



Concierge & Guest Services

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All the Luxuries of a Wonderful Experience at Your Fingertips



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The ultimate guide to customizing your adventures while vacationing in the High Country. From extreme white water rafting to enjoying a picnic lunch on the hiking trails, we're here to help you enjoy the best of what the High Country has to offer.

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High Country Adventures

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Customized Guest Services to Accommodate Your Specific Needs While Vacationing at Banner Elk Winery and Villa



High Country Adventures

Extreme White Water Rafting

A premier full day whitewater rafting experience with nine miles of class III and IV rapids through pristine wilderness through the Pisgah National Forest. Enjoy this high adventure journey down the French Broad River! This adventure is great for ages 10 and up. \$85.00 per person

White Water Rafting

Bring along the whole family for this exciting 6 mile river adventure. As you cruise down river through plentiful class two and three rapids, you will embrace the beautiful surroundings of the Cherokee National Forest and surrounding east Tennessee farmland. This adventure is great for ages 3 and up. \$65 per adult / \$55.00 per child.

Spelunking (Caving) Adventures

Journey through the land before time. Imagine 550 million year old limestone that formed on the bottom of the ocean, creating the stage for an amazing adventure. Challenge yourself with tight crawls or enjoy the larger chambers on the main footpath. Most underground rooms are over 70 feet tall and 100's of feet long. Enjoy one of the top 10 adventures in the nation. \$75.00 per person

Guided Fly Fishing Trips

Our local wade trip takes place on both wild and hatchery supported trout streams and rivers in the immediate area. While walking along some of the most pristine waters in the High Country, you will have the opportunity to catch rainbow, brown and maybe even a wild brook trout. Prices vary dependent upon adventure.

Biking

Head down on a beautifully flat course, that was once the railroad tracks of the Virginia Creeper running alongside the New River for a 22 mile course at your leisure (11 miles down and 11 back) for a great day trip. \$38.50 per person per bike. Ask about a picnic lunch.

Rock Climbing

Our area is renowned for our rock climbing and bouldering, this is an experience you don't want to miss. Experienced and competent guides will focus on teaching you the skills to have fun and stay safe while learning one of the most adventurous sports around. \$95.00 per person

Guided Hiking Trips

Discover some truly amazing places off the beaten path where the air is crisp and the views go forever. Combine summit hikes and waterfalls for an amazing adventure accompanied by a picnic lunch and great views. Specifically catered to your energy level and time, discover Mother Nature at her best. Prices vary dependent upon customized adventure.

High Country Adventures

Picnic Lunches

Enjoying the outdoors with fresh made---to---order sandwiches and salads using the highest quality ingredients such as Boar's Head Brand meats, cheeses, sauces and bacon. Enjoy the fresh baked Kaiser, sub and blunt rolls. We welcome custom made lunches as well. \$15.00 per guest.

Zip Lining

Enjoy this three---hour outdoor adventure in the heart of Western North Carolina and take in the natural beauty of the High Country. Experience the thrill of nine zip lines, a cliff jump, a swinging bridge, a leap of faith, and countless views. \$79.00 and must be 10 yrs old or older and between 70 - 250 lbs.

Horseback Riding

We invite you and your guests to stroll through the woods on a guided trail ride adventure. Riders will enjoy a scenic ride through wooded forests, rolling hills, and million dollar views. \$60.00 per rider per hour. Ask about our private rides with picnic lunch.

Tee Times

Tee times at our local challenging mountain courses.

Wine Tasting

Sample a selection of Banner Elk Wines in your keepsake Banner Elk Winery stemware and enjoy a full glass of your favorite Banner Elk wine. \$22.00 per person.

High Country Wine Tour

Enjoy a day of visiting and tasting wine at High Country Wineries.

Snow Tubing

A great family or group adventure with no skills needed, snow tube at the largest park on the East Coast with 20 snow tubing lanes. Tickets begin at \$25.00 per person.



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The Banner Elk Winery and Villa Guest Services

Weddings Special Events Custom Retreats In-Room Massage Treatments Personalized Cooking Classes Catering Dinner Reservations Grocery Shopping Picnics Auto Detailing Airport Shuttle Service In Town Transportation Assorted Gift Baskets for All Occasions

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Guest Services

Weddings

We take pride in creating a memorable wedding as simple or elaborate as you wish. With a complete list of vendors, we can cater personally to you and your guests. Ask for our Banner Elk Winery and Villa Wedding Packet. Prices vary dependent upon custom made weddings.

Special Events

We feature the most unique venue overlooking The Blue Ridge Mountains of North Carolina. Whether it's a cooking class, a family reunion, or special retreat, our professional staff is here to help you plan the details and insure flawless implementation of your special event. Prices vary dependent upon custom made events.

Custom Retreats

Whether it's a corporate retreat or a ladies weekend, we can structure the perfect vacation for your special occasion. Prices vary dependent upon custom made retreats.

