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GEMINIDS METEOR SHOWER

Late every autumn around December 14th, in the still, silent hours before dawn, dedicated meteor watchers have long kept a vigil for the return of the Geminids. In the cold early morning darkness the sky glimmers with a preview of early spring constellations. This Geminids meteor shower has been building every year since its discovery in 1862 and is regarded as one of the most dependable and impressive of the major annual meteor events. Known for its multicolor shooting stars, the Geminids has a meteor density higher than most others. Scientists believe they burn more slowly, leaving long, lazy trails that last for countable seconds. The meteors come from the tail of Comet "3200 Phaethon", not discovered until 1983. The 5,000' base elevation of the Scottish Lakes High Camp will serve as our observation deck for viewing the meteor shower. This remarkable backcountry retreat offers more than 25 miles of marked ski and snowshoe trails plus spectacular views of the 7,000 and 8,000' peaks of the North Central Cascades. We will stay in beautiful little mountain cabins equipped with wood stove heat, sunlit windows, and sleeping lofts. nearby A wood fired hot tub, sauna, and main lodge offer opportunities for relaxation after a day of exploring. Provided: transit, lodging, 3 breakfasts & 2 dinners. Dates 12/12-15 Cost \$355



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