

What's Open for the Thanksgiving Holiday weekend in the Northwest

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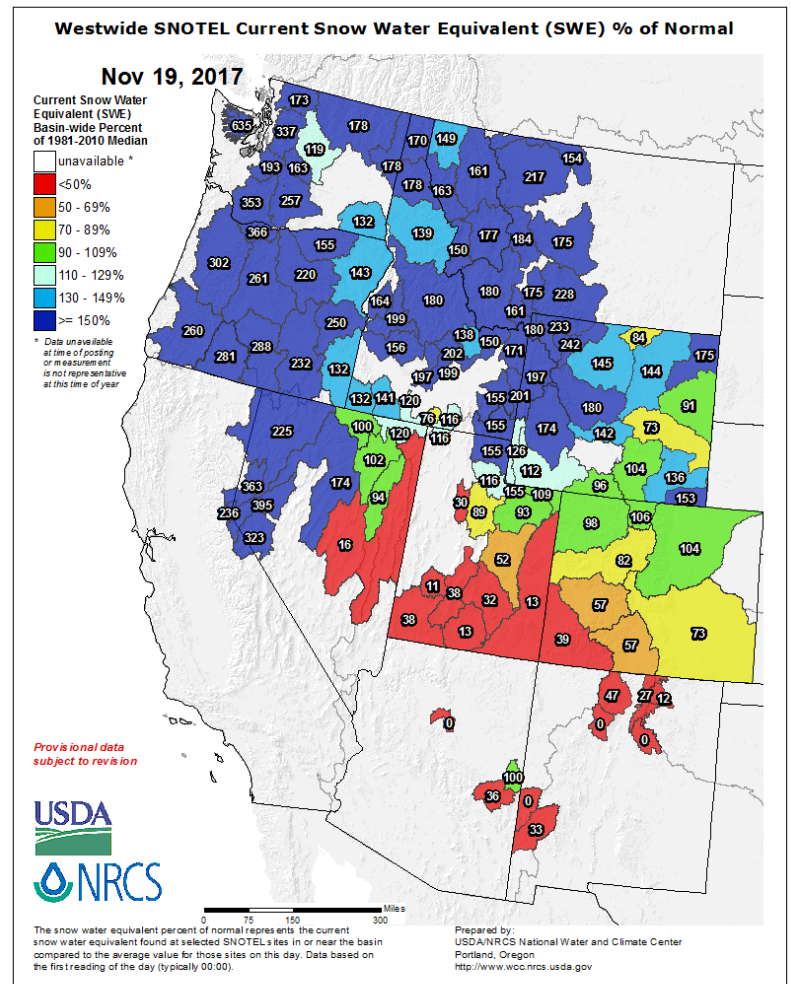
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La Conner, WA – After one of the historically earliest starts to the winter season many ski resorts in the Pacific Northwest have a snow pack that is 119 to over 300 percent of normal for mid-November. Many of the resorts are open Thanksgiving Holiday weekend providing a great opportunity for skiing and snowboarding with family and friends. Following is a rundown of what will be operating this weekend:

WASHINGTON

49 Degrees North will be open starting on Friday, November 24 for weekend operations with Chairlifts 1,3,4 and 5 from 9 am-3:20 pm. For the current operations and conditions go to: http://www.ski49n.com/snow_report.php or contact Eric Bakken, ebakken@ski49n.com or 509-935-6649 ext. 603.

Crystal Mountain is operating daily from 9:00 am to 4:00 pm. Campbell Basin Lodge is now open. The Cascade Grill and Chinook Cafe are open daily starting at 7am and the Bullwheel



Bar & Restaurant opens at 10:30am. The Summit House will open Friday, November 24. For the current operations and conditions go to: <https://crystallmountainresort.com/the-mountain/current-conditions/> or contact Tiana Anderson, 360-663-3012 or tiana@skicrystal.com.

Mission Ridge will reopen re-open Friday, November 24 through Sunday, November 26, 9 am-4 pm with Chairs 1 and 2 as well as the Pika Peak rope tow scheduled for operation. For up-to-date conditions and operations go to <https://www.missionridge.com/snow-report> or contact Tony Hickock, ahickok@missionridge.com or 509-588-9404.

