

# Wintergreen Resort

**MAKE THANKSGIVING A FEAST OF FAMILY MEMORIES AT BEAUTIFUL,  
BOUNTIFUL WINTERGREEN RESORT**



**WINTERGREEN, Va. (Oct. 22, 2015)** — Create a Thanksgiving your family will never forget at Wintergreen Resort in Virginia’s Blue Ridge Mountains. From festive holiday meals to a cornucopia of entertainment, activities, and accommodations, the four-season destination is the ideal host for a memorable celebration.

No Thanksgiving is complete without the traditional feast, and each Wintergreen restaurant will offer something special on Thursday, November 26. Copper Mine Bistro will offer a Thanksgiving Buffet, while Devils Grill and Stoney Creek Bar & Grill will serve Thanksgiving Dinner à la carte. Guests who prefer dining in their home or condo can take advantage of Thanksgiving Takeout and let the resort’s expert chefs prepare a turkey with all the trimmings—cornbread stuffing, gravy, and homemade cranberry relish.

Work off some of that special meal at the inaugural “Be Thankful” 5K run that kicks off Friday morning at 9 a.m. at Bold Rock Cidery located in the Rockfish Valley. Proceeds from the entry fees benefit the Nelson County Community Fund.

Getting prepared for the upcoming ski season, Wintergreen’s Ski Swap is the ideal opportunity to buy or sell used skis, boots, snowboards, and ski clothing, and supports the Wintergreen Ski Patrol. Doors open Friday morning at 9 a.m. to receive consignments at the Lookout Building and start the swapping.

Throughout the long weekend November 25-29, the resort will offer a full menu of activities for all ages. There will be creative holiday crafting and three Gingerbread House Workshops. There will be thrill rides galore at Plunge Tubing Park will be abuzz with (weather permitting), while the Discovery Ridge Adventure Center will be bouncing with bungee trampoline, climbing wall, mechanical bull, and video games. The resort’s archery range is nearby.

The winter holiday season kicks off in style Friday night with Grand Illumination, which lights up the courtyard. Saturday and Sunday will be given over to wreath making, kid's ornament workshops, holiday candy bingo, and other family-friendly fun.

Whether or not the snow is falling outside, it will be a white-out Saturday night at Discovery Ridge Adventure Center where a Warren Miller sports-action film will be shown. Co-sponsored by Freestyle, the screening is open to Wintergreen members and registered resort guests.

The Wintergreen Spa and Aquatics & Fitness Center will be open throughout the holiday weekend. The spa menu includes indulgent facials, warps, and salon treatments, plus there's an indoor pool, high-tech fitness equipment, and outdoor hot tubs.

Accommodations at Wintergreen Resort include 230 villa-style condominiums and rental units from studio suites to nine-bedroom homes, each offering a fully equipped kitchen and comfortable living area, most featuring fireplaces and a balcony or deck. For complete information, access the Web site at [www.wintergreenresort.com](http://www.wintergreenresort.com).

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**About Wintergreen Resort:** Wintergreen Resort is an 11,000-acre, four-season resort located in the Blue Ridge Mountains southwest of Charlottesville, Va. This beautiful hideaway is the ultimate vacation and conference spot, nearly 230 condominium-style accommodations; 45 holes of championship golf; snow skiing, snowboarding and snow tubing; an award-winning tennis program; a full-service, destination spa; 40,000 square feet of meeting and event space; and savory dining options. The resort is located adjacent to the Blue Ridge Parkway in beautiful central Virginia near Charlottesville, just 90 minutes from Richmond, Va., three hours from Washington, D.C. and Raleigh, N.C., five and a half hours from Philadelphia, and eight hours from Atlanta. For more information, guests can call (434) 325-2200 or visit the resort's web site at [www.wintergreenresort.com](http://www.wintergreenresort.com).

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