COME JOIN US THIS MONTH FOR ICE CLIMBING & GUIDED BACKCOUNTRY SKI AND SNOWBOARD TRIPS
EMERGENCY RESORT TRIp RESERVATION DETAILS
This season, all Vail resorts including Breckenridge and Keystone where we run trips will require you to have a reservation to ski/ride on the day you want to go up. This means, if you sign up for a ride with us to Breckenridge or Vail resorts, you are responsible for making sure you have a reservation in place for that same day. USAFA/PAFB are not responsible for these outside reservations and will not refund trips within our normal 48hr cancellation period if you do not satisfy this additional step. To learn more and to make your reservations, please visit Epicpass.com and refer any questions on that process to Vail resorts.

COVID-19 SAFETY MEASURES
In line with guidance from the Air Force, the state of Colorado, and El Paso County, we will be offering these trips will added safety procedures. Vehicles will be limited to 2/3 capacity. All guests and drivers shall wear a face covering over the nose and mouth at all times when in the vehicle. Food is not permitted to be eaten in the vehicle. Guests will be provided hand sanitizer as requested while entering, exiting or riding in the vehicle and all surfaces will be disinfected after each use. Please do not come on these trips if you are sick. Failure to follow these health and safety procedures will result in your expulsion from the trip at any point to include while traveling. We take the safety of our guests and drivers seriously and ask that you do as well.

MONARCH RIDE & PASS, SKI TRIPS
Sat, Dec 5 - Monarch & Sat, Dec 19 - Keystone
Are you tired of the hustle and bustle of the bigger resorts? Then this resort is for you! Small enough to give you that friendly small-town, local feel, but large enough to offer the terrain and services you want! They have runs for all abilities, as well as a terrain park and cat skiing. Transportation AND lift pass included! No additional reservation is needed for our Monarch trips. If you sign up with us, your day and ticket are guaranteed!
Cost: $90. Transportation only is $35.

GUIDED BACKCOUNTRY SKIING AND SNOWBOARDING
Sat, Dec 19 | Sun, Dec 27 | Jan. 2 Custom dates also available.
With the resorts up in the air on whether or not the lifts will turn, and folks seeking powder and fun lines in the backcountry, we are excited to continue to offer guided BC skiing and riding. Our experienced and professionally certified guides will take you out for a day on Monarch Pass for some low ratio instruction and guided laps in the backcountry. If you are new to BC skiing/riding, this is a great course to learn the basics, and if you have some experience and are looking to push a bigger day and learn some terrain in our area, our guides can get you there! Includes equipment, guides, and transportation. Min. age 15 years. Minors must be accompanied by an adult
Cost: $99/person.

AIARE LEVEL 1 AND RESCUE AVALANCHE SAFETY COURSES
Rescue: Sat, Dec 19 & Sun, Dec 20
Level 1: Sat & Sun, Dec 26-27
This course is designed for winter backcountry users including skiers, snowboarders, snowmobilers, snowshoers, and mountaineers. Level 1 and 2 courses are comprised of 2 evenings and 2 field days plus some self paced online learning. Any user of the Colorado winter backcountry should have the knowledge taught in this course in order to have fun, stay safe, and help others if needed in the wintry wonderland we love to play in. Refer to our Backcountry Brochure or our website for more information and course inclusions. Classroom Evening sessions will take place the Tues and Thurs before each course. Schedule subject to change base on developing covid restrictions.
Cost: Rescue: $150 | Level 1: $450 | RecOn price: $100

INTRO TO ICE CLIMBING
Sun, Dec 20 | Sat, Dec 26. Custom dates also available!
Come with us to learn about this fun, exciting, and surprisingly easy activity. We will teach you how to climb these frozen flows and how to safely use ice climbing equipment, as well as how to belay your partners. Don’t miss out on this unique and extremely fun part of the Colorado outdoor scene! Trips meet at Outdoor Rec. at 7 a.m. and return by 3-5 p.m. (location dependent). Refer to our Ice Climbing Brochure or our website for more information.
Cost: $80/person Price does not include Guide Gratuity. Minimum participation: 3 people, max: 7 people. Must be 9 y/o or older.
SEASON SKI PASSES

MONARCH - $199 (Eligibility: Active, Retired, Reservists, National Guard and dependents)

IKON PASS - $609 (Military online is $749)

IKON BASE PASS - $429 (Eligibility: Active, Retired, Reservists, National Guard and dependents + DoD civilians including NAF employees.)

*Ticket pricing subject to change without notice. Restrictions apply. Blackout dates may apply.*

INTERMEDIATE/ADVANCED ICE CLIMBING

If you have climbed before or have taken one of our beginner classes and are ready for something a little more advanced, call us to set up a private course. We will take you to our intermediate/advanced site and go over vertical ice, ice anchors, and anything else you are interested in. Refer to our Ice Climbing Brochure or our website for more information. Includes transportation, equipment, and guide. Price does not include guide gratuity. Meeting time is 7 a.m. and return by 5 p.m.

Cost: $99/person with a 2 person min./6 person max.

