

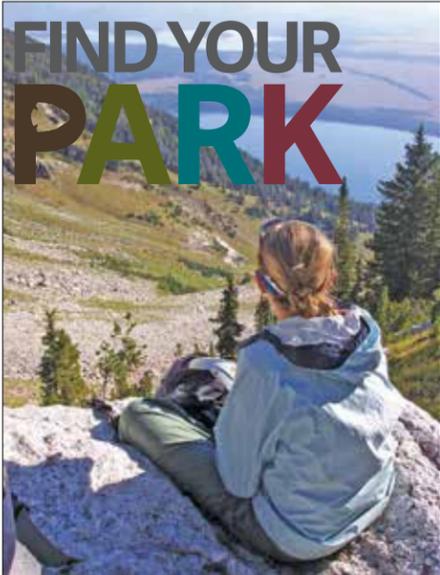
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Celebrate Parks!

2016

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CENTENNIAL

Join the celebration! The National Park Service turns 100 on August 25, 2016, and everyone can participate. The centennial will kick off a second century of stewardship for America's national parks—engaging communities through recreation, conservation, and historic preservation programs.

Look for centennial events throughout the summer offered by the park, its partners and the local community. July 8–9, the Grand Valley State University *New Music Ensemble* will perform original works

inspired by Grand Teton National Park. During Founders Week (August 20–28), we will preempt regularly-scheduled ranger programs to offer a series of special programs focusing on the past, present and future of this place. Highlights will include ranger talks and hikes, guest speakers and musical events. On August 25, enjoy a performance: *University of the Wilderness: A Narrative Concert about the Life and Writings of John Muir*.

As you travel through Grand Teton National Park, reflect on what national parks mean to you. Do you value the vistas, wildlife, history, culture, solitude? What are your hopes for the next century of national parks? Join the discussion and continue to share your thoughts and pictures on social media: #FindYourPark and #NPS100.



Prepare for disruptions at South Jenny Lake!

The Jenny Lake Renewal project is well underway as part of the 2016 National Park Service centennial celebration. The project, in its third of four major construction seasons, will greatly enhance the visitor experience in the Jenny Lake area. See page 13 for more information.

WHAT TO EXPECT

- **Trails**—The spur trail to the base of Hidden Falls is closed this summer for rehabilitation. Most other trails on the west side of Jenny Lake are open.
- **Parking**—extremely limited this summer. Visit before 9 am or after 3 pm for the best chance to find parking. There will be very limited bus, RV and trailer parking. Be patient.
- **Restrooms**—vault toilets and portable toilets are available during construction; no flush toilets.

- **Visitor Center**—temporary facility provides trip planning, trail information, recommended hikes, weather and camping updates. Rangers are available to answer questions and offer ranger-led programs. Grand Teton Association sells gifts, books and postcards.
- **Exum Mountain Guides**—access via the Lupine Meadows Road. Turn right after crossing the Cottonwood Creek bridge and follow the signs.
- **Multi-use Pathway**—unaffected by construction. Due to limited parking, please begin your outing at another place.
- **Closed Areas**—respect these signed area, they are for your safety.
- **Other Facilities**—will experience minimum impacts due to construction:
 - Ranger Station
 - General Store
 - Jenny Lake Boating
 - Jenny Lake Campground

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A CAMPAIGN for
JENNY LAKE



International Visitors



- Des renseignements en Français sont disponibles aux centres des visiteurs dans le parc.
- Sie können Informationen auf Deutsch in den Besucherzentren bekommen.
- Se puede conseguir información en Español en el Centro del Visitante.
- 国立公園案内の日本語版が各公園内のビジターセンターでご利用できます
- 您可以在游客中心免费领取中文版《大提顿国家公园游览指南》

Accessibility information available at visitor centers and on the Grand Teton website: www.nps.gov/grandteton.



Contact Information

Website www.nps.gov/grandteton
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EMERGENCY 911
Visitor Information 307-739-3300
Road Construction Hotline 307-739-3614
Backcountry & River Information 307-739-3602
Climbing Information 307-739-3604
Camping Information 307-739-3603
TTY/TDD Emergency Calls Only (Park Dispatch) 307-739-3301

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National Park Service Director Horace Albright speaks at the 1929 Grand Teton National Park designation ceremony.

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EXPERIENCE YOUR AMERICA™

The National Park Service cares for the special places saved by the American people so that all may experience our heritage.

FEW LANDSCAPES IN THE WORLD are as striking and memorable as that of Grand Teton National Park. Rising abruptly from the valley floor, the Tetons offer a testament to the power and complexity of nature. The mountains, valleys, lakes, rivers and skies are home to diverse and abundant plants and animals.

People have been living in the shadow of the Teton Range for more than 11,000 years. The human history of this area is extensive, beginning with prehistoric American Indians, to the early Euro-American explorers, and the more recent frontier

settlers. Today, more than 300 historic structures remain in the park.

This spectacular mountain range and the desire to protect it resulted in the establishment of Grand Teton National Park in 1929. Through the vision and generous philanthropy of John D. Rockefeller, Jr., additional lands were added, creating the present day park in 1950.

Grand Teton National Park is truly a special and unique place. With thoughtful use and careful management, it can remain so for generations to come. As with other sites

in the National Park System, Grand Teton preserves a piece of the natural and cultural heritage of America for the benefit and enjoyment of future generations.

While you are here, take a moment to put your cares aside, stroll through a sagebrush meadow, hike a park trail, sit on a quiet lakeshore, and lose yourself to the power of this place.

We hope you will be refreshed and restored during your visit, and stay connected to this magnificent landscape long after you have returned home.



Park Entrance Fees

Entry Grand Teton: 7 days

\$30 per vehicle; \$25 per motorcycle; \$15 per person for single hiker or bicyclist.

Entry Grand Teton & Yellowstone: 7 days

\$50 per vehicle; \$40 per motorcycle; \$20 per person for single hiker or bicyclist.

Annual Grand Teton: \$60

Allows entrance to Grand Teton National Park for 12 months from date of purchase.

Interagency Annual Pass: \$80

Covers entrance and standard amenity recreation fees on public lands managed by four Department of the Interior agencies—the National Park Service, Fish and Wildlife Service, Bureau of Land Management, and the Bureau of Reclamation, and by the Department of Agriculture's U.S. Forest Service. The interagency pass is good at vehicle-based entry sites for all occupants in a single, non-commercial vehicle.

Military Annual Pass: Free

For active duty military personnel and dependents with proper identification (CAC Card or DD Form 1173). Includes the same benefits as the Interagency Annual Pass, non-transferable.

Interagency Senior Lifetime Pass: \$10

A lifetime pass for U.S. citizens 62 or older, offering entrance to all areas covered under the Interagency Annual Pass, non-transferable.

Interagency Access Lifetime Pass: Free

A lifetime pass for citizens with permanent disabilities, offering entrance to all areas covered under the Interagency Annual Pass, non-transferable.

Every Kid in a Park, 4th Grade Pass: Free

Free to U.S. 4th grade students beginning September 1st the year the student begins 4th grade. Covers entrance fees. Qualifying students must complete an online activity and print off a paper voucher to exchange for the pass. Visit: everykidinapark.gov for more information.



Visitor Centers

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Craig Thomas Discovery & Visitor Center

Located in Moose, 1/2 mile west of Moose Junction.

Open Daily. 307-739-3399

May 1–June 7	8 am–5 pm
June 8–Sept. 18	8 am–7 pm
Sept. 19–Oct. 31	8 am–5 pm

Jenny Lake Visitor Center

Located 8 miles north of Moose Junction on the Teton Park Road.

Open Daily. 307-739-3392

May 27–June 7	8 am–5 pm
June 8–Sept. 5	8 am–7 pm
Sept. 6–Sept. 25	8 am–5 pm

Jenny Lake Ranger Station

Located 8 miles north of Moose Junction on the Teton Park Road.

Open Daily. 307-739-3343

June 4–Sept. 4	8 am–5 pm
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Colter Bay Visitor Center

Located 1 mile west of Colter Bay Junction off Highway 89/191/287.

Open Daily. 307-739-3594

May 7–June 7	8 am–5 pm
June 8–Sept. 5	8 am–7 pm
Sept. 6–Oct. 10	8 am–5 pm

Flagg Ranch Information Station

Located 16 miles north of Colter Bay Junction on Highway 89/191/287.

Open Daily, may be closed for lunch. 307-543-2372

June 6–Sept. 5	9 am–4 pm (may be closed for lunch)
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Laurance S. Rockefeller Preserve Center

Located 4 miles south of Moose on the Moose-Wilson Road. Open Daily. 307-739-3654

June 4–Sept. 25	9 am–5 pm
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Jackson Hole/Greater Yellowstone Visitor Center

Located in Jackson at 532 N. Cache, visitor information for the greater Jackson Hole area. Open Daily.

Go Digital

Grand Teton National Park App

Grand Teton National Park is proud to announce the release of their new app in June. Locate your favorite trailhead, learn about a historic district, find a place to eat, or take a guided tour as you explore this iconic park.



Wireless Internet

Free wireless internet is available at the Craig Thomas Discovery and Visitor Center in Moose.

Grand Teton Association App

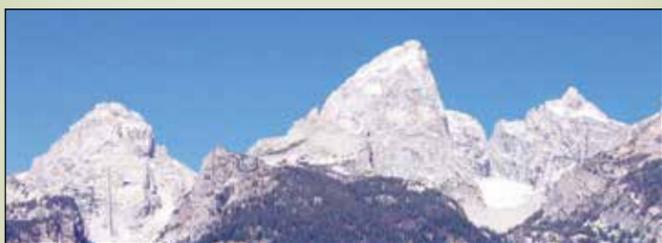
The Grand Teton Association app includes essential information for trip planning, or during your visit.



TravelStorysGPS App

The Grand Teton National Park Foundation app shares engaging audio stories about the history, geology, wildlife and activities.

eClimb Grand Teton



Experience a sense of adventure climbing the Grand Teton from anywhere. Learn about the history, environment, and risks of this journey: www.nps.gov/features/grte/grandteton/eClimb.html

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www.youtube.com/user/GrandTetonNP1

Safe Wildlife Viewing

SAFE WILDLIFE VIEWING is everyone's responsibility. Whether you visit the park on vacation or live in the area—seeing wildlife in their own environment is thrilling, and approaching or feeding them is potentially dangerous.

Viewing wildlife draws many to this beautiful place seeking out the smallest calliope hummingbird or the largest grizzly bear. We share a responsibility to protect the park's animals and ourselves.

Keep the road clear at all times, even when you are watching wildlife. Use pullouts or pull completely off the roadway to the right of the white line. Stopping a vehicle, standing or walking in the road is dangerous to all—drivers, pedestrians and animals.

Always maintain a distance of at least 100 yards from bears and wolves, and 25 yards from other wildlife. Never position yourself between an adult and its offspring. Females with young are especially defensive. Let wildlife thrive undisturbed. If your actions cause an animal to flee, you are too close.

It is illegal to feed any wildlife in the park including birds, ground squirrels, bears or foxes. Feeding wildlife

MOOSE-WILSON CORRIDOR

Grand Teton National Park is planning for the future of the Moose-Wilson corridor. This 10,300 acre corridor is in the park's southwest corner and features a remarkable variety of natural communities, cultural and wilderness resources.

