**Hot Chocolate Meets Haute Cuisine**

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Resort and Residences Vail](http://www.fourseasons.com/vail/), is the Resort's decadent take on hot chocolate, known as “Haute Chocolate.”

Deep mahogany in colour and piping hot, a cup of Haute Chocolate stands in stark contrast to Vail’s vast stretches of cold, white powder. Yet it is equally as memorable. The Haute Chocolate arrives in a traditional French hot chocolate pot, presented on a silver tray. Made with Valrhona chocolate and steamed milk, it is churned tableside, allowing you to enjoy the drink at its richest and thickest.

Watch as it’s poured into a cup topped with a dark chocolate lattice and homemade marshmallow. As it all melts, the smooth and elastic texture of the Haute Chocolate becomes creamier. Intensify the experience further with a spoonful or two of chocolate shavings. A snowcap of fresh whipped cream completes the recipe.

Your journey, however, is just beginning, as you breathe in deeply the aromatic delights of the Haute Chocolate. A first sip is followed by contemplation, relaxation and ultimately, pure warmth.

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