

**WINDSOR SKI & SNOWBOARD CLUB**

**TELLURIDE, COLORADO, USA** 🛷

**JANUARY 28<sup>TH</sup> – FEBRUARY 4<sup>TH</sup>, 2023**



*It is a place of legend, nestled at the end of a lush canyon and surrounded by some of Colorado's most rugged peaks. Nowhere else in the country, or perhaps the world, does such a place exist. It is embraced for its authentic mountain character, unpretentious attitude, and celebration of adventure in the most beautiful spot of the Rocky Mountain high country.*

## CHECKING IN ...

January 28, 2023    American Airlines    Flight #2491    Detroit to Dallas Fort Worth  
9:00am – 11:22am  
Flight #665    Dallas Fort Worth to Montrose  
12:45pm – 2:10pm

February 4, 2023    American Airlines    Flight #2950    Montrose to Dallas  
10:42pm – 1:49pm  
Flight #1890    Dallas to Detroit  
5:05pm – 8:36pm

Your American Airlines Flight Confirmation #SDPSII

**Please confirm flight information for delays beforehand!**

### **Check-In**

Check in **24 hours prior** to the flight at <https://www.aa.com/homePage.do>. To alleviate some stress at the airport, I strongly urge people to pay for their luggage and their ski/snowboard bags at this time. You can pay for your bags at <https://www.aa.com/i18n/travel-info/baggage/baggage.jsp#prepaidbags>. You can only pay for bags online starting 24 hours and up to 4 hours before departure. AA will send an email confirmation with instructions on where to drop bags at the airport.

Suggested arrival time at the airport is at least 2 hours prior to departure.

Please be sure all checked pieces have a name tag and are checked to MTJ (Montrose Airport's code).

Although American Airlines claims they accept cash, Detroit Metro and Montrose are "cashless stations". If you are checking your bags at the airport, credit card payments only.

### **Baggage Fees**

*Changes to bag limitations have been updated as of April 26, 2022*

**Carry-on** is free. It may not exceed 45 linear inches (114 cm) in combined length, width and height including handle and wheels. Size limit is 22" x 14" x 9" (56 x 35 x 23 cm). It must fit in the sizer at the airport. Soft-sided garment bags up to 51 inches / 130 cm (length + width + height) can also be taken as your carry-on item.

- Liquids, gels and/or aerosols are carried through security checkpoints must fit in one clear, re-sealable quart or liter-sized plastic bag, in containers of 3.4oz/100ml or less. Plastic bags must be completely sealed and will be x-rayed at the security checkpoint separately. Passengers are

permitted to take liquids, gels, and/or aerosols purchased in the boarding area onboard the aircraft.

- Label your carry-on the same way you do checked bags in case overhead storage is limited and they need to check your bag during boarding.

**First bag** under 50 lbs. (23kg) \$30.00 US one way

**Second bag** under 50 lbs. (23kg) \$40.00 US one way

**Overweight bags** 51-70 lbs (23-31.75 kg) \$100.00 US one way

**Ski/snowboard equipment** 1 pair of skis (or 1 snowboard) and 1 equipment bag will count as 1 checked item. You can travel with:

- 1 pair of skis with poles or a snowboard
- 1 pair of ski or snowboard boots / bindings
- 1 helmet

The maximum linear size (length + width + height) is 126in/320cm, and the maximum weight is 70lbs/32kgs, subject to the airplane size and available cargo space. Standard checked bag fees of your destination apply up to 50lbs/23kgs and 126in/320cm (length + width + height (oversize fees don't apply)). If the equipment bag exceeds 50lbs/23kgs and 62in/158cm, it will be charged as a separate checked bag and standard overweight and oversize fees will apply. If the equipment bag contains anything other than approved items, then it will be charged as a standard checked bag, and additional oversize and overweight charges may apply. You may be asked to open your bag at the airport.

***If you would like an N-95 mask, please see Monique at the airport.***

**Don't forget your passport! Government-issued picture identification is required at check-in.**

**Don't forget your proof of vaccination for the Detroit/Windsor border crossing.**

**Did you pack your Epic Pass in your carry on?**

## GETTING THERE ...

Upon arrival in Montrose, claim your luggage from the baggage carousel. Condo Captains please see Dave or Monique for the location of the shuttle and direct your group.

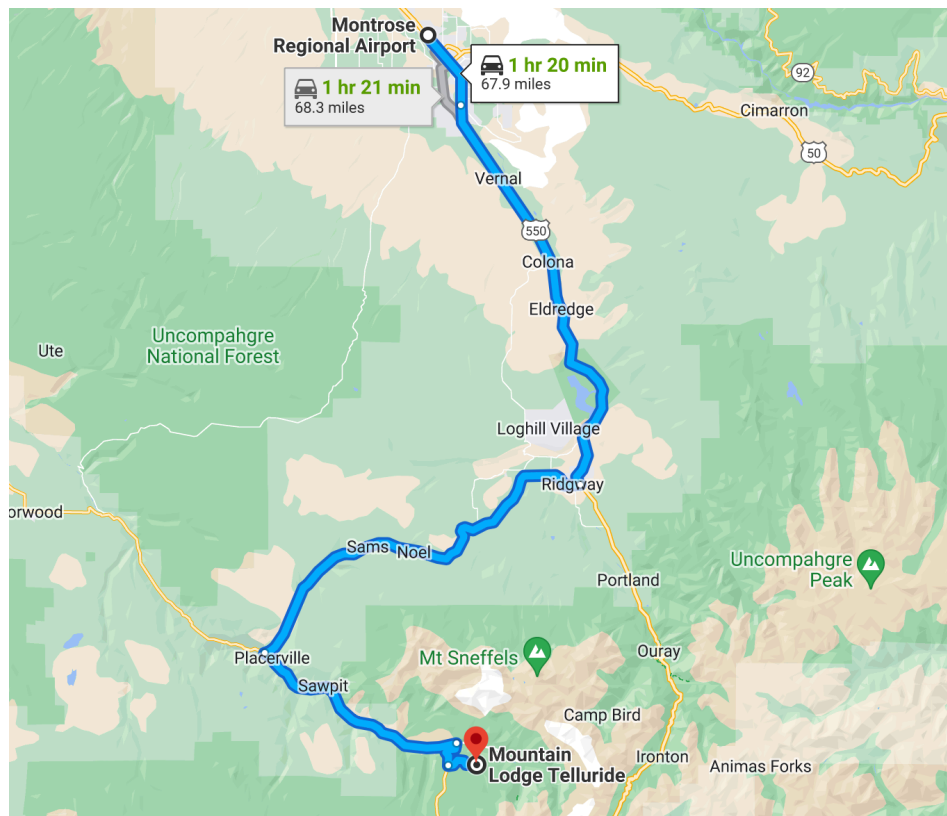
Telluride Express shuttle will take us from the Montrose Airport to Telluride. The drive time is approximately 1 hour and 20 minutes. We will pass around the cap for gratuities for the shuttle driver.

