

Arapahoe Basin Ski Resort - Aerial Adventure Park

Dillon CO, USA

The Location

Arapahoe Basin came to life in 1946 as a scrappy, shoestring passion project literally hand-built and partially funded by their ski-obsessed founders. A-Basin was the first post-WWII ski area to open in Colorado and is the oldest ski area in Summit County. A-Basin has grown significantly over the decades, from a single rope tow to nine lifts. Every leader of A-Basin has very intentionally upheld the founders' original joie de vivre and love for these mountains; as well as the laid-back environment, welcoming community, and wild terrain that have defined A-Basin since the beginning.

The Attraction

Opened in summer 2020, Arapahoe Basin's aerial adventure park is nestled against the scenic backdrop of the Continental Divide and naturally integrated in an old-growth forest of Engelmann spruce and subalpine fir.

Participants traverse, swing, balance, and zip through the forest on 70 challenge elements across 56 trees.

The main park courses are laid out by degree of difficulty with two introductory yellow, two novice green, and one intermediate blue course. Courses include ladders and balancing features, traveling between the trees above the forest floor. Participants also enjoy ziplines, jumps, and unique features like an old ski lift chair.

Target Audience

The aerial adventure park is an exciting outing for families and friends ages 4 and up. The aerial adventure park draws visitors from the local Colorado area and around the world, most of whom have never done an aerial adventure course before.

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Case Study

LockD Clips



Why LockD Clips?

The adventure park originally opened with Bornack SSBs but quickly upgraded to the LockD Clips Smart Belay System when it was launched in Spring 2021.

It was important that the participants remained locked as they go through the course but also have the opportunity to interact and engage with the equipment.

"They're lightweight and easy to use," shares Taylor Ratcliff, Aerial Adventure Park Manager.

Says Peggy, "They work well for a seven year-old to a seventy-seven year-old."

No changes were needed to transition to LockD Clips and the low maintenance needs were also a key selling point.

"If you are considering LockD Clips for your adventure park," says Peggy, "I would recommend them for sure!"



"They're key to the experience... the learning curve is very short."

- Peggy Hiller, Vice President of Operations.

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