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**Summer at Alta following a Historically Snowy Winter**



We are ready for summer’s vibrant landscape to emerge after receiving 903 inches of snow this winter. Summer’s return is slower than normal, so please check first to make sure your favorite hiking trail is free of snow. Alta’s [Summer Trail Information](#) page or [Mountain Cams](#) page provide a great resource all summer long.

**Stewardship Programs**

The [Alta Environmental Center](#) has an entire summer filled with stewardship events. Our goal is to preserve and protect the unique environment of Alta and be responsible stewards of the land.

The Alta Environmental Center and volunteer summer stewardship events are underway. These stewardship events include Community Volunteer Days, Tree Harvest and Restoration Day, Alta Clean-up Day and more. Take advantage of our educational events—including Kid’s Day and the Wasatch Wildflower Festival. Register today!

Thanks to the following partners for making our Summer Stewardship events possible: Tracy Aviary, Friends of Alta, Hawkwatch, Cottonwood Canyons Foundation, Alta Community Enrichment and TreeUtah.

**Recreate Responsibly**

Alta Ski Area and the Alta Environmental Center are committed to promoting Leave No Trace principles to minimize environmental impacts within our subalpine environment. Please stay on designated trails, pack out what you pack in and don’t pick the wildflowers. Photographers are encouraged to use Alta’s newly created photography pull-outs along the Albion Meadow Trail. We want to preserve our unique place in Little Cottonwood Canyon for future generations.

**Summer Provisions**

**Food/Drink**

Grab Alta-branded gear, snacks or a frozen treat from the Alta Store located at the Albion base area. The Alta Store is currently open on weekends and will open daily from 11am–6pm starting July 1st. There will be live music at the Alta Store on select days throughout the summer.

Enjoy Sunday brunch at the Alta Lodge and take in the views from their patio. The Gulch Pub at the Snowpine Lodge is open seven days a week. Swen’s Restaurant at the Snowpine Lodge is open daily for breakfast and serves dinner Wednesday–Sunday.

**Lodging**

If you are looking for an overnight adventure, check out the Albion Basin Campground or cozy up at the Alta Lodge or Snowpine Lodge. Reservations are required.

Enjoy cooler temperatures and beautiful wildflowers that will bloom mid-to-late summer. There’s something for all ages at Alta.

**Learn More About Summer at Alta**



*Since 1938, this marks Alta Ski Area’s 85th winter in operation. Originally a mining town, Alta was the first ski area in Utah to install a lift. Alta is a skiers-only mountain with majestic scenery, diverse terrain and a renowned snowfall average of 546". There is a spirit to Alta we call #AltaMagic. Come for the skiing. Stay for the skiing.*

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