



# The Hideout

LODGE & GUEST RANCH

*Shell, Wyoming*



*...not your typical Riding Ranch!*





*Welcome to*

## *The Hideout Lodge & Guest Ranch*

*The Hideout Lodge & Guest Ranch is an all-inclusive upscale working cattle, riding, and adventure guest ranch in Shell, WY (east of Cody and Yellowstone National Park).*

In addition to riding, working cattle and fly-fishing, we offer an array of non-riding activities and adventures such as trapshooting, archery, canoeing, hiking, biking, 4x4 tours, etc. With access to approximately 650,000 acres and altitudes in the area ranging from 4200 to 13100 feet in a rarely seen diversity of scenery and country, you will seldom see the same trail twice.

We take pride in offering a very personal, fun and safe experience. For this reason we limit our weeks to approximately 25 riders each week who are visiting us from all over the world. The horse to guest ratio at The Hideout is high at three horses per rider which is like our ratio of one staff member for each guest. Most of our experienced staff have worked at The Hideout for several years, and our owners and management are multicultural and actively involved with the well-being of our guests. We are committed to the highest standards of culinary experience, lodging, staff (we speak 4 languages), horses and personal, almost customized attention. We are very multi-cultural and diverse.

Every year The Hideout books well ahead of the season, mostly because of word of mouth and returning guests. As we do not plan to increase the number of guests per week please book your vacation well in advance of the season.

*Join us for the Western Adventure of a Lifetime.*





# *Saddle up for the Western Adventure of a lifetime.*



## *Escape to the horseback world of the Great American West.*

Want to ride? Or learn to? Herd cattle? Participate in an old fashioned branding? Or perhaps savor a quiet day of catch and release fishing in a mountain stream? It's all waiting for you at The Hideout Lodge & Guest Ranch. You'll spend the day living your dream of Western adventure, and enjoy plenty of modern-day pampering when the sun goes down.

You'll ride Wyoming's spectacular Big Horn Mountains, soaking in horseback memories that will never fade, making new friends, and gaining a new understanding of what makes the American West such a special place.







## *Our Horses. . .*

### *We're proud of our horses.*

We believe our horses are as good as they get at a Western guest ranch. Whether you ride every day or are swinging into the saddle for the first time, we have a horse that's right for you. All of our horses are trained and handled according to our low stress Authentic Horsemanship Program. This means we handle our horses with the same level of respect we show to our staff and our guests. For you this means we have responsive, safe and well behaving horses adapted to the sometimes challenging terrain and variety of altitudes in which we ride. Our entire staff is well-trained in our AH Horsemanship Principles and Culture and will be happy to share their insights with you.





# The Land in which we Ride and Play...



*Due to the many exposed formations* in The Shell Valley and Big Horn Mountains, we are fortunate to live in an area with a rarely seen diversity of scenery. In addition to this diversity, we ride in altitudes ranging from 4,200 feet in the Shell Valley up to 13,100 feet in the Cloud Peak Wilderness. We have access to ride in nearly 650,000 acres which means that even our repeat guests who come year after year seldom see the same trail twice.





## Spectacular Scenery

*Variety is the spice of life – a saying that applies to horseback riding and outdoor adventures also!*

Many people think the pictures on our website or in our brochures are too beautiful to be real...until they come here. They are amazed at the many shades of Wyoming they find at The Hideout. Do you want to ride to a mountain top? Or lope across a sea of grass? Explore a deep alpine forest? Would you like to experience Sedona-like red rock country? Or some mountain creeks and lakes? It's all here, including the majestic Big Horn Mountains and dramatic vistas surrounding The Hideout.















## *Authentic Horsemanship – Riding for the Brand*

*Our guests come from around the world and different walks of life with a rich variety of equestrian experience ranging from beginners to professional riders competing in the global arena.*

Authentic Horsemanship is our concept to train, handle, ride and take care of our horses at The Hideout Lodge & Guest Ranch. AH Horsemanship is based on our 3 C Culture of Character, Conduct and Competence. No matter what riding background you come from or the riding level you are, it is all about creating a fun, safe, open-minded and respectful equestrian experience. One of our goals is for our guests to gain a better understanding about horses, how to communicate with horses and how to ride correctly and respectfully in the beautiful but often challenging Wild West. The skills and knowledge you'll acquire in the arena and on the range will be yours forever.

