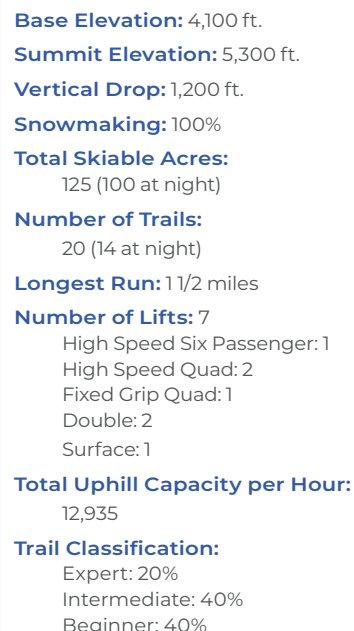




LEGEND

-  Easier
-  Intermediate
-  Most Difficult
-  Experts Only
-  Loading
-  Unloading
-  Chair Lift
-  Surface Lift
-  Base Lodge
-  Snowsports School
-  Ski Patrol / First Aid

Snowmaking & Grooming are an integral part of Sugar Mountain Resort. 100% of our slopes have snowmaking capabilities. They are meticulously groomed and inspected at least twice a day to ensure the best conditions possible.

LIFTS				
Lift	Type	Vertical Rise	Uphill Capacity	Length
Summit Express*	6-Pack**	1,150'	2,518/hr	5,100'
GW Lift	Double	900'	1,125/hr	3,300'
Big Birch Lift*	Quad	402'	1,792/hr	2,150'
Ona's Express*	Quad**	439'	2,400/hr	2,225'
Little Gray*	Double	290'	1,200/hr	2,000'
Easy Street Express*	Quad**	246'	2,400/hr	1,800'
Magic Carpet*	Surface	75'	1,500/hr	

* Available for Night Operation
** detachable

This map is an artist's rendering and not necessarily drawn to scale.

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GUEST SERVICES

If you have any questions about Sugar Mountain Resort, stop by the Information booth located across from the Sports Shop on the first floor of the Base Lodge building, or visit the Snowsports School building. Information is also available by calling 828-898-4521 or at skisugar.com.



EQUIPMENT AND CLOTHING RENTALS

Don't worry about equipment! Sugar Mountain Resort's Rental Shop staff will fit you with the right equipment and clothing to suit your ability and needs. The Rental Shop contains complete sets of HEAD shaped skis with bindings, boots, and poles, Ride and Head snowboards and snowboard boots, ski boards, high performance ski rentals, helmet rentals, bibs, and jacket rentals. A complete repair shop with tuning service is also available.



ON-MOUNTAIN DINING Lounge

The Last Run Lounge Restaurant & Bar features a direct view of the slopes, a large gas fireplace, TVs, and music.

Dining

- 350 seat Cafeteria open from 8am until 10pm daily
- 250 seat "Top Floor" Cafeteria - open as needed
- Outdoor grill on deck (weather permitting)

Local Area Dining

The Banner Elk/Sugar Mountain area offers dining opportunities to suit varying budgets including American, Italian, Cajun, barbeque, Chinese, seafood, steaks, Mexican, cafés, and fast food. For a list of some of the area's dining options, see page 8 or visit skisugar.com/dining.



LODGING

Lodging in the Sugar Mountain Resort area ranges from hotel and motel rooms to condos and homes located slope-side or throughout the Village of Sugar Mountain. For a list of agencies that handle lodging directly on Sugar Mountain, go to seesugar.com or see page 7. For a list of accommodations in the Sugar Mountain area, visit skisugar.com/lodging. For a broader range of accommodation selections contact the Avery County or Banner Elk Chambers of Commerce.



OTHER AMENITIES

LOCKERS

The Locker Room is located on the bottom floor of the Base Lodge next to the ski and snowboard Rental Shop. Lockers are also located on the second floor.



FREE SHUTTLE AND PARKING

Free and convenient parking is located in lots A-D and 1-6 at the base of Sugar Mountain Resort. The Village of Sugar Mountain provides free shuttle service from each parking lot and many points throughout the Village to Sugar Mountain Resort's Base Lodge during weekends and holidays. For more information, or for estimated pick-up times, please call 828-387-0785, 828-387-6865, or visit seesugar.com/bus.

Bus and oversized vehicle parking is conveniently located in Lot C, adjacent to the Child Care building.