The Moose-Wilson Road bisects the corridor and is the primary access to several park destinations, including Death Canyon and Granite Canyon trailheads, Laurance S. Rockefeller Preserve, White Grass Ranch and Murie Ranch historic districts. Within a wildlife-migration corridor, the Moose-Wilson Road also provides outstanding wildlife viewing opportunities for a number of iconic mammal and bird species.

Developing a comprehensive management plan for the Moose-Wilson corridor is critical to ensure the protection of key resources, values, and your experience. Follow the planning process by visiting: parkplanning.nps.gov/MooseWilson, or discover the corridor through an interactive "eXperience" online field trip by visiting: www.nps.gov/features/grte/moosewilson/eTour.html. The final Environmental Impact Statement is scheduled for release in late summer 2016. Stay tuned.



makes them dependent on people and often results in poor nutrition. Your food is not healthy for them. Red foxes have become common in the park—do not approach or feed them! The fox may bite you and expose you to rabies.

Please follow all food storage regulations. Allowing bears to get human food even once often results in aggressive behavior. An aggressive bear is a threat to human safety and must be relocated or killed.

We hope you enjoy your time here—watching wildlife, hiking or relaxing—and that you remain connected to this place long after you return home.



Campgrounds



All campgrounds are operated by park concessioners.

CAMPGROUNDS

All campgrounds provide modern comfort stations. Read individual campground descriptions for cost, restrictions, electric and full hookup availability. Costs subject to change. A utility fee may apply. Discounts available for Senior and Access pass holders with prices in parentheses.

The maximum length of stay is seven days per person at Jenny Lake and 14 days at all other campgrounds—no more than 30 days in the park per year (14 days at Jenny Lake). The campgrounds operate on a first-come, first-

served basis. Reservations are accepted for group camping and the RV campgrounds.

For campground status, contact entrance stations or visitor centers. Additional camping facilities are available in nearby national forests and other adjacent areas. Camping is not permitted within the park along roadsides, at overlooks or in parking areas. Doubling up in campsites is not permitted and there are no overflow facilities.

Along the Grassy Lake Road, there are 20 campsites with vault toilets, bear-resistant food storage lockers but no potable water. These sites are free of charge and available

first-come, first-served beginning June 1st.

GROUP CAMPING

Advanced reservations are required for group camping at Colter Bay and Gros Ventre campgrounds. The sites range in capacity from 10 to 100 people. Call the Grand Teton Lodge Company at 1-800-628-9988 or 307-543-3100 for reservations.

PUBLIC SHOWERS and LAUNDROMAT

Public showers and laundromat facilities are located at Colter Bay Village and Signal Mountain Campground.

RECYCLING CENTERS

Park concessioners Grand Teton Lodge Company and Signal Mountain Lodge along with Grand Teton National Park collectively recycle more than 215 tons of material annually. When you stay in a park campground, please use the recycling containers to help keep Grand Teton National Park clean and pleasant for other campers and conserve resources.



REDUCE USE OF DISPOSABLE PLASTIC BOTTLES

Concessioners have joined the park by selling reusable water bottles. Save money and reduce waste by refilling your bottle.

Colter Bay Campground*^

335 individual & 11 group sites
 • \$25 no hookups (\$13)**
 • \$51 electric hookups (\$39)
 • \$11 per hiker/biker (\$6)
 Open: May 26–Oct. 2
 1-800-628-9988
 Filling Time: evening

Colter Bay Tent Village Park

66 tent cabins
 • \$71.25 per night
 Open: May 27–Sept. 5
 1-800-628-9988
 Filling Time: call for reservations

Colter Bay RV Park*^

112 RV sites, full hookups
 • \$59 back-in site (\$47)**
 • \$69 pull-through site (\$57)
 Open: May 12–Oct. 9
 1-800-628-9988
 Filling Time: call for reservations

Gros Ventre Campground*^

300 individual & 5 group sites
 • \$25 no hookups (\$13)**
 • \$51 electric hookups (\$39)
 Open: May 6–Oct. 16
 1-800-628-9988
 Filling Time: sometimes fills

* dump station available
 **Senior/Access rates in parentheses
 ^Utility fee included

Headwaters Campground*^

97 RV and 34 tent sites
 • \$71 RVs (\$53.50)**
 • \$36 tents (\$18.50)
 Open: May 20–Oct. 2 RV Park
 1-800-443-2311
 Filling Time: call for reservations

Jenny Lake Campground^ (tents only)

49 individual sites, 10 walk-in sites
 • \$25 per night (\$13)**
 • \$11 per hiker/biker (\$6)
 Open: May 6–Oct. 2
 1-800-628-9988
 Filling Time: early morning

Lizard Creek Campground

60 individual sites
 • \$24 per night (\$12)**
 • \$10 per hiker/biker
 Open: June 10–Sept. 5
 1-800-672-6012
 Filling Time: afternoon
 30 foot vehicle max length

Signal Mountain Campground*

81 individual sites
 • \$24 no hookups (\$12)**
 • \$47 electric hookups (\$35)
 • \$59 full hookups (\$47)
 • \$10 per hiker/biker
 Open: May 6–Oct. 16
 1-800-672-6012
 Filling Time: late morning
 30 foot vehicle max length

Safety & Regulations

FIREARMS

Wyoming state regulations apply. Carrying or possessing firearms is prohibited in buildings where notice is posted. Firearms may not be discharged in a national park, except by permitted individuals during legal hunting seasons.

FIREWORKS

Fireworks and other pyrotechnic devices are prohibited at all times.

UNMANNED AIRCRAFT (DRONES)

Launching, landing or operating an unmanned aircraft, such as a drone, within Grand Teton National Park is prohibited.

CAMPFIRES

Campfires are allowed at designated campgrounds and picnic areas within metal fire grates, unless fire restrictions are in effect. A permit may be obtained for campfires below the high water line of Jackson Lake at the Colter Bay Visitor Center. Fires are prohibited in other areas.

WILDLIFE

Maintain a distance of at least 100 yards from bears and wolves and 25 yards from all other wildlife. Large animals are quick, powerful, unpredictable and may injure you. Avoid encounters with wildlife to help maintain their natural fear of humans. Do not feed any animals including birds, squirrels and foxes. They may become unhealthy, bite you and expose you to rabies.

PLANTS & OTHER RESOURCES

Leave items in their natural setting for others to enjoy. Picking wildflowers or collecting items such as antlers is prohibited.

PETS

Pets must be restrained on a leash (6 feet or less) at all times and must stay within 30 feet of roadways. Pets are not allowed in visitor centers, on ranger-led activities, on the multi-use pathway, on park trails or in the backcountry. Pets are ONLY allowed in boats on Jackson Lake—no other waterways. Kennels are available in the area. Properly dispose of pet feces. Ask at a visitor center where to exercise your pet.

BIKING

Bicycles are permitted on public

roadways, the multi-use pathway and on the Colter Bay Marina breakwater. Ride single-file on the right side of the road and wear a helmet. Riding bicycles or other wheeled vehicles in the backcountry is prohibited. **Roadway shoulders are narrow—use caution.**

MULTI-USE PATHWAY

Only use non-motorized forms of transportation on the multi-use pathway. Persons with physical disabilities may use battery-operated transportation. Do not access the pathway from dusk to dawn for your safety and wildlife's safety. Please do not walk your dog on the pathway. Guide dogs—used for the sole purpose of aiding a person with a physical disability—may travel on the pathway.

AQUATIC INVASIVE SPECIES (AIS)

Clean, Drain, Dry! Help protect park waterways and native fish from the spread of exotic species. Inspect, clean and dry all equipment including boats, boots and waders before entering a new body of water. Never empty containers of bait, fish, plants or animals into park waters. Wyoming state law requires boaters to purchase an AIS decal and have vessels inspected prior to launch. See below for fees.

REQUIRED BOAT PERMITS

Grand Teton Park Permit:

- Motorized craft \$40
- Non-motorized craft \$10

Purchase at Craig Thomas (Moose), Jenny Lake or Colter Bay visitor centers.

Wyoming Aquatic Invasive Species:

- Motorized craft WY resident \$10
- Motorized craft non-resident \$30
- Non-motorized, WY resident \$5
- Non-motorized, non-resident \$15

Purchase at Snake River Anglers (Dornans) and Colter Bay Marina.

PERSONAL FLOTATION DEVICES

All vessels must carry a USCG approved personal flotation device (PFD) of the appropriate size for each person on board including stand up paddle boards. PFDs must be accessible and in good working condition. PFDs should be worn while boating. All passengers under 13 years of age must wear a PFD whenever a vessel is underway or be within an enclosed cabin.

BOATING

Motorboats are permitted on Jenny (10 horsepower maximum) and Jackson lakes. Human-powered vessels are permitted on Jackson, Jenny, Phelps, Emma Matilda, Two Ocean, Taggart, Bradley, Bearpaw, Leigh and String lakes. Sailboats, water skis and windsurfers are allowed only on Jackson Lake. Personal watercraft are prohibited in the park. All boats entering WY must be inspected prior to launch. Information: wgfd.wyo.gov/wtest/fishing-1001290.aspx.

FLOATING THE SNAKE RIVER

Only human-powered vessels are allowed on the Snake River within the park and parkway. A permit is required, see "Boat Permits" section. The Snake River has constantly shifting channels and logjams that may present risks for boaters. Read the launch site bulletin boards for current river conditions. Use caution; accidents are common. **Snake River flows: waterdata.usgs.gov/wy/nwis/current/?type=flow.**

FISHING

A Wyoming fishing license is required and may be purchased at Signal Mountain Lodge front desk, Colter Bay Marina, Colter Bay Village Store, Snake River Anglers at Dornans and the Headwaters Lodge. For more information pick up a Fishing Brochure. Fishing in Yellowstone National Park requires a separate permit.

JACKSON LAKE

Low water level may impact services at marinas. When water levels are low, boats risk striking objects that are normally submerged.

SWIMMING

Swimming is permitted in all lakes. There is a designated swimming beach at Colter Bay with picnic facilities; however, there are no lifeguards. The Snake River is a swift, cold river presenting numerous dangers; swimming is not recommended.

HOT SPRINGS

Soaking in pools where thermal waters originate is prohibited to protect resources. Soaking in adjacent run-off streams is allowed, provided they do not contain an originating water source. These waters may harbor organisms that cause diseases.



HIKING

Hikers should stay on trails. Short-cutting is prohibited and damages fragile vegetation promoting erosion. Know your limitations. For your safety, leave your itinerary with a responsible party. Solo travel is not advised. Permits are not required for day hikes. Trailhead parking areas fill in July and August. During early summer, trails may be snow-covered and require an ice axe for safe travel. Visitor centers sell topographic maps and trail guides.

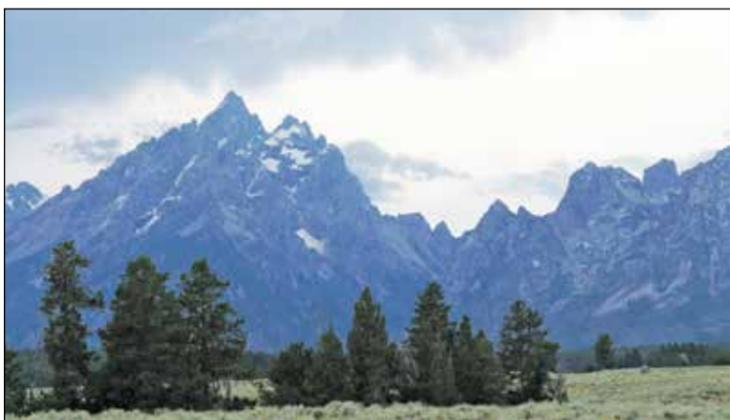
BACKPACKING

Obtain a backcountry permit for all overnight trips in the park or parkway at the Craig Thomas Discovery or Colter Bay visitor centers and the Jenny Lake Ranger Station. One-third of backcountry campsites can be reserved in advance (\$35 fee) from early January until May 15. The fee for a walk-in permit is \$25. **Park approved bear-resistant food storage canisters are required.** Check out a canister for free for use in the park when securing your permit.

