



## The Westin Riverfront, Beaver Creek named to PARENTS “Top 10 Best Snow Resorts for Families!”

AVON, Colo. (Oct. 8, 2009) – Colorado’s Westin Riverfront Resort & Spa is thrilled to announce it has been named one of the “10 Best Snow Resorts for Families” by Parents magazine. The Westin Riverfront, which is connected to Beaver Creek Mountain via the Riverfront Express Gondola, ranked #2 in the prestigious new survey, which was released today.

“At Parents we know that a winter vacation is a real treat, but tight budgets and the challenge of finding a kid-friendly destination can make planning a trip tricky,” said Dana Points, editor-in-chief of Parents. “The ten affordable resorts on our list have thought of absolutely everything families could want while on vacation.”

For more information about Parents magazine’s Top 10 Best Snow Resorts, please visit: [www.parents.com/snowresorts](http://www.parents.com/snowresorts).

Nestled on the banks of the Eagle River with magnificent views of Beaver Creek Mountain, The Westin Riverfront offers numerous family-friendly amenities, including a Westin Kids Club, an outdoor pool, three riverside hot tubs and daily carpool service to the top-ranked Beaver Creek Ski & Snowboard School.

Families will find plenty of room to spread out in one of our 210 spacious guest residences, which range in size from studio suites to three bedroom condominiums, each featuring a custom kitchen. The dog-friendly hotel also features an on-site ski rental and retail shop and offers weekly kids movie and craft nights. All families who check in to The Westin Riverfront also receive a Kids Welcome Amenity, which includes safety plugs for electrical outlets, a rubber ducky and a night light for children age 2 and under, and a hat, Make-Your-Own-Post Cards Kits and a map of the world with activities for those 3 and older.

The Westin Riverfront announced last month that it has achieved Silver LEED status from the U.S. Green Building Council, making it the first hotel in Colorado to achieve LEED status of any level and only the 9<sup>th</sup> Silver LEED certified hotel in the United States.

The Westin Riverfront Resort opened in September 2008 and was named to Condé Nast Traveler's "Hot List 2009" as one of the 140 hottest new resorts worldwide.

Winter rates at The Westin Riverfront, Beaver Creek start at \$249 per night. For more information or to book a stay, please call 1-866-949-1616 or visit us online at [www.westinriverfrontavon.com](http://www.westinriverfrontavon.com).

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