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Take Flight Theater to host THE POLAR EXPRESS™ Journey to the North Pole November 13, 2020 – January 18, 2021

WISCONSIN DELLS, Wis. — Wilderness Resort officials announced today that their NEW Take Flight Theater, with its enormous 65-foot by 45-foot screen, will be showing THE POLAR EXPRESS™ Journey to the North Pole for the holiday season.

The film, set to show November 13-January 18, is a new, state-of-the-art experience based on the movie classic about a doubting young boy who takes an extraordinary train ride to the North Pole. Climb aboard with him as he embarks on a journey of self-discovery that shows him that the wonder of Santa never fades for those who truly believe.

According to Chris Ebben, our resort's Director of Attractions, "The film will take you on an incredible holiday journey that will leave you on the edge of your seat as you twist and turn down the tracks on your way to visit Santa at the North Pole."

Adding to the holiday spirit, The Take Flight lobby and Wild Kids Club, located below the lobby, will be turned into a holiday wonderland with additional fun activities for kids to enjoy. Wild Kids' team members will be hosting various foam Christmas themed craft projects to get creative with as well as Christmas themed Bingo daily at 3 pm. There will also be decorating Christmas cookies on Saturday, December 5, 12 and 19 from 1-2 pm. Plus, Santa will be onsite in the Camp Social Happy Camper Gift Shop from 9-11 am on December 5, 6, 12, 13, 19, 20 and 24.

Candy Cabin will have special holiday treats including special edition hand-dipped "Golden Ticket" chocolate bars. Inside the wrapper of each candy bar includes a winning prize with 1 of 5,000 chance to win a \$250 Wilderness gift card. Other prizes include \$100 in arcade credits and various arcade tickets redeemable at any of our Mega Arcades. Each chocolate bar is a winner.

At Camp Social's Burger Bar they will also be serving up Hot Chocolate Bombs and Polar Express-o's made with a shot of locally roasted expresso with Godiva white chocolate and peppermint blended in vanilla ice cream served with whipped cream, candy cane and snowflake sprinkles. An adult version of the drink can be made with Smirnoff Peppermint Twist and a light crème de cacao. And, Klondike Pizza Kitchen will be hosting an "All Aboard for the Polar Express Pizza Package" that includes a large Santa hat shaped pizza, an order of breadsticks, a 2 liter bottle of soda and a Polar Express dessert pizza topped with mini marshmallows, graham cracker pieces, chocolate chunks and crush candy canes.

The Wilderness is also updating its Flying Wild film with new stunning aerial footage that is sure to leave you in awe. The cinematic ride takes participants "soaring" over famous national landmarks and America's breathtaking national parks. You'll feel the wind in your hair as you take in some of the stunning natural beauty and most iconic locations the nation has to offer.

The Take Flight Theater has 60 motion based seats* over three stories. Once participants are buckled into their seats, the doors to the theater swiftly rise and the seats surge forward, leaving guests' feet dangling as they stare at an enormous domed movie screen. Artificial scents, wind and mist add to the sensation of flying. *Please note, seating may be limited due to social distancing requirements as a result of COVID-19 precautions.

Take Flight Theater is open daily at 9 am. Tickets will cost \$19.99 for adults and \$15.99 for kids 12 and under for a single showing of either film.

Wilderness guests will receive a \$5 discount on admission tickets. Military members and veterans can fly for \$13.99 for a single showing of either film. Participants must be 42" to ride. Children need to be accompanied by an adult or guardian to ride. The maximum weight allowance is 300 lbs.

For more information or to purchase tickets visit: https://takeflightwilderness.com/. Take Flight Theater is located off of the New Frontier lobby.

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The Wilderness Resort consists of over 600 wooded acres in Wisconsin Dells and is home to Wilderness Hotel & Golf Resort, which features 444 guest rooms, 40 Vacation Villas, 76 Frontier Condominiums and 35 cabins. It is also home to Wilderness on the Lake which features 108 luxurious two and three bedroom condominium units overlooking Lake Delton; and Glacier Canyon Lodge, which features 460 upscale condominium units.

Combined, these three properties offer four indoor and four outdoor waterparks that total nearly 500,000 square feet – that's over 12 football fields of extreme water fun! The resort is also home to Glacier Canyon Conference Center; Sundara Spa; Wild Rock Golf Club; The Woods 9-Hole Golf Course; three massive prize arcades; Timberland Play Park; three Clip 'N Climb Challenge Walls; The Wild Abyss indoor 3-D black light mini golf; bumper boats; indoor and outdoor go-karts and kiddy-karts; zip line tour; Northern Lights Sky Ropes Course; three Room Escapes by DOA; and outdoor Jurassic mini golf. Dining options include Field's at the Wilderness; Sarento's; Survivors; Thirsty Buffalo and several other quick service options.

For more information on the resort or for reservations, visit their web site at wildernessresort.com or call 1-800-867-WILD (9453).