# STOWE AREA BUSINESSES & SERVICES

#### SLACK DIAMOND BARBEQUE

Just five miles from Stowe. Not just barbecue. Local ingredients, housemade desserts, outdoor seating, beer garden, covered porch, large groups, dine-in, takeout. Craft beer and cocktails. Open Thursday, Friday, and Saturday, blackdiamondbarbeque.com, (802) 888-2275.

### **BURT'S IRISH PUB**

Stowe's local Irish pub for over 45 years. Come enjoy our popular brunch specials out on the lawn every Sunday or stop in anytime for a cold drink and a quick bite to eat. Mountain Road, Stowe. 21+. (802) 253-6071.

### CAFÉ ON MAIN & CAFÉ ON MOSCOW

Two locations in Stowe. Savor our authentic Vermont breakfast and lunch menus along with baked goods and catering services. Check out Facebook page for daily specials. Café on Main: (802) 253-0077. Café on Moscow: (802) 585-1749.

# THE DINING ROOM & TAVERN AT EDSON

Edson Hill offers casual fine dining in an elegant setting and seasonal menus with locally sourced ingredients. Open Tuesday-Sunday. Reservations required. edsonhill.com/menu, [802] 253-7371.

#### MAIN 8

Enjoy an extensive breakfast menu set in a charming historic location overlooking Main Street. We offer the best flavors of Vermont in a warm and inviting atmosphere. Public welcome. areenmountainin.com.

### **GONDOLAS SNACK BAR**

Your go-to spot for a delicious meal and dessert in Morrisville. Come hungry and indulge in mouthwatering real smash burgers, pure Vermont maple creemees, hand-cut fries, tantalizing snacks, refreshing drinks, and more. 3107 VT-15, Morrisville.

#### HARRISON'S RESTAURANT

Located in historic Stowe Village serving elevated takes on American dishes with wine, craft beers, and cocktails in a unique, parlor-like space. Patio dining in summer and fall. Reservations accepted. (802) 253-7773, harrisonsstowe.com.

### **IDLETYME BREWING COMPANY**

Small-batch craft lagers and ales. Lunch and dinner daily from 11:30 a.m. Innovative cocktails, extensive wine list, family friendly, fireplace dining. Outdoor patio. Perfect for special events. Beer to go. 1859 Mountain Road, Stowe. [802] 253-4765, idletymebrewing.com.

# MICHAEL'S ON THE HILL

Enjoy the ultimate Vermont dining experience in a relaxed, warm atmosphere with spectacular views from our 1820 farmhouse. Events. Wine spectator award. Dinner from 5-9 p.m. Closed Tuesdays. 5 minutes from Stowe. Route 100, Waterbury Center. [802] 244-7476. michaelsonthehill.com.

# PIECASSO PIZZERIA & LOUNGE

New York-style pizza, eclectic music, great vibes. A local favorite. Creative entrees, craft beer, gluten-free menu, online ordering, takeout, delivery. (802) 253-4411, piecasso.com.

# THE RESERVOIR RESTAURANT

In the heart of downtown Waterbury. We specialize in local Vermont based comfort food and some of the best beers available. Private second floor events space for up to 50 people. Dinner daily, lunch Saturday and Sunday. (802) 244-7827, waterburyreservoir.com.

# RIMROCKS MOUNTAIN TAVERN

Relax in our comfortable down-home sports bar. A Stowe staple for 20 years. Enjoy classic pub fare or seafood specials. The kids enjoy the arcade, you chill. (802) 253-9593, rimrocksmountaintavern.com.

# THE ROOST AT TOPNOTCH RESORT

The Roost has long been one of Stowe's best tables—whether inside or fireside—where the local food and drinks are as inspiring as our views of Mt. Mansfield. topnotchresort.com.

# **ROUND HEARTH CAFÉ & MARKETPLACE**

Breakfast and lunch all day, every day. Shop while you wait. Check seasonal hours and lodging availability at roundhearth.com. Located at 39 Edson Hill Road, Stowe. (802) 253,7223

#### SALUTE STOWE

Chef owned and operated. Scratch kitchen, authentic Italian cuisine. Homemade pasta, wood-fired Napoletana pizza, prime steak, fresh seafood, daily baked bread and specials, gluten free vegetarian options. Catering available. 18 Edson Hill Road, Stowe. [802] 253-5677, salutevt.com.

#### STOWE CIDER

Hard cider, hand-crafted in Vermont and made for outdoors. Visit our taproom and barbecue restaurant to try all our delicious offerings. (802) 253-2065, stowecider.com.