HOURS OF OPERATION



WINTER

November through March

Full Day Session: 9:00am - 4:30pm

Half Day Session: 12:30 - 4:30pm

Twilight Session: 12:30 - 10:00pm
(slopes closed 4:30 - 6:00pm)

Night Session: 6:00 - 10:00pm

Tubing: 10:00am - 10:00pm

Ice Skating: 10:00am - 10:00pm

Snowshoeing: M,W,F: 3:00pm

Sat: 9:00am and 3:00pm

Christmas Eve: 9:00am - 4:30pm

Christmas Day: 12:00 - 10:00pm

OFFICE HOURS

8:00am - 5:00pm daily



SUMMER

Food Truck Festival: May 29

Bike Park & Scenic Lift Rides:

May 28-31, July 2 - September 6,
and October 9 & 10

Summit Crawl: July 4

4th of July Celebration: July 4

Sports Shop:

May 28-31

Saturday & Sunday

July 2 - September 6

October 9 & 10

Teen & Tween

Gravity Mountain Bike Camps:

July 9-11

August 6-8

Oktoberfest: October 9 & 10

OFFICE HOURS

8:00am - 4:00pm, Monday - Friday

Operation and event dates and details are subject to change at any time due to weather and other variables.



Night Skiing & Snowboarding

14 of the 20 slopes are lit and open from 6:00pm to 10:00pm nightly. Night skiing and riding are offered on up to 100 of the 125 total skiable acres.

NASTAR Races

skisugar.com/races

NASTAR is a public racing program that provides recreational racers with an opportunity to compare their ability to the fastest member of the US Ski Team. NASTAR races are held every Saturday and Sunday on the Oma's Meadow slope at 12:00pm. On-mountain registration starts at 11:00am and ends at 11:50am. All races are subject to weather and slope conditions. \$10 per person, \$5 per junior, \$3 per additional run (Cash only).

Snowshoe Guided Tours

skisugar.com/snowshoeing

A great way to stay fit during the winter months! Snowshoe tours are every Monday, Wednesday, and Friday at 3:00pm and Saturday at 9:00am and 3:00pm based on instructor availability. Additional tours are given on demand for groups of four to fifteen. The program includes a one-hour tour and snowshoes. Adult tours are for those 12 years or older. Children's tours are for ages 8-11. Sign up at least 15 minutes prior to the tour time in the Snowsports School building.

Tubing

skisugar.com/tubing

It's great fun for the whole family. The multi-lane Tubing Park glides you downhill and an easy-access Magic Carpet lift conveniently takes you back up. Sessions are one hour and forty-five minutes. Tickets must be purchased online with the exception of 4 and under passes which must be purchased in person. Day sessions are at 10:00am, 12:00pm, 2:00pm, and 4:00pm. Lighted night sessions are at 6:00pm and 8:00pm. The Tubing Park is located adjacent to parking lot D. See page 10 for more information.

Ice Skating

skisugar.com/skating

The 10,000 square foot refrigerated outdoor ice skating rink is located adjacent to parking lot D. Sessions are one hour and thirty minutes and tickets are available online with the exception of 4 and under passes which must be purchased in person. Sessions are at 10:00am, 12:00pm, 2:00pm, 4:00pm, 6:00pm, and 8:00pm. See page 10 for more information.

Extra Fun With Sugar Bear

At various times throughout the season, kids will enjoy bumping into Sugar Mountain Resort's mascots, Sugar Bear & Sweetie Bear! They can be seen wandering throughout the lodge or on the slopes making turns on their snowboard or skis. Another fun treat for kids is a visit from Santa during the holiday season. You'll see him walking around the lodge greeting people, handing out treats, or on the slopes making turns.

SugarFest

December 11-13, 2026

**Ski/Snowboard Demos • Live Music
Food & Drinks • Fireworks • Sugarfeast
Ice Skating • Tubing**



SkiSugar.com/SugarFest

Sugar Mountain Sports Shop

skisugar.com/sportsshop

For all your winter shopping needs, visit the Sugar Mountain Sports Shop located in the Base Lodge on the first floor directly across from the information booth. You will find the finest ski, snowboard, and leisure apparel. The 2,320 square foot shop also offers a wide variety of accessories, souvenirs, and gift items for the entire family and friends back home. Also, don't forget to stop by the Sports Shop Annex, which is located between the ice skating rink and tubing park. Check out our selection of quality gift items, souvenirs, winter apparel, and footwear.