Every year we invest in more training for our key staff to guarantee a better riding vacation to our guests year after year. Riding lessons, Stockmanship and Authentic Horsemanship Orientation are included in your Hideout Package. During the off-season we offer more specialized clinics.

Our goal is to maximize the potential embedded in the relationship between each horse and rider.



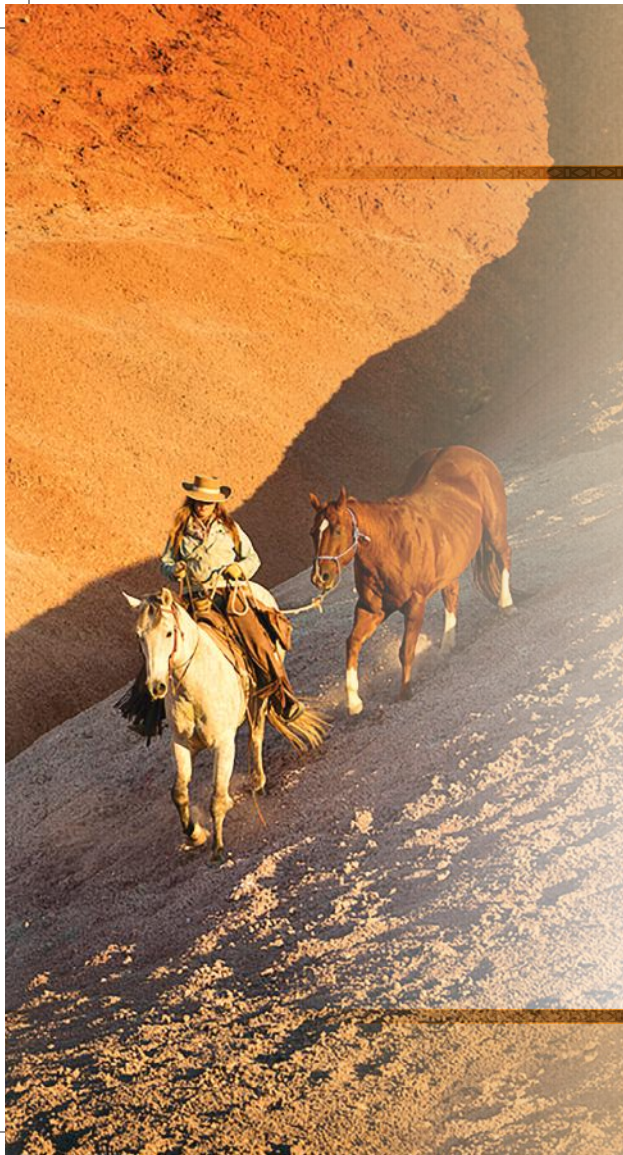


# *AA Authentic Horsemanship Cattle Drives, Cattle Work & Unlimited Horseback Riding*



*Most of our guests enjoy working cattle* or would like to experience what it means to be a cowboy on a 300,000 Wyoming working cattle ranch. At The Hideout we share some of the property with the 100-year old Flitner Ranch. Most weeks we work Flitner Ranch cattle with our guests. If you are looking to get a taste of “the real deal”, look no further. We practice Low Stress Stockmanship, and our wranglers and riding team will be happy to show you how it is done. Prepare for a long day in the saddle. There is no such thing as a short day working cattle.











# Winter & Off-Season Riding



***When the summer ends, we're just getting started.*** The Hideout Lodge & Guest Ranch is open most of the year. There is nothing quite like kicking up the snow on a crisp winter day, sitting on the back of a warm horse. Even during the winter we are blessed with a dry climate and experience well over 300 days of clear blue skies a year.

The novelty of horseback riding in the snow is just one of the many treats The Hideout has to offer during the winter. Watch geysers steam in Yellowstone National Park. Cruise ski-runs in nearby ski areas, hop on a snowmobile and enjoy over 400 miles of groomed trails. Go snowshoeing or cross-country skiing or simply enjoy sitting by the fire with a good book.

During the off-season you can rent out The Hideout with fewer guests than during our busy season.







