

Fact Sheet

Overview:

Built to welcome the world to the 2002 Winter Olympic Games, the 24-story Grand America Hotel overlooks a beautifully landscaped 10-acre footprint in the heart of downtown Salt Lake City. Luxury convention facilities and spacious accommodations make both workdays and downtime unforgettable. The Grand America boasts 775 luxurious rooms, including 396 exquisite suites and 379 premier rooms. The hotel also offers more than 100,000 square feet of meeting and event space, ranging from ornate ballrooms to state-of-the-art meeting rooms. Hotel guests and visitors can choose from a variety of world-class dining options, including Laurel Brasserie and Bar, Bonne Vie French patisserie, The Gibson Lounge and the Lobby Lounge, in addition to afternoon High Tea service. Additional amenities include an elegant Forbes Five Star Grand Spa, Mediterranean-inspired indoor and outdoor pools, an extensive fitness center, a full beauty salon, JouJou toy boutique and other upscale retail shops.

Location: 555 S Main St, Salt Lake City, UT 84111

Reservations: 801.258.6000 or visit https://www.grandamerica.com

Social: <u>The Grand America Hotel</u>

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Services/Amenities: The hotel offers the following services/amenities:

- 396 executive suites and 379 premier rooms
- Elegant architecture, design and décor
- Fountains and beautifully landscaped courtyard gardens
- Exclusive, world-class art collection
- The Grand Spa
- 24/7 fitness center
- Indoor and outdoor pools
- Four on-site dining options Bonne Vie, Laurel Brasserie and Bar,
 Gibson Lounge and Lobby Lounge
- Afternoon High Tea
- Sunday brunch
- In-room dining
- 100,000 square feet of meeting and event space
- Wedding venues and on-site services
- Business center
- "Shops at The Grand" specialty boutiques
- Concierge services
- 24-hour self or valet parking
- Overnight laundry and dry-cleaning service
- Flatscreen TVs with HD content

- Floor-to-ceiling windows with uninterrupted views
- Luxurious down pillows and comforters
- Oversize marble showers and soaking tubs
- Complimentary Wireless Internet

Design:

Designed as a European hotel of American scale, The Grand America Hotel combines the allure of Old-World craftsmanship, charm and hospitality with every modern convenience today's global travelers demand. Exquisite details abound, including Italian glass chandeliers from Murano and Milan, French cherry-wood furnishings, English wood carpeting, African anigre wood and Italian marble, along with priceless antiques and works of art displayed throughout the property.

Guestrooms:

Drawing inspiration from the world's grand hotels, The Grand America Hotel exudes charm and luxury. The property's 396 executive suites and 379 premier rooms feature floor-to-ceiling windows and breathtaking views of Salt Lake City or the beautifully landscaped gardens. Ranging in size from an exceptionally generous 700 square feet to more than 2,000 square feet in the Presidential Suites, the hotel's guest rooms feature spa-style bathrooms with an Italian marble shower and soaking tub, handcrafted cherry wood Richelieu furnishings and rich English wool carpeting. All guest rooms are meticulously decorated with original works of art and thoughtful touches for a sumptuous stay.

Dining:

There are four onsite dining outlets at The Grand America Hotel, including Laurel Brasserie and Bar, Bonne Vie French patisserie, The Gibson Lounge and the Lobby Lounge. The Grand America Hotel also offers afternoon High Tea service and in-room dining.

Laurel Brasserie & Bar is a neighborhood brasserie featuring classic European cuisine with a modern American approach. With a neoclassical design, Laurel's dining rooms showcase sophisticated ambiance with details such as luxurious Venetian crystal glass chandeliers, custom hand-painted murals and a rich, warm color palette. A culinary hotspot, Chef Fernando Soberanis has created robust menus with familiar and satisfying dishes using contemporary techniques and ingredients. For those looking for a more intimate experience or private event, three private dining rooms accommodate parties of up to 110, whether gathering to celebrate a memorable anniversary or a group business luncheon. To further enhance the guest experience, Laurel offers an updated lush outdoor terrace space. Laurel Brasserie & Bar offers breakfast, Sunday brunch, lunch, happy hour, and dinner. Open Daily | Breakfast: 6:30 – 10:30 a.m.; All Day Dining: 11 a.m. – 9 p.m. (10 p.m. Friday – Sunday); Bar: 11 a.m. – 12 a.m.; Sunday Brunch 9:30 a.m. - 1:30 p.m.; Happy Hour: 4 - 6 p.m.

