summer, enjoy an elegant Sunset Dinner featuring gourmet Northwest cuisine and spectacular twilight views.

#### More Information

Save time and money by pre-purchasing Mt. Bachelor lift tickets, equipment rentals and other services online.

Mt. Bachelor planned to open for the winter season the week of Thanksgiving, if conditions allow. With a planned closing date of Sunday, May 24, Mt. Bachelor intends to offer once again one of the world's longest ski and snowboard seasons.

With 462 inches of snowfall on average, Mt. Bachelor has reliable snow year after year. The mountain prides itself on consistently operating through the month of May season after season, providing an excellent spring skiing experience.

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