We will be making a “quick” 30-minute grocery and liquor stop en route at:

City Market  
16400 Townsend Ave.  
Montrose, CO 81401

Please only get the necessities as we are limited to time and room on the bus. There is also a grocery stores near the resort and several in Telluride. We recommend that you pack reusable grocery bags in your carryon with your name on it.

You can also pre-order your groceries online at: [City Market](#).



## HISTORY OF TELLURIDE

Telluride is the county seat and most populous town of San Miguel County in the southwestern portion of the U.S. state of Colorado. The town is a former silver mining camp on the San Miguel River in the western San Juan Mountains. The first gold mining claim was made in the mountains above Telluride in 1875, and early settlement of what is now Telluride followed. The town was founded in 1878 as "Columbia", but due to confusion with a California town of the same name, was renamed Telluride in 1887 for the gold telluride minerals found in other parts of Colorado. These telluride minerals were never found near Telluride, but the area's mines for some years provided zinc, lead, copper, silver, and other gold ores.

Telluride sits in a box canyon. Steep forested mountains and cliffs surround it, with Bridal Veil Falls situated at the canyon's head. Numerous weathered ruins of old mining operations dot the hillsides. A gondola connects the town with its companion town, Mountain Village, Colorado, at the base of the ski area. Telluride and the surrounding area have featured prominently in popular culture, and it is the subject of several popular songs. It is especially known for its ski resort and slopes during the winter, as well as an extensive festival schedule during the summer, including the Hot Air Balloon festival, which traditionally occurs the first weekend in June.

The Telluride Historic District, which includes a significant portion of the town, is listed on the National Register of Historic Places and is also one of Colorado's 20 National Historic Landmarks. The town population was 2,607 in the 2020 United States Census.

Gold was first discovered in Colorado near present-day Denver, setting off the Pike's Peak gold rush of 1858. The Smuggler gold vein above Telluride, and placer gold in the San Miguel River, were discovered in 1875. John Fallon made the first claim in Marshal Basin above Telluride in 1875 and early settlement of Telluride followed.

Telluride began slowly because of its isolated location. In 1881, a toll road was opened by Otto Mears, which allowed wagons to go where only pack mules could go before. This increased the number of people in Telluride, but it was still expensive to get gold-rich ore out of the valley.

In June 1889, Butch Cassidy, before becoming associated with his gang, the "Wild Bunch", robbed the San Miguel Valley Bank in Telluride. This was his first major recorded crime. He exited the bank with \$24,580, and later became famous as a bank robber.

In 1891, the Rio Grande Southern Railroad, also begun by Mears, arrived in Telluride, eventually building a two stall engine house, water facilities, a section house and a bunkhouse, sidings and a depot. It continued further up the valley to end its Telluride branch at Pandora, serving the mines and the town until 1952. The cheaper and consistent transportation for passengers and freight allowed miners and goods to flow

into the San Miguel town and ore to flow out to the mills and foundries elsewhere. This brought a brief but unprecedented boom to Telluride before the Panic of 1893.

Around the turn of the 20th century, there were serious labor disputes in the mines near Telluride. The Colorado National Guard was called out and there were deaths on both sides. Unions were formed as miners joined the Western Federation of Miners in 1896.

Telluride's labor unrest occurred against the backdrop of a statewide struggle between miners and mine owners. Bulkeley Wells was one mine operator considerably hostile to the union. The disappearance of mine guard William J. Barney, which Wells declared a "murder", created much intrigue and national interest. The accusations, animosity, gunplay, and explosions which followed were part of an ongoing struggle throughout Colorado's mining communities which came to be called the Colorado Labor Wars.

In 1891, Telluride's L. L. Nunn joined forces with George Westinghouse to build the Ames Hydroelectric Generating Plant, an alternating current power station, near Telluride. The plant supplied power to the Gold King Mine 3.5 miles away. This was the first successful demonstration of long-distance transmission of industrial grade alternating current power and used two 100 hp (75 kw) Westinghouse alternators, one working as a generator producing 3,000 volt, 133 Hertz, single-phase AC, and the other used as an AC motor. This hydroelectric AC power plant predated the Westinghouse plant at Niagara Falls by four years. Nunn and his brother Paul built power plants in Colorado, Utah, Idaho, Montana, Mexico, and the Ontario Power plant at Niagara Falls on the Canadian side. Nunn founded Deep Springs College in 1917. Each year, the Telluride Tech Festival honors Nunn, inventor Nikola Tesla, and Westinghouse, along with current day technology and science leaders.