Group & Private Lessons

skisugar.com/snowsportsschool

The Sugar Mountain Snowsports School is a Professional Ski Instructors of America (PSIA) and American Association of Snowboard Instructors (AASI) certified member school. For all ability levels, ski or snowboard group lessons (ages 8 and up) and private lessons (ages 4 and up) are available on the hour from 9:00am to 3:00pm and 6:00pm to 8:00pm. Reserve at the Snowsports School building in person, day of, based on instructor availability. Participants must have equipment before reserving a group or private lesson.

Children's Snowsports School skisugar.com/snowsportsschool

The Sugar Bear Ski School (ages 5-10) and Polar Bear Snowboard School (ages 7-14) offer Full Day (10:00am-3:00pm) or Half Day (1:00pm-3:00pm) programs that include a slope ticket, rental equipment, a helmet, lessons, lunch (Full Day only), and supervision. Full Day program registrations are online only, up to four days in advance until 3:00pm the day prior, no same day reservations. Check-in with your child at the Snowsports School building the day before or at least 30 minutes prior to the program's start time. Half Day program registrations are in person only, day of from 12:00pm-12:30pm and are based on instructor availability.

Child Care

Independently owned and operated.

DAILY: Sugar Mountain's Drop-Off Child Care Center is open seven days a week from 8:30am to 5:00pm and from 6:00pm to 10:00pm during the winter season. Children must be enrolled by 12:30pm for all sessions, otherwise the center will close for the remainder of the day. Children are taken on a first-come, first-served basis with limited slots available. Children must be at least 1 year of age. Cash only please.

skisugar.com/child-care

Group Sales

Groups of 15 or more skiers and/or snowboarders receive a discount on lift tickets, equipment rentals, and lessons. The group sales staff is happy to help arrange your group outing. For details, contact the Group Sales Department at 828-898-4521x202 or groupsales@skisugar.com.

skisugar.com/group-sales



**GROUP TRIPS
MORE SAVINGS, MORE FUN!**

SUMMER ACTIVITIES

Bike Park

[skisugar.com/bikepark](https://www.skisugar.com/bikepark)

The Bike Park is serviced by the Summit Express chairlift and contains beginner, intermediate, and expert terrain and trails. Varying line options from the summit to the base include rollers, small dips, table tops, and other fun features. Bicycle tours and lessons are available.

Adult and junior bike rentals including helmets and knee pads are available in the Base Lodge. A valid trail access/lift ticket is required to enter the trail system.

Scenic Lift Rides

[skisugar.com/bikepark](https://www.skisugar.com/bikepark)

From Memorial Day weekend through Labor Day, the Summit Express chairlift shuttles foot-passengers and mountain bikers from the base of Sugar Mountain to its 5,300' peak.

Golf & Tennis

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

What better way to enjoy the cool breezes of the mountains than with a round of golf? If it's tennis you're interested in, try one of the six fast-dry surfaced tennis courts. Facilities are open to everyone! For golf information call 828-898-6464; for tennis call 828-898-6746.

SPECIAL EVENTS

Food Truck Festival

[skisugar.com/foodtruck](https://www.skisugar.com/foodtruck)

Saturday of Memorial Day Weekend, eat to your heart's content! Enjoy yummy eats, scenic chairlift rides, mountain bike park, yard games, a kids fun center, live music, and more! Feel free to bring your lawn chairs.

Summit Crawl

[skisugar.com/crawl](https://www.skisugar.com/crawl)

On July 4, climb to Sugar's 5,300' peak via the Easy Street, Gunther's Way, and Northridge slopes. Entry fee includes downhill transportation on the Summit Express.

Fourth of July Celebration

A spectacular mountain-top fireworks show viewed from Sugar's 5,300' peak begins around 9:00pm. The Summit Express chairlift runs from 7:30pm to 10:00pm for mountain-top fireworks viewing. No mountain bikes after 5:30pm. Live music at the Base Lodge from 6:00pm until 9:00pm. Food and beverages are available at the mountain's base and beverages are available at the summit.

Oktoberfest

[skisugar.com/oktoberfest](https://www.skisugar.com/oktoberfest)

Held annually during the second weekend in October, Oktoberfest brings a touch of Ole Europe to the North Carolina Mountains. An array of activities from 10:00am until 5:00pm make for fun-filled days.



Operation and event dates and details are subject to change at any time due to weather and other variables.

