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THE RESORT AT PAWS UP, MONTANA

FACT SHEET

The Last Best Place™:

The Resort at Paws Up combines luxury with unforgettable adventure on 37,000 acres – that’s more than 60 square miles -- of untamed Montana wilderness, steeped in Lewis and Clark history. Situated along seven winding miles of the Blackfoot River (of *A River Runs Through It*), The Resort at Paws Up opened in June 2005.

Paws Up boasts more than 120 miles of designated hiking, mountain biking, horse and ATV trails. Outdoor adventures include fly-fishing, tubing, kayaking, rock repelling, whitewater rafting, bird and wildlife watching, and sporting clays shooting. Winter activities include snowshoeing, cross-country skiing, snowmobiling, ice wall climbing, sleigh rides and ice skating, with ice fishing, dog sledding and downhill skiing nearby.

The Resort at Paws Up offers accommodations for 214 guests in 24 tented accommodations and 28 well-appointed vacation homes, ranging from two-bedroom Meadow Homes to the charming, private four-bedroom Morris Farmhouse and Wilderness Estates.

Location:

Paws Up is located 30 minutes east of Missoula in western Montana. Guests can fly into the Missoula Airport, via direct flights from Los Angeles, San Francisco, Seattle, Chicago, Phoenix, Denver, Las Vegas, Minneapolis, and Salt Lake City.

Accommodations: Paws Up guests can choose from a variety of private cabins, homes, and luxury tented accommodations, each individually decorated in a western cabin style with furnishings and artwork hand-selected by the owners. Paws Up creates a rich, rustic elegance with soft brown leather couches, timber and iron headboards, and an eclectic collection of lamps featuring bows and arrows, pinecones, moose and deer with lampshades of stitched cowhide.

Each of the homes offer the following amenities:

- Comfortable beds of 300-count linens and down duvet comforters and pillows, known at Paws Up as The Last Best Bed™
- Luxurious bathrooms with heated granite-tiled floors and showers, sumptuously thick bath towels and robes, and a selection of lotions, toiletries and bath salts
- Kitchen efficiencies featuring a full-sized GE Profile refrigerator, microwave and dishwasher
- Dining room table and chairs
- Flat-screen LCD TVs with satellite in the living room and master bedroom (excluding Bunkhouse, which has a large screen TV)
- DVD/CD players with selection of movies and music in the living room
- Internet access
- Outdoor hot tubs
- Laundry room with washers and dryers
- Club Car for on-resort transportation, or for Wilderness Estates guests, a Miles Electric Car.

Homes: The Resort at Paws Up offers multiple unique types of accommodations for a current maximum of 214 guests:

The Wilderness Estates

Ideal for larger families, multi-generational travelers or groups, the 10 Wilderness Estates can each sleep up to six persons. Adults can kick up their feet and relax on the private deck, soak in the outdoor hot tub, or immerse themselves in comfort of the chic Western décor in front of the magnificent Montana-sized stone fireplace while children have a 1,070 sq. ft. loft and game room to explore.

Big Timber Homes

The Big Timber Homes offer spacious accommodations for couples, families, friends and business associates. Each features a fireplace or wood stove and full-length private deck overlooking Paws Up's vast meadows. Big Timber Homes come in three sizes:

- **Three-bedroom/two-bathroom:** 2,430-square-foot private home with three bedrooms (including private loft bedroom with two double beds), two full baths. Sleeps eight.
- **Two-bedroom/two-bathroom:** 1,930-square foot home with two bedrooms, two full baths. Sleeps six.
- **One-bedroom+loft/one-bathroom:** 1,400-square-foot home with two bedrooms, one bath. Sleeps four.

Meadow Homes

For couples, families and friends, Paws Up also offers 1,300 square-foot Meadow Homes. These timber duplexes feature two bedrooms and two baths, a full living room and spacious decks with views of the mountains. Sleeps four.

Morris House

Built in 1908, this historic home sits next to Elk Creek at the foot of a picturesque mountain. Perfect for large families and executive retreats, this newly renovated home includes four bedrooms, 2.5 baths, living room, kitchen and a spacious deck with a hot tub. Sleeps eight.

Blackfoot River Lodge

Located in a beautiful private setting on the banks of the Blackfoot River, this home is just a short drive from the Saddle Club at Paws Up. On the main level, this four-bedroom, three-bath home features a master bedroom suite with a private office, a full kitchen, living room, large second bedroom, bathroom, laundry room, and four decks with spectacular views of the river. The second floor features a loft area with two bedrooms and one bathroom. Sleeps six.

Tented

Accommodations:

Moonlight Camp (formerly Tent City)

As Paws Up's exclusive adults-only camp, Moonlight Camp is a collection of six one-bedroom romantic canvas tents (405 sq. ft.). Each of the tents is outfitted with electricity, feather king-size beds, western chic furniture and private decks. Within steps from each tent guests have access to private master bathrooms, a dining pavilion where culinary innovations are prepared for guests, and even a Camping Butler. Sleeps 2. Opened 2005. Adults-only and renamed 2011.