Bonne Vie, located adjacent to Laurel Brasserie & Bar, is a charming French patisserie modeled after the great European confection houses and offers French pastries, artisanal chocolates and macarons, a full coffee and beverage menu, and ice cream.

Open Daily | 6 a.m. - 6 p.m.

The Gibson Lounge is named after the *Gibson Girls*, the pen-and-ink illustrations of artist Charles Dana Gibson completed during the turn of the last century. The chic bar's beverage program is built around classic American cocktails, local draft beers, American wines, bourbons, and more. The menu offers hearty and substantial Gastro Pub favorites like shrimp cocktail, cheeseburger, beef tartare, Caesar salad, and French Onion Soup, with dessert options including house ice creams, vanilla crème brûlée, and chocolate soufflé torte.

Open Daily | 4 p.m. – 12 a.m.

The Lobby Lounge features plush seating, cozy fireplaces and elegant chandeliers with views of the hotel's center courtyard. The sophisticated lounge offers guests a new PLANT + FORWARD dinner menu featuring vegan and vegetarian takes on familiar favorites, including an Impossible Fried Chicken Sandwich, Watermelon Poke, and Oyster Mushroom Calamari.

Open Daily | 5 p.m. - 10 p.m.

Afternoon High Tea, held daily in the Lobby Lounge, is an unforgettable experience steeped in elegance and sweetness. Guests and locals enjoy a wealth of black, green, white, or herbal tea selections served beside elegant tea sandwiches and a sweet selection of fresh handmade finger sandwiches, pastries and French macarons, accompanied by live harp or piano music.

High Tea Served Daily: 12 p.m. - 3:30 p.m.

Spa & Wellness:

The Grand Spa at The Grand America Hotel is the first and only spa in Salt Lake City to earn the prestigious *Forbes Travel Guide* Five-Star rating, receiving the accolade in 2020, 2021 and 2022. The elegant, 20,000-square-foot facility features 18 spa service rooms, two wet treatment rooms with experience showers, massage therapy rooms, men's and women's locker rooms and changing rooms, steam and dry saunas and relaxation lounge areas. Cutting-edge services and innovative treatments help guests achieve a complete state of relaxation, including custom massages, facials, body wraps and couples massages. New treatments include a Sleep Ritual Massage, CBD body treatment to reduce stress, and non-invasive HydraFacial, providing instant results with no downtime. The Grand Spa also offers a salon and retail shop featuring locally made products as well as the hotel's signature products.

Open Daily | Monday – Saturday 8 a.m. – 9 p.m.; Sunday 8 a.m. – 5 p.m.

Fitness Facilities at The Grand America Hotel include a luxury outdoor swimming pool with poolside dining, an indoor lap pool with lounge chairs, and a 24/7 fitness center with state-of-the-art cardio machines, a full array of workout equipment and generous space for stretching and core work. Complimentary yoga classes take place on Saturday mornings. Personal trainers and yoga instructors are available upon request for one-on-one sessions.

Outdoor Pool Open Daily in Spring and Summer | 9 a.m. – 9 p.m. Indoor Pool Open Daily | Monday – Saturday 8 a.m. – 10 p.m.; Sunday 8 a.m. – 7 p.m.

Fitness Center Open Daily | 24-hours

Meetings:

Conveniently located minutes from the Salt Lake City Airport and steps from the TRAX light rail system, The Grand America Hotel features 24 meeting and event venues, boasting more than 100,000 square feet of indoor and outdoor space for up to 3,000 attendees. From the shimmering, hand-cut crystal chandeliers in The Grand Ballroom to the ornately covered ceilings of the private board rooms, the hotel's meeting rooms offer elegant space and detailed amenities. Three ballrooms include the 22,800-square-foot Grand Ballroom with 20-foot ceilings, shimmering custom chandeliers and a theater-quality sound system; the 12,768-square-foot Imperial Ballroom with hand-blown Murano chandeliers and cherry-wood Richelieu furnishings; and the 4,500-square-foot **Grand Salon** with rare Italian Rose Carrera marble and inclusive of a foyer, ballroom and private patio. Nestled in the heart of the hotel, the hotel's **Center Courtyard** boasts 35,000 square feet of lavish gardens with classically inspired water fountains and bronze sculptures for a unique outdoor event setting. Twenty additional boutique-style meeting rooms, some with terraces overlooking the courtyard with mountain views, can host up to 100 attendees for meetings or receptions. The Grand America Hotel offers premier audio/visual, projection and sound systems to oblige the needs of every event. The Grand America Hotel's sister property, Little America, located directly across the street, is also available for additional accommodations and meeting spaces.