In Room Massage Treatments

Rejuvenate your mind by reducing daily stress, your body by entering a relaxing rest and recovery mode, and your soul by the simple pleasure of having a therapeutic massage in the comfort of your guest room Swedish Massage p \$115.00 per person per hour Deep Tissue Massage p \$150.00 per person per hour Hot Stone Massage p \$150.00 per person per hour Couples Massage p \$300.00 per couple (couples massages available in Alicante, Cabernet, Chardonnay, Zinfandel & Seyval Suite)



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Dinner Reservations

We know all the best restaurants in town so allow us to make suggestions and reservations on your behalf. Restaurants range from fine dining establishments for the more sophisticated palate to local cafes where you can sample the local dish of the day. \$10.00 per reservation.

Grocery Shopping

Take the hassle away from grocery shopping and arrive to your personally stocked room. \$50.00 plus cost of groceries.

Picnics

Customized picnics to take with you while enjoying the sights and adventures of the High Country. \$15.00 per guest

Auto Detailing

On---site service for your car's ultimate care while you relax. \$150.00 each.

Airport Shuttle Service

Arrangements for a safe journey to and from the airport to your destination. \$85.00 per hour.

In Town Transportation

Whether it's because you're unfamiliar with the area or the winter roads are a little too much for you to handle, we are happy to provide in town transportation for you and your guests. \$85.00 per hour with a minimum of 2 hours.

Assorted Gift Baskets for All Occasions

Celebrate those special occasions with a gift basket filled with your Banner Elk Winery wines, fruits, snacks, or anything else to welcome you and your guests to the High Country. We are happy to provide a list of basket ideas. Prices dependent upon gift basket.



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Please allow at least one week's notice to fulfill your adventures and/or services. We welcome last minute requests based upon availability and an additional 10% service charge. Cancellation Policy is a 24 Hour Notice for Activities, with the exception of any special event, gift baskets, and any activity that involves food. Should you cancel the same day, please be prepared to pay fifty percent (50%) of the fee. Should you cancel two (2) hours prior to the scheduled activity, please be prepared to pay one hundred percent (100%) of the fee. A 20% service charge will be applied to all concierge services provided during your stay. Thank you.



Boone, Blowing Rock, Banner Elk, and the surrounding areas are blanketed with things to enjoy while you're visiting with us. Whether 1 hour trips or day trips, we are happy to help you find the perfect combination for your adventures. Please contact us for more information

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High Country Activities

Alta Vista Gallery - Altavistagallery.com An App Summer Festival - AppSummer.org Apple Hill Farm - AppleHillFarmNC.com Art Cellar Gallery - Artcellaronline.com Ashe County Farmer's Market - AsheFarmersMarket.com ASU Performing Arts - Pas.appstate.edu Banner Elk - Banner---elk.com Banner Elk Winery --- bannerelkwinery.com Banner House Museum --- Bannerhousemuseum.org **Beech Mountain - Beechmtn.com Blowing Rock - BlowingRock.com** Blue Ridge Parkway - BlueRidgeParkway.org Blue Ridge Soap Shed - SoapShed.com **Bolick Family Pottery - traditionspottery.com Boone - ExploreBooneArea.com Brahm - The Blowing Rock Art & History Museum** BlowingRockMuseum.org Brown Mountain Lights - BrownMountainLights.org Carlton Gallery - CarltonArtGallery.com **Clemmons Produce - Banner Elk, NC** Consignments Unlimited - 828.387.1520 Daniel Boone Native Gardens - DanielBooneGardens.org Farm Tour & Nature Walk - WingingBridgeFarm.com Foggy Mountain Gem Mine - FoggyMountainGems.com Foscoe Family Billiards --- family---billiards.com Fun 'N' Wheels - FunAndWheels.com



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Grandfather Mountain - Grandfather.com Grandfather Vineyard --- wgrandfathervineyard.com Historic Orchard at Altapass - AltaPassOrchard.com Horn on the West - HornInTheWest.com Incredible Toy Store --- incredibletoycompany.com Linville Caverns --- Linvillecaverns.com Magic Mountain Mini Golf --- (828) 265---4653 Mast General Store - MastStoreValleCrucis.com Mountaineer Garden Center - 828.898.5289 Mountainhome Music -MountainHomeMusic.com Mystery Hill --- Mysteryhill---nc.com/joomla/index.php Natural Healing Day Spa --- therapeuticspecialists.com New River Corn Maze --- newrivercornmaze.com Parkway Craft Center - SouthernHighlandGuild.org Rendezvous Mtn Educational State Park - 336.667.5072 Shoppes of the Parkway --tangeroutlet.com/blowingrock **Turchin Center for the Visual Arts - TurchinCenter.org** Tuttle Educational State Forest - 828,757,5608 **Tweetsie Railroad - Tweetsie.com** Watauga County Farmer's Market -

WataugaCountyFarmersMarket.org



Be a Smart Hiker

Things to Bring on Your Hiking Adventure

> Plenty of water Snacks First Aid Kit Bug Spray Sunscreen Bags for Garbage Flashlight

Things to Consider on Your Hiking Adventure

Follow trail blazers to stay on track Read signage and follow rules Wear comfortable hiking shoes and clothing Bring a long sleeve shirt Allow enough time to exit before dark Pack it in and pack it out. Please leave no trace of your hiking adventures

Enjoy Your Hike!