Telluride's most famous historic mines are the Tomboy, Pandora, Smuggler-Union, Nellie, and Sheridan mines. When the mine officially closed, the snow which tormented Telluride's miners became the town's new source of income, in the form of skiing and tourism. The documentary video "the YX factor" chronicles the transition from mining to skiing and the influx of "hippies" in the late 1960s and early 1970s in the words of local residents and commentators such as Peter Yarrow and Tom Hayden.

Mining was Telluride's only industry until 1972, when the first ski lift was installed by Telluride Ski Resort founder Joseph T. Zoline and his Telluride Ski Corporation Telco. Along with his mountain manager, Telluride native Bill "Sr." Mahoney, they slowly and thoughtfully put together a plan for sustained development of Telluride and the region. As mining phased out and a new service industry phased in, the local population changed sharply. Mining families fled Telluride to settle in places like Moab, Utah, where uranium mining offered hope of continued employment. Mining families were replaced by what locals referred to as "hippies", young people with a 1960s worldview that often clashed with the values of Telluride's old-timers. These newcomers were characterized as idle

"trust funders" drawn to the town for a casual lifestyle and outdoor excitements such as hang gliding, mountain climbing, and kayaking.

The new population opposed town growth and economic expansion, including growth due to tourism and skiing. At one point, a serious effort was made to ban cars from the city limits and force visitors to use horse-drawn carts. The 1970s had fluctuating snowfalls and economic recession, but the town's music and film festivals flourished. They exposed hundreds of thousands to the grandeur of the valley for the first time and created iconic associations with elite entertainers. Meanwhile, ski area founder Joe Zoline worked to develop one of the best mountains in North America for expert skiers and created infrastructure for tourism that respected Telluride's need to stay small.

As the final ore carts were rolling out of the Pandora mine, tourists began to discover Telluride's views, skiing, and autumn color changes. After the brutal snow drought of 1976 nearly wiped out the embryonic ski and lodging industry, the town started to rebound economically. In 1978, Ron Allred and his partner Jim Wells bought a stake of the ski area to form the Telluride Company. They expanded the infrastructure by adding a gondola connecting Telluride with the Mountain Village.

In 1971 the Telluride Council for the Arts and Humanities was founded. TCAH founded over the years a number of festivals which include: The Telluride Film Festival; Telluride Bluegrass Festival; Telluride Mountainfilm Festival; Telluride Tech Festival; Telluride Jazz Festival; Telluride Chamber Music Festival and the Countdown to New Years held in front of the San Miguel County Courthouse to welcome in the New Year at Midnight on Main Street. The Grateful Dead played Telluride on August 16 and 17, 1987, riding the recent success of *In the Dark*.

During the 1980s, Telluride developed a reputation as "Colorado's best-kept secret", which paradoxically made it one of the better-known resort communities. Wealthy skiers flocked to the mountain all winter, and sightseers kept hotel rooms full all summer.

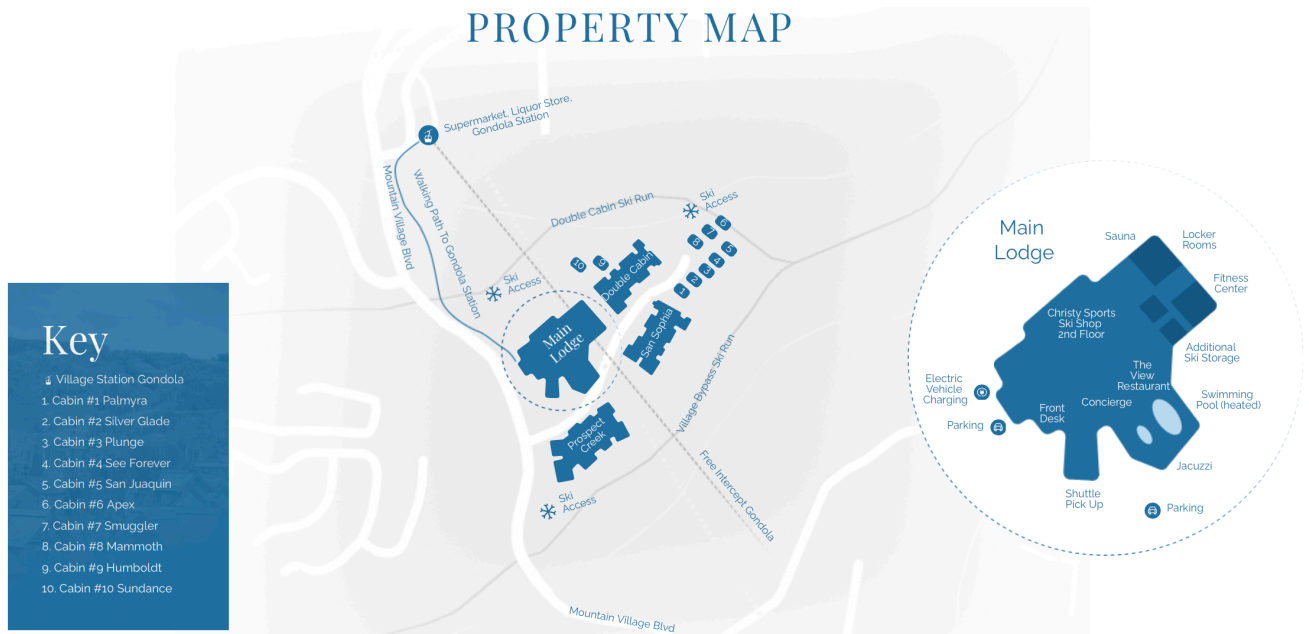
Telluride also became notorious in the drug counterculture as a drop point for Mexican smugglers and a favorite place for wealthy importers to enjoy downtime. The town was even featured in the hit song by Glenn Frey from *Miami Vice*, "Smugglers Blues". Telluride was living up to its Wild West history. This type of attention helped differentiate it from Aspen. The festivals and Telluride's bad-boy image attracted celebrities like Tom Cruise, Oprah Winfrey, and Oliver Stone.

