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Taos Ski Valley to Host 4th Annual Summer Community Weekend

Two-day event offers free mountain experiences

TAOS SKI VALLEY, N.M. (June 17, 2026) – Continuing its commitment to creating meaningful opportunities for community connection, Taos Ski Valley will host its 4th Annual [Summer Community Weekend](#) on June 27-28. The free, two-day celebration invites community members of all ages to gather on the mountain and enjoy complimentary scenic lift rides, live music, family-friendly activities, yoga, arts and crafts, refreshments, giveaways and more.

Over the past four years, the Summer Community Weekend has become a signature event designed to foster connection, encourage outdoor recreation and ensure locals have opportunities to experience all that Taos Ski Valley has to offer. Admission to the event is free and open to all community members.

“Community gatherings are a cornerstone of access and inclusion, which are key values to us,” said Dawn Boulware, Taos Ski Valley vice president of social and environmental responsibility. “More than 2,000 people participated in our Winter and Summer Community Weekends this past year, the largest turnouts to date, and we continue to see the power of bringing people together. These events reflect our commitment to ensuring the mountain is accessible and welcoming to all, while strengthening the meaningful connections that make our community thrive.”

Another highlight of the Community Weekend will be Taos Ambassador and Winter 2026 Olympic medalist [Paula Moltzan](#) signing autographs both Saturday and Sunday afternoons.

Community members need to pre-register for the complimentary lift rides [here](#).

For community members wanting to make Community Weekend a “staycation”, Taos County residents are invited to stay at The Blake and take advantage of the exclusive Friends & Family rates [here](#).

In addition to the annual Summer Community Weekend, Taos Ski Valley will host several community and youth-focused events throughout the summer, providing additional opportunities for residents and visitors to connect with the outdoors and each other. Events include:

- **Williams Lake Volunteer Trail Day (June 28):** Aligning this important work with Summer Community Weekend, community members are invited to help maintain one of northern New Mexico’s most beloved hiking destinations during the [Williams Lake Volunteer Trail Day](#) on Sunday, June 28. Participants will meet at 9 a.m. in the lot behind The Phoenix to join Taos Ski Valley staff for a day of trail maintenance and



stewardship. Tools will be provided and volunteers are encouraged to bring their own food and water.

- **Kids Adventure Race (July 24-26):** Making its New Mexico debut this summer, Taos Ski Valley will host the [Kids Adventure Race](#), a multi-discipline outdoor event for youth ages 6 to 14. The event challenges teams of two to navigate outdoor courses and includes mountain biking, trekking, slip-and-slides, mud pits, rope challenges and more. Registration is open until July 20. The special local discount code is MVRK20.
- **Mutt Strut (August 29):** This annual event features a [5K fun run/walk](#) with your four-legged friend and a pet costume contest, with all proceeds benefitting Assistance Dogs of the West. Representatives from Assistance Dogs of the West will be onsite to share information about their programs and ways for community members to get involved.

Free summer weekly activities open to all starting on July 2nd. Please check the [skitaos.com/events](https://www.skitaos.com/events) calendar for schedule changes due to special events:

- Thursdays
 - 2:00 PM - Geeks Who Drink Trivia – The Bavarian
- Fridays
 - 10:00 AM - Photo Bingo – Pick-Up at Lake Fork Ticket Office
 - 11:30 AM - Nature Walk – Meets at Eis Haus Lawn
 - 1:00 PM - Paint- A -Peak – Meets near Lift 1
 - 2:30 PM - Family Craft Hour – Lower Plaza
 - 5:30 PM - Kids’ Pick-Up Soccer Game – Eis Haus Lawn
 - At Dusk – Movies in the Mountains – Eis Haus Lawn (Not every week)
- Saturdays
 - 10:00 AM – Yoga – Eis Haus Lawn
 - 11:30 AM – Paint- A- Peak – Meets near Lift 1
 - 12:00 PM-3:00 PM – Live Music – Upper Plaza
 - 1:00 PM – Basics of Pickleball – Pickleball Court
 - 2:30 PM - Family Craft Hour- Lower Plaza
- Sundays
 - 10:00 AM – Yoga – Eis Haus Lawn
 - 11:00 AM – Family Craft Hour – Lower Plaza
 - 12:30 PM – Cornhole Tournament – Eis Haus Lawn

Taos Ski Valley’s Community Pledge

To learn more about Taos Ski Valley’s Community Pledge and the actions it takes to bring that pledge to life, please visit <https://www.skitaos.com/community>.

