

LUXURY In the Mountains

Among Tahoe's premier destinations is Northstar™ Resort

Recognized as one of the top family destination resorts in Lake Tahoe, Northstar-at-Tahoe™ Resort continues to transform itself into one of the nation's finest year-round destinations offering a variety of terrain, events, and activities for guests of all ages and ability levels. As the resort gears up for a spectacular winter season, it will offer guests a new triple chairlift, Timberline, with access to four new intermediate trails, bringing the total lift count to 17 (eight of which are express lifts), the total trail count to 83, and the resort's skiable acreage to 2,490.

Widely known for its wind-protected slopes and incredible tree skiing, Northstar-at-Tahoe Resort is working to improve its offerings by extending the advanced ski trails on Lookout Mountain® all the way down to the valley floor (permits pending). Thought to be a natural extension of Lookout Mountain's lift and trails, the lengthening of the trails from 1,200 vertical feet to 1,700 vertical feet will allow Northstar-at-Tahoe Resort guests to enjoy an enhanced advanced skiing experience.

Northstar-at-Tahoe Resort has also invested in new rental equipment, replacing one-third of all alpine ski equipment, all of the snowboards and two-thirds of the snowboard boots, as well as 100 percent of the cross-country rental equipment. Cross-country trails have been graded to make them more gradual and inviting to all levels of cross-country skiers.

After being ranked among the top 10 resorts in all three categories of terrain parks and halfpipes by *Transworld Snowboarding*, it

is no surprise that Northstar-at-Tahoe Resort was selected to be the West Coast home of the first-ever Burton Progression Park, a non-intimidating environment for riders of all ages who want to develop their terrain park skills.

Burton and Northstar Resort brought another dimension of terrain park development to the West Coast last year, The Stash. The first run of its kind, The Stash is a place where riders can progress their all-mountain skills on features such as tree runs, road jumps, and jibs all constructed with wood logs and other natural materials.

The Village at Northstar™ is a favorite gathering place for friends and families as they prepare for the day and wind down while recounting memories of their adventures. The Village at Northstar features live music on weekends, a 9,000-square-foot skating rink, fire pits, cabana bars, events, and more. This season, new retailers and restaurants include Mikuni Japanese Restaurant & Sushi Bar, Olivier Napa Valley, and Tahoe Creamery. Spirits in Stone moved in last summer, and its sculptures can be seen around the Village.

Lodging ranges from affordable hotel-style rooms to luxury ski-in, ski-out condos to residential condos and rental homes surrounding the

resort with distinctive Tahoe charm.

Northstar-at-Tahoe Resort is located on Highway 267, just six miles north of Lake Tahoe and six miles south of downtown Truckee. For more information on Northstar Resort or to book a getaway, call 866.735.8050 or visit www.NorthstarAtTahoe.com.



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