By the mid-1990s, Telluride had shed both its mining personality and drug image to establish itself as a premier resort town balancing modern culture with fascinating western history. In 2003, Prospect Bowl, an extension to the ski area opened, providing the resort with many new trails and runs. In 2007–08, the ski area opened some of the most extreme, in-bound, hike-to terrain in the country.

## LODGING

Telluride Mountain Lodge  
457 Mountain Village Blvd.  
Telluride, CO 81435  
Front Desk (970) 369-5000  
Phone (866) 368-6867

*“Set above the Victorian mining town of Telluride, amid the spectacular peaks and magnificent canyons of the San Juan range, Mountain Lodge Telluride is a retreat built for adventure seekers. Experience a mountainside refuge that’s just a scenic gondola ride from the vibrant town center. Boasting the convenience of fully furnished units along with modern resort amenities, this is where the allure of the mountains finds its way home.”*



Two-Bedroom Condos feature open-concept living and dining area, gas fireplace, private balcony, kitchen, and two full bathrooms. Each suite is also equipped with Wi-Fi, HD flat screen tv with cable (HDMI cables and DVD players are available at the front desk (a fee will be charged to your room for lost or unreturned items), coffee/tea maker, ipod docking stations, bathrobes, ironing board and iron, and a humidifier and fan.



Upon arrival Condo Captains will check-in at the front desk and provide a credit card for telephone charges, damage deposit and incidentals. The hotel will take a \$75 per day, \$525 total, incidental hold on the credit card provided. This is not a charge on your card, just a hold for incidentals which is released upon check-out. In order to facilitate a faster check in process the hotel concierge may call the condo captains prior to arrival. They will take a credit card authorization over the phone, or if you prefer check in will be held until arrival.

**Welcome Reception: Saturday, January 28<sup>th</sup> 6:00pm - 7:00pm.**

Sam Barnes will attend and give an orientation on the ski resort, Mountain Lodge and exciting events in Telluride. Location to be provided on arrival.

**At the Lodge**

- Ski-in/ski-out accommodations
- Ski lockers & storage –
  - Racks can be found at the entrance of all three of the guest buildings, as well as on ski trail access points within the Lodge. Locks are available for rent for \$25 from the Front Desk.
  - Lockers are available in the lobbies of all three of the guest buildings which can be rented for \$25 from the Front Desk. Lockers can accommodate approximately 2 pairs of skis and gear.
  - The Self-serve ski-valet area is located just outside of the fitness room in the Lodge. This area includes a boot dryer room allowing guests to simply drop their skis/snowboards onto a rolling rack and walking inside to swap their boots for shoes. These rolling racks are stored and locked inside at night and brought out by 7:30am every morning.
- Concierge services – The concierge can be reached at (970) 369-6116. He can recommend dinner reservations, book transportation and any of Telluride's local experiences. Reservations, bookings, and services made by the concierge may be charged directly to your room.
- The View restaurant – (970) 369-6012
- Outdoor heated pool & hot tubs – Located in the Main Lodge Building and are open from 7:00am - 10:00pm
- Fitness center & steam room - Open 24/7
- Ice machines and coin-operated laundry facilities – Prospect Creek's amenities are located on the top floor across from the elevator; San Sophia & Double Cabin's amenities are located on the main floor across from the elevator
- Free lodge shuttle to designated stops
- Ski rental at onsite Christy Sports

**Internet**

Network: MtnLodgeTelluride

Password: Telluride!

### **The View Restaurant**

Located a few steps from the lobby, the restaurant serves Latin and Mediterranean inspired cuisine amidst a vaulted 50-foot-high timbered dining room with windows boasting spectacular views of the San Sophia Range. Serving Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner + Weekend Brunch. Or finish your day on Double Cabin run and stop at The View for apres ski spirits & nibbles! *Dinner reservations are recommended.* Book through OpenTable [OpenTable.com](https://www.opentable.com) or visit the Concierge. For menu's go to <https://www.mountainlodgetelluride.com/theview>

Breakfast	7:30 - 11:00am
Sunday Brunch	11:30 - 3:00pm
Lunch	12:00 - 3:00pm
Apres Ski	3:00 - 5:00pm
Dinner	5:00 - 9:00pm

### **Equipment Rental**

Christy Sports

457 Mountain Village Blvd.

(At the Mountain Lodge)

(970) 369-5267

<https://www.christysports.com/rental-referrers/rental-referral-SPORTOURS.html>

Hours:

Daily 8:00am - 6:00pm

Christy's offers Mountain Lodge guests up to 25% off walk in rates

### **High Elevation Tips 9,500 ft**

Drink plenty of water and/or electrolytes as dehydration and altitude sickness is very common when adjusting to the higher altitude. Wear sunscreen with at least SPF 30, as the higher altitude exposes the skin to 40% higher radiation. Be careful with alcohol consumption, as effects of dehydration with alcohol are more severe in high altitude. Appreciate the views!

# TRANSPORTATION

## The Gondola

The towns of Telluride and Mountain Village are linked by a spectacular, 13-minute ride on a free gondola. The Gondola operates Sunday through Thursday 6:30am – Midnight. On certain weekends, the gondola will stay open until 2:00am on Friday and Saturday. There are three primary stations where you can board and unload:

- Station Market Plaza
- Station Mountain Village – access in Mountain Village Core
- Station St. Sophia (mid mountain stop) – access to ski resort trails and runs
- Station Telluride (Oak Street) – access in Telluride