LODGING



Sugar Ski & Country Club

828-898-9784 / 800-634-1320

sugarmountain.com

The only Ski In/Ski Out resort style condominium on Sugar Mountain. We are located at the top of Oma's Meadow. We have efficiencies, lofts, one and two bedroom units that sleep 2-6 people. Our clubhouse offers an indoor heated pool, sauna, hot tub and fitness center as well as a community room. Our condos are the perfect spot for skiers and snowboarders to access the slopes without the hassle of lugging around ski equipment.

Resort Real Estate and Rentals

828-898-9746

staysugarmountain.com

3390 Tynecastle Hwy, Banner Elk. Longest run and family operated rental company on Sugar Mountain. Featuring log cabins, mountain homes and condos. Book online 24/7 or call our friendly staff to make your reservation. From our family to yours, it is just sweeter up here.

LaQuinta Inn & Suites by Wyndham Boone

828-262-1234

lqboone.com

La Quinta Inn & Suites Boone is located one mile from downtown Boone filled with restaurants, retail, & attractions and a 30-minute drive to Sugar Mountain. Our Pet-Friendly hotel offers King and double Queen rooms as well as two room suites. Enjoy free hot breakfast, free Wi-Fi, indoor pool, whirlpool, fitness center, meeting & event space. After skiing, relax in our spacious lobby by the fireplace or enjoy the beautiful views from our outdoor terrace.

Graystone Lodge, an Ascend Collection Hotel

828-264-4133

graystonelodge.com

The Graystone Lodge is conveniently located a short 20-minute drive to Sugar Mountain. We feature a 101-room boutique hotel that captures the spirit of the High Country in a warm, welcoming ambiance of a mountain lodge with an enhanced modern design and upscale amenities. Amenities include a heated indoor pool, fitness center and free high-speed Wi-fi. Local Elements are incorporated into all aspects of the Graystone experience including artwork, coffee, market items and packages.

Blue Ridge Mountain Rentals

800-237-7975

blueridgerentals.com

Blue Ridge Mountain Rentals manages over 700 high end vacation homes near Sugar Mountain! We offer homes from 1-8 bedrooms, most with luxury amenities such as hot tub, WiFi, game tables, mountain views, pet friendliness, EV charging, and more! Let us help you book your Sugar Mountain trip today!

Foscoe Rentals

800-723-7241

foscoerentals.com

We'd love to have you stay with us! In the center of the High Country, Foscoe Rentals offers rental properties approx. 10 minutes from Sugar Mountain; featuring hot tubs, cozy fireplaces, pool tables, swimming pools, mountain views, fishing, and more! Dogs welcome in select units. Choose your adventure of the day and then retire for the evening in a cabin or condo, one to six bedrooms. Book now at www.FoscoeRentals.com or call 800-723-7341.

Holston Camp and Retreat Center

844-465-7866

holstoncenter.org

Located only two miles from Sugar Mountain, Holston offers affordable lodging for group retreats. Our lodge has 14 comfortable rooms, nine with private baths. We also offer 16-bed cottages with shared bathrooms. Other overnight options are available. Our dining hall can seat 130 and offers delicious buffet meals. Located on Wildcat Lake, we are open year-round with seasonal activities such as swimming, boating, hiking, mt. biking, rock-climbing, and zip lines. Business retreats and family reunions welcome.

Blowing Rock Conference Center

828-295-7813

brrccenter.org

The Blowing Rock Conference Center serves a wide range of religious, educational, and nonprofit institutions. With 51 hotel rooms, 4 cottages, and 124 additional youth lodge beds, we can host groups of up to 250 individuals.

Lutherock Camp & Conference Center

828-209-6328

lutherock.org

Conveniently located, twenty-minute drive to Sugar Mountain. Lutherock offers a variety of guest accommodations to fit any need; from hotel-style rooms, private cabins, or community cabins that sleep large groups. Our 750+ acre property offers a peaceful stay with easy access to incredible adventures! Open year-round.

Sleep Inn Boone University Area

828-262-0020

choicehotels.com/nc514

Experience comfort at Sleep Inn Boone University Area, just 30 minutes from Sugar Mountain and under a mile from Downtown Boone's dining, shopping, and culture. Our rooms feature King or Double beds with in-room amenities like microwave, mini-fridge, and coffee maker. Enjoy our complimentary hot breakfast and high speed Wi-Fi for a great start to your mountain adventures!

