

Under Canvas Great Smoky Mountains Property Fact Sheet

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Description

With convenient access to more than 800-square-miles of lush forest, pristine mountain views, and the Appalachian Trail, Under Canvas® Great Smoky Mountains lets you explore the untouched beauty of the Great Smoky Mountains National Park while enjoying the splendor of upscale outdoor hospitality in our authentic safari-inspired canvas tents. Find yourself immersed in an international biosphere reserve where you'll wake up to the sounds of nature on our 182-acre camp just minutes from America's most visited national park. If you're looking for an unparalleled adventure, allow Under Canvas to take you on an unforgettable journey back in time amid Gatlinburg's "Land of the Blue Smoke."

Location

Under Canvas Great Smoky Mountains is located just 10 miles from Gatlinburg, Tennessee and is set upon 182-acres of lush, wooded terrain, not far from the entrance to Great Smoky Mountains National Park.

Camps

The Great Smoky Mountain's site features eight different tent options:

Suite Tent

The Suite Tent offers all the amenities of a Deluxe Tent, as well as a lounge area with a queen-size sofa bed. Enjoy your own private ensuite bathroom, featuring a pull-chain shower, sink, and flushing toilet. A wood-burning stove keeps the tent warm, and a private deck allows you to enjoy the stars.

Sleeps: 4

Bathroom: Private

Suite with Kids Tent

The Suite with Kids Tent offers all the amenities of our traditional Suite plus your own private adjacent tent with two twin beds.

Sleeps: 6 (up to 4 adults + 2 kids)

Bathroom: Private

Stargazer Tent

The Stargazer Tent has its own viewing window above the king-size bed, perfect for spotting constellations and shooting stars at night. The ensuite bathroom in your tent includes a

shower, sink and toilet. A wood-burning stove keeps the tent warm at night and a private deck allows you to enjoy the outdoors day and night.

Sleeps: 2

Bathroom: Private

Stargazer with Kids Tent

The Stargazer with Kids Tent offers all the luxuries of the traditional Stargazer plus a private adjacent tent with two twin beds for the kids. This layout is designed for families looking for a unique addition to their adventure.

Sleeps: 4 (2 adults + 2 kids)

Bathroom: Private

Deluxe Tent

The Deluxe Tent boasts a plush king-size bed with an ensuite bathroom featuring a pull-chain shower with hot water, sink and flushing toilet. A woodburning stove keeps the tent warm at night and a private deck allows you to enjoy the night stars.

Sleeps: 2

Bathroom: Private

Deluxe with Kids Tent

The Deluxe Tent with Adjacent Kids Tent offers all the amenities of the Deluxe Tent, plus an adjacent Kids Tent with two twin beds.

Sleeps: 4 (2 adults + 2 kids)

Bathroom: Private

Safari Tent

The Safari Tent comes with a king-size bed and wood burning stove. Just moments away from your tent refresh yourself in one of our comfortable bathhouses, which host hot showers, flushing toilets, electrical outlets, and sinks.

Sleeps: 2

Bathroom: Bathhouse

Safari with Kids Tent

The Safari with Kids Tent comes with a king-size bed plus an adjacent kids tent with 2 twin beds. Just moments away from your tent refresh yourself in one of our comfortable bathhouses, which host hot showers, flushing toilets, electrical outlets, and sinks.

Sleeps: 4 (2 adults + 2 kids) Bathroom: Bathhouse

** Camp Cot: A minimalist camp cot can be provided within the main tent (Suite, Stargazer, Deluxe or Safari) for 1 child for an additional fee.

Amenities

Amenities include:

- 24-hour reception desk
- Daily housekeeping, upon request
- USB battery packs
- Nightly campfire with complimentary s'mores
- Onsite dining
- Picnic area
- Free parking
- Walking paths
- Board Games
- Gift shop
- Organic bath products
- Guest Experience Coordinator
- Complimentary on-site programming
- West Elm furnishings
- Complimentary artisan teas, hot cocoa and coffee

Adventures

Experience the very best of America's greatest national parks and monuments with Under Canvas' adventure programming. Under Canvas' Adventures team has curated "best of" guided experiences from trusted partners who are the local experts. Adventures range from guided hikes to whitewater rafting to ziplining. * Adventures are subject to availability at time of stay; contact our Adventures Concierge in advance of your trip for details, or the Guest Experience Coordinator on-site.

Dining

Under Canvas Great Smoky Mountains offers wholesome and delicious café-style dining on-site, which can be enjoyed inside or out. In the mornings, savor hot breakfast items and espresso to fuel your day's adventure. For dinner, dine al fresco on a patio surrounded by lush greenery and towering trees. Grab n go provisions are also available for purchase.

See more on our culinary approach here.

Awards

Condé Nast Traveler 2023 Readers' Choice Awards "Top Southern Resorts"

Travel + Leisure 2022 World's Best Awards "15 Best Resorts in the South"

Condé Nast Traveler 2022 Readers' Choice Awards "Top 20 Resorts in the South"

Conde Nast Traveler 2021 Readers' Choice "Top 25 Resorts in the U.S. – South"

Conde Nast Traveler 2020 Readers' Choice "Top 25 Resorts in the U.S. – South"

Mindful Approach

At Under Canvas, our mission is to inspire connections with extraordinary places, people, and the planet by enhancing access to the outdoors. We uphold that mission with our Mindful Approach, which comes to life through everything we do: from the design choices we make, to the experiences we curate for our guests, to the operational initiatives that we implement to help protect and preserve the natural environment.

Thoughtful Innovation: As pioneers in the outdoor hospitality space, we remain committed to employing thoughtful, low-impact development and operations initiatives across our destinations. We focus on

intentionally integrating our camps into the surrounding natural environment and prioritize recycling, solar power, and carbon offset practices whenever possible.

Resource Conservation: We conserve water and energy with pull-chain showers, low-flow toilets, faucets that automatically shut off, low-level lighting, and a towel-reuse program. Accordingly, our camps use significantly less water and energy than a hotel of similar size. Rechargeable, USB battery packs are used in guest tents in lieu of electricity, and Rivian Waypoints electric vehicle charging stations are available at select locations for guests to use throughout their stay.

International DarkSky principles: We reduce light pollution by following guidance from the International Dark-Sky Association. Like the DarkSky certified International Dark Sky Parks, Under Canvas incorporates environmentally responsible outdoor lighting, effective lighting policies, and education to help protect and preserve the night sky.

Land Conservation: Under Canvas destinations are designed to minimize disturbance and maximize open space. As such, we maintain dedicated, undisturbed green spaces at each camp.

In Good Company: We partner with brands that align with our mission and values—and share the same care for our planet. For example, plant-based EO® bath products are made in a zero-waste facility, West Elm furnishings support sustainable initiatives, and lululemon is committed to 100% renewable electricity for their owned and operated facilities.

Unplug and Recharge: Wi-fi is intentionally not offered to our guests so that they can disconnect from technology and reconnect with others.

Giving Back to Nature

As lovers of the outdoors and the beautiful lands that surround our camps, Under Canvas has joined forces with The Nature Conservancy (TNC), a global environmental nonprofit working to conserve the lands and waters on which all life depends, to help fund conservation and raise awareness through education, volunteer efforts and donation programs.

Brand Partners Under Canvas Great Smoky Mountains is pleased to partner with the following brands, found throughout each of our sites and in our lobby retail selection:

- West Elm
- lululemon
- Parks Project
- Pendleton
- EO bath products
- Sun Bum
- Gibson guitars

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