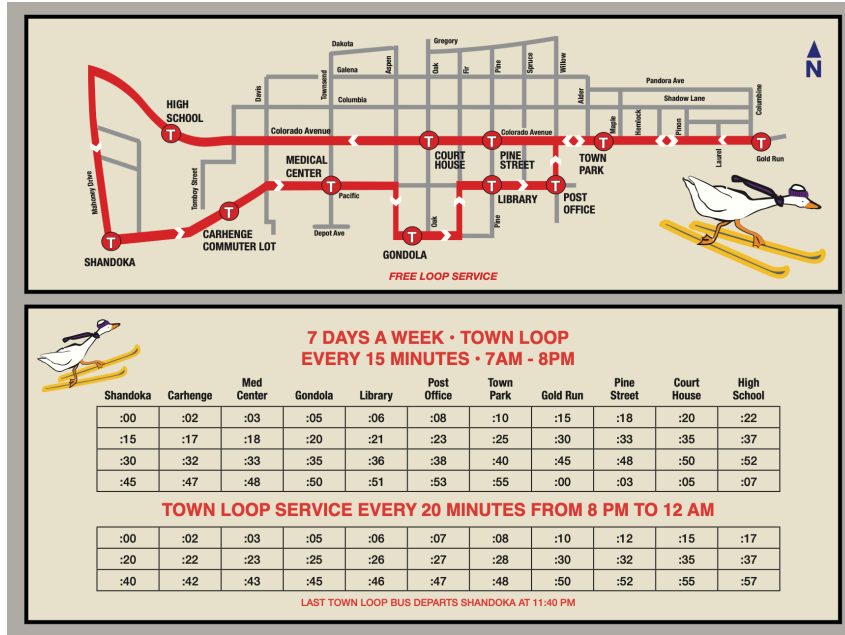
## Mountain Lodge Shuttle

This complimentary service operates from 7:00am - 11:00pm. Call the Front Desk (“0”) to request a ride or go to the lobby and they will schedule one for you. From Mountain Village call directly (970) 369-6001 to arrange for pickup from one of the three locations:

- Mountain Market – Gondola Station, Market + Parking Structure
- Blue Mesa – Near Poachers Pub + La Piazza)
- Centrum - Near the Peaks + Conference Center

## The Galloping Goose

The Galloping Goose Transit System is a free fixed route transportation system funded by the Town of Telluride. Galloping Goose buses, run a loop around Telluride every 20 minutes from 7:00am to midnight.



**Telluride Express Taxi** – 888-212-TAXI or 970-728-6000



## **TELLURIDE & MOUNTAIN VILLAGE RESTAURANTS**

### **Casual Dining (\$-\$\$)**

Oak Fat Alley BBQ – Lunch, Après, & Dinner (970) 728-3985  
The Cornerhouse – Lunch & Dinner (970) 728-6207  
Baked in Telluride – Breakfast & Lunch (970) 728-4775  
Steamies – Lunch & Dinner (844) 843-2867  
The Pick – Breakfast & Lunch, burrito (970) 728-2633  
Tracks – Breakfast, Lunch, & Dinner (970) 728-0677  
Poachers – Lunch, Après, & Dinner (970) 728-9647  
Telluride Coffee Company – Breakfast & Lunch (970) 369-4400  
Crazy Elk Pizza – Lunch & Dinner (970) 728-7499

### **Moderate (\$\$-\$\$\$)**

Brown Dog Pizza – Lunch & Dinner (970) 728-8046  
Communion – Wine Bar (970) 538-9510  
Siam – Dinner, take-out only (970) 708-0757  
La Cocina de Luz– Breakfast, Lunch, & Dinner (970) 728-9355  
Petite Maison- Après & Dinner (970) 728-7020  
The Butcher & The Baker – Breakfast, Lunch, & Dinner (970) 728-2899  
Floradora – Brunch, Lunch, & Dinner (970) 728-8884  
There – Dinner, cocktails (970) 728-1213  
Woodear – Dinner, cocktails (970) 852-0469  
West End Bistro – Breakfast, Après & Dinner (970) 369-1188  
Smugglers Union – Brewery, Lunch & Dinner (970) 728-5620  
The Phoenix Bean – Breakfast, Lunch, & Dinner (970) 708-1911  
High Pie Pizza – Lunch & Dinner (970) 728-2978  
Stronghouse Brew Pub – Brewery, Lunch & Dinner (970) 728-2890  
Tomboy Tavern – Lunch, Après & Dinner (970) 728-7467  
La Piazza – Lunch & Dinner (970) 728-8283  
Altezza – Breakfast, Lunch, Après & Dinner (970) 728-2525

### **Fine Dining (\$\$\$-\$\$\$\$)**

The National – Dinner (970) 728-1063  
221 South Oak – Dinner (970) 708-1437  
Allreds – Dinner (970) 728-7474  
The Chop House – Brunch, Lunch & Dinner (970) 728-9100  
Timber Room at the Madeline – Après & Dinner (855) 923-7640  
La Marmotte – Dinner (970) 728-6232  
Cosmopolitan – Après & Dinner (970) 728-1292  
Sideworks – Dinner (970) 728-5618  
Kazahana – Sushi & Dinner (928) 853-0028  
Alpino Vino – (On-mountain) Lunch or Snow Coach Dinners (970) 728-7560  
Rustico Ristorante – Dinner (970) 728-4046  
Black Iron – Breakfast, Lunch, & Dinner (970) 369-8949

***Go to [OpenTable.com](https://www.opentable.com) to make your dinner reservations!***

## GROCERY STORES

### **Village Market**

455 Mountain Village Blvd  
Mountain Village  
(970) 633-4700

#### Store hours

Mon-Sat: 7:00am - 9:00pm  
Sunday: 7:00am - 9:00pm

To access their website or order online go to: <https://thevillagemarkets.com/>

### **Clark's Market**

700 W Colorado Ave  
Telluride  
(970) 728-3124

#### Store hours

Daily: 7:00am - 9:00pm

To access their website or order online go to: <https://www.clarksmarket.com>

### **The Market at Telluride**

157 S. Fir St.  
Telluride  
(970) 728-8958

#### Store hours

Daily: 7:00am - 9:00pm

To access their website or order online go to: <https://mymarketstores.com/telluride/>