CLIMBING

Experience and good judgment are essential for safe climbing and mountain travel. The Jenny Lake Ranger Station is staffed from early June to early September by climbing rangers who can provide up-to-date weather and route conditions. Also check: www.tetonclimbing.blogspot.com. Registration is not required for day climbs. Backcountry permits are required for all overnight climbs. The park DOES NOT check to see that you get safely out of the backcountry. For your safety, leave your itinerary with a responsible party. Solo travel is not advised.

Teton Weather



During June, July and August the average daily temperature in the valley is 77°F. Nighttime temperatures often drop to the lower 40s. High elevation hiking trails, however, are not snow-free until mid-July.

Dress in layers when recreating and prepare for changing weather conditions. Afternoon thunderstorms occur frequently during the summer. Since 1999, there have been 30 injuries and two fatalities in the park due to lightning.

NOAA weather forecasts are available at www.weather.gov/riverton, on NOAA Weather Radio at 162.525 MHz, or by calling the National Weather Service at 1-800-211-1448.

Weather

Moose, WY 1959 - 2015

Month	Average High Temp	Average Low Temp	Average Precipitation	Average Snowfall	Est. Number Thunderstorms
January	26.1°F	0.9°F	2.54 in.	42.7 in.	0
February	31.2°F	3.6°F	1.95 in.	28.5 in.	0
March	39.7°F	12.3°F	1.64 in.	20.5 in.	0
April	49.5°F	22.3°F	1.49 in.	9.2 in.	1
May	61.0°F	31.0°F	1.89 in.	2.3 in.	5
June	70.8°F	37.3°F	1.69 in.	0.1 in.	7
July	80.7°F	41.7°F	1.16 in.	0 in.	10
August	79.3°F	39.8°F	1.29 in.	0 in.	7
September	69.5°F	32.4°F	1.46 in.	0.4 in.	3
October	55.9°F	23.6°F	1.44 in.	4.5 in.	0
November	38.4°F	13.7°F	2.10 in.	22.9 in.	0
December	26.7°F	2.2°F	2.59 in.	38.6 in.	0

When Thunder Roars, Go Indoors!

Follow these guidelines to avoid lightning-related injuries.

- Afternoon storms are common in summer and may develop quickly. Get to a safe place before storms hit.
- Avoid mountain tops, ridges, open areas and lone trees; forested areas with trees of similar height are safer.
- Do not stand on tree roots.
- If boating, get off the water.
- The National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration (NOAA) provides a variety of material and links through their website at: www.lightningsafety.noaa.gov/outdoors.htm. This site contains critical lightning safety and medical information.

Be Bear Aware!

GRIZZLY AND BLACK BEARS may be anywhere in the park at any time. Odors attract bears into campgrounds and picnic areas. Regulations require that all food, garbage, toiletries, pet food, coolers and food containers (empty or full), and cookware (clean or dirty) be stored in a hard-sided vehicle with the windows rolled up or a bear-resistant food locker when not in immediate use, day or night. Failure to follow regulations is a violation of federal law and may result in a citation.

- Never leave your backpack unattended!
- Never allow a bear to get human food.
- If approached by a bear while eating, gather your food and retreat to a safe distance.

Keep a Clean Camp

Improperly stored or unattended food will be confiscated and you may be fined.

- Treat products such as soap, toothpaste, fuel, suntan lotion, candles and bug repellent as you would food.
- Never store food, garbage or toiletries in tents.
- Place all trash in bear-resistant garbage dumpsters.
- Immediately report careless campers and all bear sightings to the campground kiosk or nearest ranger.
- Bears that receive human food often become aggressive and must be killed.

Make Noise in Bear Country

Grizzly and black bears live in the park and parkway. Bears will often move out of the way if they hear people, so make noise. Calling out and clapping your hands at regular intervals help make your presence known. Bear bells are not sufficient. Be particularly careful when you are near streams or have a poor line of sight. The use of portable audio devices is strongly discouraged.

Hike in Groups

If possible, hike in groups of three or more people. Typically, larger groups of people make more noise and appear more formidable to bears. Keep your group together and make sure children are close at all times. Avoid hiking when bears are more active, dawn, dusk and dark. Trail running is strongly discouraged; you may startle a bear.

Never Approach a Bear

All bears are wild and dangerous. Each bear will react differently and their behavior cannot be predicted.

Black bear raiding a picnic at String Lake. Always keep your food within arms' reach. Never leave it unattended. Don't let a "fed bear" become a "dead bear!"



Photo: J. Jewell



If You Encounter a Bear

Do not run! Bears can easily outrun you. Running may cause an otherwise non-aggressive bear to attack.

- If the bear is unaware of you, or if the bear is aware of you but has not acted aggressively, slowly back away.
- Do not drop your pack! This teaches bears how to obtain human food often resulting in the death of a bear.
- Do not climb trees. All black bears, all grizzly cubs and some adult grizzlies can climb trees.

If a Bear Approaches or Charges You

Do not run! Most bear attacks result from surprise encounters when a bear is defending its young or food such as a carcass. Some bears will bluff their way out of a situation by charging, then veering off or stopping abruptly. Bear experts generally recommend standing still until the bear stops and then slowly backing away.

If a bear attacks, lie flat on your stomach. Spread your legs slightly and clasp your hands over the back of your neck. Do not move until you are sure the bear has left the area.

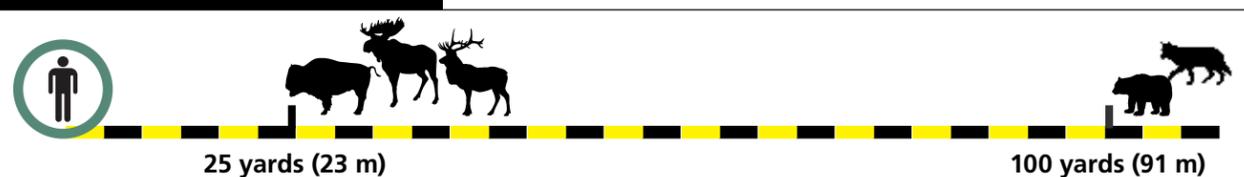
In rare cases, bears have attacked at night or after stalking people. These are predatory attacks and the bear views you as food. If you are attacked at night or if you feel you have been stalked and attacked as prey, fight back. Do whatever it takes to let the bear know you are not easy prey.

If You Carry Bear Spray

- Bear spray has been shown to be extremely effective to deter bear attacks.
- Use only bear spray. Personal self-defense pepper spray is not effective.
- Keep the canister immediately available, not in your pack.
- Follow the manufacturer's instructions, know how to use the spray, and be aware of its limitations, including the expiration date.
- Bear spray is not a repellent! Do not spray it on people, tents or backpacks.
- Under no circumstances should bear spray serve as a substitute for standard safety precautions in bear country.

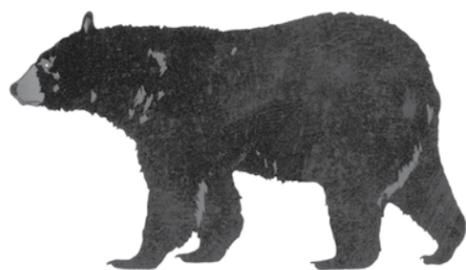
Park visitor centers can demonstrate proper use of bear spray and recycle it. Come visit for more information.

Safe Wildlife Viewing



WHAT KIND OF BEAR DID YOU SEE? Both grizzly bears and black bears live in the park and parkway. Color is misleading – both species can vary from blonde to black.

Black Bear



- Color ranges from blonde to black
- No distinctive shoulder hump
- Face profile is straight from nose to tip of ears
- Ears are tall and pointed
- Front claws are shorter and more curved (1–2" long)

Grizzly Bear



- Color ranges from blonde to black
- Distinctive shoulder hump
- Face profile appears dished in
- Ears are short and rounded
- Front claws are longer and less curved (2–4" long)

Fire's Role in the Park



Fire has been a part of the Greater Yellowstone Ecosystem for thousands of years. Its presence is important for wildlife habitat, nutrient cycling, plant diversity and overall landscape health.

HOW WE MANAGE FIRES

Comprehensive plans guide fire managers. Sometimes crews monitor fires closely but take minimal action so a fire can take its natural course. This allows fire-adapted plants to re-sprout from roots or opens cones for seed dispersal. Fire opens areas so native plants can re-establish. When appropriate, firefighters suppress all or portions of a fire to reduce risk to life and property.

Occasionally firefighters apply fire to the landscape to help maintain a healthy and safe forest. These planned ignitions create a mosaic of diverse habitats.

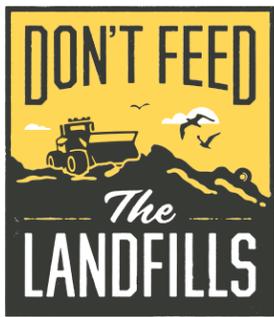
YOUR ROLE IN FIRE PREVENTION

Summer is fire season, and you may see smoke. Help prevent human-caused fires by following these basic safety rules.

- Build campfires only in designated areas, closely monitor them and make sure they are properly extinguished.
- Make sure fire remains are cool to the touch before leaving the campsite. Campfires may be banned during times of high fire danger.
- Smoke safely. Grind out smoking materials, then dispose of them in the proper receptacle. While in vehicles, smokers should use ashtrays.
- Fireworks or other pyrotechnic devices are prohibited at all times in the park.

Report any fires immediately. Call Teton Interagency Fire Dispatch Center at 307-739-3630 or notify a park employee. For local fire information or seasonal fire job postings, visit: www.tetonfires.com. Follow us on Twitter: twitter.com/GrandTetonNPS

Zero-Landfill: 2.5 Million Pounds of Trash!



Each year Grand Teton National Parks sends 2.5 million pounds of trash to a landfill in Idaho over 100 miles away!

In 2014, Subaru of America and the National Park Conservation Association approached Grand Teton National Park about an exciting new program to help parks reduce the amount of solid waste they send to the landfill. Grand Teton, along with Yosemite and Denali, are the three pilot parks in the *National Park Zero-Landfill Project*. Working with our concessioners and partners within and outside the park, the goal of the program is to identify, test, and promote practices that increase recycling and reduce the amount of trash sent to the landfill. For more information, please visit: www.npca.org/articles/808.

With four million visitors enjoying Grand Teton National Park each year, park employees, visitors, concessioners, and partners all need to work together to make a difference. When you visit the park, please think about what you can do to reduce your environmental footprint: bring as many reusable items as possible—water bottles, coffee mugs, and utensils. Choose food and other items with minimal packaging, and please recycle. Recycling bins can be found at various locations throughout the park.

Throughout the country, plastic collection varies. In Teton County and Grand Teton National Park, we ONLY accept plastics #1 & #2 as shown below. Please do not include food containers.



