



Bear Tracks

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Come Out of Hibernation and See What's Happening!

What a fun Summer! The Forest has been green, beautiful and busy with ATV riders, hikers, fishermen and those just out enjoying the fresh mountain air. We have been greeted by a lot of familiar faces and met a lot of new ones as you visited us in the store for ice cream cones and ice to stay cool in the Summer heat.

As the temperatures begin to drop, we sadly say goodbye to Summer, but anxiously look forward to the beauty of the colorful forest as leaves begin to change. An ATV ride through the forest in the Fall is the perfect opportunity to experience the wonders of nature as seasons change before your eyes. Don't let this opportunity slip away this year!

As a result of the dropping temperatures, the pool has been closed until the heat returns next Summer. However, the 20-seater hot tubs are open year-round, so come and take a Fall ATV ride and then relax the evening away in the hot tub!

Thanks to all who participated in the Annual Owner's Work Party. It was a great success, with good company and good food. Be sure to check out the photo album on Facebook.



"Making Memories to Last a Lifetime" Picture of the Month

Congratulations Lorie Humpherys! Thank you for sharing this photo with us on Facebook. Your entry has won August's picture of the month and a free full-day double ATV rental! It was difficult to select a winner this month. We had some great photos submitted. Check out the baby moose, lightning tree and other fun photo entries on Facebook.

We invite you to participate in our Picture of the Month contest on Facebook and post your favorite BRL or Uinta pictures at facebook.com/TheCabinsatBearRiverLodge for a chance to win a free double ATV rental this month.

The Manager's Den

My wife Heidi and I took over The Bear River Lodge on November 4, 1997. I still remember the cool crisp day of driving from Bountiful, Utah to the Lodge. I pulled in the parking lot and I was the only one there.

Over the next few days we tried to organize ourselves for the coming winter. Our main priority was to get snowmobiles ready for the rental season. That first year I think I only purchased about twenty machines. Since then we have ran as many as sixty but we have determined that about forty is the right number for us.

We also moved our family into a small cabin we purchased about 1/4-mile north of the Lodge. The entire cabin was about 600 square feet. It had one bedroom large enough for a queen bed that touched three of the four walls. There was only a half-size accordion door to the bedroom that only got in the way.

Our four daughters had beds in the loft. All four beds were side by side and barely fit in the loft. The daughter furthest from the loft stairs had to climb over the other three beds to get to her bed, the next only had to climb over two beds, and the third only one. Each had a plastic drawer to slide under the beds for their clothing. It was a great time to grow together as a family.

We also had our German Shepherd, our cat, and a gerbil. The gerbil didn't last too long. One day, the lid was left off its cage and we only found the tail. It was difficult explaining to the girls that their cat ate their gerbil. Snow came two weeks after we bought the Lodge and we were in business.

Roger



A Grizzly Challenge

NAME THE GRILL CONTEST: We received a lot of very creative and fun ideas for naming the grill. A big "Thank You" to everyone for your input. After long consideration and multiple voting polls, we ended up taking our inspiration from two entries. Heidi Eubank who submitted "The Bear Grill" and Weston Sill who submitted "Bear Grills." The name for our new grill will be "Bear's Grill." Congratulations Heidi & Weston, you have both won \$50 in grill bucks! View a full size menu on our website at BearRiverLodge.com or Facebook at Facebook/TheCabinsatBearRiverLodge.

CUSTOMER APPRECIATION WEEK

Thank you for participating in our Customer Appreciation Week. We truly appreciate your business. Customer Appreciation Week was our way of saying "Thank You" for making our business successful and enjoyable. We hope you enjoyed and took advantage of our killer daily deals. We had a lot of fun with our daily Facebook giveaways! Congratulations to the following individuals who won: Val Fait - \$100 BRL Bucks, Cheryl Southwick - ATV Rental, Debbie Shaffer - 1 Bedroom Fall Package, Laurie Klaas - \$25 Grill Bucks, and Robert Wakefield - 6 person SBS Rental!

Visit us often on Facebook for exclusive offers and giveaways!



Christmas Meadows, Utah

BEAR'S GRILL

Hours of Operation
June - August 8:30am-6:30pm
September - May 8:30am-5:30pm

BREAKFAST

Moosehorn Muffin Sandwich \$3.49 Egg, Cheese & Sausage OR Bacon between a Toasted Muffin	French Toast Claws \$4.99 4 French Toast Sticks served w/Maple Syrup
Hungry Bear Breakfast \$7.99 2 Scrambled Eggs, Hash Browns, 3 slices Bacon OR 2 Sausage Patties & Toast	Cub Cake Breakfast \$3.99 1 Pancake, 1 Egg, 2 slices Bacon OR 1 Sausage Patty
Bald Mountain Bear Claw \$4.99 Scone topped w/Cinnamon-Sugar, Honey OR Syrup	Toast - 2 Slices \$1.49 Bacon - 3 Slices 3.99 Sausage - 2 Patties \$3.99 Eggs - 2 Scrambled \$1.99 Hash Browns \$1.99
Warming Hut Pancakes \$4.99 3 Pancakes topped w/Butter & Maple Syrup	

LUNCH/DINNER

Grizzly Burger/Fries \$7.49 1/3 lb Beef w/Lettuce, Tomato, Pickles & Onion Add Cheese \$.50	Ranger Dogs \$2.79 Beef, Cheddar OR Polish Hot Dog w/Condiments
Bear River Bacon Burger/Fries \$8.99 1/3 lb Beef w/Bacon, Cheese, Lettuce, Tomato & Onion	Wasatch Grilled Cheese/Fries \$3.49 Add Ham \$1.50
Double Hill Burger/Fries \$9.99 Two 1/3 lb Beef patties w/Lettuce, Tomato, Pickles & Onion Add Cheese \$.50	Cache Quesadilla \$3.99 2 Tortillas w/Cheese Add Chicken w/Peppers, Onions, Seasoning \$3.00 Add Steak w/Peppers, Onions, Seasoning \$3.50
Bald Mountain Nachos \$7.99 Tortilla chips smothered in Cheese, Chili, Salsa & Sour Cream	Canyon Cheese Fries \$2.99 East Fork Fries smothered in Cheese Add Chili \$1.99
Wolverine Chicken Strip Platter \$7.99 3 Chicken Strips w/BBQ or Ranch Dip & Fries	East Fork Fries \$1.99 Overlook Onion Rings \$2.99 Grizzly Burger \$6.49 Double Hill Burger \$8.99 Bear River Bacon Burger \$7.99
Uinta Chicken Sandwich/Fries \$7.99 Cheese, Lettuce, Tomato, Pickles & Onion	

The consumption of raw or uncooked food can increase your chances of acquiring a foodborne illness.