

## OH THE WEATHER OUTSIDE IS FRIGHTFUL...BUT SALISH LODGE & SPA IS SO DELIGHTFUL

*Iconic lodge offers ski and snowshoe excursions and post-adventure indulgences*

**Snoqualmie, Wash. (October 13, 2009)** – Salish Lodge & Spa announces a collection of winter packages and après ski specials that invite guests to explore and indulge in all the hotel and region have to offer this winter.

“Surrounded by the scenic beauty of Snoqualmie Valley, Salish Lodge & Spa offers an ideal Northwest winter getaway,” said John Murphy, general manager of Salish Lodge & Spa. “We encourage our guests to enjoy a day of outdoor adventure and then return to the lodge to be pampered in the spa, warm up with a signature Snoqualmie Coffee in The Attic or simply retreat to a cozy guestroom complete with whirlpool tub and wood burning fireplace.”

Hit the slopes at the Summit at Snoqualmie with the **“Ski and Stay”** package which includes a one-night stay in a deluxe guestroom, a choice of two all-day adult lift tickets from the Summit at Snoqualmie or two beginner packages with equipment rental, lift ticket and lessons. Cap off the day with two Snoqualmie Coffees, a concoction of Bailey’s and Frangelico with rock candy swizzle sticks, in The Attic.

To explore the scenic beauty of Snoqualmie Pass at a slower pace, enjoy the **“Snowshoe and Stay”** package. Discover rugged trails lined with scenic alpine meadows, old growth trees, and streams. The package includes a one-night stay in a deluxe guestroom, four-hour snowshoe trip for two with guide service, transportation and equipment rental and two Snoqualmie Coffees in The Attic.

The Spa at Salish is an ideal place to repair chapped skin, massage sore muscles and revive sore feet. Guests who show a Summit at Snoqualmie ski pass for the same day will receive a **Snoqualmie Falls Foot Revitalizer** for \$99. Enjoy an **Essential Moisturizing Facial** to bring relief and moisture to dry skin, or take advantage of a selection of seasonal packages, like **The Northwest Mountain Man** or **The Northwest Skiers Down Slope Delight**, offering a variety of expertly paired treatments designed to provide the perfect antidote to the winter doldrums.

Additionally, guests can enjoy discounted Summit at Snoqualmie lift tickets (\$5 off) after enjoying the famous Salish Country Breakfast in The Dining Room or show your lift ticket in The Attic and enjoy a two-for-one entrée special.

Winter Adventure Packages start at \$339 per night and are available based on snow conditions. Certain restrictions and blackout dates apply for all packages and promotions. For more information or to make a reservation visit [salishlodge.com](http://salishlodge.com) or call 800-2-SALISH.

**Salish Lodge & Spa**

Consistently ranked among the best small resorts in the world, the AAA Four Diamond Salish Lodge & Spa overlooks the 268-foot Snoqualmie Falls. This iconic Pacific Northwest lodge has a world-renowned spa offering regionally inspired treatments, Chef Jack Strong's indigenous Northwest cuisine, an award-winning wine list and a variety of nearby recreational activities. Nestled in Washington's picturesque Cascade Mountains, each of its 89 guest rooms has a wood-burning fireplace, two-person whirlpool tub, goose-down comforter, feather bed and balcony or window seat. The resort is located 30 minutes east of downtown Seattle and within 40 minutes from Seattle-Tacoma International Airport. Salish Lodge & Spa is managed and operated by Seattle-based Columbia Hospitality, Inc. For more information or reservations, please call 800-2-SALISH or visit [salishlodge.com](http://salishlodge.com).

**Columbia Hospitality, Inc.**

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