#1 Plastic Bottles (no lids)



#2 Plastic Bottles (no lids)



No Plastic Food Containers

GRAND TETON ZERO-LANDFILL PROJECT

Drink Water from Refilling Stations

- **6,500 FEET**

The average elevation of Grand Teton National Park's valley floor. At high elevation, your body loses water twice as fast as at sea level.

- **SINGLE-USE PLASTIC BOTTLES**

Of the 5,000 single-use plastic bottles entering the waste stream every day in Jackson Hole, only 60 percent are recycled. Every year, people spend over \$100 billion on bottled water world-wide. Using refillable bottles will save you money.

- **100% PURE**

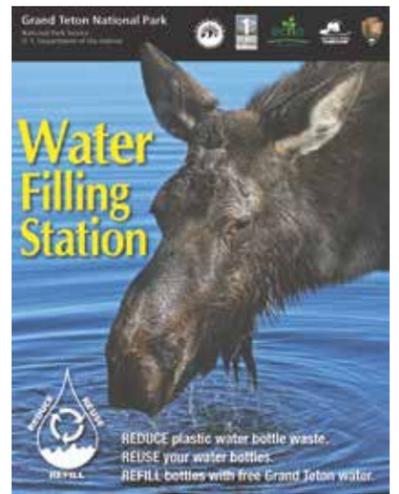
The park has retrofitted many of its drinking fountains to be quick and easy water bottle filling stations. The water from these filling stations is tested regularly and is some of the purest water in the country.

- **CONVENIENCE**

Filling up your reusable water bottle is easier than purchasing a bottle of water. Water bottle filling stations are found at many park visitor centers and destinations.

- **COMMITMENT**

The National Park Service and its partners are committed to preserve and protect Grand Teton National Park for you and for future generations. With four million visitors every year, we need your help! By providing a wide range of reusable water bottles for purchase—including a low-cost, BPA free, recyclable plastic bottle with the “reduce, reuse, refill” logo—and water bottle filling stations, we can help reduce our waste stream.



By Grand Teton National Park Green Team

Where to Look for Wildlife



ALL ANIMALS REQUIRE FOOD, WATER AND SHELTER. Each species also has particular living space or habitat requirements. To learn more about wildlife habitats and behavior, attend ranger-led activities. While observing wildlife, please park in designated turnouts, not on the roadway. Remember animals are adapted to live in this environment. Please do not interfere.

OXBOW BEND

One mile east of Jackson Lake Junction. Slow-moving water provides habitat for fish such as suckers and trout that become food for river otters, ospreys, bald eagles, American white pelicans and common mergansers. Look for beavers and muskrats swimming past. Moose browse on abundant willows at the water's edge. Elk occasionally graze in open aspen groves to the east, while grizzly bears occasionally look for prey.

WILLOW FLATS

North of the Jackson Lake Dam moose browse on willow shrubs. At dawn and dusk, elk graze on grasses growing among willows. Predators such as wolves and grizzly bears pursue elk calves in early summer. Beavers create ponds by damming streams that also harbor muskrats and waterfowl.

Always maintain a distance of at least 100 yards from wolves and bears and 25 yards from all other wildlife. Do not feed or harass wildlife of any kind.

ELK RANCH FLATS

Stop at the Elk Ranch turnout on highway 26/89/191 just north of Cunningham Cabin. Here you may see pronghorn, bison, elk and even domestic animals using a grazing permit. The open grasses here attract a variety of animals.

SNAKE RIVER

Jackson Lake Dam south to Moose. Elk and bison graze in grassy meadows along the river. Bison also eat grasses on the sagebrush benches above the river. Bald eagles, ospreys and great blue herons build large stick nests within sight of the river. Beavers and moose eat willows lining the waterway.

BLACKTAIL PONDS

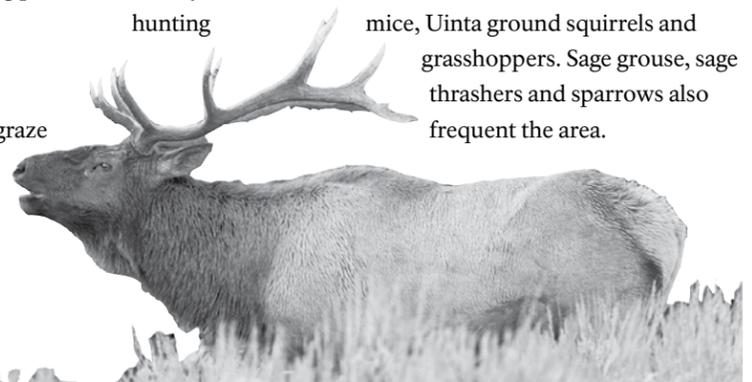
Half-mile north of Moose on Highway 26/89/191. Old beaver ponds have filled with sediment and now support grassy meadows where elk graze during the cooler parts of the day. Several species of ducks feed in the side channels of the Snake River while moose browse on willows.

TIMBERED ISLAND

A forested ridge southeast of Jenny Lake. Small bands of pronghorn, the fastest North American land mammal, forage on nearby sagebrush throughout the day. Elk leave the shade of Timbered Island at dawn and dusk to eat grasses growing among the surrounding sagebrush.

ANTELOPE FLATS & MORMON ROW

East of Highway 26/89/191, one mile north of Moose Junction. Bison and pronghorn may be seen grazing. Watch for coyotes, Northern harriers and American kestrels hunting mice, Uinta ground squirrels and grasshoppers. Sage grouse, sage thrashers and sparrows also frequent the area.



Working in the Park



DO YOU WANT TO SPEND A SUMMER WORKING FOR THE NATIONAL PARK SERVICE? Summer seasonal positions are recruited during the winter months. A wide variety of positions provide unique challenges and many rewards. Imagine yourself fighting wildland fires, maintaining backcountry trails, patrolling the Snake River in a boat, providing guided ranger hikes or assisting a park biologist with wolf research.

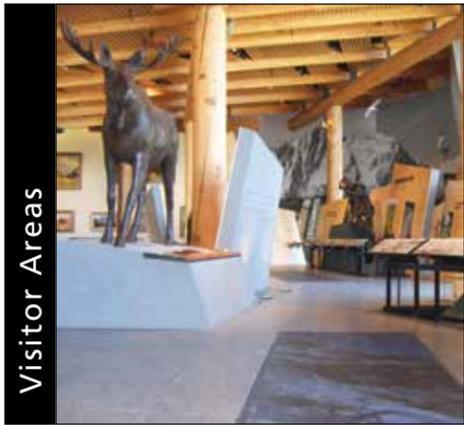
To view and apply for vacancies for all federal jobs visit:

www.usajobs.gov. For a list of available jobs in the Department of Interior, including the National Park Service go to www.doi.gov/public/findajob.cfm. Positions posted for Grand Teton National Park can be found under jobs listed in Moose or Moran, Wyoming. You can also learn about vacancies at www.nps.gov/grte/learn/management/employ.htm. For jobs in fire management, log on to gacc.nifc.gov/gbcc/dispatch/wy-tdc and click on the Employment link. Go to www.nps.gov/grte/supportyourpark/upload/OF510-fedres.pdf to learn how to apply for federal jobs.

Visit Moose

Program schedules may change at any time

Moose is located 12 miles north of Jackson, Wyoming. Please see the park map on page 16 to help you plan your trip to Moose. Enjoy a variety of trails, activities, scenic drives and ranger programs as well as historic districts and iconic views of the Teton Range.



Visitor Areas

CRAIG THOMAS DISCOVERY & VISITOR CENTER

Visit the Discovery Center for trip planning, weather, permits and camping information. Experience the video rivers or view a film the auditorium. Shop at the Grand Teton Association bookstore for gifts, educational books and postcards. The visitor center is open daily June 8–September 18 from 8 am to 7 pm. Details on page 2.

MENORS FERRY HISTORIC DISTRICT

Take a self-guided tour around this historic district and learn about Jackson Hole history

through pictorial displays at the Maud Noble Cabin. Visit the General Store (open daily May 23–September 30, 9 am–4:30 pm) and purchase turn-of-the-century-themed goods. For more insight, join a ranger for a guided walk at 2:30 pm.

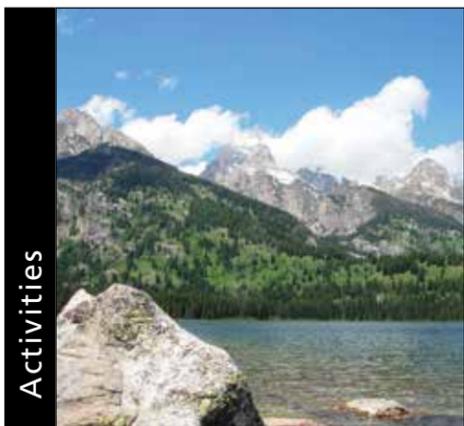
THE MURIE RANCH

Learn about the Murie family wilderness conservation legacy by taking this self-guided one mile roundtrip walk. Ask a ranger for directions to access the ranch and view historic buildings where landmark wilderness legislation was drafted.



MORMON ROW

Take a self-guided tour around the remaining buildings of this once vibrant community. Pick up a brochure near the “Pink House.” Originally called Grovont, “Mormon Row” was a community of homesteads, a church, school and swimming hole. Members of The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-Day Saints settled this area around the turn of the last century. Expect some preservation work and minor improvements through the summer and fall.



Activities

HIKING

Great hiking opportunities abound in the Moose area. Ask at a visitor center for trail suggestions. Weather may change abruptly, afternoon thunderstorms are common, bring extra clothing and plenty of water. Dehydration can lead to serious illness, and has been the cause for many rescues in the park. Bring your own water or treat stream or river water before drinking.

TAGGART LAKE TRAILHEAD

Drive 3.5 miles northwest of Moose Junction to enjoy a spectacular view of the Teton

Range. Enjoy a 3-mile roundtrip hike to Taggart Lake or detour for a longer hike with great views of Bradley Lake and Garnet Canyon. A vault toilet, trailhead information and brochures are available.

DEATH CANYON TRAILHEAD

Drive three miles south of Moose on the Moose-Wilson Road (closed to trailers or motorhomes) to the Death Canyon Road. High clearance vehicles are recommended for this rough road. Access Death Canyon and Phelps Lake. For a great family hike, walk to the Phelps Lake overlook (2.0 miles

roundtrip, 430 foot elevation change). Look for marmots, black bear and moose. Carry bear spray and know how to use it.

MULTI-USE PATHWAY

Bike, walk, skateboard or rollerblade on the multi-use pathway. Access the pathway from Moose or Taggart Lake Trailhead. The pathway extends from Jackson to South Jenny Lake. Bike rentals are available at Dornans near Moose or in Jackson or Teton Village. Special regulations apply, see page 4 for more information.

Moose Ranger Programs

Look for special program offerings August 20–28.

