What might this trip cost?

We have gotten quotes from three facilities at Sliver Star Mountain Resort (https://www.skisilverstar.com): The Snowbird, the Firelight and the Silver Creek. Each facility has a number of different room configurations available with different amenities. For comparison purposes a somewhat basic double occupancy room would range from 1092 Canadian dollars per person for the 5 night stay in the Snowbird to 692 Canadian dollars per person for 5 nights in the Silver Creek. You can of course spend more if for example you want a private hot tub or a larger room. The price does not include breakfast, but the price quoted is in Canadian dollars. The current exchange rate is 78 US dollars for 100 Canadian dollars, so to determine the cost of a stay in US dollars simply multiply the quoted price by .78. For example, the Snowbird rate for 5 nights would by 1092 x .78 or $853.00.

There is also the possibility of renting a house in Silver Star through VRBO. Currently, 3-bedroom houses that will sleep 6 are available for around $1900 US dollars and that is for the full 5-night stay. That would mean that the 5-night stay would only cost each person about $320.00. However, I expect that these houses will go quickly.

Food. The Silver Star Resort operates 4 or 5 restaurants and there are 3 or 4 privately owned restaurants in the village. No prices are available at this time.

Transportation. As with room choices there are a number of flights to Kelowna International Airport in British Columbia. Some round-trip flights from ABQ to Kelowna run from around $600 to a little over $1000 with travel times from 12 to 15 hours one way with 2 stops. However, currently it is possible to fly from Albuquerque to Vancouver and then to Kelowna for $588.00 round trip with a travel time of only 10 ½ hours, leaving ABQ at 7:09 a.m. and getting into Kelowna at 4:25 p.m. Of course, that schedule and fare may change at any time. There is also then a one-hour shuttle trip from the airport to Silver Star. The shuttle costs $45.00 each way.

There is no shuttle service available between Silver Star X-C ski area and the Sovereign Lake Nordic Center 1.8 miles away, but there is a ski trail.