



Fall Hike Schedule

The National Park Service is presenting a variety of guided hikes and programs throughout November and December. Hikes will occur at different times and locations in Lake Mead National Recreation Area. For more information and reservations call the Alan Bible Visitor Center at 702.293.8990 between the hours of 8:30 a.m. and 4:30 p.m. Reservations are required on all hikes. Please leave dogs at home unless the hike states otherwise.

Sunday, November 2

Historic Railroad Trail

Walk along a nice, flat railroad bed which takes you through five large tunnels. The Railroad was built to transport supplies to Hoover Dam during the 1930's when the dam was under construction. Learn the fascinating history of this cultural landmark. Great views of the lake and old photos are an added bonus on this moderate 3-mile late morning stroll.

Thursday, November 20

Majestic Canyon Loop

Walk up a colorful, winding wash that ends at a dry waterfall. Enjoy spectacular vertical cliffs as you loop back and up an adjacent wash along the base of the River Mountains. A striking view of Lake Mead and wildlife viewing opportunities are always a possibility. This is a moderate 3 ½-mile hike with some rock scrambling.

Saturday, December 6

Holiday Open House

Please join us at the Lake Mead Visitor Center for holiday cookies and hot beverages all day long. A fifteen percent discount on all merchandise in the book and gift store is courtesy of Western National Parks Association. Books, music CD's, puzzles, hats, and more would make great gifts or stocking stuffers! Open 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

Sunday, December 7

Bluffs Trail

Learn about the unique Las Vegas water cycle, riparian wildlife, and natural vegetation as you hike along an elevated bluff overlooking Las Vegas Wash. Birds and other small animal viewing opportunities can be expected. This is a moderate 1 1/2 - mile hike.

Saturday, December 13

Cranes Nest Rapid

Hike down a scenic dry wash and through an increasingly narrow canyon to the Colorado River in Arizona. Enjoy the unique, colorful geology on the drive down to the trailhead. A 4-wheel-drive vehicle is required. Wear sturdy boots for this moderate 5-mile hike.



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Full Moon Hike

Reservations are required; please call 928-754-3272

The silvery glow of the full moon lights the way as we hike at a relaxed pace and enjoy the beauty of the night. This moderate one-mile hike on Fisherman's Trail will provide a unique opportunity for discovering a desert night.

Hikes will begin at 8:00 p.m. Arizona time.

Meet at the Katherine Landing
Ranger Station.

Sunday, September 14

Sunday, October 12

Saturday, November 15

Saturday, December 13

Katherine Mine Hike

Reservations are required; please call 928-754-3272

Amidst stifling heat, rattlesnakes, and the lure of cheap whiskey and bar-room flings, men searched for gold in the depths of the Katherine Mine. Enjoy a leisurely hike to the mine to explore the ecology of the area and the history of this famous mine. This moderate half-mile hike is up a desert wash.

Hikes will begin at 8 p.m. Arizona time.

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September

Tuesday, September 9, 16, 23, 30

Thursday, September 11, 18, 25

October

Tuesday, October 7, 14, 21, 28

Thursday, October 2, 9, 16, 23, 30

November

Tuesday, November 4, 18, 25,

Thursday, November 6, 13, 20

December

Tuesday, December 2, 9, 16

Thursday, December 4, 11, 18