### **Over the Moon Fine Foods** (gourmet grocery store)

223 S. Pine St.  
Telluride  
(970) 728-2079

#### Store hours

Mon-Sat: 10:00am - 5:00pm

To access their website (no online orders) go to: <https://www.overthemoontelluride.com>

### **South's Market**

(970) 708-9777

Grocery delivery service – they will do Costco runs

## WINE & SPIRITS

### **Mountain Village Wine Merchant**

622 Mountain Village Blvd #100  
Mountain Village  
(970) 615-1077

#### Store hours

Monday	11:00am – 6:00pm
Tuesday	10:00am – 6:00pm
Wednesday	10:00am – 7:00pm
Thursday	10:00am – 7:00pm
Friday	10:00am – 7:00pm
Saturday	10:00am – 7:00pm
Sunday	12:00am – 6:00pm

Delivery available!

### **Telluride Liquors & Wine Shop**

123 E. Colorado Ave.  
Telluride  
(970) 728-3380

#### Store hours

Daily	10:00am – 10:00pm
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### **Liquor Store LLC**

129 W. Colorado Ave.  
Telluride

#### Store hours

Mon – Sat	10:00am – 10:00pm
Sun	10:00am – 8:00pm

### **Wine Mine**

220 S. Davis St.  
Telluride  
(970) 728-9463

#### Store hours

Daily	12:00pm – 7:00pm
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# THE MOUNTAIN



## Mountain Tours:

Daily Mountain Tours are offered by the Mountain Host Team. They meet at the top of Chair 7, next to the trail map sign at 10:00am. Limited to 10 people per tour.

**AND JUST FOR OUR YAHOO'S ...**

## **Black Iron Bowl**

Black Iron Bowl is an upper-mountain area accessible via Lift 12 (Prospect Lift) and a short hike out Prospect Ridge. Skiers and riders may drop in anywhere from 10 minutes to 30 minutes hiking time along the ridge. Dropping 1,000 vertical feet on the primary pitches, terrain includes the expansive Mountain Quail couloir, European-style faces, open glades and steep chutes. Trails include Westlake, Lakeview, Review, Dihedral Chute, Dihedral Face, Jello's Bowl and Nice Chute. Black Iron Bowl, named for an old mining claim, is a signature area for in-bounds hiking, where advanced skiers and boarders enjoy fresh tracks virtually all season. Estimated hike times from the top of Lift 12 (Prospect Lift):

- Genevieve: 5 – 10 minutes\*
- Lakeview: 20 – 25 minutes\*
- Mountain Quail: 30 – 45 minutes\*



### **Gold Hill Chute 1**

To ski this epic chute on the flip side of Revelation Bowl, you can access it one of two ways.

- 1) Through the gate at the top of Revelation Bowl Lift (15), or
- 2) Traverse across the top of Little Rose and Andy's Gold, through the gate adjacent to Andy's Gold.

The chute is not open continually, so check for current information on the signs. The expert-only chute directs you away from the cliff band by taking you to the traverse to skiers right and back to Andy's Gold.

### **Gold Hill Chute 2**

To access, stay left off of Revelation Lift (15) and continue up the Gold Hill access road. Enjoy the grand vistas before skiing the 1900' vertical feet to the base of Prospect Bowl or Gold Hill lifts. The chutes are not open continually, so check for current information on the signs before you make the hike. Estimated hike time: 15 – 20 minutes\*

**Gold Hill Chutes 3, 4 and 5** are permanently closed.

### **Gold Hill Chutes 6 – 10**

Offloading Revelation Lift (15) take a hard left and hike the new Gold Hill access road. Be sure to check out the bridge and staircase accessing Gold Hill Chutes 9 and 10. Chutes 6 – 10 are not open continually, so check for current information on the signs before you make the hike. The expert-only chutes go down below the skyline saddle and dump into Palmyra basin below. Estimated hike time: 20 – 30 minutes\*

### **Palmyra Peak**

Located east of Black Iron Bowl, this incredible terrain includes well over 200 acres and almost 2,000 vertical feet on the north face of 13,320 foot Palmyra Peak. The peak is accessed via Lift 12 (Prospect Lift). What can be considered some of the most spectacular in-bounds terrain in the country, the runs Tram Shot, Sunrise and Electric Shock drain into Upper Moraine, and Lower Palmyra Ridge which lead back into Black Iron Bowl. Estimated hike time: 1 – 1.5 hours past Black Iron Bowl\*

### **Bald Mountain**

Bald Mountain is accessible via an access gate located on Upper Galloping Goose in the Lift 12 area. This local's favorite includes both Jackpot and Audrey and is home to some of the best and longest-lasting stashes on the mountain. Be sure to look to the south at the summit for a view of the historic mining town of Alta just below. The gate to Bald Mountain will close promptly at 2:00pm daily in season. Estimated hike time: 20 – 25 minutes.\*

## MOUNTAIN STATS

### **Mountain Essentials**

Vertical Drop:	3845 ft / 1172 m
Base Elevation:	8725 ft / 2659 m
Summit Elevation:	12570 ft / 3831 m
Skiable Area:	2000 acres
Average Snowfall:	309 in / 785 cm

### **Mountain Terrain**

Total Trails:	127
Beginner:	29 (23%)
Intermediate:	46 (36%)
Advanced:	27 (21%)
Expert:	25 (20%)
Terrain Parks:	3
Jib Park:	Yes

### **Lift Information**

Total Lifts:	18
Gondolas:	2
Chondolas:	1
Express Chairs:	7
Quad Chairs:	1
Triple Chairs:	1
Double Chairs:	2
Surface Lifts:	4

Hours of Operation: 9:00am to 4:00pm  
Night Skiing: No

## **SKI & SNOWBOARD CLINICS**

Book online <https://tellurideskiresort.com/ski-school/>  
by email at [lesson@telski.com](mailto:lesson@telski.com) or by calling (970) 728-7414

