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**THE SONNENALP RESORT OF VAIL IS  
THE FOURTH BEST RESORT IN THE NATION**

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Vail, CO - Seven Colorado resorts, led by the Sonnenalp Resort of Vail, have been named among the Top 50 United States Resorts by *Conde Nast Traveler Magazine*.

The Sonnenalp was ranked behind The Cloister in Sea Island, Georgia; the Montage Resort & Spa in Laguna Beach, California; and the Lodge at Pebble Beach in Pebble Beach, California.

Over 240,000 surveys were sent out to subscribers who ranked resorts from excellent to poor on specific criteria including rooms, service, food, location, activities and dining.

Other Colorado resorts making the top 50 list included The Broadmoor in Colorado Springs; four Beaver Creek properties and the Hotel Telluride in Telluride.

In related news, 5280 Magazine's "Top of the Mountains" issue published this November, named the Sonnenalp Resort the "Top Mountain Hotel" and Ludwig's restaurant in the Sonnenalp won the "Top Breakfast" category.

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