



SOLITUDE'S NEW CAT GEARS UP FOR WINTER.

Solitude's adds a new snowcat for the sixth year in a row.

Solitude's maintains their initiative to provide some of the finest grooming in Utah with addition of a new FHM (Bombardier) snowcat. For each of the last six years, Solitude has purchased at least one new snowcat, bringing the fleet total to seven grooming cats and three winch cats. The new cat will allow grooming additional terrain, while maintaining the quality visitors expect.

Solitude Mountain Resort has repeatedly renewed its commitment to grooming more runs, with attention to detail and quality. Solitude has focused on grooming steeper blue and even some black runs, thus allowing visitors of lower ability access to more advanced terrain. At 38 degrees, Solitude's Challenger run is one of the steepest groomed runs in the state.

Good grooming is much more than surface-deep, and special care is taken to blade, cultivate and till the snow to provide a fresh and consistent surface that will maintain its integrity even after the throngs of skiers and boarders have enjoyed it. Says John Dumas (Director of Slope Maintenance), "At Solitude, we take a 'quality, not quantity' approach to our grooming and slope maintenance. We slow down the process, thereby yielding greater quality and more consistency to our groomed slopes".

Aside from greater attention to detail, Solitude separates itself from other resorts with its commitment to groom each run daily. That is, once a run has been groomed initially for the season, it is groomed every day from that day forward—no exceptions.

Solitude Mountain Resort, a year-round, family-friendly destination, receives more than 500 inches of the Greatest Snow on Earth™ every year and is located just 40 minutes from the Salt Lake City International Airport.

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