### **Private Lessons**

Full day	9:00am – 4:00pm	\$1,075.00
Half day	9:00am – 12:00pm	\$750.00
Half day	1:00pm – 4:00pm	\$650.00

### **Group Lessons** (up to 5 students)

Full day	9:00am – 4:00pm	\$1,075.00
Half day	9:00am – 12:00pm	starting at \$185.00
Half day	1:00pm – 4:00pm	starting at \$150.00

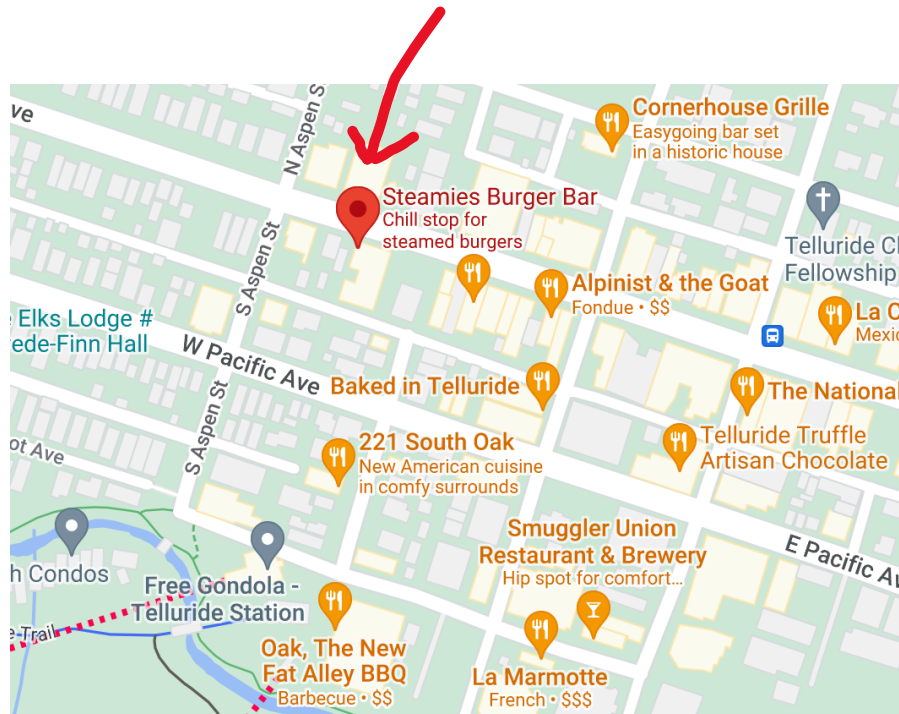
## **OTHER FUN THINGS TO DO**

For more information call 1-800-605-2578

- Heli-Skiing – Helitrax (970) 728-8377 or go online to <https://www.helitrax.com>
- Snow Bike Rentals (970) 728-7433
- Fat Bike Rentals – Bootdoctors (970) 728-4581
- Nordic Skiing – Nordic Centre (970) 728-1144
- Snowshoeing – Nordic Centre (970) 728-1144
- Sledding – Nordic Centre (970) 728-1144
- Snowmobiling – Telluride Outfitters (970) 728-4475
- Dog Sledding
- Food Tours
- Horseback Adventures
- Sleigh Rides
- Ice Climbing – Telluride Mountain Guides (970) 708-0260
- Ice Skating
- Fly Fishing – Telluride Outside 1-800-831-6230
- Hot Springs
- Telluride Museum (970)728-3344
- Spa Day – Sun Peaks. Resort (970) 728-2590

## CLUB PARTY

Please join us for the Club Party on Tuesday January 31<sup>st</sup> at 6:00pm at Steamies Burger Bar 300 W. Colorado Ave Suite #1B in the town of Telluride. You will find your ticket for \$30.00 off your food & drinks inside your welcome package. Please bring your ticket to Steamies and present it to your server. *(Tickets are redeemable only at the Club Party).*



*“Everyone has enjoyed a good burger. But trust us, you’ve never had a burger like this. Steamies Burger Bar is a contemporary burger joint serving up the American classic with a healthy twist. We steam our burgers rather than frying, grilling or charbroiling. This makes for deliciously different bites. Our mission is to create a revolutionary dining experience unlike any other in a hip and unique setting on Main Street, Telluride, Colorado. From burgers to dogs, fries to veggies, salads to shakes and more - we’ve got something for everyone. And we do it all while remaining sensitive to health, quality, taste, price and our effect on the environment. Plus, Steamies was voted #1 burger in the state at the premiere statewide burger competition, Colorado Burger Summit!”*

*Steamies*

## **BEST OF TELLURIDE**

### **Most Popular Intermediate Trails** (locals picks)

See Forever, Misty Maiden, Dew Drop

### **Most Popular Expert Trails** (locals picks)

Mountain Quail, Dihedral Chute, Genevieve, Giant Steps, Kant-Mak-M to Spiral Stairs to Lower Plunge, Electra to Lower Dynamo

### **Best Trail into Town**

Most routes heading into Telluride are double-black diamonds. Starting at the top of the Plunge Lift, one of the best routes down is from Kant-Mak-M to Spiral Stars to Lower Plunge. Kant-Mak-M is known for its treacherous moguls.

