COVID-19 Protocols and Vaccination Requirements at the Grand Summit at Sunday River

GRC continues to monitor venue and state-wide practices, updating our venue pages on a weekly basis. We are currently working with our venues to implement social distancing practices at our conferences in 2022 as needed.

While the policies listed here reflect those of the venue, GRC attendees are expected to follow guidelines as outlined by GRC in their registration email. GRC policies regarding masking and vaccination status will supersede those put in place by the venue when utilizing GRC event spaces.

Additional Health and Safety Practices in Place at the Grand Summit at Sunday River

- Current Sunday River Resort-Wide Policies:
  - All staff will undergo health screenings prior to every shift.
  - Sneeze guards will be placed at all points-of-sale locations.
  - Hand Sanitizer will be available throughout the resort and enhanced cleaning practices will be implemented.
  - All guests are encouraged regardless of vaccination status to wear a mask while indoors.
  - Click Here for all resort details.

Maine’s Current Regulations and Information

- All capacity limits and physical distancing requirements has been lifted in public outdoor settings and public indoor venues.
- CDC is currently recommending people wear face coverings in public indoor settings in Oxford County.
- Information and updates from the Maine Department of Health can be found here.
- Information regarding international travel to the United States can be found here.
- Closest testing facility is Walgreens in Bethel (5.9 miles from Sunday River). Sunday River will not have transportation options available.
  - Through a partnership with the State of Maine, Walgreens is offering Rapid Point of Care testing at this location at no cost to qualifying individuals who have symptoms of COVID-19. To be screened for eligibility and to make an appointment, visit https://www.Walgreens.com/COVID19Testing
  - Address: 28 Mayville Rd. Bethel, 04217-4400
ARRIVAL AND ACCOMMODATIONS

Logan Airport (BOS): Located 188 miles south of Newry
Portland Jetport (PWM): Located 79 miles south of Newry
GRC Chartered Bus: You can reserve a spot on the bus through your MyGRC account and find details about the bus [here](#) and [click here](#) to see what Concord Coach is doing to protect you.

Rental car: [Click here](#) for GRC’s discounted rates with Enterprise or National Rental Car. Enterprise has a [Clean Car Pledge](#) to combat the spread of COVID-19.

GRC Check-in is from 2:00 pm – 8:00 pm at the front desk. From there, you may proceed to the GRC Office to pick up your name badge.
- If you arrive after the GRC Office is closed, please pick up your badge the next morning starting at 8:00am.
- GRS check-in is from 2:00pm—5:00pm on Saturday

The GRC office is located in the Grafton Room.

ACCOMMODATIONS AND HOTEL AMENITIES

Conferees stay in various room types ranging from standard rooms with two queen beds, studio deluxe rooms, and studio superior rooms.
- Air-conditioning
- Non-smoking
- Private Bathrooms
- Kitchenette in deluxe and superior rooms
- Complimentary Wi-Fi throughout the hotel
- Coffee / tea in room
- Hairdryer

Sunday River’s Commitment to You
- All staff will undergo a health screening prior to their shift.
- Sneeze guards at all point-of-sale locations.
- Hand Sanitizer available throughout resort.
- Enhanced cleaning practices across the venue.

Amenities:
- Pool
- Fitness center
- On-site parking
- Hiking and golfing
- Lift rides, zip lining, rock wall, mountain bike rentals
- Spa
- Laundry on-site
- Mobility accessible rooms

PLANNING YOUR VISIT

Dress is Casual

Bring a relaxed wardrobe and comfortable shoes. Please check the weather forecast and plan to bring a raincoat and or light jacket for outside activities.

Activities

Sunday River has set up a page specifically for GRC attendees with information about the activities offered on-site. The link will be coming soon!

The venue offers child-care for children ages 6 weeks to 6 years. More information [here](#).

HEALTH & SAFETY

Sunday River has an on-site clinic and is located within 30 minutes of hospital facilities.

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[Click here for Reopening Maine Information](#)

MEALS

All meals are served buffet style in Camp Restaurant. Vegetarian and gluten-free selections are provided at all meals. Kosher meals are available at the venue with advance notice.

SCIENCE AND POSTER SESSIONS

Science Sessions are held in the Grand Ballroom. Poster Sessions are held in the Grand Ballroom. Poster board dimensions are 4 feet x 4 feet.

DEPARTURES

Breakfast is available on Friday morning from 7:30 am to 8:30 am. Check-out is at 10:00 am.