= accessible programs

Event	Description	Meeting Place	Date/Time Duration	Sun	Mon	Tues	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
Taggart Lake Hike	 Hike with a ranger along the scenic trail to Taggart Lake, where a variety of stories unfold. Topics may include geology, fire ecology, wildflowers, history or wildlife. Bring water, binoculars, camera, sunscreen, and rain gear. ROUNDRIP DISTANCE: 3 miles (1.5 miles guided). DIFFICULTY: Moderate.	Taggart Lake Trailhead	June 8–Sept. 5 9 am 2 hours	■	■	■	■	■	■	■
Map Chat 	From park's geologic story to learning about the variety of wildlife that call this park home, this program will give you insight into the stories behind the scenery.	Craig Thomas Discovery & VC relief map	June 8–Sept. 5 10:30 am 30 minutes	■	■	■	■	■	■	■
Nature in a Nutshell 	Explore Grand Teton's diverse natural world during a quick 20 minute talk. Topics are the ranger's choice.	Craig Thomas Discovery & VC courtyard	June 10–Sept. 5 1 pm 20 minutes	■		■			■	■
Your Park Your Legacy 	What's your legacy? The Murie legacy speaks to the power of passion and commitment to protecting wild places. Through conversation on a walk to the Murie Ranch, learn about the Muries and consider the possibilities for your own legacy. ROUNDRIP DISTANCE: 1.5 miles. DIFFICULTY: Easy.	Craig Thomas Discovery & VC flagpole	June 13–Aug. 18 1 pm 1.5 hours		■		■	■		
A Walk into the Past	Discover the story of Menors Ferry Historic District and learn how early settlers crossed the Snake River using a cable ferry. ROUNDRIP DISTANCE: less than a mile. DIFFICULTY: Easy.	Menors General Store	June 8–Sept. 5 2:30 pm 45 minutes	■	■	■	■	■	■	■
Bear Safety 	Learn all about bear safety, proper food storage, and bear spray and how to properly dispense it. Know the differences between black bears and grizzly bears and ideas on how to avoid an encounter.	Craig Thomas Discovery & VC courtyard	June 9–Sept. 5 4 pm 20 minutes		■			■		
Twilight Talk 	Join a ranger by the campfire to learn more about one of Grand Teton's fascinating animals or park stories during this family-friendly program. Additional days for this program may be offered, check at visitor centers.	Gros Ventre Amphitheater	June 8–Aug. 20 7:30 pm 45 minutes				■	■		■



LET'S MOVE OUTSIDE encourages kids, families and all park visitors to engage in outdoor activity that gets hearts pumping and bodies moving. As part of First Lady Michelle Obama's national Let's Move campaign to end childhood obesity within a generation, the program is now underway in national parks all over the country. Look for Let's Move Outside ranger programs in Grand Teton this summer provide ways for everyone to have fun and get healthy!

EXPLORE THE MURIE RANCH

Join staff from The Murie Center of Teton Science Schools to enjoy a 30 minute to 1 hour, docent-led tour of the Muries' home, Monday–Friday at 2:30 pm. Learn about the history of the ranch, the Muries' life-long dedication to conservation work, current work at the Center and more. Self-guided tours leave from the Muries' front porch providing visitors with historical information to explore the area's trails. To join the tour, please come prepared with appropriate walking shoes, water and sunscreen. See page 10 for additional Murie Center programs.



Explore Jenny Lake

Program schedules may change at any time

South Jenny Lake is located 8 miles north of Moose. Please see the park map on page 16 to help you plan your trip. Explore Jenny Lake for convenient access to glacially-formed lakes and invigorating hikes while enjoying dramatic mountain scenery.



Visitor Areas

PARKING

Parking at South Jenny Lake is highly congested and often full from 10 am to 4 pm. Plan accordingly. Watch for pedestrians.

JENNY LAKE VISITOR CENTER

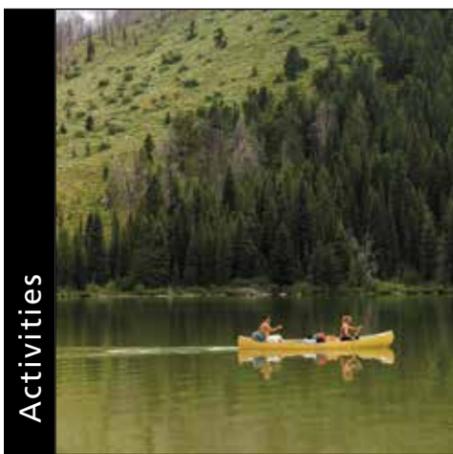
During the next two summers, a temporary building will house the Jenny Lake Visitor Center as the visitor complex is rehabilitated. Park rangers will provide information and hiking maps, or you may shop for gifts, educational books and postcards. The visitor center is open daily June 8–September 5 from 8 am to 7 pm.

The South Jenny Lake area includes a general store, restrooms, trailhead access, boat launch and the Exum Mountain Guide office. The Jenny Lake Ranger Station provides backcountry and climbing information and backcountry permits. The ranger station is open from June 4–September 4 from 8 am to 5 pm.

Take a shuttle boat across Jenny Lake: Roundtrip/One-way: adult \$15/\$9, seniors (62+) \$12, child (2-11) \$8/\$6, under 2 years, over 80 free. Enjoy a scenic cruise (\$19 adults/\$17 seniors/\$11 child).

NORTH JENNY LAKE

Swim in the seasonally warm waters of String Lake and then enjoy a picnic at the String Lake picnic area. Flush and vault toilets available. Park at the String Lake Trailhead and hike across a rustic wooden bridge through a burned area and view the regeneration of a forest. Launch your canoe, kayak or paddle board from the canoe launch, look for the launch area sign just past the String Lake Trailhead parking lot (permit required). Or enjoy lunch at the Jenny Lake Lodge located just past the North Jenny Lake Junction on the scenic one-way road.



Activities

TRAIL CLOSURE The spur trail leading to the Hidden Falls viewing area will be closed this summer. Obey all trail closures. See page 13 or ask at a visitor center for details.

HIKING

Outstanding hikes begin in the Jenny Lake area featuring stunning views of the Teton Range, lakes and streams. Weather may change abruptly, afternoon thunderstorms are common, bring extra clothing and plenty of water. Dehydration can lead to serious illness, and has been the cause for many rescues in the park.

BOATING

Rent a canoe or kayak from Jenny Lake Boating and tour Jenny Lake at your own pace. Or take the shuttle for quick access to Cascade Canyon. If you have your own non-motorized boat, spend time on String and Leigh lakes (permit required) to enjoy unparalleled views of Mt. Moran.

BIKING

The multi-use pathway extends from the town of Jackson to South Jenny Lake—across from the visitor center. Due to limited parking, please begin your bike ride at another location.

BACKCOUNTRY CAMPING

The area around Jenny Lake provides a wide range of backcountry camping opportunities whether you are planning to climb the Grand Teton or simply want to spend an evening beside a pristine lake with your family. Ask at the ranger station for suggestions and permits (required for all overnight stays).

SCENIC DRIVES

At North Jenny Lake Junction turn left (west) and enjoy the scenic one-way loop back to South Jenny Lake. Enjoy lake views and watch for elk and black bears.

Jenny Lake Ranger Programs

Look for special program offerings August 20–28.

= accessible programs

Event	Description	Meeting Place	Date/Time Duration	Sun	Mon	Tues	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
Inspiration Point Hike	Learn about the formation of this magnificent landscape on a hike to a viewpoint above Jenny Lake. This is a great activity for families! This activity is limited to the first 25 visitors who obtain a token at the Jenny Lake Visitor Center the morning of the hike. We will take the shuttle boat across Jenny Lake. Boat fares listed above. ROUNDTrip HIKE DISTANCE: 2 miles. DIFFICULTY: Moderate uphill.	Jenny Lake Visitor Center deck	June 8–Sept. 5 8:30 am 2.5 hours	■	■	■	■	■	■	■
Discover Grand Teton	Explore the natural world of Grand Teton by joining a ranger for a short talk or demonstration. Topics vary and may be on history, wildlife or geology. DIFFICULTY: Easy.	Jenny Lake Visitor Center deck	June 8–Aug. 20 11:30 am 30 minutes	■	■	■	■	■	■	■
Bear Safety	Discover techniques that will help you stay safe while traveling and camping in bear country. Includes instruction in the use of bear pepper spray. DIFFICULTY: Easy.	Jenny Lake Visitor Center deck	June 9–Sept. 4 1:30 pm 30 minutes	■		■		■		■

Name Origins

GRAND TETON (13,770 feet)

Highest peak in the Teton Range. Named by French trappers. Upon viewing the Teton Range from the west, the trappers dubbed the South, Middle and Grand, Les Trois Tetons, meaning “the three breasts.”

JACKSON HOLE

The valley on the east side of the Teton Range. Fur trappers called a mountain-ringed valley a “hole.” Named for trapper David E. Jackson. Originally known as “Davey Jackson’s Hole.”

JENNY AND LEIGH LAKES

Lakes along the eastern edge of the Teton Range. Named by Ferdinand Hayden during his 1872 expedition for Jenny, a Shoshone Indian, and her husband Richard “Beaver Dick” Leigh, a trapper. She assisted with camp logistics and he guided the expedition.

COLTER BAY

Visitor area on eastern shore of Jackson Lake. Named for John Colter, fur trapper and explorer who may have traveled through the valley during the winter of 1807–1808. He joined the Lewis and Clark Expedition in 1803 and left in 1806 to pursue trapping.

SNAKE RIVER

River flowing through Jackson Hole. Lewis and Clark named this part of the river after the Shoshone or Snake Indians.

TEEWINOT

Name of the peak that towers to the southwest above Jenny Lake. Shoshone for “many pinnacles” or “hoary feathers.”

GROS VENTRE (gro vont)

The river and mountain range southeast of the park. Means “big belly” in French. The name given to an Indian tribe by fur trappers in the 1800s.

SIGNAL MOUNTAIN

The high point in the valley. In 1891, homesteaders searching for Robert Hamilton lit a fire when they found his body.

DEATH CANYON

The prominent canyon west of Phelps Lake. Possibly named for a member of the 1899 Bannan survey party went into the canyon and never returned.

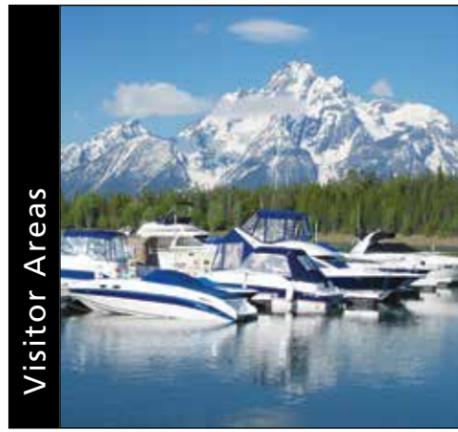
YELLOWSTONE

The Indians called the river “Mi-tsi-a-dazi” or Yellow Rock River according to French-Canadian trappers.

Spend Time at Colter Bay

Program schedules may change at any time

Colter Bay is located 25 miles north of Moose. Please see the park map on page 16 to help you plan your trip. Colter Bay provides some of the best wildlife viewing opportunities in the park as well as a wide range of visitor services and trails.



COLTER BAY

Colter Bay Visitor Center sits above the shore of Jackson Lake across from Mt. Moran. Rangers provide trip information, trail maps and backcountry permits. The building features an exhibit of 35 artifacts from the David T. Vernon Collection once part of the Colter Bay Indian Arts Museum. Enjoy the on-going American Indian Guest Artist Program. Shop at the Grand Teton Association bookstore for gifts, educational books and postcards. The visitor center is open daily June 8–September 5 from 8 am to 7 pm.

Enjoy lunch at the picnic area on the lakeshore, or take a hike on one of the area trails for great opportunities to see wildlife. You will also find an RV park, cabins, restaurant, general store, laundromat, service station and showers.