Mt Baker is operating on a normal daily schedule 9 am to 3:30 pm and will be in full operation Thursday, November 23 through Sunday, November 26. For more information go to <https://www.mtbaker.us/snow-report> or contact Amy Trowbridge, amy@mtbaker.us or 360-734-6771.

Mt Spokane Ski & Snowboard Park opened Friday, November 24 through Sunday, November 26, 9 am to 4 pm with 10 groomed runs and terrain park features. Chairs 2, 3, & 5 will be operating. For more details about operations and conditions go to <http://www.mtspokane.com/snowreport> or contact Brenda McQuarrie, brenda@mtspokane.com or 509-238-7011.

Stevens Pass Mountain Resort will reopen on Friday, November 24, conditions permitting. For more operations and conditions information go to <https://www.stevenspass.com/site> or contact Chris Danforth, christopher.danforth@stevenspass.com or 206-812-7856.

White Pass will reopen on Thanksgiving Day, November 23 for daily operation, conditions permitting. For conditions and operation updates visit www.skiwhitepass.com or contact Kathleen Goyette, kat@skiwhitepass.com or 509-945-3189.

OREGON

Mt Bachelor will reopen Friday, November 24 with West Village base area services. Conditions permitting operating lifts are planned to be: Pine Marten, Sunshine Accelerator, Skyliner and Sunrise. For more information on operations and conditions go to <http://www.mtbachelor.com/conditions-report/> or contact Drew Jackson, djackson@mtbachelor.com or 541-693-0953.

Mt Hood Meadows will reopen for daily operations beginning Friday, November 24. For more about operations and conditions go to <https://www.skihood.com/the-mountain/conditions> or contact Dave Tragethon, Dave.Tragethon@skihood.com or call 971-373-8111.

Mt Hood Skibowl will offer Day Tubing 10am - 4pm Saturday and Sunday with Cosmic Tubing 5pm - 11pm on Saturday. For additional details go to www.skibowl.com or contact Karen Norton, knorton@skibowl.com or 971.274.3165.

Timberline is operating lifts 7 days a week from 9am-4pm, conditions permitting. For more details and conditions go to: <http://www.timberlinelodge.com/conditions/> or contact John Burton, jburton@timberlinelodge.com, (503) 272-3345.

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Lookout Pass reopens Thanksgiving Day (Thursday, November 23) through Monday, November 27. Rentals and Group or Private Lessons will be available with the lodge and lounge in full operation. For more information go to <https://skilookout.com/snow-report> or contact Matthew Sawyer, Matt@SkiLookout.com or 208-744-1301.

Schweitzer Mountain Resort is reopening Friday, November 24 through Sunday, November 26 for the Thanksgiving Holiday weekend. Monday, November 27 through Thursday, November 30 the resort will close and reopen on Friday, December 1 to begin full seven-day winter operating schedule. More details on operations and conditions at <https://www.schweitzer.com/explore/snow-report/> or by contacting Dig Chrismer, dchrismer@schweitzer.com or 208-255-3031.

Silver Mountain Resort will begin regular operations on Friday, November 24. For more information on operations or conditions go to <http://www.silvermt.com/snow-report> or contact Willy Bartlett, WillyB@silvermt.com or 208-783-1524.

Many of the resorts in the Northwest are evaluating their current snow depths and watching the weather forecasts to determine when they will be opening. PNSAA will send updates as more resorts announce their opening dates. For the most up-to-date information on your favorite resort, please visit their website.

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The Pacific Northwest Ski Areas Association is a non-profit trade association, which represents the interests of 35 ski and snowboard facilities located in Oregon, Washington, Alaska, Idaho, Montana, and California. The Association's member ski areas – most of which operate on public land – collectively host an estimated 5.1 million visits annually. For additional information on Pacific Northwest skiing and snowboarding, contact the PNSAA office at (877) 533-5520, or visit www.pnsaa.org to link to the website of your favorite mountain.