Cornerstone Cabins & Lodge of Banner Elk

828-898-9115 / 828-260-3673

cornerstonerentals.com

Located in Banner Elk NC we are a short drive to the local Ski Resorts, Hiking Trails, Wineries and High Country adventures. Our beautiful Cabins and Lodge are located on 8 acres with ponds and meandering streams. We are pet friendly and rentals are available all year. Our rentals can accommodate two to 15 people.

The Village of Sugar Mountain

828-898-9292

seesugar.com

Go to www.seesugar.com to plan your visit to our village with plenty of insider tips. Find the perfect vacation rental near the slopes, restaurants for all tastes, unique shopping spots and a long list of nearby things to do for the entire family. Also find winter weather & driving tips, along with village FAQs.

LODGING



YMCA Camp Harrison

704-716-4330 ymcacharlotte.org/camps/camp-harrison

Located just down the mountain from Ski Sugar, Camp Harrison (Boomer, NC) is the perfect place for your church/school group. Sitting on 2100 acres, we have 18 modern cabins furnished with 22 beds each, attached restrooms/showers with immediate hot water, and heat/AC for only \$560 per night per cabin (approximately \$25/person/night if full). Lodge only or include meals/adventure activities in your planning. Call or email colton.bunt@ymcacharlotte.org (Conference Director) for more information and reservations.

Dereka's High Country Vacations

828-898-9876 vacationsugar.com

Stay steps from the slopes with Dereka's High Country Vacations, Inc. Our family-owned company offers a variety of cozy cabins, modern condos, and pet-friendly rentals across Sugar Mountain. Whether you're here to ski, hike, or relax, our local team is ready to help you find your perfect mountain getaway. Please visit our website or call us today!



DINING



Stonewalls Restaurant

828-898-5550 stonewallsrestaurant.com

Stonewalls Restaurant is the area's premier Steak & Seafood Restaurant for over 30 years. Featuring Prime Rib, Steaks, Seafood, Pasta, and Signature Salad Bar featuring over 50 items. Bar features Craft Cocktails and Beer and over 20 Wines by the glass. Come relax in our contemporary mountain environment. Live music on Friday & Saturday night.

Sorrento's Bistro

828-898-5214 sorrentosbistro.com

Located in the corner of the Village shops in Banner Elk. Serving gourmet pastas, fresh seafood, chicken and pizza in the High Country. The best homemade hand tossed pizza. Large parties welcome. Bring your lift tickets for 10% off, must be same day tickets. Open Wednesday-Sunday for lunch at 11am daily and dinner at 4pm. MC/VISA/AMEX/DISC



SHOPPING AND ACTIVITIES



Ski Country Sports

828-898-9786 / 800-528-3874 skicountrysports.com

3149 Tynecastle Hwy, Banner Elk. Recently named national ski shop of the year, Ski Country Sports is your one stop shop for all things winter. With the largest selection of ski, snowboard, and clothing rentals in the Southeast we are sure to get you out on the slopes quickly. Group rental rates available, reserve rentals online. Open daily 8am-11pm.

Sugar Creek Ski & Snowboard Rentals

828-898-4367 sugarcreekskirentals.com

3045 Tynecastle Hwy, Banner Elk. Sugar Creek offers the latest and greatest in ski and snowboard rentals, from beginner to expert they have you covered. They have everything you need to keep you warm and comfortable on the slopes including clothing rentals. Group rates available, reserve 24/7 online. Open daily 8am-11pm.

Extreme Ski and Snowboard

828-898-7669 (SNOW) extremenc.com

3071 Tynecastle Hwy, Banner Elk. Extreme Ski and Snowboard located at the entrance of Sugar Mountain Resort offers the only fully automated rental experience in the Southeast. With a full selection of demo skis and snowboards Extreme can outfit the beginner or expert in your group. Group rates available, reserve online 24/7. Open daily 8am-11pm.

Alpine Ski Center

(828) 898-9701 alpineskicenter.com

Since 1976, Alpine Ski Center has been helping visitors make the most of their time on Sugar Mountain. Locally owned by skiers and snowboarders, Alpine offers rentals, expert boot fitting, tuning, and premium gear. Minutes from the resort, Alpine is the area's one-stop shop before hitting the slopes.

Sugar Mountain Sports Shop

828-898-4521 skisugar.com/sportsshop

Located in Sugar Mountain Resort's Base Lodge, the Sports Shop features ski, snowboard, and leisure apparel and accessories from the industries top brands. The Sports Shop has essentials for your mountain adventure as well as gifts and souvenirs to bring home after the fun. Open daily from 8:30am-7:00pm during the winter season.

