

Grant Grove Ranger Programs

September 2-September 9, 2013

National Park Service
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Sequoia and Kings Canyon
National Parks



Monday, September 2nd

10:00 AM Grant Tree Walk
10:30 AM Meadow Meander
1:30-3:00 PM Ranger in the Grove

Tuesday, September 3rd

10:00 AM Grant Tree Walk

Wednesday, September 4th

10:00 AM Grant Tree Walk
1:30-3:00 PM Ranger in the Grove

Thursday, September 5th

10:00 AM Grant Tree Walk
1:30-3:00 PM Ranger in the Grove
3:00 PM California Grizzlies
7:00 PM Evening Program: Film Night
Ken Burns' - America's Best Idea

Friday, September 6th

10:00 AM Grant Tree Walk
1:30-3:00 PM Ranger in the Grove
7:00 PM Evening Program:
A Visit with John Muir

Saturday, September 7th

10:00 AM Grant Tree Walk
1:30-3:00 PM Ranger in the Grove
7:00 PM Evening Program: Film Night
Ken Burns' - America's Best Idea

Sunday, September 8th

10:00 AM Grant Tree Walk
1:00-3:00 PM Ranger in the Grove
2:00 PM Big Tree Talk

Monday, September 9th

10:00 AM Big Tree Talk
1:00-3:00 PM Ranger in the Grove

Program Descriptions

Grant Tree Walk: Learn about the giant sequoias and why people have been coming to Grant Grove for centuries. Meet a ranger in the Grant Tree parking lot. This easy walk through the sequoia grove is suitable for all ages and fitness levels. *1 hour, ½ mile.* ♿

Meadow Meander: Yes, the trees are the most famous inhabitants of these parks, but the places where the trees don't grow are also important. Find out why in this easy stroll around the meadow. Meet in front of the visitor center. *1 hour. ½ mile walk.*

California Grizzlies: The grizzly bear disappeared from California in 1922, when the last one was shot right here in Tulare County. Meet Ranger Frank at the Kings Canyon Visitor Center to learn more about the history of this magnificent bear. *30 minutes.* ♿

Evening Program: Join a ranger at the Sunset Amphitheater for a talk, slide show, or film about the people, places and things that make Kings Canyon National Park so special. *Come 15 minutes early if turning in a completed Junior Ranger booklet. 1 hour.* ♿

Big Tree Talk: Meet a ranger at the base of the General Grant Tree to learn what it takes to be one of the largest trees on earth. *20 minutes.* ♿

Ranger in the Grove: How big? How old? What happens in a fire? Look for a ranger or volunteer naturalist along the Grant Tree Trail to have your giant sequoia questions answered. *Informal, ongoing.* ♿

Programs may change due to weather or unforeseen events. Check the visitor center for the most up-to-date schedule of events.