



# THE STEAMBOAT GRAND EMBRACES THE SPIRIT OF THE GRAND LODGES OF THE WEST

**STEAMBOAT SPRINGS, CO-WINTER 2010/11**-Steamboat has long been known as a true western town, where the grandeur of rolling valleys invites guests from around the world to explore, relax and reconnect. The [Steamboat Grand](#) blends the spirit Steamboat's western heritage with superior guest services and the finest amenities resulting in a luxurious getaway deep in the Colorado Rocky Mountains.

"The Steamboat Grand epitomized the grand hotel tradition, where elegant comfort meets genuine Colorado," said Michael Lomas, general manager/vice president of the Steamboat Grand. "The unique guest experience is created by combining friendly natural mountain ambiance with the highest level of amenities and guest services, reminiscent of the grand lodge spirit."

Located at the base of the Steamboat Ski Resort, just steps from the gondola, the seven-story Steamboat Grand features 327 beautifully appointed guestroom accommodations, ranging from studios, parlors, double queen hotel rooms to one-, two-, three-bedroom condominiums and eight luxurious penthouses. The Grand is home to award-winning dining under the direction of Executive Chef Hyslop; a full-service spa and fitness center; an outdoor heated pool and two large whirlpool spas as well as 17,000 sq. ft of indoor/outdoor convention space including the hotel's centerpiece 5,484-square-foot Priest Creek Ballroom.

"This is a real town with a reputation for genuine friendliness and we set our sights on exceeding guests' expectations while always providing the highest level of services and amenities," commented Lomas. "The Steamboat Grand has become a cornerstone of the Steamboat experience and a key element in the resort's year-round focus."



The property, designed by acclaimed international architectural firm Jung/Brannen Associates, Inc, features a western-themed mountain ambiance reminiscent of the American mountain lodges of the west. The hotel's spectacular entry atmosphere, all designed to give an overwhelming sense of arrival, is centered around an elegant large, wood beamed porte-cochère entrance and dramatic multi-level lobby with native stone and wood, vaulted ceilings, abundant natural light, indoor streams and two-story-high stone fireplaces. Panoramic views of the mountains and Yampa Valley are the highlight of the hotel, features around nearly every corner in guest rooms and condominiums.

The interior of the hotel is based on subtle elegance and the rugged mountain spirit of the American West; details include hand-cut details of alder and knotty pine; original custom chandeliers and lamps--created in rawhide and wrought-iron with sculpted bears and pine trees; and native Colorado Moss Rock. Relax in aged-leather chairs around wooden tables in public areas, and find many special touches from historic photos to local artwork.

Guestroom and penthouse decor incorporates solid-wood furniture and headboards, historic ski and winter photos dating from the early 1900s; and soft earth-tone colors. Baths have tiled floors, solid-wood cabinets, walk-in showers with glass doors and, in many rooms, deep, shell-shaped whirlpool jet tubs. Eight luxuriously designed penthouses, from more than 2,200 to an unbelievable 4,000 square feet, offer the perfect place to gather in the Colorado Rocky Mountains. The exclusive penthouse level features designer kitchens; view-through, stone-surround fireplaces separating the living and dining rooms as well as private in-suite sauna and whirlpool spas.

In addition, rooms feature 32- or 42-inch flat-screen color television, stereo, coffee makers, phone line with fax/modem and voice mail capabilities, hair dryers, iron & board. Condominiums and many rooms feature DVD players, whirlpool tubs, stone-surround, energy-efficient gas fireplace, fully equipped kitchens featuring GE Profile appliances, hardwood cabinetry and granite countertops.

Building upon the intricate in-room designs, artwork is a primary vehicle used throughout the hotel to instill the grandeur of the local landscape and lifestyle, all set in the grand tradition of the facility itself. The great dynamic here is, not only are the viewers' exposed to a wide variety of techniques and mediums but experience the art in the beautiful grand hotel setting. The exhibit selections cover the spectrum from historical photographs of Ski Town, U.S.A.®, to images synonymous with a 100-year western heritage, to more modern contemporary pieces by local, regional and national artists.

The Cabin, an intimate 100-seat mountain cabin retreat, is the hotel's premier dining experience. In keeping with the grand hotel tradition, The Cabin's ambiance reflects a mixture of the contemporary with the Western heritage of Steamboat Springs and the American West. The feel is reminiscent of a vintage mountain log cabin plush with comfortable booths and hand-made wooden tables with inlaid wrought-iron designs. Three lighted dioramas highlighting alpine environments, glass windows etched with aspen tree motifs compliment the eight simulated stands of aspen trees, canvas ceilings and five, large oil-based paintings depicting outdoor adventure further entice diners that they are actually tucked away in a cozy, remote mountain location.

The Steamboat Grand offers guests the exclusive amenity to incorporate all on-mountain resort and hotel charges directly into your hotel folio. Whether you are dining on the mountain, enrolling your children into the industry leading Kids' Vacation Center, taking a lesson through the Steamboat Ski & Snowboard School, purchasing new equipment or clothing at one of the resort's retail outlets or sampling one of the many valley-wide activities, enjoy the convenience of having all your purchases go directly to one bill.

"There is a synergy that further enhances the guest experience in having the same company operating both the resort and the hotel," said Lomas. "It allows us to provide guests with the convenient hotel equipment storage facility right at the slopes, offer activities year-round throughout Steamboat Springs, and simplify their vacation by handling all local arrangements with the charges for everything put directly on their hotel bill."

And, so you don't think you still have to take a covered wagon or horse-drawn stagecoach to this mountain retreat, Steamboat Springs has the closest major airport of any ski resort in Colorado or Utah, the Steamboat/Hayden Airport, just 22 miles away. Steamboat/Hayden Airport (HDN), served by major airlines including American, Continental, Delta, Frontier and United, is less than a ½-hour from the resort, making Steamboat the most convenient accessed ski resort in Colorado with nonstop service from seven major U.S. cities into Steamboat/Hayden-the best mountain airport in the Rocky Mountains.

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