## *Fly-Fishing Paradise*

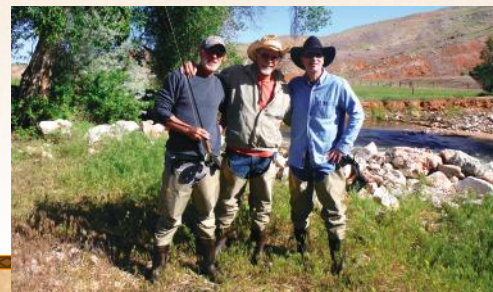
*From May through October The Hideout has a full-time fly-fishing professional on staff.*

Our pro can teach you how to tie a fly and the techniques of fly-fishing. We have access to a variety of streams, ponds and casting ponds. Our program is fun for all, including beginning and intermediate fly-fishers. Don't worry about waders, tack or flies. One of our most popular activities is our Ride & Fish Program where we ride on horseback to a pristine mountain stream to go fishing.

All is included in your stay at The Hideout. The only thing you will need to buy is a daily fishing permit.

Advanced, hard core fly-fishers will find The Big Horn Mountains and Greater Yellowstone Area one of most pristine fly-fishing paradises in the West.

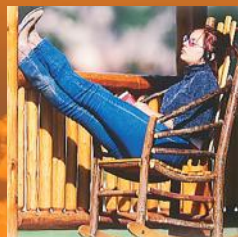
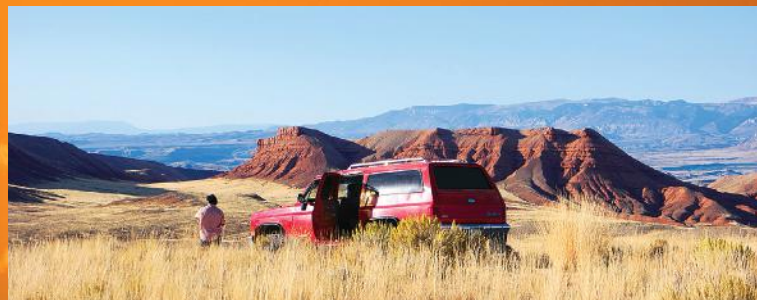
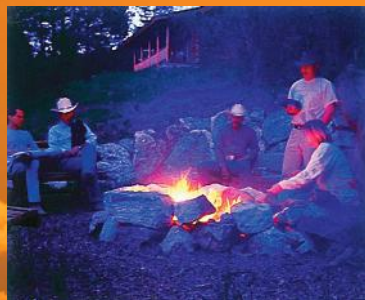
We fish for Brown, Rainbow, Cutthroat and Brook Trout.













## Non-Riding Activities

*Along with all the great riding, cattle work and horsemanship, The Hideout offers an exciting array of non-riding activities* available to our guests. Fly-fishing with an expert guide, trap shooting, archery, 4x4 tours, visiting a real dinosaur dig site, a trip to the Cody Nite Rodeo, hiking, mountain biking and kayaking are all offered at The Hideout. Please see the Activity Card for more details.

Some activities are seasonal and/or weather permitting.



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AUTHENTIC HORSEMANSHIP







## Lodging



### *Appointed with Pendleton*

**Blankets and warm Western décor,** our Hideout Cabins and Casitas offer a variety of accommodations. We upgrade our property constantly and you will find everything at The Hideout well maintained and very clean. All of our cabins and Casitas feature wireless internet, cable TV, air conditioning and heat, refrigerator, coffee maker, porches with rocking chairs, and beautiful views of Shell Canyon and The Hideout property. Beds are made daily and we change linens mid-week.





## Dining

*Guests at The Hideout enjoy Western cuisine with a European flare.*

At The Hideout Lodge & Guest Ranch all meals are prepared from scratch with healthy and fresh ingredients. Given the diversity of culture of our guests coming from around the world, we embrace diversity in food.

Our chef can accommodate the most common dietary restrictions within reason considering we are in a remote location. Please let us know well-ahead of time.

Our kitchen is less about quantity but rather about quality and healthy food. At The Hideout you will eat very well.







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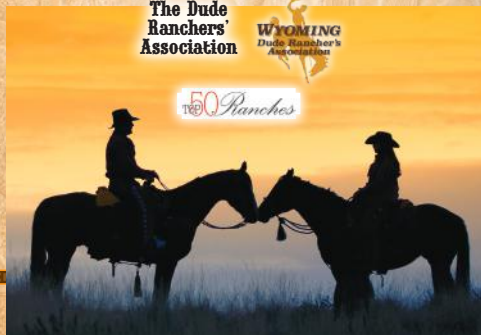


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