Sugar Mountain Resort is committed to promoting safety. During every session, certified ski and snowboard patrol are on the slopes assisting and encouraging skier/snowboarder safety. Respect each other's space and speed. Please read the following North Carolina Winter Sports Safety Act and follow it as you ski or snowboard.

NORTH CAROLINA WINTER SPORTS SAFETY ACT

On July 7, 2026, the North Carolina General Assembly updated and revised the North Carolina Winter Sports Safety and Accidents Act. The highlights of the law are as follows:

A skier and / or passenger shall have the following responsibilities:

- 1. To know the range of the skier's abilities to negotiate any ski slope or trail and to ski within the limits of such ability;
- 2. To maintain control of the skier's speed and course at all times when skiing and to avoid other skiers and obvious hazards and inherent risks including variations in terrain, snow, or ice conditions, bare spots and rocks, trees and other forms of forest growth or forest debris;
- 3. To stay clear of snow grooming equipment, all vehicles, pole lines, lift towers, signs, snow making equipment, and any other equipment on the ski slopes and trails;
- 4. To heed all posted information and other warnings and to refrain from acting in a manner which may cause or contribute to the injury of the skier or others;
- 5. To wear retention straps, ski brakes, or other devices to prevent runaway skis or snowboards;
- 6. Before beginning to ski from a stationary position or before entering a ski slope or trail from the side, to avoid moving skiers already on the ski slope or trail;
- 7. To not move uphill on any passengers tramway or use any ski slope or trail while such person's ability to do so is impaired by the consumption of alcohol or by the use of any narcotic or other drug or while such person is under the influence of alcohol or any narcotic or any drug;
- 8. To not leave the vicinity when the skier knows or should reasonably know that they were involved in a collision with another skier before giving his or her name and current address to an employee or agent of the ski area operator, a member of the ski patrol, or the other skier or person with whom the skier collided, except to seek medical treatment for anyone injured as a result of the collision or when remaining at the scene places the skier or others at significant risk of injury. If a skier does leave the vicinity for a reason permitted by this subdivision, the skier must provide the required information to an employee or agent of the ski area operator or a member of the ski patrol as soon as practical after leaving the vicinity. If the other skier involved in the collision is unknown, the skier shall leave the personal identification required by this subdivision with the ski area operator or their employee or agent or a member of the ski patrol.
- 9. Not to embark upon or disembark from a passenger tramway except at an area that is designated for such purpose;
- 10. Not to throw or expel any object from a passenger tramway;
- 11. Not to perform any action that interferes with the operation or running of a passenger tramway;
- 12. Not to use such tramway unless the skier has the ability to use it with reasonable safety;
- 13. To not engage willfully or negligently in any type of conduct that contributes to or causes injury to another person or that person's properties;
- 14. Not to embark upon a passenger tramway without the authority of the ski area operator;
- 15. If using freestyle terrain, to know the range of the skier's abilities to negotiate the terrain and to avoid conditions and obstacles beyond the limits of such ability that a visible inspection should have revealed.
- 16. To not ski off or outside of the ski trail boundaries.
- 17. To load and unload properly from a tramway, and to use any passenger restraining devices on tramways in accordance with its intended purpose, posted instructions, and any verbal instructions from the ski area operator.
- 18. To not ski on a ski slope or ski trail that is posted as "closed" or outside of the operating hours of the ski area.
- 19. To stay clear of snow-grooming equipment, all vehicles, lift towers, signs, and any other equipment on ski slopes and ski trails.
- 20. To heed all posted information and other warnings, and to refrain from acting in a manner which may cause or contribute to the injury of the skier or others. Each skier is presumed to have seen and understood all information posted in accordance with this Chapter near base area lifts, at ticket kiosks, online, on the passenger tramways, and on ski areas, ski slopes, and ski trails. Under decreased visibility, the skier has a duty to locate and ascertain the meaning of all signage.
- 21. To yield the right-of-way to the downhill skier when approaching or overtaking another skier.
- 22. To not misuse a ski pass or season pass
- 23. To be aware of changing weather conditions, snow conditions, and subsurface conditions, including bare spots, rocks, forest growth, snow making equipment, and other man-made structures.
- 24. To stay clear of all snow-grooming equipment, vehicles, lift towers, and snow making equipment.
- 25. To properly supervise children under 14 years of age.