River Camp

River Camp is situated along the banks of the legendary Blackfoot River and features six tents: four two-bedroom (730 sq. ft.) and two one-bedroom (405 sq. ft.). Each of the tents is outfitted with electricity, feather beds, western chic furniture and private decks. Within steps from each tent guests have access to private master bathrooms, a dining pavilion where culinary innovations are prepared for guests, and even their

own personal Camping Butler. Sleeps 2-4. Opened 2008.

Creekside Camp

Opened in July 2010, this camp is situated on the banks of Elk Creek and boasts six spacious tented suites: four two-bedroom suites (830 sq. ft.) and two one-bedroom suites (505 sq. ft.). The safari-style accommodations are outfitted with electricity, feather beds, western chic furniture, private decks and en-suite bathrooms. Within steps from each tent, Creekside Camp guests have access to a dining pavilion with a monumental round-stone fireplace, as well as a lounging game area, "creek-front" seating, an outdoor stone fire pit and their own personal "camping butler." Sleeps 2-4.

Pinnacle Camp

Opening June 2011, Pinnacle Camp will be located on a bluff overlooking the confluence of the Blackfoot River and Elk Creek – one of the most breathtaking locations on Paws Up's 37,000-acre ranch. As the name suggests, this camp is the newest and most luxurious tented accommodations, featuring six large tent-suites: four two-bedroom suites (1,029 sq. ft.) and two one-bedroom suites (565 sq. ft.). Also included at Pinnacle Camp is a dedicated honeymoon tent called Tango Point, which will be located at the point of the bluff directly overlooking the Blackfoot River and Elk Creek. Tango Point adds an extra element of romance with a claw-footed tub located in the living space. Pinnacle Camp is outfitted with a myriad of luxury amenities including: jetted tubs in the en-suite master bathrooms, exterior decks with "Big Sky" river views and climate control cooling fans and heaters. Pinnacle Camp guests will have access to an expansive dining pavilion with a lounging game area and fireplace, a camp chef on site and a personal "camping butler." Sleeps 2-4.

Dining:

Paws Up features two restaurants:

- **Pomp**, the resort's gourmet restaurant offers continental cuisine with a Western flare for dinner. Chef Wes Coffel – a strong believer of the "farm-to-table" culinary movement – has designed a "western eclectic" menu focusing on locally raised organic produce and Montana-raised meats like pheasant, quail, elk, buffalo, trout and rattlesnake.
- **The Tank & Trough Bar & Grill** offers a more casual menu and atmosphere for breakfast and lunch.

Outdoor Adventures:

With 37,000 acres, 120-plus miles of trails and the nearby 1.5 million-acre Bob Marshall Wilderness, Paws Up offers unlimited opportunities for outdoor adventures.

Resort adventures include:

- Wildlife watching – Guided tours available to view elk, whitetail deer, moose, bears, mountain goats, bald eagles, golden eagles and many others
- 25 miles of designated hiking trails on property
- Horseback Riding – Lessons, clinics, grooming/feeding, and organized rides
- Sporting Clay Shooting – Shoot sporting clays on a course designed by 14-time national champion Andy Duffy (see below)
- ATVs with organized daily tours, mountain biking, and seasonal hay rides
- Fly-fishing in the famed Blackfoot River (of *A River Runs Through It*) and in the “Bob” on the blue-ribbon South Fork of the Flathead River with Paws Up Outfitters
- Golf 20 minutes away
- Seeley Lake: Resort guests enjoy swimming and exclusive use of Bayliner boats, Polaris jet skis, water-skis, kayaks, canoes and Paws Up’s own private lodge on nearby Seeley Lake
- Kayak, canoe and raft floats down the Blackfoot River
- Rock rappelling off of the famed “Look Out Rock”
- Whitewater rafting

Winter:

- Snowmobiling, snowshoeing, cross-country skiing, ice skating, sporting clays, ice wall climbing and sleigh rides
- Enjoy more winter adventures nearby — ice fishing, dog sledding and downhill skiing

For a list of all the activities Paws Up offers for all ages, click here: [Paws Up Wilderness Adventures](#)

Saddle Club at Paws Up:

Paws Up features one of Montana’s premier equestrian centers. The largest privately-owned in the state, the 72,000-square-foot Saddle Club at Paws Up boasts a 23,000-square-foot riding arena, 25-seat VIP suite with a fully stocked bar, 52-stall barn, equestrian showers, impressive tack room that can seat 16 people for private events and acres of outdoor pasture. Run by experienced trainers and ranch managers, Paws Up actively breeds, raises, trains and sells quarter horses and paints. The Saddle Club offers private lessons, group rides, tours, and horse care lessons.

Sporting Clay Course:

For a unique outdoor challenge, Paws Up offers a sporting clay course designed by 14-time national champion Andy Duffy. This emerging sport is quickly growing in popularity among men, women and kids as young as 10 across the US.

Differing from skeet shooting, sporting clay courses are designed to mimic the flight patterns of ducks, pheasants and other game birds as well as rabbits in their natural habitats. The Paws Up course features 12 stations situated throughout a hillside and valley, where bright orange, biodegradable clay “pigeons” are thrown in pairs for a total of 100 targets throughout the course. Different positions, speeds and flight paths mimic bird flight patterns, which are unpredictable — targets can move through the trees, high overhead, down a hill, and moving away or toward the shooter.

