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Canyons Village

Family farm to family fun

Written by Meredith Kluever | Photos courtesy Visit Park City

Before there were world-famous ski slopes sprouting out of Canyons Village, there were mines and farmlands. (In fact, the village is built atop the former Loertscher farm.) When mining became obsolete, skiing became, by necessity, more than a local pastime; it became the avy pack for Park City's economic revival.





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In 1968, five years after Treasure Mountain opened, the lifts started turning at Ski Park City West, which would later go by many names and operate under various owners. It was renamed Wolf Mountain before being rebranded as The Canyons in 1997 under the American Ski Company.

The resort continued to expand, venturing into new territories like The Colony under Talisker’s ownership in 2008. Vail Resorts entered the scene in 2014, acquiring The Canyons and, subsequently, Park City Mountain. By combining the two properties, they effectively created the largest ski resort in North America.

From its inception, Canyons Village embraced a Wild West cowboy theme, featuring chairlifts named Tomahawk and Iron Horse and ski runs with evocative names like Ambush and Slaughterhouse. It now stands as a symbol of Park City’s ski heritage and serves as an all-in-one destination with hotels,

activities, restaurants and shops all situated in a walkable village. It has also expanded its offerings to attract year-round visitors, with a summer playground of ziplines and biking and hiking trails.

While the physical remnants of Canyons Village’s past may be scarce, the spirit of reinvention remains palpable. Collaborative efforts akin to those of Chip Carey and Blaise Carrig, who creatively named new runs while exploring the mountain by pickup truck, bridge the gap between nostalgia and innovation.

As Canyons Village continues to evolve, it serves as a living testament to Park City’s capacity to adapt, grow and thrive amidst changing times. Today, Canyons Village stands as a winter haven for ski enthusiasts and a summer retreat for visitors seeking adventure and solitude — but, more importantly, it holds the story of Park City’s journey from mining town to globally renowned vacation destination. ■

 **PARK CITY**
CANYONS VILLAGE

DISCOVER SUMMER

IN CANYONS VILLAGE AT PARK CITY MOUNTAIN



Immerse yourself in a summer filled with diverse events at Canyons Village, from electrifying concerts and cultural festivals to the highly anticipated 3rd Annual Forum Fest. Explore the many dining and shopping options and pick from a wide range of lodging choices.

Canyons Village is the ultimate destination for a memorable time in Park City!



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Canyons Village Culture

The Canyons Village Management Association works to enhance culture and vibrancy

Written by Michael J. Heil | Photos courtesy Canyons Village Management Association



The Canyons Village Management Association has been working for decades to develop Canyons Village into a world-class destination and community. Each spring, as the weather warms, the ski village transforms from a majestic, snow-laden community into a summertime escape.



From hiking under the ever-changing leaves to riding singletrack trails — Canyons Village at Park City Mountain has it all.

“Complementing these experiences are the village’s varied lodging options — from luxurious five-star accommodations like Pendry Park City and Waldorf Astoria Park City to family- and budget-friendly options such as Sundial Lodge and YotelPad Park City — ensuring guests can enjoy a seamless stay amidst the natural beauty of the surrounding mountains,” says Whitney Ryan, the director of marketing and public relations for CVMA.

Canyons Golf is one of the village’s cornerstones; winding through 97 acres of pristine mountain terrain with endless views.





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— WHITNEY RYAN

"In summer and fall, Canyons Village draws people primarily through its 18-hole, par 70 championship golf course, featuring over 550 feet of elevation change, offering scenic vistas and challenging play — in addition to the allure of live concerts, coupled with diverse food and beverage options," Whitney says.

Being seated in the heart of the nation's biggest ski resort certainly has its perks.

"Adventure awaits around every corner at Canyons Village at Park City Mountain. From

thrilling mountain biking trails to captivating live concerts and family-friendly attractions, there's something for everyone to discover in this scenic mountain retreat," Whitney says.

Whether you are staying in the village or just dropping by to hike, mountain bike, join an outdoor yoga class, or enjoy a round of golf, make sure you allow yourself time to check out the village's shopping and dining.

"Offerings include a diverse array of dining cuisines, including modern Mexican and new

American, elevated American, a Japanese steakhouse, a pizzeria, traditional Japanese hot pot and ramen, a selection of indoor-outdoor bars, decadent dessert offerings and world-class shopping and services, including spas," Whitney adds.

While the village's spas, shops, restaurants and recreation opportunities create an atmosphere that people from any walk of life will find enjoyable, it's the endless stream of events, concerts and festivals that really make this vibrant community standout.

"We are thrilled to announce an exhilarating lineup of events set to unfold in Canyons Village throughout the summer and fall seasons. We are eagerly anticipating the launch of our annual summer concert series, a cherished tradition that brings together music lovers from near and far to revel in the beauty of our surroundings while enjoying performances by a diverse array of talented local and regional artists," Whitney says.

See the sidebar for a few Canyons Village events you won't want to miss.



The Canyons Village Summer Lineup

Fun in the village from June to October

Latino Arts Festival June 14-16

The Latino Arts Festival is a celebration of Latino and Hispanic culture and features talented artists from Peru, Mexico, Chile, Brazil, Colombia, Argentina and more. Many of these artists live in Park City and have contributed to the beautifully diverse city we know and love. At the Latino Arts Festival in Canyons Village there will be countless treasures to appreciate and experiences to be had, including handcrafted piñatas, specialty miniatures, celebratory music, heavenly cuisine and a diverse array of artwork.

Forum Fest July 3-6

What better way to celebrate the Fourth of July than enjoying music, art, food, fireworks and a drone show? The Forum Fest features four days of music and festivities, plus admission is free!

Concerts on the Slopes July 9–August 31

Along with Canyons Village at Park City Mountain, the Park City Institute is enriching the community with live music in the great outdoors. Perks of this music series include free parking, affordable ticket prices and plenty of picnic space.

Park City Song Summit August 15-17

"Canyons Village is excited to welcome back the Park City Song Summit on our two stages [in addition to venues on Main Street]," Whitney says, noting that the "concert lineup promises to delight audiences of all ages and tastes."

In addition to soul-stirring musical performances, the Park City Song Summit audience will have the chance to engage in a diverse array of workshops in which artists share their passions and bear their souls. The intimate and reflective conversations that take place in these workshops allow participants and artists to celebrate their collective humanity.

Park City Wine Festival October 3-5

"In addition to the epic grand tastings that feature 100-plus wineries and live music, there are several à la carte events to create your perfect wine weekend," Whitney says. ■

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