Weddings:

Offering expansive Rocky Mountain views, The Grand America is an idyllic destination for weddings and celebrations, with stunning indoor and outdoor event spaces including opulent ballrooms, pre-function foyers and open spaces for up to 3,000 guests. The Grand America Hotel offers custom food and catering options, from elaborately themed evenings to customized specialty menus. The hotel's in-house Floral Department will create the ideal setting for special events, from a single perfect rose to an abundance of brilliant blooms. Guests can stay in the hotel's spacious suites with Italian marble spa-style bathrooms and handcrafted cherry wood Richelieu furnishings and indulge in prewedding pampering at the on-site salon and Grand Spa with treatments ranging from custom massages to facials.

Art Collection:

Gracefully displayed throughout The Grand America Hotel is an exclusive collection of art and fine furnishings acquired from around the world by the Holding family. The collection comprises 17th-century Flemish tapestries and priceless antiques, as well as original paintings and sculptures. The Grand Hotel's concierge can arrange a private tour, which includes viewing a stunning 19th-century Louis XVI gold-leaf mirror with center beveled-edge glass, a Louis XV Aubusson tapestry acquired from a private collector in Normandy, and "Le Thé" by Henri Bouvet, which depicts the painter's family having tea.

Shops & Retail:

The Grand America Hotel offers a variety of upscale retail shops including JouJou children's boutique; The Grand Spa featuring beauty and wellness products; Bonne Vie patisserie for housemade treats; Sunlight Sundries for necessities, newspapers, books, snacks, hotel apparel, and Utah memorabilia; Grand Collection featuring iconic hotel

décor, dishware, gifts, and more; plus, a new men's and women's boutique, Raindrops & Roses.

Sustainability:

The Grand America has implemented a variety of environmental procedures and green initiatives to increase the sustainability of their operations. Currently, the hotel is saving 2.6 million kilowatt-hours of energy a year, thanks to a recently completed lighting project. For more than a decade The Grand America has been partners with Rocky Mountain Power's wattsmart Business Program, which offers technical expertise and cash incentives for improving the energy efficiency of businesses. The partnership has helped the hotel to become approximately 90 percent LED. The hotel's food recycling program diverts food scraps and kitchen food waste to Wasatch Recovery Services, where it's used to create energy that's fed back into the power grid. In 2022, Grand America has diverted 60,000 pounds of food waste from the landfill to Wasatch Recovery Services. In addition, Grand America's cardboard recycling program recycles 8-10 tons per month, and their glass recycling program diverts 1,700 pounds per month. Since January 2020, the hotel's glass recycling efforts have conserved 6.69 metric tons of CO2.

Destination:

A modern city set at the foot of spectacular mountains, Salt Lake City is an ideal destination for all ages with various art exhibits, performance centers, and family-friendly activities. The Grand America Hotel is located near top attractions including the Utah Museum of Contemporary Art, Natural History Museum of Utah, Clark Planetarium, the Capitol Theatre, Utah Symphony, Temple Square, Utah's Hogle Zoo and Liberty Park. Located just west of conventional, Salt Lake City offers four seasons of outdoor adventure – from the towering snow-capped peaks of the Wasatch Mountains to the red rock desert spires of Moab. The Grand America Hotel is less than an hour's drive from nine ski resorts and an ideal home base for nearby snowmobiling, biking, hiking, golfing, rock climbing, fishing, birdwatching and more.

Check-in/Check-out:

3 p.m. / 11 a.m.

Parking:

The Grand America Hotel offers 24-hour on-site parking for hotel guests and guests of the property's dining outlets. Valet parking is \$34 for overnight guests and \$15 for daily visits. Overnight self-parking is \$24 for hotel guests. For shorter visits, the first half-hour is complimentary; 30 minutes to one hour is \$5; 1-2 hours is \$9; 2-3 hours is \$13; and each additional hour is \$1. The daily maximum parking rate is \$30.

Pet Policy:

With the exception of Assistance Animals, The Grand America Hotel does not allow pets in the hotel or guest rooms.

Photos:

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