NORTHWEST MOUNTAIN RESORTS – GLACIER NATIONAL PARK
(WHITEFISH, KALISPELL, WEST GLACIER, EAST GLACIER PARK)

Glacier National Park is a U.S. national park located in the northwest corner of Montana, on the Canada-United States border. The park encompasses over 1 million acres and includes parts of two mountain ranges, over 130 named lakes, more than 1,000 different species of plants, and hundreds of species of wild animals. There are several small communities surrounding Glacier National Park, including Whitefish, Kalispell, West Glacier, St. Mary, and East Glacier Park. Glacier National Park is open year round; however, services are limited with snow in the winter. Generally from late May through September facilities are open to summer visitors and are very busy with tourists. Glacier Park is an outdoor enthusiast’s paradise. Visitors spend their time hiking, camping, viewing wildlife, taking photos, painting, biking, whitewater rafting, and swimming. Glacier National Park is one of the most spectacular natural treasures in the U.S.!

WEATHER

CITIES & AIRPORTS
Whitefish has 6,500 people. Kalispell has 20,000 people and it is a 1-2 hour drive from Glacier National Park and a 20 minute drive from Whitefish. Glacier Park International Airport is located here. Spokane is a 4 hour drive away, with an international airport as well.

COMMUNITY GROUPS & RESOURCES
There are none here yet.
PROS & CONS
PRO: Proximity to Glacier National Park. Very busy in the summer months with tourists. Great for hiking and outdoor activities.
CON: Remote locations far from any city.

THINGS TO DO & CULTURAL EVENTS
- Go hiking and camping in beautiful Glacier National Park.
- Try whitewater rafting.
- Go to the North American Indian Days in Browning to celebrate the Blackfeet Tribe.
- Go shopping in Kalispell.
- Go to local Farmer’s Markets and concerts.
- Visit Flathead Lake.
- Hiking in Glacier National Park is the main activity, as well as camping, wildlife viewing, fishing, rafting, and swimming in lakes. Employers often have employee activities and periodic trips to town for shopping. Blackfeet Indian Reservation is nearby, so there are powwows, rodeos, and museums nearby as well.

HOT TIPS
These are remote locations in a National Park.

MAP OF THE AREA

http://www.nationsonline.org/oneworld/map/USA/montana_map.htm