Be advised that all poles and / or flags, signage and covers on equipment or objects or other forms of marking devices are used by the ski area to inform you of the presence or location of a potential obstacle or hazard. These markers are no guarantee of your safety and will not protect you from injury. It is part of your responsibility under the North Carolina Winter Sports Safety Act to avoid all obstacles or hazards, whether marked or unmarked.

The Sugar Mountain Resort trail-rating system compares the degree of difficulty of each individual trail with the other trails at Sugar Mountain Resort ONLY. Be familiar with the general terrain at Sugar Mountain Resort. Specific trail designations at other ski areas do not parallel the degree of difficulty of the trail at Sugar Mountain Resort carrying the same rating.

Holiday Period: Thursday, December 17, 2026 through Friday, January 1, 2027

With Sugar Mountain Resort's RFID chip-based ticketing system, tubing and ice-skating ticket sales are purchased online ONLY and available at www.skisugar.com/buytickets (no on-site tubing or ice-skating purchases with the exception of 4 and under passes which MUST be purchased in-person) and may be purchased up to two days prior to your visit until sold out. After your initial online tubing or ice-skating purchase, you will receive a QR Code. Upon arrival, proceed to the tubing or ice-skating venue check-in window. There, you will present the QR code to receive your personalized RFID card displaying your name and customer code. Your reusable RFID tubing or ice-skating card can be reloaded online up to two days prior to your next visit or until sold out. Always keep your tubing or ice-skating card on you. Ticket holders are not guaranteed parking. Parking is first-come, first-served.

All purchases are final and cannot be cancelled, refunded, changed, or transferred. Sugar Mountain Resort does not guarantee snow conditions, weather conditions, or open terrain. Your credit card account will be charged for the total amount of your purchase, regardless of if the purchased ticket(s) is/are used. Credit will not be given for any unused purchases and unused tubing or ice-skating cards cannot be used for future purchases. Your tubing or ice-skating card is non-refundable and non-transferable. The Resort does not assume any responsibility for lost tubing or ice skating cards/passes. No replacements. Everyone must always have a valid tubing or ice-skating card to enter the tubing or ice-skating facility. Management reserves the right to revoke tubing or ice-skating card for misconduct.

Using someone else's ticket/pass is illegal! It is a Class 1 misdemeanor, which can result in jail time and loss of skiing privileges, as well as civil liability.

All prices and policies are subject to change without notice.

TUBING AND ICE SKATING RATES

	Tubing	Ice Skating
Weekend & Holiday*	\$56	\$40
Weekday, Non-Holiday*	\$45	\$30

- Tubing sessions are approximately 1 hour and 45 minutes.
- Ice skating sessions are approximately 1 hour and 30 minutes.

Snowsports School: Professional Ski Instructors of America (PSIA) and American Association of Snowboard Instructors (AASI) member schools use the American Teaching System. Group and private lessons available hourly from 9:00am to 3:00pm and at night from 6:00pm to 8:00pm daily. All lessons subject to instructor availability. **Group lessons are for skiers & snowboarders aged 8 or older. For more information, see page 4.**

Group Lessons: \$47 per person (1 hour and 30 minutes)
Private Lessons: \$95 for the first person, and \$49 for each additional person (1 hour)

SUGAR BEAR SKI & POLAR BEAR SNOWBOARD SCHOOLS

	Weekday / Non-holiday	Weekend / Holiday
Sugar Bear Full Day	\$141	\$164
Sugar Bear Half Day	\$118	\$141
Polar Bear Full Day	\$201	\$223
Polar Bear Half Day	\$145	\$157

For kids aged 5-10 for skiing and 7-14 for snowboarding. Registration for Full Day Programs is online only, up to four days in advance until 3:00pm the day prior. No same day registration. See page 4 for more information.

Snowshoe Guided Tours: \$42 per person, includes snowshoe rental (1 hour). Available at the Snowsports School building. See page 4 for more information.

SCAN TO RELOAD YOUR LIFT/SLOPE RFID CARD OR TO PURCHASE A TUBING OR ICE SKATING TICKET!



RFID cards for skiing and snowboarding must be purchased in-person. A valid RFID card is required to purchase a lift/slope pass online.

Tubing tickets, Ice Skating tickets, and Sugar/Polar Bear Full Day Sessions can only be purchased online.



Sugar Mountain Resort utilizes an RFID chip-based lift/slope ticketing system in partnership with SKIDATA. Upon your initial on-site purchase (refer to session times for in-person ticket sales), you will receive a personalized reusable RFID card displaying your name and customer code.

