

Indoor Activity



About this activity...

The Weather Discovery Center is a hands-on, interactive science museum, bringing the wonder of the atmosphere right to your fingertips! The mission of the Weather Discovery Center is to enhance awareness, understanding, and appreciation of the atmosphere, its complexity, its impact on the human experience, and the many ways in which atmospheric phenomena are observed and interpreted.

There is no cost to enter the Discovery Center, however a donation is requested. They also have a very nice gift shop for you to purchase Mount Washington and weather related items.

Hours of Operation

January – February 17

Open Weekends, 10 AM to 5 PM

February 18 – February 29

Open Daily, 10 AM to 5 PM

March – May 25

Open Weekends, 10 AM to 5 PM

May 26 – December 31

Open Daily
10 AM to 5 PM

Closed Thanksgiving and Christmas

Adventure Concierge Tips

The Adventure Concierge recommends visiting the Weather Discovery Center if you are unable to get to the top of Mount Washington. Also visitors who are there around 10:30 am or 1:00 pm will be treated to a interactive conference call with the observers who are at the summit.

The Weather Discovery Center is great for people of all ages. Step inside the replica of the weather station as it was when the highest winds (231MPH) were recorded in 1934. Could you live in those conditions?

Travel time from Lincoln: 45-60 minutes

In warm weather months, take Bear Notch Road to avoid some of the traffic in North Conway.

Please be sure to see the Adventure Concierge for helpful hints including some other interesting sites to see along the way, including Conway Scenic Railroad, Rocky Gorge, and places to see Moose.

Adventure Concierge Ratings:

Overall Experience: ★★★★★

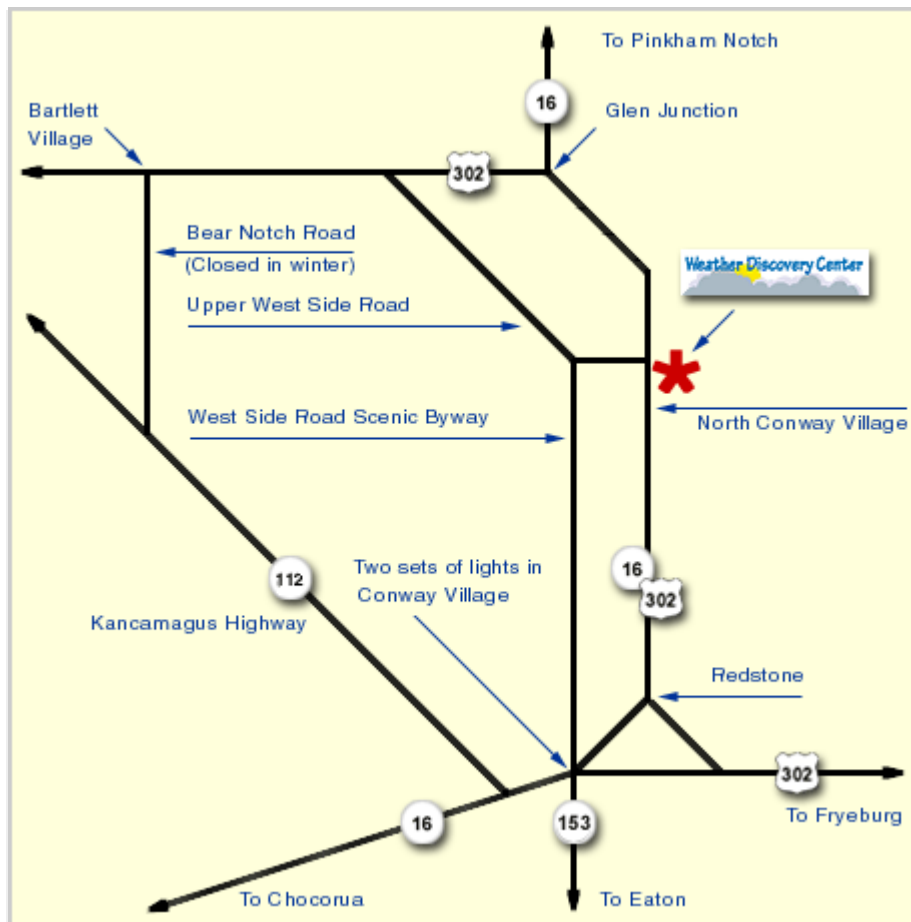
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For more information www.mountwashington.org/education/center/ or call (603) 356-2137

How to get there

Directions to Cog Railway from InnSeason Resorts Pollard Brook or South Mountain:

- Turn Left out of Resort Driveway onto Kancamagus Highway (Rte. 112).
- Follow Rte. 112 approx 35 miles to its end in North Conway. (Traffic Light)
- Turn Left at the Light onto Rte. 16 North.
- Follow Rte. 16 to the 2nd Traffic Light.
- Turn Left at 2nd Light and continue on Rte 16 North.
- Follow Rte. 16 past all the Outlet Shopping.
- The Mount Washington Discovery Center is on the Right just past the Conway Scenic Railroad in the Village of North Conway.



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