

# COZY GETAWAYS THAT WON'T BREAK THE BANK

## Winter Break and Holiday Memories

Think about those favorite **holiday memories** of cozy gatherings, steaming mugs of hot chocolate, and the beauty of **star filled skies** after a day of outdoor pursuits. Just outside of the **Great Smoky Mountain National Park** are gateway communities -Townsend, Walland, Wears Valley, and Maryville. Book a cabin or rental stay in one of these four communities with the amenities you most love. Visit **MySmokies.com** is a go to for find a cabin getaway.



Road Trip

Breathe

Relax

Refresh



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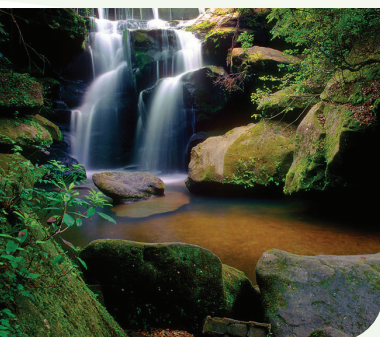
**Check In** Take a late afternoon hike at the **Pistol Creek Wetland Center** near Maryville College in Maryville. Pick up dinner or select a restaurant to enjoy a meal. Some popular local stops are **Hot Rods 50's Diner** and **Foothills Milling**. Head home and rest up for a day of exploring.

**Townsend Historical Trail** - Savor your coffee and lace up your boots. You will be heading to beautiful **Townsend** along the **Tellico River**. This area has a rich history of logging and Appalachia arts. Be sure to stop at other points of interest such are the **Great Smoky Mountains Heritage Center** and the **Little River Railroad and Lumber Company Museum**. Finish the day with a late lunch stop at **The Abbey**, a local family friendly craft beer and cidery dining establishment along the river. Head back to your cabin. Have the group help prepare simple meal (*who doesn't love a home cooked meal!*) followed by an evening of family time replete with popcorn and mugs of cocoa in front of a toasty fire. Read, play games, or simply step outside to **see the night stars**. Use an app to identify constellations.

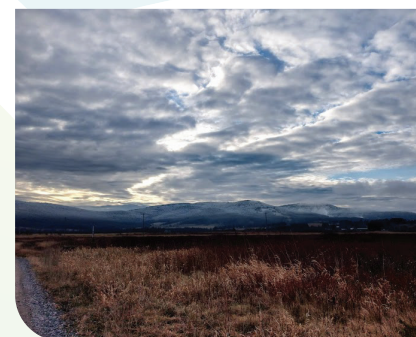


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Wake up for a hearty breakfast, whether prepared by you or at a nearby diner. Check out. Drive back towards Townsend to hike either **Abrams Fall Trail** (*more difficult*) or the **Lynn Prong Cascades Trail** (*easy*). When you go to the Smokies, a waterfall is a must for that family photo.



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