High Country Hiking

For your convenience, trail directions are from Banner Elk, NC

Beacon Heights (Linville)

This nearly 1 mile, easy to moderate hike puts you in the middle of beautiful views of Grandfather Mountain and the Piedmont below. Beacon Heights Overlook at milepost 305.2

Profile Trail (Banner Elk)

This amazing High Country hike is a 7---mile roundtrip trek to Calloway Peak (5,646 ft). The views from the summit are astounding and campsites are available for should you wish to spend the night under the stars. From the intersection of NC---184 and NC---105, turn left onto NC---105. The trail marker is about 1 mile on the right. Serious trail for serious hikers only.

Linville Falls Trails (Linville Falls)

Several trails begin at the Linville Falls Visitor Center in Linville Falls. All less than a mile in length, one leads to the top of the falls while another leads to the bottom of Linville Falls. From the intersection of NC---184 and NC---105, turn right onto NC---105 and

proceed to milepost 316.4.

Elk River Falls (Elk Park)

Elk River Falls (aka Elk Falls and Big Falls) is awesome and amazingly accessible. It is undoubtedly the easiest falls to visit in the area From the intersection of NC---184 and NC---194, where the only traffic light is in Banner Elk, proceed down NC---194 for 6.9 miles turn right onto US 19---E to Elk Park, NC (just over the border from Roan Mountain, TN), turn right onto Old MIII Road, and after ¼ mile, turn right again onto Elk River Road. At 0.4 miles, the road will dead end at the trail head.

Roan Highlands (Roan Mountain, TN)

Roan's Mountain's paved and easy Rhododendron Gardens Trail is a spectacular mountaintop experience to be enjoyed April thru November. Catch the explosion of the bright display of rhododendron when they reach their peak bloom from mid to late June. A more rugged option is the Appalachian Trail from lofty Carver's Gap away from Roan Mountain to reach awe---inspiring vistas from meadow---covered mountaintops. The 1.4 mile round trip to Round Bald and 3.8 miles round trip to Grassy Ridge. Enjoy rhododendron blooms all across the crests. From the intersection of NC---184 and NC---194, where the only traffic light is in Banner Elk, proceed down NC---194 for 6.9 miles turn right onto US 19---E. Drive 7.6 miles into TN and turn left on TN 143 in town of Roan Mtn. From there it's 14 miles to Carver's Gap

Boone Fork Trail (Blowing Rock)

For those seeking a challenge, the 5 mile Boone Fork Trail has a combination of creek crossings, large boulder fields, and steep terrain - intertwined with one of the most beautiful forest settings the area has to offer. Julian Price Memorial Park picnic area at milepost 296.5. Cross footbridge leading from the picnic area over Boone Fork Creek to the trail head.

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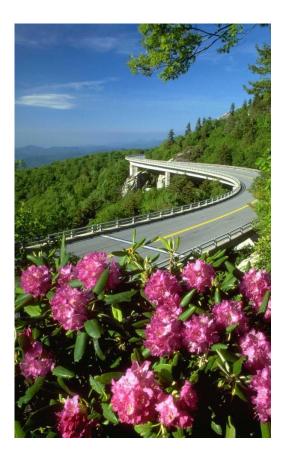
Be a Smart Hiker

Make Sure to Have Proper Gear Your Hiking Adventures by Visiting:

Footsloggers (Boone and Blowing Rock) 828.262.5111 Footwear, clothing, and products for your outdoor and urban adventures

Mast General Store (Valle Crucis and Boone) 828.963.5611 All your favorite gear to enjoy the outdoors

High Mountain Expeditions (Banner Elk) 800.262.9036 Clothing for your outdoor adventures



High Country Hiking

Getting Around the Blue Ridge Parkway (complements of BlueRidgeParkway.com)

At each Parkway entrance there is a directional sign indicating North or South. North will ultimately take you toward the Shenandoah National Park and Skyline Drive in VA.

South will ultimately take you to Cherokee and the Cherohala Parkway in NC.

Each mile along the Parkway is marked by a roadside milepost.

The milepost numbers go up as you go South and down as you go North.

There are many overlooks, hiking trails, picnic areas, and other developed areas off the Parkway. Some, like the Linn Cove Viaduct, Doughton Park, or the Mineral Museum, have Visitors Centers.

The speed limit is mostly 45---miles---per---hour. There are a few places in the High Country's section of the Parkway (for instance the Viaduct) where the speed limit is 35. Please be careful to watch for bicyclists, hikers, deer, and other animals. Also take great caution when driving in the fog and rain. Be advised that motorcyclists are required to wear helmets and must always have their headlights on in North Carolina.

Although there are not gas stations or many restaurants directly on the Parkway, there are many exits off the Parkway in the High Country area. There is an exit at just about every state highway and at other major roads as well-a gas stations, restaurants, and accommodations are near all of these exits.

If in an accident, notify a park ranger or call 800---parkwatch.

We are very proud of the natural beauty of the High Country's section fo the Blue Ridge Parkway. Please help us to keep it beautiful by using trash receptacles and obeying the Parkway rules and regulations.

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