SNOWSHOE TRIPS

Sat, Dec 12; 8 a.m. | Sun, Dec 27; 12 p.m. Custom dates also available! Too much time indoors this winter? Spend some time exploring the Kingdom of Farish on snowshoes. We will offer trips both night and day for the upcoming season. Whether you’re on snowshoes for the first time or you’re a pro, join this winter adventure! Refreshments and hearty snacks provided for the journey. Dress in layers, because you will warm up quickly, wear sturdy waterproof boots and a jacket that covers your bum. Route is usually between one and a half to three miles long depending on conditions and customers abilities. Includes transportation snowshoes and guide. Snow conditions permitting.

Cost: $39/person.

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High Risk Activities Worksheet (AF 4391) is required to participate in ANY high risk activity, for ALL Active Duty Personnel. It is required to be completed by Active Duty Personnel before they participate in most of our Outdoor Adventure Programs and submitted to Commander.
OAP is looking for volunteer ski drivers for the upcoming season. A great way to get to the mountain, and pick up a free lift ticket! All volunteers must have a valid driver’s license, be at least 18 years old and complete a vehicle orientation course. First-aid and CPR training will be provided. Come and enjoy a trip on us! Call 333-2940 Volunteer meeting will take place on Wed., Nov. 20 at 6 p.m. in the ORC classroom.

**DECEMBER SPECIALS**

**RETAIL**
15% OFF Ski Helmets

**RENTAL**
25% OFF Cross Country Ski packages
($6 per day reduced from $8)

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**WINTER BIKE RIDES IN PUEBLO**

**Sat, Dec 5; 9 a.m. - 6 p.m.** For those of us that just have to ride their bikes, we offer a “no snow we’ll go” bike ride on the bike paths in Pueblo. Pueblo is usually 10-15+ degrees warmer than the Springs. Ride is an out and back from the river walk to the marina on Pueblo Res. Ride is up to 30 miles long and all on bike path. Road bikes will be best. Activity includes transportation & guides.

Cost: $35/Person

**INTRO TO KAYAKING/LEARN TO ROLL**

**Tue, Dec 8; 8 - 10 p.m.** For first-time kayakers. Learn basic skills including basic paddle strokes, boat control, balance, T-rescues and the Eskimo roll. 4 person minimum. Fitness Center Pool.

Cost: $30/Person

**CELESTIAL SEASONINGS & HAMMENDS CANDY TOURS**

**Fri, Dec 18; 8:30 a.m. - 5:30 p.m.** From Outdoor Rec. we’ll head out to the Celestial Seasoning® factory in Boulder. From raw ingredients to finished products, you’ll learn all about the wonderful world of tea and see how our wholesome products are blended, packaged and shipped. After the tour we’ll grab a bite to eat, but save some room because we’re going to Hammends Candy Factory. See how it is made and then buy bags of it! Both places have great gift shops and will make it easy to finish off your Christmas shopping. Activity includes transportation and tours.

Cost: $29/person

**“POP UP” ACTIVITIES**

Keep your eye out for our short notice activities that you will not see in our regular advertising. Usually only a week or two notice of what activity will be. Call 719-333-2940 to find out how to get info on these activities.

**CUSTOM TRIPS/ACTIVITIES**

If you don’t see something you like or your schedule doesn’t match up with our calendar, then we can make a trip/activity just for you and your group. We intentionally leave days open in our activity calendar so we can put things together for groups that come to us. This could be co-workers, friends, families, groups or whatever. Plan a ski trip, snowshoe trip or another activity we do for your group. One I.D. card holder may sign for up to five guests. Save money with larger groups, set your own schedule and customize your own activity. Some activities may need to be planned far in advance others may only require a week or so. For more information, call 719-333-2940.
R4R ELIGIBILITY:
The Recharge for Resiliency initiative is directed specifically toward the Active Duty and Reserve members to include their families at each base. This means that retirees, civilians and foreign military are not eligible for these R4R discounted rates. Other branches of the US military are eligible if they are a part of an Air Force led joint-based scenario, or are permanently assigned to an Air Force base.

BACKCOUNTRY SKI AND RIDE CAMPS
If you are just getting into backcountry skiing/snowboarding or wanting to start upping your game and have experience in the backcountry already, check out our intensive BC Ski and Ride Camp and our Ski Mountaineering Camp. Learn from the only AMGA Certified Ski Guide in Colorado Springs and the DoD for multiple days of intentional and measured skill development that will have you moving through the mountains on your skis/snowboard efficiently. Our BC Ski and Ride Camp will go through all the basics of efficient skinning and transition techniques, avalanche safety, terrain selection, and of course, a ton of riding! For those who have experience and are ready to add some rope skills, snow climbing and steep riding to their resumé, check out our Ski Mountaineering Camp where we will get in to real alpine terrain on big lines, mitigating avalanche and terrain hazards and diving into complex tour planning techniques and snow cave construction so you can go out and crush the big days!