### TRAPP FAMILY LODGE

Trapp Family Lodge offers diverse dining options: von Trapp Brewing Bierhall (Austrian cuisine, local beers), The Lounge and Dining Room (Vermont and Austrian-style meals), and Kaffeehaus Bakery and deli. trappfamily.com.

### WHIP BAR AND GRILL

The Whip serves dinner nightly 4:30-9 p.m., bar opens at 3 p.m. Offering an extensive variety of hand-cut steaks, fresh seafood, soups, salads and homemade desserts. thewhip.com. At the Green Mountain Inn, Stowe village.

# RETIREMENT COMMUNITY

#### WAKE PORIN

A vibrant non-profit life-care community located on 136 acres just south of Burlington in Shelburne. Residents enjoy independent living in cottages and apartments and comprehensive, on-site health care for life. wakerobin.com, (802) 264-5100.

### **SHOE STORES**

#### WELL HEELED

Unique collection of shoes, boots, handbags, belts, clothing, and jewelry in a chicly updated Vermont farmhouse halfway up Stowe's Mountain Road. Shoes are our specialty and effortlessly chic our motto. Daily 11 to 5 and private appointments. Insta: wellheeledstowe. (802) 253-6077, wellheeledstowe.com.

# **SPORTING GOODS**

# **CLEARWATER SPORTS**

Four-season outfitter. Snowshoes, tele, backcountry ski gear. Clothing and footwear. Guided snowshoe tours. Rentals and instruction. Canoes, kayaks and SUPs. Guided river trips. Camping and hiking gear. (802) 496-2708, clearwatersports.com.

# **SPA**

# **TOPNOTCH RESORT**

Bring mind, body, and soul into better balance. Enjoy fitness classes, a selection of over 100 treatments, indoor/outdoor pools with a cascading waterfall, and men's and women's lounges. Memberships. Mountain Road, Stowe. topnotchresort.com.

# **SPECIAL ATTRACTIONS**

# **BRAGG FARM SUGARHOUSE & GIFTS**

8th generation sugarhouse, using traditional sugaring methods. Free daily tours and tastings, walk the maple trail. World's best maple creemees, farm animals, large gift shop, mail order. 1005 Route 14N, East Montpelier. (802) 223-5757, (800) 376-5757.

# **COLD HOLLOW CIDER MILL**

Experience Vermont. Independent, authentic, and charming. Uncover your inner Vermonter with family or friends. Visit our working cider mill, Route 100, Waterbury Center. (802) 244-8771, coldhollow.com.

#### LITTLE RIVER HOTGLASS STUDIO

Walk into the studio and experience the art of glassblowing up close. Adjacent gallery features work of resident artist Michael Trimpol. Thursday to Monday 10-5. (802) 253-0889. littleriverhotglass.com.

#### MONTPELIER ALIVE

American's No. 1 small town for shopping is just a half an hour's drive from Stowe village. Visit downtown Montpelier and experience the joy of shopping. Exit 8 off Interstate 89.

#### SPRUCE PEAK ARTS

The Stowe region's premier, year-round presenter of professional performing arts including music, theater, dance, film, education, and family programs on stage, on screen, and across the community. [802] 760-4634. Visit sprucepeakarts.org for more information.

#### STOWE HISTORICAL SOCIETY & MUSEUM

Preserving Stowe's rich history. Museum at the West Branch and Bloody Brook Schoolhouses, next to Stowe Library. Wednesday to Saturday, 1-4 p.m., and when the flags are out. (802) 253-1518. stowehistoricalsociety.org, info@stowehistoricalsociety.org

### STOWE PERFORMING ARTS

Great music in beautiful settings. Classical, jazz, Americana, orchestral, vocal, country, pop, and chamber music. Music in the Meadow; Noon Music in May. May through August. Free and ticketed events. stoweperformingarts.com.

### STOWE VIBRANCY

Dedicated to boosting social, recreational, and cultural activities in Stowe Village, and strengthening the town's economic and physical characteristics, this nonprofit produces and co-produces five events and series annually. stowevibrancy.org.

### **VERMONT GRANITE MUSEUM**

Explore history, art, science, technology, and people of Vermont's granite industry. Create a clay sculpture, climbing wall, pedal cars to explore the grounds. May to October, Tuesday-Saturday, 10 a.m. - 4 p.m. 7 Jones Brothers Way, Barre. (802) 476-4605. vtgranitemuseum.org.

