

These 10 destinations are perfect for winter in the Pacific Northwest

Brave the elements + cozy up indoors

In the wintertime, many Pacific Northwesterners live by the credo: "If it's raining here, it's snowing in the mountains." This perspective-flipping tactic shifts the focus to awesome ski conditions and tranquil trails (rather than shorter days and dreary drizzle).

Others embrace these months inside hygge-filled spaces that serve up delicious food and drink alongside an endless supply of coziness. Here are 10 destinations making the season brighter.

Bozeman, Mont.



Bozeman's brand-new Rialto is an "artistic, cultural and inspirational hub" overlooking Main Street — Photo courtesy of Courtesy Rialto

Fly into "Big Sky Country" via Bozeman Yellowstone International Airport (BZN), which is located 15 minutes from the town's charming main street. Here you'll find an ideal home base at TheLARK and the Rialto music venue, as well as an enticing lineup of bars and restaurants.

While in town, indulge at the <u>Bozeman Hot Springs</u>, clink your glasses at five breweries, and head out into the snow scene (featuring skiing, snowboarding *and* snowmobiling).