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GLAMP in Style

FOLLOW YOUR HEART TO BIG SKY COUNTRY, WHERE NATURE MEETS FIVE-STAR LUXURY.

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t one time, Montana's Big Sky Country was a place only for those with a rugged sense of adventure. Today, however, The Resort at Paws Up, a sprawling 37,000-acre ranch in the Rocky Mountains, is one of the most luxurious outdoor getaways you will find.

On the property, six separate camps along the Blackfoot River boast a total of 36 luxury tents,

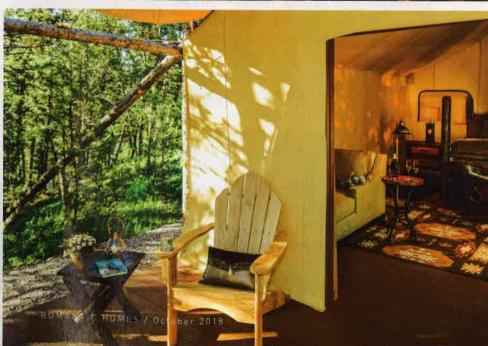
each with rustic chic décor and a private ensuite bathroom. Heated slate floors, stone vanities and spacious showers will have you wondering if you're staying in the wilderness at all.

WHAT TO EXPECT

At Paws Up, it seems there is no end to the activities available. With culinary events, live music, yoga classes and even an onsite spa, guests will never be bored. "Fly-fishing,

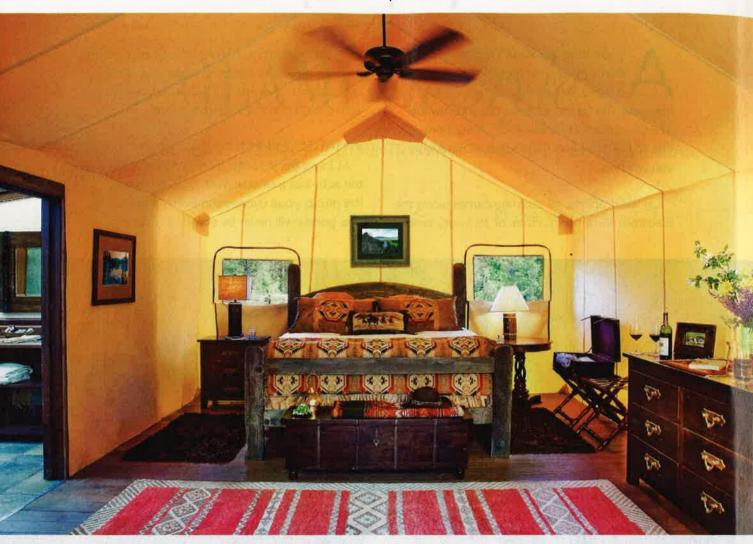






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sporting clays and off-road excursions are very popular, particularly in the crisp fall weather," says Paws Up General Manager Steve Hurst about some of their more adventurous offerings.

Fall makes its presence known in the Montana wilderness with a show of bold oranges, reds and greens. The nights are crisp, but that's where campfires come in to bring warmth as stories and memories are shared around the fire.

TASTE OF MONTANA

The resort calls their cuisine style "refined rustic ranch," and understandably so, Enjoy whole roasted trout and black-angus steaks paired with organic salads and grilled asparagus. Nighttime

RESORT AMENITIES

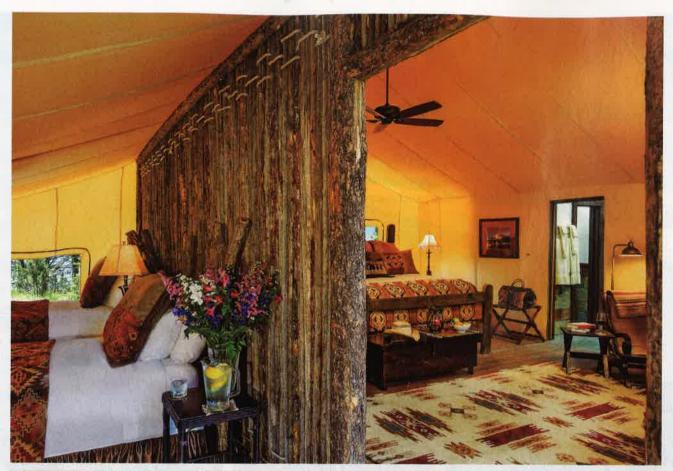
THERE'S SOMETHING FOR EVERYONE.

CULINARY DELIGHT: In addition to each camp's personal chef, The Resort at Paws Up has multiple restaurants and often brings in guest chefs for special events.

OUTDOOR ADVENTURES: Hiking, mountain biking, kayaking, horseback riding and ATV tours are just the beginning of the adventures this luxury ranch offers.

SPA TREATMENT: Find a place of rest with relaxing treatments at Spa Town.

GARNET GHOST TOWN: Guests can explore this well-preserved Gold Rush ghost town just a 20-minute drive from the resort.





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campfires after adventure-packed days beg for baked cobbler and s'mores. Each camp has its own dining pavilion, chef and butler, so you'll hardly have to lift a finger for these scrumptious offerings.

EXPERIENTIAL TRAVEL

"Today there is increase in demand for travel experiences that resonate on a deeper emotional level, that are more adventurous, more personalized and more inspiring," says Steve.

Glamping has expanded to fill its category of experiential travel, where you decide the outcome. Whether you rest under a canopy of trees while the sound of a nearby river helps quiet your thoughts, or experience a horseback ride under clear-blue mountain skies, at Paws Up, you really can have it all, pawsup.com. IRI





DON'T FORGET

MUST-PACK ITEMS FOR YOUR FALL STAY

- 1. A warm pullover for cool Montana nights around the campfire.
- 2. Hiking shoes to take advantage of the miles of trails at Paws Up.
- 3. Waterproof layers and swimsuits for floating and fishing on the Blackfoot River or water canoeing and jet skiing at the Island Lodge.



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