



Winter Camping Information

Arizona Nordic Village Winter Season is an off-grid, back country camping experience. You must be prepared for a harsh, mountain winter environment. You are **REQUIRED** to read and accept the information contained in this document when making a reservation.

The weather in Northern Arizona can change quickly. You should be well prepared to handle sudden storms, changing weather conditions and cold temperatures.

Cancellation Policies:

- Full payment required at time of reservation.
- Cancellations received **MORE than 14 days** prior to arrival will be charged a **\$25 cancellation fee** and will be refunded their remaining balance.
 - Customers may **reschedule** their reservation **for \$25** change fee. Must reschedule one day prior to original reservation date.
- Cancellations received **LESS than 14 days** prior to arrival date are **not refundable**. We will refund non-base rate items (shower tokens, gear shuttles, etc.).
- Refunds will not be issued due to weather or snow conditions.

Skills you are required to possess at check in:

- The experience and fitness required to ski or hike to your camping unit in any weather conditions.
- The clothing and gear necessary to ski or hike to your camping unit in any weather conditions.
- The experience to start a fire including splitting wood to kindling.
- The gear and experience necessary to safely enjoy an overnight winter camping experience.

Gear you are required to have at check in:

- Headlamps or flashlights.
- Lighter or matches. We suggest both.
- Cross country skis or snowshoes when snow is present (rental equipment is available).
- Sleeping bags rated to at least 20 degrees Fahrenheit. We recommend sleeping bags rated to zero degrees.
- An adequate food and water supply for your party.

Gear that we provide:

- Split fire wood
- Hatchet
- Propane lantern for outdoor use
- Extra mantles, propane and matches
- Propane BBQ grill

Gear Shuttle:

- The gear shuttle is all the gear that you can safely fit into a 20" x 30" x 18" (30 gallon) bin that we provide.
- The gear shuttle charge is per bin, each way; multiple gear shuttle bins may be purchased.
- Please pack all gear accordingly. Gear bin is large enough to fit two large backpacks or one medium sized cooler. When packed, gear bins should not weigh more than 40 lbs.
- Any stand-alone cooler will be charged the rate of one gear shuttle.
- All gear in the gear shuttle must arrive no later than 3:00 pm and will be delivered to your unit by 4:00 pm.
- Gear shuttle on day of departure must be packed and ready in your unit no later than 9:00 am.

Check In:

- **You must check in to the lodge NO LATER than 3:00 PM** except for Fridays, no later than 6 pm.
- Arrivals later than 3:00 pm will not be allowed to depart to their camping unit and the reservation will be forfeit with NO REFUNDS.
- Please do not make reservations during the winter season if you are not prepared for snow.
- When the ski area is open, you may arrive as early as 9:00 am for ski and snowshoe activities. Your camping unit will be ready by 1:00 pm and gear shuttles arranged for will be delivered to your unit by 4:00 pm.

Check Out:

- You must depart your cabin or yurt by 10:00 am.
- Reservations with gear shuttles must have their gear ready for pick-up by 9:00 am. Gear will be delivered to the lodge by 11:00 am.
- Please leave the unit like you found it.

Ski Area:

Arizona Nordic Village operates on the Coconino National Forest under a special use permit of the United States Forest Service. The Coconino National Forest requires that all members of your party have a valid trail pass when the ski area is open. There is a discounted, flat trail pass fee for yurt and cabin guests.

Front Country Yurts:

The Front Country Yurts are located about 150 feet from the lodge during the winter season. Being so close to the parking lot, these yurts are perfect for those not seeking to hike long distances to get to their camp for the night.

Front Country Cabins:

The Front Country Cabins are located about 150 feet from the lodge during the winter season. The cabins are placed in groups of two and close to the lodge so that they are accessible to most visitors. You are required to be prepared for any winter conditions.

Large Yurts:

The Large Yurts are in a meadow approximately one mile from the lodge during the winter season. You are required to be prepared for an intermediate, up to one-hour ski or snowshoe hike to reach the Large Yurts during the winter season. The Large Yurts are a remote, back country camping experience and you are required to be prepared for any winter conditions and possess the skills and fitness necessary to both reach the units and enjoy them safely.

Small Yurts:

The Small Yurts are located 1.7 to 3 miles from the lodge during the winter season. You are required to be prepared for a strenuous, up to three-hour ski or snowshoe hike to reach the Small Yurts during the winter season. The Small Yurts are a very remote, back country camping experience and you are required to be prepared for any winter conditions and possess the skills and fitness necessary to both reach the units and enjoy them safely.