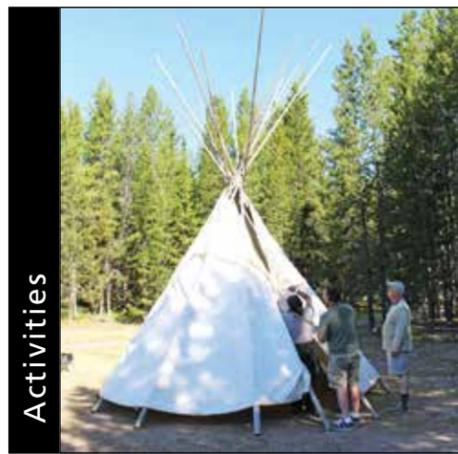
JOHN D. ROCKEFELLER, JR. MEMORIAL PARKWAY

The Parkway commemorates John D. Rockefeller, Jr's significant contributions to national parks. Mr. Rockefeller had a special interest in this area helping develop Yellowstone and establish Grand Teton

national parks. To learn more about the Rockefeller family's philanthropy ask for the "Rockefeller Legacy" brochure at any visitor center.

JACKSON LAKE LODGE

Even if you are not staying overnight at the Jackson Lake Lodge, the historic building is worth a visit. Large mural windows showcase views of Jackson Lake and the northern Teton Range. Wildlife such as black and grizzly bears, elk and moose are frequently seen from the lodge. Access trails, a corral, gift stores and restaurants.



HIKING

Great hiking and wildlife viewing opportunities abound around Colter Bay. Enjoy hiking through a variety of natural communities with dramatic views of the northern Teton Range. Weather may change abruptly, afternoon thunderstorms are common, bring extra clothing and plenty of water. A ranger-led hike to Swan Lake departs the visitor center at 1 pm.

BOATING

Rent a canoe, kayak or motorboat from the Colter Bay Marina or launch your own boat in Jackson Lake (permit required). Pets are

allowed in boats on Jackson Lake; all other lakes, trails and rivers are closed to pets.

WILDLIFE VIEWING

Excellent wildlife viewing opportunities are found along the road from Moran Junction to Colter Bay, especially at Willow Flats Overlook and the Oxbow Bend Turnout. Dawn and dusk offer the best opportunities. For your safety and theirs stay at least 100 yards from wolves and bears and 25 yards from all other wildlife. If you stop, park to the right of the white line; do not block traffic. Beginning on June 29 the Cougar Fund will present a program about large

predators on Wednesdays at 2 pm in the Colter Bay Amphitheater.

ASTRONOMY

Learn about the park's dark sky resources. The district offers a range of astronomy programs including stargazing and solar observations—telescopes provided. During July, a visiting astronomer will offer special programs. Labor Day weekend (September 2–4), the park will hold an Astronomy Festival. This event will feature astronomy talks, stargazing, and activities for all ages. Events will take place day and night. Check at a visitor center for more details.

Colter Bay Ranger Programs

Look for special program offerings August 20–28.

= accessible programs

Event	Description	Meeting Place	Date/Time Duration	Sun	Mon	Tues	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
Coffee with a Ranger	Join a ranger for questions, trip planning and dialog over morning coffee.	Colter Bay Visitor Center front	June 13–Sept. 5 7 am 1 hour		■	■	■	■		
Morning on the Back Deck	Look for wildlife in a wetlands community. A ranger is on hand with a spotting scope for your viewing pleasure and to answer questions. ALL VISITORS ARE INVITED.	Jackson Lake Lodge back deck	June 8–Sept. 5 9 am 1 hour		■		■		■	■
Tipi Demo	Join a ranger to learn about the structure the plains Indians called home.	Colter Bay amphitheater	June 8–Aug. 31 9 am 1 hour				■			
Teton Highlights	Wondering what to see and do in the park? Join a ranger for some great ideas.	Colter Bay Visitor Center auditorium	June 9–Sept. 4 10 am 30 minutes	■		■		■		
Celebrating National Parks	2016 marks the 100th anniversary of the National Park Service. Join a conversation about the history and values of national parks.	Colter Bay Visitor Center auditorium	June 8–Sept. 5 11 am 30 minutes	■	■	■	■	■	■	■
Swan Lake Hike	Hike through forest and wetland communities and learn about the plants and animals living in the park. Bring water, binoculars, camera, rain gear, and insect repellent. ROUNDTrip DISTANCE: 3 miles. DIFFICULTY: Easy.	Colter Bay Visitor Center flagpole	June 8–Sept. 5 1 pm 3 hours	■	■	■	■	■	■	■
Indian Arts & Culture	Join a ranger for an in-depth look at a facet of American Indian art and culture.	Colter Bay Visitor Center auditorium	June 14–Aug. 30 1:30 pm 45 minutes			■				
Bear Safety	Discover techniques that will help you stay safe while traveling and camping in bear country. Includes instruction in the use of bear pepper spray. DIFFICULTY: Easy.	Colter Bay Visitor Center back deck	June 8–Sept. 4 4 pm 30 minutes	■			■		■	
Grand Teton Kids	Kids and everyone else join a ranger to connect to some of the wonders of Grand Teton on a short interactive program.	Colter Bay Visitor Center back deck	June 9–Sept. 5 4 pm 45 minutes		■	■		■		■
Early Evening	Gather at the Colter Bay Amphitheater for a traditional ranger talk. Families are welcome. Topics posted at various locations. In the event of inclement weather, the program will be held in the Colter Bay auditorium.	Colter Bay amphitheater (or auditorium)	June 10–Sept. 5 7 pm 45 minutes	■	■	■	■	■	■	■
Campfire Program	Join a ranger for a photo-illustrated talk about an exciting aspect of Grand Teton National Park. Topics posted at various locations. In the event of inclement weather, the program will be held in the Colter Bay auditorium.	Colter Bay amphitheater (or auditorium)	June 10–Sept. 5 9 pm 45 minutes	■	■	■		■	■	■
Family Night Video	Join a ranger for a park-related video feature in the Colter Bay auditorium.	Colter Bay Visitor Center auditorium	June 15–Aug. 31 9 pm 45 minutes				■			

Experience the Laurance S. Rockefeller Preserve

Located four miles south of Moose on the Moose-Wilson Road, the Preserve Center offers unique sensory exhibits and trails leading to Phelps Lake, providing extraordinary views of the Teton Range. *Due to the narrow road, trailers and vehicles over 23.3 feet are prohibited on the Moose-Wilson Road.



LAURANCE S. ROCKEFELLER PRESERVE CENTER

Visit the Center to discover Mr. Rockefeller's vision for the Preserve and his legacy of conservation stewardship. Orient yourself to the area through visual, auditory and tactile exhibits of the Preserve's plants and wildlife. Learn about the innovative design techniques and features making the Center a model for energy and environmental design. Open daily June 4–September 25 from 9 am to 5 pm. The Preserve adheres to "Leave No Trace"—plan to pack out your trash. The Preserve Center sells bear spray (credit cards only), but does not issue permits.

PRESERVE TRAILS

The Preserve offers an 8-mile trail network that provides access to stunning views of Phelps Lake and the Teton Range. Immerse yourself by walking the trails and opening your senses to the sights, smells, sounds and textures of the various natural communities found within the Preserve. The trails access Lake Creek, Phelps Lake and adjacent ridges while traversing aspen and conifer forests, wetlands and sagebrush meadows. Watch for deer, elk, moose, black and grizzly bears. Composting toilets and benches are available at Phelps Lake. In order to maintain the contemplative experience of hiking in the

LSR Preserve, large groups should break into smaller groups of no more than ten.

RANGER PROGRAMS

Join a ranger for a deeper understanding of Laurance S. Rockefeller's vision and gift.

PARKING

The parking lot is open 24 hours a day—no overnight parking. The lot often fills by 9 am and remains full past 4 pm. Wait times for parking can be more than one hour after the lot fills. Consider carpooling or biking to help alleviate congestion and reduce our environmental footprint.

Laurance S. Rockefeller Preserve Ranger Programs

Look for special program offerings August 20–28. ♿ = accessible programs

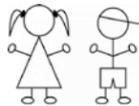
Event	Description	Meeting Place	Date/Time Duration	Sun	Mon	Tues	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
Explore the Preserve Hike	 Open your senses and immerse yourself in the pristine setting of the Preserve. Hike through forests and meadows to the shores of Phelps Lake. Contribute to a conversation with your thoughts and ideas during the hike. Reservations required, call 307-739-3654. Bring water, rain gear, sunscreen and insect repellent. GROUP SIZE: 10. ROUNDTRIP DISTANCE: 3 miles (1.5 miles guided). DIFFICULTY: easy/moderate.	Laurance S. Rockefeller Preserve Center porch	June 8–Sept. 5 9:30 am 2.5 hours	■	■	■	■	■	■	■
Start with a Ranger ♿	Join a ranger on a short stroll from the parking lot to the LSR Preserve Center. Before you head out on your hike, learn about Laurance Rockefeller's gift, his vision and the trails. Become a part of the story by asking your own questions and discovering the mission of the Preserve! ROUNDTRIP DISTANCE: 1/4 mile. DIFFICULTY: easy.	Laurance S. Rockefeller Preserve parking lot map kiosk	June 12–Aug. 20 10 am 20 minutes	■	■	■	■	■	■	■
Critter Chat ♿	Every day a different animal or insect is the star of this fun, family-friendly program. Please allow extra travel time as parking lot is typically full during this part of the day. ROUNDTRIP DISTANCE: Minimal walking required. DIFFICULTY: easy.	Laurance S. Rockefeller Preserve Center porch	June 8–Sept. 5 3:30 pm 30 minutes	■	■	■	■	■		■
Bear Safety ♿	Discover techniques that will help you stay safe while traveling and camping in bear country. Includes instruction in the use of bear pepper spray. Please allow extra travel time as parking lot is typically full during this part of the day. DIFFICULTY: Easy.	Laurance S. Rockefeller Preserve Center porch	June 10–Sept. 2 3:30 pm 30 minutes						■	
Nature Explorer's Backpack	 Children discover the wonders of the natural world using the backpack's tools. Each child receives a journal of activities to guide them as they explore the Preserve trails with their family. Recommended for children ages 6-12. Backpacks are limited.	Laurance S. Rockefeller Preserve Center desk	June 4–Sept. 5 Check out for one day only 9 am to 5 pm	■	■	■	■	■	■	■

University of WY/NPS Harlow Seminar Series

BBQ dinner (\$5 donation) starts at 5:30 pm with a talk at 6:30 pm in the Berol Lodge located at the AMK Ranch near Leeks Marina. Reservations not required. Most talks are on Thursday unless otherwise noted. For more information call 307-543-2463.

- **June 23** Pete Coppelillo, *Conservation's Best Friend: How a Bunch of Shelter Dogs Are Saving the World*
- **June 30** Corinna Riginos, *Oh Deer! The Problem of Wildlife-vehicle Collisions and Roads as Barriers to Deer Migrations and Movements in Wyoming*
- **July 7** Glenn Thackray, *Earthquakes, Glaciers, and the Evolution of Landscapes along the Teton Fault*
- **July 14** Aida Farag & Sue Consolo-Murphy, *Assessing Aquatic Resources in Kelly Warm Springs, Grand Teton National Park: Have Native Fish Been Displaced by Non-native Aquarium Fish?*
- **July 21** Sarah Dewey, *On the Move: Seasonal Trekking of Grand Teton Mule Deer*
- **July 28** Danny Dale, *Gravity Waves 100 Years after Einstein*
- **August 4** Andy Hansen, *Some of the Science behind Avalanche Initiation*
- **August 10, Special Wed. Event @ 7 pm** *New Music in the Mountains: NPS Centennial Celebration Concert*, music inspired by nature and the parks reception to follow.
- **August 18** Robert Righter, *Grand Teton National Park: Past and Present Challenges*

Family-friendly Highlights



NATURALIST FAMILY BACKPACKS. Learn about nature's wonders as you explore the park. Each backpack is equipped with supplies to track, sketch, paint and journal about the natural world. Check out a backpack at the Craig Thomas Discovery and Visitor Center during business hours. Backpacks are limited, one per family please.

