

Your Vacation Guide to The Mad Ríver Valley "Vermont" – the word immediately brings up the vision of relaxing and romantic settings, comfortable, friendly and safe environments, and great hospitality. Another favorite association is the famous line from the movie *White Christmas:* "Vermont must be beautiful this time of year—all that snow." All true, and of course Vermont is a perfect holiday destination **all** seasons of the year. The state is proud of its beautiful small towns, quiet roads, and a very green environment in all senses. These are just a few of the unique ways that make a Vermont getaway distinctly different:

- 80% of the state is tree-covered, which means gorgeous views from most of our roads including the main highways.
- Billboards along the roads are not allowed, resulting in dramatically improved sight-lines.
- With a population of only 600,000 it seems that everyone knows everyone else and are ready to provide knowledgeable information and referrals to our visitors.
- It is the "greenest" state in the US with over eighty per cent of our electricity coming from non-carbon sources.
- It's the home of Ben & Jerry's ice cream and Cabot cheese!
- In the Mad River Valley, all accommodations and restaurants are locally owned and operated. Plus, there's not a single set of traffic lights!

We welcome you to visit us and experience the unique beauty of the Mad River Valley!

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There are a wide range of exciting, exhilarating and relaxing activities awaiting you for Mad River Valley summer fun. This page introduces just a few of them, plus of course if your passion is golf or cycling this is also the place to be. There's always a lot going on so ask us what you'd like to do!

SOAR ABOVE THE VALLEY

Sugarbush Soaring

Snore & Soar

KAYAK THE RIVERS

Clearwater Sports

Kayak Tours

HIKING

Hike the Long Trail

Sugarbush Resort

Other Area Hikes

SUMMER RENTALS

ClearWater Sports

MOUNTAIN BIKING & CYCLING

Sugarbush Resort

Mad River Valley Mountain Biking

BIRDING

Madbirders.org

Springtime Vermont Birding

GOLFING

Mad River Valley Golfing

Sugarbush Resort Golf Club

Montague Golf Club

Green Mountain National Course





Winter Activities

Downhill and cross-country skiing, dog sledding, snowshoeing and more...winter is what the Mad River Valley is all about! Once the snow flies, the excitement starts. For more options, just ask us and we'll be happy to help you. You can also check <u>Mad River Valley Events</u>.

SKIING

Sugarbush Resort

Mad River Glen

WINTER NORDIC SKIING

Ole's Cross Country Ski & Snowshoe Center

Blueberry Lake

Catamount Trail

SNOWSHOEING & SLEDDING

Clearwater Sports

Winter Expeditions

DOG SLEDDING

October Siberians Dog Sled Adventures

Let us know in advance and we'll be happy to book your dog sled adventure!

History & Geography



Discover the historic buildings and rural farmlands of the Mad River Valley. The Warren Historic District alone will get you started on your exploration of local history and landmarks.

> Warren Historic District Warren Town History Mad River Valley Rural Historic District

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There are several excellent self-guided day trips from West Hill House B&B, taking in the attractions, scenery and great produce that Vermont has to offer. Here are some suggestions for you...

<u>Col and Waterfall Tour</u> <u>Covered Bridges & Culinary Tour</u> <u>Monuments & the Quarry They Came From</u> <u>Vermont Cheese Tour</u>



Art in the Mad River Valley Mad River Valley Craft Fair West Hill House B&B Thanksgiving West Hill House B&B Christmas

More events at MadRiverValley.com

Favorite Attractions

THE FOOD TOUR includes ice cream at <u>Ben and</u> <u>Jerry's</u>, a variety of cheeses at <u>Cabot Cheese</u>, apple cider and cider doughnuts at <u>Cold Hollow Cider</u> <u>Mill</u>, a mouth watering variety at <u>Champlain Chocolates</u>. Along the way, don't forget to visit <u>Danforth</u> <u>Pewter</u> and <u>Ziemke Glass Blowing Studio</u>.

<u>HIKING</u>: In this area there are easy walks under an hour as well as 4 to 8 hour hikes with a bit of challenge to them, but not enough to require special equipment.

SHELBURNE MUSEUM offers an immense collection of buildings, art, toys, carriages, decorative and folk art, fabrics and tools and special exhibits.



<u>SHELBURNE FARMS</u>: Visit a 566 hectare working farm and National Historic Landmark.



Mad River Valley dining is delicious and varied. Our local restaurants start serving dinner around 6pm and finish serving by 9pm. (Some are open later at weekends.) Opening nights do vary from time

to time, so please check with us for details. All of our local restaurants make extensive use of locally grown produce and meats, and all can accommodate dietary restrictions upon request.

FINE DINING IN WARREN

Reservations usually required

The Pitcher Inn

Chez Henri

The Tucker Hill Inn

FUN DINING IN WARREN *About 5-minute drive*

Hostel Tevere (now Deco)

Fit to be Thai'd

DAILY DINING IN THE VALLEY

About 10-minute drive

The Hyde Away

The Mad Taco

UNIQUE DINING EXPERIENCES IN THE VALLEY

About 10-minute drive

American Flatbread Restaurant

The Mad River Barn

The Blue Stone







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In addition to beautiful mountains and a lush rural landscape, the Mad River Valley is also home to an extensive wellness community. Enjoy two nearby recreation centers, spa treatments, massage, yoga, life coaching, therapy, meditation and more!

Artísan Shops & Boutíques

These are just a few of the wide range of unique and fun shops in the Mad River Valley. From handcrafted goods to beautiful antiques, the perfect gift (for yourself or another!) is waiting to be discovered by you!

Mad River Massage Sugarbush Health & Recreation Center

<u>4orty Bridge Boutique</u> <u>Artisans Gallery</u> <u>Baked Beads</u>

The Collection

Shades of Winter Yarn Shop

Moose Walk Studios & Gallery Warren Store Someday Boutique

More Shopping Choices...

Accommodations & Amenities

At West Hill House B&B you can choose from nine unique non-smoking guest rooms all with private en-suite bathrooms—each has a shower and a tub with either a jetted tub or steam-shower. The beds offered at our Mad River Valley lodging are either kings, twins or queens—all have memory foam making them amazingly comfortable. For your comfort, all guest rooms in our environmentally friendly inn have individually controllable heating, and air conditioning for the summer months.

All guests enjoy the use of three spacious rooms (Living Room, Library and Sun Room) as well as tranquil outdoor spaces. Read, play games, chat and make new friends, or simply enjoy the peaceful surroundings. Your stay also includes a sumptuous three-course homemade breakfast!

Click on the links below for more information. <u>Click here for Packages & Specials to enhance your stay!</u>



Guest Rooms



Common Areas



Event Venue



Click to check availability or make a reservation online.

<u>We love being</u> <u>green: we use</u> <u>solar energy</u> and offer an EV charging station

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Year-round delights await you...

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Throughout the seasons, the Mad River Valley offers the experiences of a lifetime. Whether you love outdoor adventures, calm scenic beauty, delicious dining, boutique shops or fine arts, the quaint and lovely towns of central Vermont provide you with the perfect getaway!