



# YURTS of UTAH

## YURT 6 MILL HOLLOW YURT

**Location:** Uinta Mountains

**Length:** 6 miles one-way

**Elevation:** Nobletts trailhead/parking area: 7500'; Yurt: 8950'

**Size:** 24' diameter; sleeps 8 on 4 bunk beds

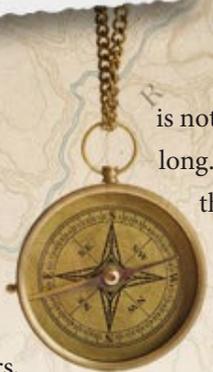
**Amenities:** Wood stove, fire wood, picnic tables, stacking lawn chairs, propane lantern, chemical toilet, propane stove and one large pot for cooking. A trap door in the yurt floor allows you to access firewood stored below.

**Introduction:** The Mill Hollow yurt is one of the newest yurts in Utah. As such, it is in great shape and looks refreshingly clean. It differs from other yurts around the state in that it is not a lone structure in the middle of the backcountry, instead it sits amidst the cabins of the Mill Hollow summer education camp. The Mill Hollow Outdoor Education Center established this yurt as a way to earn additional money for their summer kids-camp programs. The yurt

is not as well known as some of the others because it has not been around as long. However, you may want to reserve space early as weekends in January through March tend to fill quickly.

The trail to the yurt begins at Nobletts trailhead, which is on SR35 at the point where it is closed for winter. This backcountry starting point can be swarmed with snowmobiles, and the route to the yurt can be a snowmobile freeway, but if you're looking for a yurt with snowmobile access, this is your baby. The south Fork of the Provo River runs near the road/trail for the first 3.5 miles. Frozen crystal snow banks along with the gurgle of the unfrozen water breaking through the ice makes the jaunt more scenic and pleasant.

A variety of terrain surrounds the yurt providing nice snowshoeing as well as some fun open slopes for skiing. The trek to the yurt covers the first 4 miles on a snow-packed summer road so even cross-country skiers can enjoy the route.



**Season:** Available for year-round use and can be reached June – September by vehicle for hiking or bicycling on any of the 5 improved nature trails that surround the center. If you visit during the week in the summer months you will be sharing the center with 200+ elementary students, teachers and staff, but the students go home on the weekends. During winter and early spring you can access the yurt by snowmobile, skis or snowshoes.

**Reservations:**

Make reservations online at <http://ymcautah.org/mill-hollow/rental> or call 801.839.3379.

For more information visit: <http://ymcautah.org/mill-hollow/rental>.

**Fee:** \$100 per night + a refundable \$200 security deposit. Fees are subject to change, please call the reservation office for updated information.

**Other:** Two dogs total per group are allowed during winter months only.