NATURE EXPLORER'S BACKPACK. Children discover the wonders of the natural world using the tools provided in the Nature Explorer's Backpack. Check out a backpack to explore the trails of the Laurance S. Rockefeller Preserve. See above for more information.

RIDE MENORS FERRY. Experience how homesteaders and dude ranchers crossed the powerful Snake River during the early 1900s. The ferry will operate daily, as river conditions permit. See page 7 for more information.

TAKE A HIKE WITH YOUR FAMILY. Take your kids out on a trail for education, exercise and enjoyment. Explore the park with a ranger and learn about the geology, plants, people and wildlife that make this place so cool. Ranger programs are recommended for families with children who are comfortable walking 2-3 miles. See pages 7-10 for more information.

Become a Junior Ranger

Anybody of any age may become a Junior Ranger! To earn your patch or badge follow these steps. Available in Spanish.

- Pick up a copy of *The Grand Adventure* workbook at any visitor center.
- Complete the fun-filled activities. The booklet lists required activities and activities based on your age.
- Attend one ranger program. Check this paper for a schedule of programs.
- Bring your completed workbook to any visitor center in Grand Teton National Park to be sworn in!



The Murie Center

The Murie Center of Teton Science Schools invites the community to join them for engaging conversations on Mardy's Front Porch. Refreshments at 5:45 pm. Conversation 6–7 pm.

July 20 Dr. Corinna Riginos, *Changes Over Time: The Role of Phenology in Climate Change Research*

August 17 Frank Carter, *The Art of Place: Interdisciplinary Approaches to Knowing*

September 1 Steve Archibald, *Lessons from the Field: The Power of Multigenerational Learning*



Join The Murie Center for extended learning programs this summer. For more information and current schedule: www.muriecenter.org

Grand Teton Association Events



Join Rocky Mountain Plein Air Painters and the Grand Teton Association for the fourth annual Plein Air for the Park. Participating artists will paint plein-air in the Jackson Hole and Grand Teton National Park area beginning July 4.

The gala and opening reception is Wednesday, July 13 at 7 pm in the Craig Thomas Discovery & Visitor Center. The show ends Sunday, July 17 at 4 pm.

A portion of the proceeds from sales of these works will benefit the Grand Teton Association and help support the park's ongoing educational, interpretive and scientific programs.

JULY 4-17 Artists paint in Grand Teton National Park and Jackson Hole.

SATURDAY, JULY 9 Artist demonstration at String Lake, 9 am–12 pm.

MONDAY, JULY 11 Artist group demonstration at Couloir Restaurant, Teton Village, 5–7 pm.

TUESDAY, JULY 12 Artist group demonstration at Jackson Town Square 3–6 pm.

WEDNESDAY, JULY 13 Gala Opening Reception, Craig Thomas Discovery & Visitor Center, 7–9 pm

SATURDAY, JULY 16 Quick draw & sale, Craig Thomas Discovery & Visitor Center, 9 am–12 pm.

SUNDAY, JULY 17 Show closes at 4 pm.



GRAND TETON ASSOCIATION

The Grand Teton Association was established in 1937 as the park's primary partner to increase public understanding, appreciation, and enjoyment of Grand Teton National Park and the Greater Yellowstone area. The association has long been an important bridge between visitor and environment in the Tetons. We work to increase public understanding, appreciation, and enjoyment of Grand Teton National Park and the surrounding public lands.

When you make a purchase at an association bookstore, you are supporting the educational, interpretive, and scientific programs in the park including the winter Snow Desk, the NPS Academy, the Boyd Evison Graduate Research Scholarship and many other programs. Your purchase also supports the publication of this newspaper, books and the free educational handouts available at visitor centers and entrance stations.

Member Week Events

All GTA Members will receive 20% off their purchases all week—in stores or online.

- MONDAY/August 8** American Indian storytelling and Sacajawea program with local author and historian Ken Thomasma at the Craig Thomas Discovery and Visitor Center auditorium, 11 am and 1 pm.
- TUESDAY/August 9** Teton Raptor Center will demonstrate behaviors with rescued raptors at the Jackson Hole/Greater Yellowstone Visitor Center in Jackson, 2 pm.
- WEDNESDAY/August 10** Local Artisans Day at the Craig Thomas Discovery & Visitor Center. Come shop for goods designed and made by local artists, writers and crafts people, 11 am–2 pm.
- THURSDAY/August 11** Member Week Photography Competition. Submit your favorite Grand Teton National Park photo to win great prizes. Email them to: grte_assoc@partner.nps.gov or share your photo with the Grand Teton Association on Facebook.
- FRIDAY/August 12** Search and Rescue demonstration by a Jenny Lake Climbing Ranger at the Jenny Lake Visitor Center, 1 pm.

We invite you to become a member entitled to a 15% discount on purchases at all GTA visitor center stores, as well as on catalog and website orders. Many cooperating association stores nationwide offer reciprocal discounts.

- \$35 Individual Annual Member with discount privileges and a unique member gift
- \$50 Family Annual Member with discount privileges and a choice of member gifts
- Additional annual memberships: \$100 Supporting Member, \$250 Sustaining Member, \$500 Gold Member with discount privileges and additional gifts
- \$1000 Platinum Member, a three-year membership includes an Interagency Annual Pass (see page 2)

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Artists, Writers & Photographers in the Park

Jackson Hole attracts artists, writers and photographers from all over the world. Join the Grand Teton Association as they sponsor these talented people the second Saturday of June, July, August and September.

Watch professional artists demonstrate techniques while capturing the essence of Grand Teton National Park. Practice your writing skills with local writers who draw on the park for their work. Learn tips to improve your ability to capture the park in photographs.

Artists

- June 11** Alison Brush, abstract acrylic and graphite, 9 am–12 pm at Craig Thomas Discovery & Visitor Center.
- July 9** Plein Air for the Park Artists, oil painting and pastels, 9 am–12 pm at String Lake.
- August 13** Jesse Ryan & Ryan Hittner from New Thought Digital Media, time-lapse workshop, 10 am–12 pm at Schwabachers Landing.
- September 10** Teton Plein Air, group demonstration, 9 am–12 pm at Menors Ferry.

Writers

- Meet at the flagpole in front of the Craig Thomas Discovery & Visitor Center in Moose. Bring a journal, water and chair, 9 am–12 pm.
- June 11** Susan Scarlatta or Jessica Baran, poetry
- July 9** Tina Welling, nature and the body
- August 13** George Vlastos, prose and poetry
- September 10** Connie Wieneke, writing & meditation

Photographers

- June 11** Roger Hayden, 10 am at Willow Flats Overlook
- July 9** Tenley Thompson, 5:30 pm at Oxbow Bend Turnout
- August 13** Taylor Glen, 6–8 pm at String Lake
- September 10** Henry Holdsworth, 7 am at Schwabachers Landing



Special Programs at Colter Bay

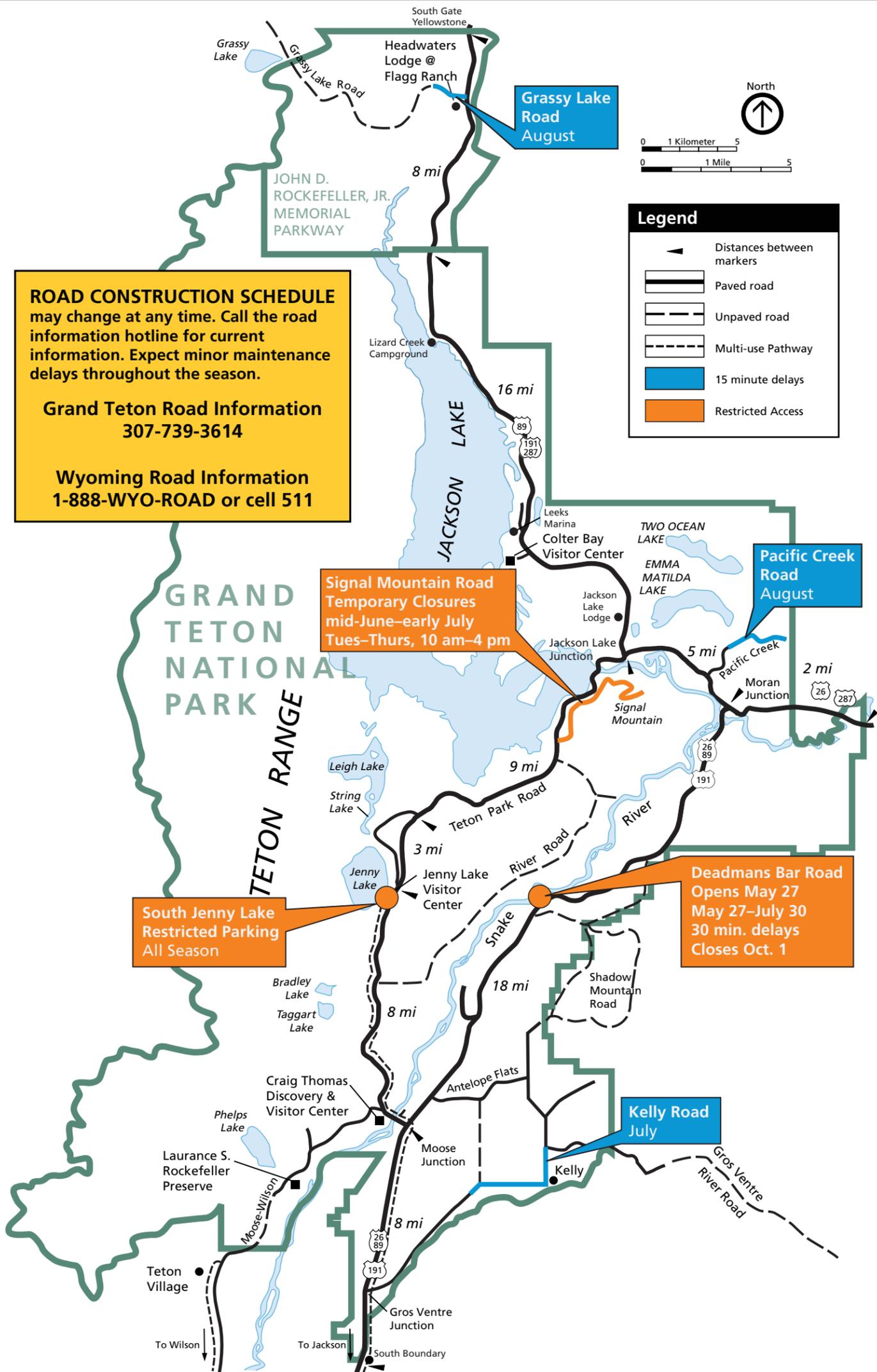
JOHN COLTER DAY June 27. Was John Colter the first Euro-American to pass through Jackson hole in 1808? Join us for three different programs and see the mysterious Colter stone on display.

