

LOCAL OVERNIGHT OR DAY EXCURSIONS

- **Yellowstone National Park:** Discover the beauty and the wonder of Yellowstone at any time of the year. Consider camping, hiking and sightseeing in the summer, and cross-country skiing, snow-coach tours and the boiling river in the winter



- **Big Sky:** Drive an hour south to spend a day or two living the mountain life. In summer, hike to Ousal or Palisade Falls, go horseback riding with Jake's Horses, improve your golf game or fly-fishing cast, or boost your adrenaline with zip-lining and whitewater rafting. In winter:



ski the biggest downhill skiing in America, go cross country skiing or snowshoeing, take a sleigh ride (320 Ranch or Lone Mountain Ranch), or give dogsledding a try!

- **Lewis & Clark Caverns:** Cool down and explore limestone stalactites, stalagmites and underground caverns at Lewis & Clark State Park.



- **Virginia City and Nevada City:** Visit the old west just 60 miles away. In the summer, spend a day exploring these active ghost towns complete with living history performances, comedy shows and plays, old west photos, rustic restaurants, and even a handmade candy and ice cream shop



- **Helena:** As the state capitol, [Helena](#) is just an hour and a half away and has plenty to offer her visitors. Explore downtown and Reeder's Alley, the Montana Historical Museum, and the [Gates of the Mountains](#), a notable Lewis and Clark expedition landmark.



- **Chico Hot Springs:** Take a step back in time and retreat to Chico Hot Springs for an afternoon or overnight stay. Soak in the hot springs, go horseback riding, enjoy their on-site spa, or stay and dine in their historic lodge.



- **Fairmont Hot Springs Resort:** Located outside of historic Butte, Montana, Fairmont offers large indoor and outdoor hot springs pools with waterslides, and modern lodging, dining and golf.



BOZEMAN AREA OUTINGS

- **Skiing:** For the closest skiing options visit [Bridger Bowl](#) for downhill and [Bohart Ranch](#) for cross-country
- **Fly-fishing:** Take your fishing pole to a nearby river or take fly-fishing lessons from [local outfitters](#)
- **Water:** [Hyalite Reservoir](#) is an easy half-hour drive for kayaking, hiking, biking or picturesque picnics. Contact a local outfitter for rock climbing or ice climbing options.
- **Hiking:** Numerous area [hiking trails](#) include the "M" and Sourdough Creek
- **Montana Grizzly Encounter:** get an up-close look grizzlies at this [bear rescue & education sanctuary](#) just minutes from Bozeman on the way to Livingston, Montana
- **Hot Air Balloons:** [Endeavor Ballooning](#) will give you a birds eye view of the impressive mountain ranges and endless big sky of Gallatin County
- **Theater:** Live theater and performances are available at the beautiful [Ellen Theater](#) downtown and [Verge Theater](#) off of 7th right here in Bozeman
- **Golf:** Unwind with a round of golf at [Bridger Creek Golf Course](#) or drive a bit further to [Cottonwood Hills](#)
- **Breweries:** Bozeman boasts seven breweries within its city limits. Leave the driving to [Tour de Foam](#) and get insider tours from the experts
- **Museum of the Rockies:** Dig dinos? Explore one of the best [dinosaur museums](#) in the country. Additional impressive displays rotate regularly.