Reload your reusable RFID lift/slope card online at skisugar.com/reload up to two days prior to your visit. Always keep your lift/slope card on you. Ticket holders are not guaranteed parking. Parking is first-come, first-served.

All purchases are final and cannot be cancelled, refunded, changed, or transferred. Sugar Mountain Resort does not guarantee snow conditions, weather conditions, or open terrain. Your credit card account will be charged for the total amount of your purchase, regardless of if the purchased ticket(s) is/are used. Credit will not be given for any unused purchases and unused lift/slope cards cannot be used for future purchases. Your lift/slope card is non-refundable and non-transferable.

The Resort does not assume any responsibility for lost lift/slope cards/passes. No replacements. Everyone must always have a valid lift/slope card to enter any slope system or embark on any lift. Management reserves the right to revoke lift/slope card for misconduct.

Using someone else's ticket/pass is illegal! It is a Class 1 misdemeanor, which can result in jail time and loss of skiing privileges, as well as civil liability.

All prices and policies are subject to change without notice.

SESSION TIMES

Tickets are sold on a session by session basis.

Full Day Session: 9:00am - 4:30pm.

Tickets may be purchased in-person starting at 8:00am.

Half Day Session: 12:30 - 4:30pm

Tickets may be purchased in-person starting at 12:00pm.

Twilight Session: 12:30 - 10:00pm

Tickets may be purchased in-person starting at 12:00pm.

(Slopes Closed 4:30 - 6:00pm)

Night Session: 6:00 - 10:00pm

Tickets may be purchased in-person starting at 5:00pm.

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4 and Under Discount: Upon approval children 4 and under qualify for a \$4 lift/slope pass (does NOT include rental equipment and lessons), obtained only in the Snowsports School or the Administration office. The child must be present and accompanied by a ticketed adult or have a private lesson voucher.

Senior Discounts: Seniors ages 70+ qualify for special rates. Visit skisugar.com/septs for more information.

College Discounts: College student rates are available to NC & TN students on non-holidays, Sunday night through Thursday night, and are not available January 18 and February 15.

Military Discounts: Military rates are available daily for active duty personnel, their spouses, and dependent children 17 & under. Dated Military ID's required.

Group Discounts: For group sales information see page 5.

LIFT / SLOPE TICKETS

Weekend & Holiday*	Adults 12+	Juniors 5 -11
Full Day	\$104	\$76
Half Day	\$82	\$61
Twilight	\$104	\$76
Fri, Sat & Holiday* Nights	\$60	\$52

Weekday, Non-Holiday*	Adults 12+	Juniors 5 -11
Full Day	\$65	\$54
Half Day	\$54	\$39
Twilight	\$65	\$54
Sun-Thurs Nights	\$47	\$39

SKI RENTALS

Weekend & Holiday*	Adults 12+	Juniors 11 & Under
Full Day	\$53	\$39
Half Day	\$45	\$35
Twilight	\$53	\$39
Night	\$45	\$35

Weekday, Non-Holiday*	Adults 12+	Juniors 11 & Under
Full Day	\$39	\$31
Half Day	\$34	\$23
Twilight	\$39	\$31
Night	\$34	\$23

SNOWBOARD RENTALS

	Full Day & Twilight	Half Day & Night
Weekend & Holiday*	\$69	\$51
Weekday, Non-Holiday*	\$60	\$45

• ID's required for all rental equipment.

HELMET RENTALS

	Full Day & Twilight	Half Day & Night
Adults 12+*	\$26	\$20
Juniors 11 & Under*	\$20	\$19

• Rates apply seven days a week.

CLOTHING RENTALS

	Bibs / Jackets	Full Set
Per Session	\$28	\$37

Skiboard Rentals: \$34 per day with ID

Rental Insurance (Optional)*: \$10 per day

• Covers broken equipment, but NOT lost or stolen equipment.



SAVE TIME AT CHECK IN!

Online Pre-Registration is available for rental equipment.



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HOURS OF OPERATION

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Half Day Session: 12:30 - 4:30pm
Twilight Session: 12:30 - 10:00pm
(Slopes Closed 4:30 - 6:00pm)
Night Session: 6:00 - 10:00pm
Christmas Eve: 9:00am - 4:30pm
Christmas Day: 12:00 - 10:00pm
Tubing: 10:00am - 10:00pm
Ice Skating: 10:00am - 10:00pm

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