BC Ski and Ride Camp: Mar 24-27 | $600 – Includes equipment, guide, transportation and avy gear.
Ski Mountaineering Camp: Apr 16-18 | $500 – Includes equipment, guide, transportation and meals.

“WINTER IS HERE!”
2020-2021 Season Ski/Snowboard Rentals: Check for availability by calling 719-333-4753 or 719-333-4356. Appointments may still be available for season equipment, due back NLT 14 Apr 14, 2021. Daily Ski Rentals begin Friday, 20 Nov, conditions and covid permitting.
Daily-use customers are encouraged to be fitted early by appointment only (starting Nov 16) and use the 3-day advanced reservation policy. Once current fittings are in the system, call 3 days prior to desired pick-up day. Great for busy holiday weekends!!
CADET OUTDOOR REC IN VANDENBERG HALL
Open for Winter!
Hours of Operation:
Mon/Tues/Thur/Fri - 8 a.m.-5p.m.
Closed Wed, Sat, Sun and Federal Holidays

RESERVATION POLICY
Active duty can reserve high-demand equipment a maximum of 90 days from date of pick up. All other eligible customers can reserve 60 days from date of pick up. All reservable items require a full payment upon reservation. Any reservation canceled will be charged 10% cancellation fee. Any reservation canceled within 72 hours will lose 50% of their deposit, unless it is a documented military commitment or medical emergency.

FAMCAMP
Office is CLOSED for the winter. The office will re-open on April 1, 2021.
Famcamp winter rates are effective Oct 9, 2020 through March 31, 2021. Nightly rate for ID card holders is $25. Monthly rate is $650 (beginning Nov 1). Any additional day after 30-day commitment is $25 each. Guests (covid permitting) are $30 per night, up to 14 nights max per year. Tent sites are CLOSED for the winter. Car camping is not allowed in any form. Temporary storage available (through March 31) $5 per day, $90/month w/out electricity. $6 per day, $110/month with electricity.
* Peak Season is April 1 thru Nov 1, 2020.

FARISH
FARISH is CLOSED for the winter (Nov 2, 2020 – May 1, 2021)
Reservations Policy: 90 days in advance only for Active Duty personnel and 60 days in advance for all other eligible users. Customers are authorized to make reservations a year in advance for large events that require at least 50% of the lodging. These groups will ONLY be scheduled Sundays to Thursdays (no weekends). Call 719-333-4475 for more information.

CADET BUS INFO
Advance Airport Bus Ticket Sales for Winter Break
DIA BUSES are $55 Round Trip (R/T), $35 one way and standby are $40.
COLORADO SPRINGS BUSES are $30 R/T,$20 one way, and standby are $25.
Buses do sell out so please, purchase early!! Call Vandenberg ITT: 719-333-4602

OAP CANCELLATION POLICY
- Full payment for all trips is due at time of registration.
- Cancellations within 72 hours of the activity date will NOT be refunded or rescheduled unless otherwise stated.
- Cancellations 30 days or more before a multi-day activity start date are refundable in full unless otherwise stated. Cancellations within 30 days of a multi-day activity will not be refunded unless someone takes your place on the activity. Any refunds issued in this case will result in a service fee of 10% of the total price for the activity.
- “No Shows” are non-refundable and will not be rescheduled.
- All trips are subject to cancellation due to unsafe weather or conditions outside of our control. In this event, the trip will be rescheduled or you may opt for a refund minus irretrievable deposits. In the case of cancellation due to insufficient participation, a full refund will be issued.
- Refunds may be given at any time when a medical emergency or military TDY/PCS orders prohibit participation. A signed doctor’s note or signed orders must be presented in order to receive a refund in these cases. If a refund is given for a multi-day trip in this instance, OAP will retain a service fee of 10% of the total price for the activity.
IT&T Attraction Tickets

**DENVER AQUARIUM**
Adult $17, Child $10.50

**BOONDOCKS**
Adult $30, Child $24

**ROCKY MOUNTAIN DINOSAUR CENTER**
Adult $10, Child (6-12) $13.50

**OVERDRIVE RACEWAY**
3-Race ticket $43

**CASTLE ROCK ADVENTURE PARK**
Epic Sky Trek starting at $38
Zipline Tours starting at $73

**CAVE OF THE WINDS DISCOVERY TOUR**
Adult $19.50, Child $13.50

**OUT OF STATE ATTRACTION TICKETS**
Discounted for Military and DoD civilians!
Disney, Universal and more!
Prices based on number of days and dates.

IT&T Lodging

Whether you are traveling in Colorado, to your home or your dream destination; USAFA IT&T can help arrange your lodging!!
Please ask about lodging options and rates. Let IT&T help book your ski weekends! Great discounts at most Colorado Ski Resorts.

**Disney & Universal Packages**

It’s not too early to plan your Spring Break Disney Resorts and Universal Orlando vacation packages.
Call 719-333-7367 for more information.

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**OUTDOOR RECREATION CENTERS.**

**Community Center**
Mon-Fri: 9 am - 6 pm; Sat: 7 am-4 pm; Sun: Closed. **719-333-4475.**

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