

## ***EAGLE RIDGE RESORT & SPA: FACT SHEET***

Eagle Ridge Resort & Spa  
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### ***HISTORY:***

Land acquisition for Eagle Ridge Resort & Spa began in 1970 with construction complete in June of 1981. The Shenandoah Riding Center was built in January 1974. Construction of Lake Galena began in the spring of 1974. Golf first became part of Eagle Ridge Resort & Spa with the construction of the North Course in 1975. Construction of the South Course began in the fall of 1982 and the course opened August 4, 1984. Construction of the East Course began in the fall of 1989 and opened July 1, 1991. Construction of The General began in late spring of 1994 and opened on Memorial Day weekend in 1997.

The original main lodge at the property had seven rooms with the first building adding 24 rooms, and the lake view adding 36 rooms. On January 8, 1992, a fire destroyed the main lodge and small conference center. Starting in the spring of 1992, construction began on a new main lodge and conference center, enlarging the original floor plan by 20,000 square feet and adding 20 rooms. The main lodge was completed in late August 1992 and the overall completion of the conference center in later in 1992.

### ***ACCOMODATIONS:***

#### **The Inn:**

80 guest rooms with some lake or woodland views, many with walk-out patios. Renovated in 1999. Wireless high-speed Internet access is available. A number of rooms have Jacuzzi tubs and/or fireplaces.

**Resort Homes:** 300+ privately owned villas, condominiums and executive homes, with one to eight bedrooms depending on the type. Residences feature wood-burning fireplaces and fully equipped kitchens, with a majority of the rooms built to accommodate small meetings.

**AMENITIES/ACTIVITIES:** **Biking and Hiking:** The resort offers miles of hiking and biking trails with printed trail guides. Leisure bikes, trailers, children's bikes, trail bikes and strollers are available for rent at the Inn pool.

**Boating and Fishing:** Lake Galena is a haven for boating and fishing. Canoes, paddleboats and pontoon boats are available for rent at the boat dock. An Illinois fishing license is required and may be purchased at the Territory Marina. The lake is home to tiger muskie, crappie, largemouth and smallmouth bass, walleye and bluegill.

**Fitness Center:** Located in the resort, the state-of-the-art fitness center is complete with Lifecycles, treadmills, rowing machines, Stairmasters, elliptical trainers, free weights and more.

**Golf:** See separate Golf Fact Sheet.

**Horseback Riding:** The Shenandoah Riding Center is open daily for hourly, guided rides on a variety of scenic trails.

**Hot Air Balloon Rides:** Hot air balloon rides are offered at dawn and dusk, providing a tranquil escape and a new perspective.

**Pool/Sauna:** Swim year-round in the newly renovated indoor pool located at the resort. The pool facility also includes a sauna and steam room, as well as locker rooms.

**Tennis:** Four newly resurfaced hard courts are located near the resort and are available to guests on a first-come, first-served basis.

**Winter Sports:** Each winter, the Clubhouse at the South Golf Course is transformed into the Nordic Ski and Winter Sports Center. Discover groomed cross-country ski trails winding through some of the Territory's most scenic terrain. A sledding hill and skating pond are located near the center, and skiing, sledding and skating equipment is complimentary to guests on site.

**Stonedrift Spa:** Stonedrift, a 6,000-square-foot spa offering a comprehensive menu of facilities and services, opened in May 2004. Located in the resort, the spa includes 10 treatment rooms, three facial rooms, wet rooms with Vichy and Tsunami showers, a

lounge, a nail suite with two manicure and two pedicure stations, locker rooms and a boutique.

**Woodlands Restaurant & Lounge:** Located in the resort and open all year, Woodlands Restaurant offers fine dining with a view of Lake Galena. Seafood, steaks, pasta and more are complemented by an extensive wine list, as well as a fully stocked bar in the lounge. A lavish Sunday brunch is popular with guests and residents alike.

**Spikes Bar & Grill:** Open seasonally for lunch and dinner in the clubhouse. Enhanced by the view from one of the most scenic points on the property, Spikes Bar & Grill is the perfect spot for a casual meal or an evening out. Lunch features soup, sandwiches and salads, while steaks and nightly specials are featured for dinner.

**Paisanos:** Located in the lobby of the resort, Paisanos offers pizza, Italian deli sandwiches and baked dishes, as well as ice cream and sorbets year-round.

**North, East & South Golf Clubhouses:** A variety of light meals and snacks, along with beverages and full bar service, is available at the North, East and South Golf Courses. Facilities are open seasonally.

**The General Store Bakery & Deli:** The General Store has everything from staples to gourmet food items, including fresh produce, prepared salads, deli items, wine and other beverages. Movies, gasoline, cigarettes and newspapers are also available.

**Play Area:** Adjacent to the tennis courts, this area is perfect for children of all ages. Climbing challenges, slides and more are open to guests from dawn to dusk daily.

**Meeting and Event Spaces:** For meetings and banquets, the resort has more than 10,500 square feet of space, including six executive boardrooms. Groups ranging from 10 to 350 can be accommodated in one or more of 21 meeting rooms. The resort's staff of conference sales and service professionals attends to every detail and requirement of each group, regardless of the size of the event.