### **Best Tree Skiing**

Log Pile, Satisfaction, Captain Jack's

### **Longest Run**

Galloping Goose

### **Best Selfie Spot**

See Forever Trail, Alpino Vino

### **Best Slopeside Restaurant**

Gorrono Ranch,

### **Best Apres Ski**

Tomboy Tavern, Historic Bar

### **Best Spot for Live Entertainment**

Poachers Pub, Sheridan Opera House, Sheridan Old Bar, Last Dollar Saloon, and The Ride Lounge

### **Best Western Store**

Lucchese, Black Bear Trading Company

### **Best Pizza**

Brown Dog Pizza

### **Best Breakfast**

The Butcher and the Baker, La Cocina de Luz,

### **Best Coffee Stop**

The Coffee Cowboy

### **Best On Mountain Fine Dining Restaurants**

Allred's, Alpino Vino, Bon Vivant

### **Best Fine Dining Restaurants**

Cosmopolitan (The Cosmo), Chop House, 221 South Oak

### **Best Brewery**

Telluride Brewing Company, Stronghouse Brew Pub, Smuggler Union Brewery

### **Best (and only) Rooftop Bar**

Historic Bar (ranked one of the 10 top apres ski bars by Forbes Traveler)

### **Best Burger**

Steamies Burgers

### **Best Mexican**

Gnar, Esperanza's, La Cocina de Luz, Uno Dos Tres Tacos & Tequilla

## **TELLURIDE FUN FACTS!**

- When it was first established back in 1878, Telluride was called “Columbia”
- Legend has it that the name derived from a common warning given to anyone heading to the remote community perched high in the treacherous San Juan Mountains: to hell you ride!
- In 1964, the Telluride Historic District, which includes a significant portion of the town, was listed on the National Register of Historic Places
- At 9,078 feet above sea level, the Telluride Regional Airport is the highest commercial airport in North America
- The San Juan mountains surrounding Telluride contain the highest concentration of 13 and 14 thousand foot peaks in Colorado
- Telluride was the first town in the world to have alternating current (AC) power and the first city in the world to have electric streetlights
- The nearest stoplight is 45 miles away in Ridgway, Colorado
- There are 350 miles of mining tunnels running beneath the mountains of Telluride.
- During the heady mining days of the late 1800’s the per capita wealth of Tellurider’s exceeded those living in Manhattan
- Bridal Veil Falls is the tallest free-falling waterfall in Colorado at 365 feet
- Telluride’s Gondola is the only free public transportation system of its kind in North America linking the town of Telluride and the Mountain Village
- Butch Cassidy robbed the San Miguel Valley Bank in Telluride on June 24, 1889. Widely believed to be his first major bank robbery
- Eight of the last 11 Oscar winners premiered at the Telluride Film Festival
- Local Celebrities include Oprah Winfrey and Tom Cruise
- The Mountain Lodge mascot cat is named Mario
- The Galloping Goose’s oldest bus, #101, runs on non-toxic, biodegradable, vegetable oil-based biodiesel fuel
- There are no chain restaurants or shops in Telluride
- Telluride was one of the first towns in the US to sell legalized marijuana
- Wilson Peak, the iconic mountain that represents the beauty of Telluride and it’s surrounds, is the mountain featured on the Coors beer bottle
- Oldest Bar is in the New Sheridan Hotel (dates back to the 19<sup>th</sup> Century)
- Alpino Vino, a European inspired restaurant sitting at the top of See Forever ski run, is the highest restaurant in North America at 11,996 feet.
- Telluride has one of the top ten longest vertical drops in North America with 4,425 vertical feet of skiing and 3,845 vertical feet of lift-served terrain

## **TELLURIDE BY NUMBERS**

Top elevation – 13,150 ft (4,010 m)

Base elevation – 8,725 ft (2,659 m)

Longest run – Galloping Goose at 4.6 miles (7.4 km)

Skiable acres – 2,000

Trails – 127

Advanced trails – 41%

Intermediate trails – 36%

Beginner trails – 23%

Terrain Parks – 3

Lift System – 2 gondolas, 7 hi-speed quads, 1 quad, 2 triples, 2 doubles, 2 surface lifts,  
2 magic carpets

Record single storm – 28.5 inches on April 2, 1903

Average annual snowfall – 330 in (838 cm) per year

Average Temperature for the last week of January – -7.1 max and -10.1 min

Number of passengers that can ride up lifts/gondola in one hour – 22,386 skiers

Population – 2,595

Olympians – 4

School snow days – 92.67!

## DIRECTORY

<b>Telluride Medical Center</b>	(970) 728-3848
<b>Montrose Memorial Hospital</b>	(970) 249-2211
<b>Club President Monique Sutts</b>	(226) 345-3008
<b>Club Trip Director Dave Nantais</b>	(519) 981-6352
<b>Activity Bookings</b>	1-800-605-2578
<b>American Airlines</b>	1-800-433-7300
<b>Christy's Sports</b>	(970) 369-5267
<b>Clark's Market</b>	(970) 728-3124
<b>Heli-Skiing</b>	(970) 728-8377
<b>Lost &amp; Found</b>	(970) 728-7575
<b>Mountain Village Wine Merchant</b>	(970) 615-1077
<b>Over the Moon Fine Foods</b>	(970) 728-2079
<b>Ski &amp; Snowboard Clinics</b>	(970) 728-7414
<b>Snow Bike Rentals</b>	(970) 728-7433
<b>South's Market</b>	(970) 708-9777
<b>Telluride Express Taxi</b>	888-212-TAXI or (970) 728-6000
<b>Telluride Liquors &amp; Wine Shop</b>	(970) 728-3380
<b>Telluride Mountain Resort</b>	(866) 287-5015
<b>Telluride Mountain Lodge Front Desk</b>	(970) 369-5000
<b>Telluride Mountain Lodge Shuttle</b>	(970) 369-6001
<b>The Market at Telluride</b>	(970) 728-8958
<b>Village Market</b>	(970) 633-4700
<b>Wine Mine</b>	(970) 728-9463

## DEPARTURE ...



- Check out at Front Desk, pay incidentals, and return room keys
- Remove airline destination tags that are labeled MTJ and replace with one labeled DTW.
- Leave all luggage outside of the front door of your unit at least 45 min prior to departure.
- Double check the unit for any belongings left behind.
- Time to meet for and load the coach bus will be announced.