

MOUNTAIN TOP

Few locations in the United States - or even the world - can match the sheer beauty of the Blue Ridge Mountains.



Ancient hardwood forests, natural waterfalls, hidden lakes and miles and miles of trout streams give this area a wonderful feel and a temperate climate that is cooler than many surrounding regions during the summer. Deep in this breathtaking range is Mountaintop Golf and Lake Club, a private family retreat that offers luxury living, limitless opportunities for recreation, and world class golf and outdoor experiences. Situated at an average altitude of 4,000ft, between the



Western North Carolina towns of Highlands and Cashiers, Mountaintop features 251 estate lots on which to design and build a dream home, each with mountain, golf course or forest views and ranging from one-half acre to five acres. Developers Discovery Land Company have also built 68 luxurious, yet rustic cabins and lodges that were crafted by the region's leading architects and finished to a very high standard. Talking of leading architects, Mountaintop's magnificent 18-hole golf course was designed by one of the very best, Tom Fazio, who lives nearby. He spent hours walking the hills and woodlands of the retreat to ensure the routing of the course integrates seamlessly with the dramatic terrain, majestic hardwoods and sweeping views. His creation, which can play between 5,111 to 7,004 yards, has been designed to offer

a fun challenge to both high and low handicap players and is reserved for play solely by Mountaintop's 350 equity members, their families and invited guests.

The luxurious mountain-lodge clubhouse, meanwhile, features health spa facilities, a swimming pool, state-

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of-the-art fitness centre, clay tennis courts and a lifestyle concierge service that can cater for every need - from cleaning your house to restocking your refrigerator.

Elsewhere, boating and water recreations are available at the private Lake Club, while Discovery Land Company's trademark Outdoor Pursuits program helps make the most of the surrounding activities. Trout fishing, mountain-biking and canoeing are all available, and just a short drive away are countless hamlets and villages where visitors can shop, eat and explore the area's long history. Mountaintop brings together the finest elements of life in the Blue Ridge Mountains with a special family atmosphere, and is a place members will want to return to again and again.

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