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## What Might You See Out Your Window at Canyon River Ranch?

Canyon River Ranch is located in the center of the Wild and Scenic Yakima River Canyon. Surrounded by miles of sagebrush flats and basalt rimmed canyons, a variety of wildlife reside in the surrounding area. California Big horn Sheep can often be seen on the cliff wall across from Canyon River Ranch as it is a popular lambing area. We've seen up to 7 lambs born around Easter! With 21 species of raptors, countless songbirds, and desert terrain that lends itself to open sighting areas, the Yakima River Canyon is also one of the best bird viewing areas in Washington.



**Bald Eagle:** This regal bird has been the national emblem of the United States since 1782. Look



**Mallard Duck:** Perhaps the most familiar duck in the Northwest, the Mallard is a large and heavy



**Chukar:** Native to the Middle East and Southern Asia, the chukar was brought as a game bird to

for them soaring in solitude or chasing other birds to steal their food. Once endangered by hunting and pesticides, Bald Eagles have flourished under Federal protection.

bird. Mallards forage by up-ending in shallow water and by grazing on land. Mallard pairs form in the fall and winter, and remain intact through the winter and into spring.

North America, where it has thrived in some arid regions of the West. Chukars travel in coveys and can often be located by the "chuk chuk chuck..." sound from high atop the desert canyons.



### RED'S Upcoming Classes

- Oct 30th [Fly Fishing 101 and 201](#)
- Nov 2nd, 5th [Euro Nymphing Course](#)
- Mon-Thursday's [Drift Boat Rowing Lessons](#)
- Nov 2nd, 4th, 9th [Trout Spey Fishing Course](#)
- Oct 20th [Tributary Streams Course](#)
- Oct 31st [Spey Casting Lessons](#)

### Lodge Availability

It's almost that time of year! Canyon River Lodge will soon be transformed into a festive holiday getaway with a beautiful light display this year!

Our cozy lodge suites offer a full kitchen and living room for the whole family to gather together! It will be the perfect time of year to sit around a fire, soak in our outdoor jacuzzi, or have a game night in the lodge. Book your suite for this holiday season now!



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### Canyon River Grill

The Canyon River Grill has not only gourmet food, but a full wine bar with delicious cocktails! They feature wines, craft beers, ciders and spirits sourced locally and regionally. Ask your server what wines they recommend with your meal, or give them your favorite flavors and see what cocktails the bar comes up with!

Looking for that truly exceptional bottle? View their wine list [here!](#)



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