Guests do not need any special equipment or experience to participate, as golf carts, guns and clays are provided at the new state-of-the-art Shooting Club at Paws Up.

Paws Up Kids:

Paws Up’s “Kids Corps of Discovery” features a full kids recreation program seven days a week including organized, themed activities with age-appropriate crafts including:

- **Lewis and Clark Discovery Day:** learn the basics of map and compass reading, scavenger hunt, Lewis and Clark matching game, flag making and designing, hiking and exploring the wilderness learning the basics of fire building, knot-tying, and how to build a lean-to.
- **A Day at the Ranch:** Petting zoo, paint your own cowboy hat to wear, horseshoe painting, nature hike, tour the Equestrian Center, rope tying and lasso techniques, pony rides, horse painting (Yes! Children get to paint a REAL horse!), and a wagon ride.
- **Wild Montana!** Nature hike, microscopic examination of wildflowers and insects, flower pressing, plankton catching and examining, animal tracking expedition, cast and paint your favorite animal tracks to take home, and fishing/casting lesson.

Nanny services, high chairs, cribs and kids menus are also available. Click here for more about [The Kids Corps of Discovery](#).

Meeting Facilities:

Planners of small meetings and incentives hankering for a new venue full of personality and adventure have unique options with Paws Up. The resort offers a variety of event and meeting spaces for any size group, including:

- **The Cook Shack:** 5,057-square-foot dining house that features a variety of meeting facilities:
 - Tour Office Boardroom: 10-seat circular boardroom situated above the Cook Shack with expansive views
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- **The Saddle Club:** 76,000-square-foot equestrian center that features a variety of meeting spaces including:
 - Arena: 35,000-square-foot indoor arena ideal for trade shows, rodeos and equestrian exhibitions
 - Skybox: 25-seat VIP Saddle Club suite with a fully stocked bar, private restroom and catering facilities
 - Tack Room: 16-seat sophisticated barn paneled feel with walls lined in saddles
- **Lewis & Clark Reception Barn & Lobby:** 200-seat, 6,480-square-foot facility featuring a lobby reception, theater-style auditorium with stage, professional sound system and pull-down video screen
- **The Bunkhouse:** Formerly a hayloft, this traditional barn has been converted into a 24-seat conference center with a lounge that features a deck, kitchen, living room, dining room and big-screen TV

Transportation: Most guests at Paws Up do not need to rent a car. Airport transfers from Missoula are complimentary, and all accommodations come with a Club Car golf cart for

- Paws Up History:**
- 1806 – The Paws Up property made history when Captain Merriwether Lewis of the Lewis & Clark expedition reportedly climbed Sentinel Rock on the Paws Up, looking for the Marias River on his return from the Pacific Ocean.
 - 1882 – As the Civil War was about to break out in the East, homesteader Henry Martin staked his claim for gold mining on the area now known as Martin Pasture just a short distance from the Cook Shack.
 - 1908 – Benjamin and Ollie Morris built the Morris House and opened what would be a long string of cattle ranches on the property. The Morris Ranch land is now part of Paws Up, and their historic home is being completely renovated to become part of the Resort at Paws Up accommodations.
 - 1915 – Paul Greenough buys the adjoining property, raising sheep and other livestock and constructs several of the buildings that are still used today.
 - 1927-1965 – The land changes hands several times, but remains a commercial cattle ranch.
 - 1965 – Brothers John and Land Lindbergh, sons of the celebrated aviator, buy the ranch and operate the Lindbergh Cattle Company, raising Herefords for 21 years.
 - 1986-1997 – Two more owners operate cattle ranches before the Lipson family purchases property and named Paws Up, after a dog's jovial paws up greeting. They build more than 150,000 square feet of new buildings, add 100 miles of new fencing, and turn Paws Up into one of the top 10 Black Angus seed stock operations in Montana.
 - 2003 – After three years of successful ranching and hosting friends and guests on their breathtaking 37,000-acre property, the Lipsons decide to open a resort to share their love for Montana.
 - June 4, 2005 – The Resort at Paws Up opens!

Room Rates:	Click here for seasonal rates .
Months of Operation:	Open April 15 – October 31, 2011*. The Resort is also open in December and January for winter season. *Moonlight Camp, River Camp, Creekside Camp and Pinnacle Camp are open seasonally in the summer from late May through October, weather permitting.
Meal Plans:	Nightly rates for each accommodation include three meals per day (Full American Meal Plan) for two adults. Nightly rate also includes airport transfers, on-property transportation, snacks and amenities in the accommodation. Minimum stay of two nights is required for all reservations. Meals at each camp are served exclusively at their respective Dining Pavilions. And 18% resort fee per night covers all lodging services, meal plan dining, and activity gratuities. Montana's 7% lodging tax will be added to the night room rate. There is no charge for children three years old and under. Paws Up restaurants, room service and box lunches are also available a la carte.
Booking and Information:	Please visit www.pawsup.com or call (406) 244-5200 or 800-473-0601.

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