# **SPECIALTY FOODS**

# LAKE CHAMPLAIN CHOCOLATES—STOWE

Handcrafted chocolates made in Vermont using local ingredients and fair-trade certified chocolate, including truffles, caramels, clusters, and more. Plus, hot chocolate, espresso drinks and award-winning house-made ice cream. (802) 253-9591. lakechamplainchocolates.com.

# LAKE CHAMPLAIN CHOCOLATES WATERBURY

Premium, handcrafted chocolates made in Vermont using local ingredients and fair-trade certified chocolate. Plus, a hot chocolate and espresso café, award-winning house-made ice cream and plenty of factory seconds. (802) 241-4150, lakechamplainchocolates.com.

# GOLDFINCH GOURMET

Just minutes from Stowe, Goldfinch Gourmet in Morrisville offers chef-curated delights—housemade pate, artisan charcuterie, pastries, and gourmet pantry finds. A must-visit for food lovers seeking something exceptional. 66 Morrisville Plaza. goldfinchgourment.com, (802) 888-1180.

# **SPORTING GOODS**

# ONION RIVER OUTDOORS

Gear, clothing, and expert advice for all your outdoor adventures. Friendly, knowledgeable sales and service of bikes, skis, and car racks. Visit onionriver.com or find us at 89 Main St., in beautiful downtown Montpelier.

# OUTDOOR GEAR EXCHANGE & GEARX.COM

Vermont's local, neighborhood gear shop since 1995—now in three locations. Excellent prices, service, and selection of gear for skiing, riding, biking, and climbing. Downtown Burlington. Bike shop in Waitsfield. (888) 547-4327.

#### **UMIAK OUTDOOR OUTFITTERS**

Let the adventure begin with Umiak Outdoor Outfitters. We are a full-service outfitter offering sales, tours, and rentals for activities like snowshoeing, sledding, backcountry, and Nordic skiing. 849 S. Main St., Stowe. (802) 253-2317, umiak.com, info@umiak.com.

# **TENNIS**

#### TOPNOTCH RESORT

Vermont's premier tennis resort featuring over 30 tennis and pickleball programs perfect for aficionados, beginners, the young and young at heart. Six seasonal outdoor and four indoor hard courts, as well as a USPTA-certified international staff. Mountain Road, Stowe. topnotchresort.com.

# **TOYS & GAMES**

### ONCE UPON A TIME TOYS

Make every day a play day with Airfort®. Test your agility on a ninjaline. Traditional toys like Lego® to eclectic ones like loveable monsters. Vermont's most exciting store for 47 years. Birthday? Get a free balloon. (802) 253-8319, fun@stowetoys.com, stowetoys.com.

# **TRAVEL & TOURS**

# SAVOR VERMONT

Savor Vermont has been bringing guests to taste beer, hard cider, wine, spirits, and foods. We'll take you from one tasting to another or sightseeing to the area's waterfalls, covered bridges, and more. (802) 917-6656, savorvermonttours.com.

# **WEDDING FACILITIES**

#### **EDSON HILI**

Edson Hill offers an exclusive, quintessential Vermont estate on 38 acres with picturesque views, 22 luxurious guestrooms, and a talented culinary team to help create the wedding of your dreams. edsonhill.com, (802) 253-7371.

# STOWE MOUNTAIN CHAPEL

Hike, drive, or ski to visit this four-season interfaith chapel. All are welcome for reflection and meditation. Ideal for intimate wedding and memorial services. Check out our website for photos and details. stowemountainchapel.org.

# WINE, BEER, & SPIRITS

# **BOYDEN VALLEY WINERY & SPIRITS**

Only nine miles from Smugglers Notch, enjoy international award-winning wines and spirits in our 1875 carriage barn on a fourth-generation farm. Enjoy a cocktail, wine, and cheese in the loft or outdoor terrace. 64 VT Route 104, Cambridge. boydenvalley.com.

# STOWE BEVERAGE

Full-service wine, beer, liquor, mixers, snacks. Stowe's best wine and beer selection. Best price in town on Vermont maple syrup. Cigars. Free local paper with wine purchases. Monday through Saturday 10-7; Sunday 11-6. (802) 253-4525.

# STOWE CIDER

Hard cider, hand-crafted in Vermont and made for outdoors. Visit our taproom and barbecue restaurant to try all our delicious offerings. (802) 253-2065, stowecider.com.

# YOGA

# PEAK YOGA

Peak Yoga classes help to build strength in body and mind. We provide grounding and uplifting classes for all levels in our beautiful and bright Stowe studio. Located in The Swimming Hole, 75 Weeks Hill Road, Stowe. Book a class at peakyogastowe.com. Follow us on Instagram: @peakyogastowe.

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