ASTRONOMY DAY July 30. Topics will include telescopes, planets, meteor showers, light pollution, galaxies, star clusters, and other astronomical objects. Observe the sun with specially equipped telescopes in the afternoon. In the evening join Ranger Bob Hoyle for the program "Watchers of the Sky" followed by stargazing in cooperation with the Jackson Hole Astronomy Club.

ASTRONOMY FESTIVAL September 2-4. The park will hold an Astronomy Festival based at Colter Bay. This event will feature astronomy talks, stargazing, and activities for all ages. Events will take place day and night. Check at a visitor center for more details.

August 8–12

Road Construction 2016



SPEED LIMIT 45

SAVE A LIFE AT NIGHT

NIGHT TIME SPEED LIMIT SAVES LIVES! The night time speed limit on US Highway 26/89/191 is 45 mph from the park's south boundary to the boundary east of Moran Junction. Night time begins 30 minutes after sunset and lasts until 30 minutes before sunrise. Areas around Gros Ventre Junction and Moran Junction will remain 45 mph at all times. The reduced speed only adds six minutes to your trip!

Vehicle collisions kill over 100 animals per year in the park. Almost

75 percent of wildlife fatalities occur on this section of highway. Throughout the park, more than half the fatalities occur at night. To better protect the public and to preserve wildlife, park officials reduced the speed limit at night to give drivers and animals more reaction time. If you do hit an animal, report the accident to a park ranger.

Please obey posted speed limits to help us improve safety and protect wildlife.

Annual Wildlife Costs

\$155,000 personal property damage
>100 large animals killed annually
Slow Down! Stay Alert!



Jenny Lake Renewal Project

INSPIRING JOURNEYS A CAMPAIGN for JENNY LAKE

A public-private partnership
to celebrate the National Park Service centennial in 2016



The official nonprofit fundraising partner of
Grand Teton National Park

More than one million people will visit Jenny Lake this year for its timeless beauty. Visitors will find trails leading to lovely backcountry spots and active wildlife. This summer, however, construction will close areas around the visitor center and the spur trail accessing Hidden Falls. Parking will be limited and visitors will find a temporary visitor center and toilets. This temporary disruption will ultimately establish an inviting and sustainable trail system and visitor experience for the next 100 years.

WHAT TO EXPECT

Stop at any visitor center for up-to-date information about access around the Jenny Lake area. Be sure to bring your patience and respect closed areas as they are for your safety.

New and Improved!

- The trail to Inspiration Point reopens early this summer and includes two new bridges, beautiful stone retaining walls and steps.

Closures and Reroutes

- The visitor plaza is closed as crews rebuild trails and construct restrooms, a water/wastewater system, lake overlooks and drystone walls.
- The ranger station, temporary visitor center, general store, Exum Mountain Guides, Jenny Lake Boating, the multiuse pathway, and the campground will see minimum impacts.
- The trail south of Cascade Creek trail is closed for construction. The Cascade Canyon trail remains open.
- **The spur trail leading to the Hidden Falls viewing area is closed this season.** Crews will construct a sustainable viewing space and restore damaged areas.

HIKING TIPS

Plan Ahead

Stop at a park visitor center for the most up-to-date trail closure and reroute information. The spur trail leading to the Hidden Falls viewing area will be closed.

Come Early or Come Late

Late morning through early afternoon are crowded. Visit before 9 am or after 3 pm for easier parking.

Fewer People, Dramatic Scenery

Explore other lakeshore hikes in the park. Rangers will happily recommend favorites and help you plan an unforgettable day.

Parking

- South Jenny Lake will lose 20 percent of its parking spaces this summer due to construction.
- Look for a temporary visitor center and restrooms in the north parking lot.
- Construction staging will take over part of the south parking lot. RV and bus parking is limited.
- Rangers will be on hand to answer questions.

WHAT IS INSPIRING JOURNEYS?

An \$18 million collaboration between Grand Teton National Park and its fundraising partner, Grand Teton National Park Foundation, to celebrate the National Park Service's centennial in August. The project will greatly improve trail conditions and add restrooms and interpretive information in the visitor center plaza.

GET INVOLVED

Help celebrate the NPS centennial and support Inspiring Journeys! Gifts of all sizes are welcome and needed—donations up to \$500 will be matched dollar-for-dollar. Commitments of \$25,000 or more will be recognized in the Jenny Lake visitor plaza. Give at www.gtnpf.org or call 307-732-0629. Campaign deadline is August 25, 2016.



Rebuilt Trail

Trail crews will complete backcountry trail construction in 2017. Rebuilt trails, such as this section to Inspiration Point, feature the timeless feel of the original 1930s-era trail but also benefit from modern-day trail infrastructure. Upgrades include numerous stone steps, stacked stone retaining walls and improved drainage and hiking surfaces.



Park Partners



A Grand Partnership

Donor gifts offer a helping hand to one of America's favorite outdoor destinations. When you support trail renewal, wildlife, and outdoor education for youth, Grand Teton National Park can deliver unforgettable experiences to visitors and strengthen resources for the future.



www.gtnpf.org

Grand Teton National Park works closely with a variety of partnership organizations. Partners help accomplish park goals by supporting important projects, programs and visitor services, benefiting visitors and the park.

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www.tetonscience.org

The Murie Center of
Teton Science Schools
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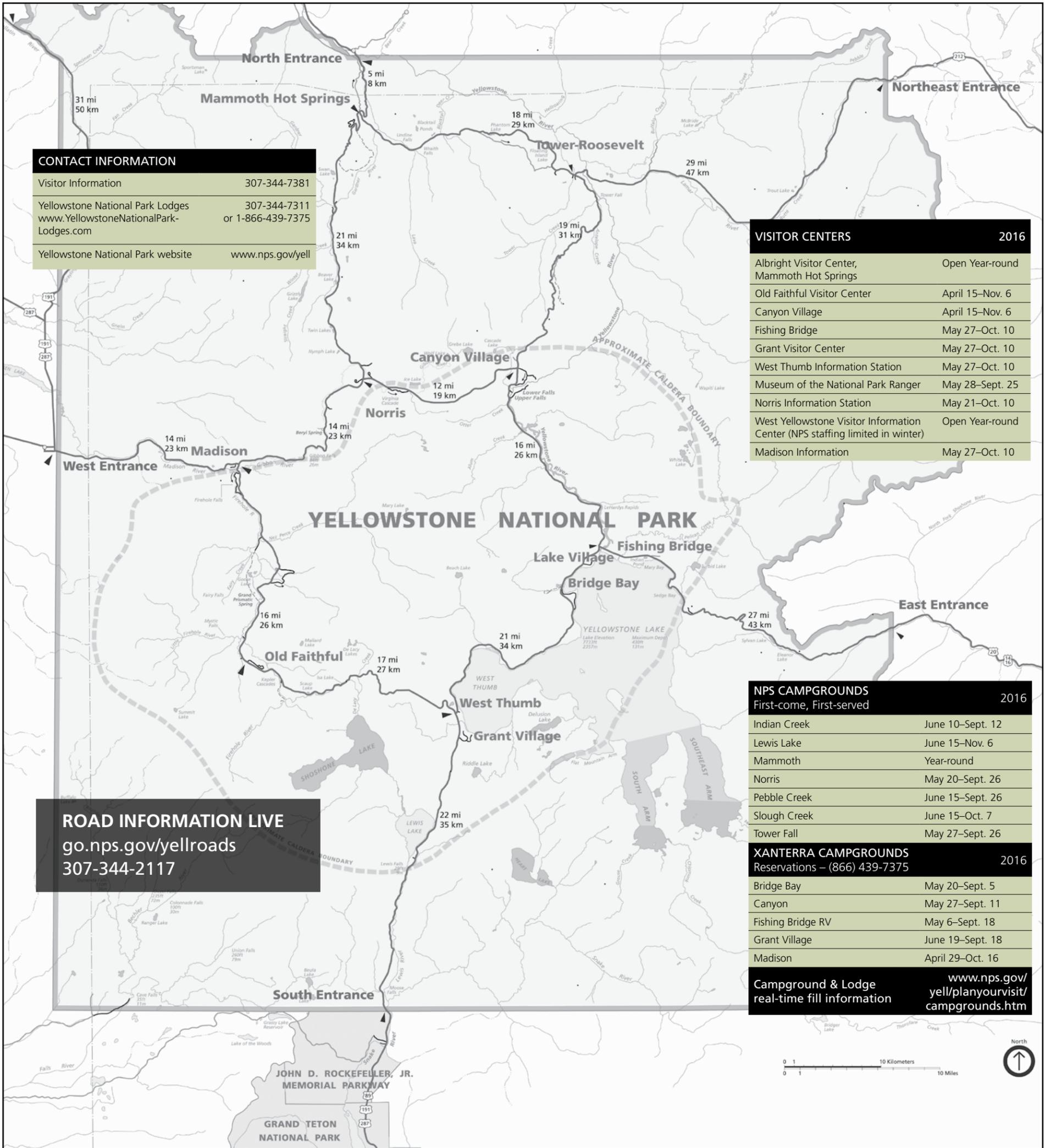
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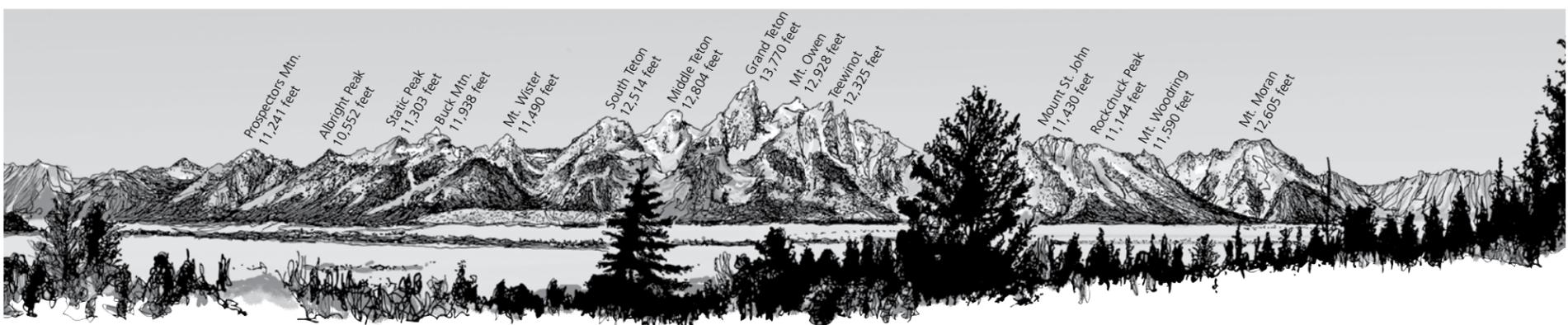
Dates subject to change at any time.

TYPE	LOCATION	DATES	PHONE	DESCRIPTION
Moose				
Lodging	Dornans Spur Ranch	Year-round	307-733-2522	Cabins with kitchens. dornans.com
Food Service	Dornans Chuck Wagon Dornans Pizza and Pasta Co.	June 11–Sept. 25	307-733-2415 x203	Western fare. Breakfast 7–11 am, lunch 12–3 pm, dinner (Sun.–Thurs.) 5–9 pm
Store/Gift shops	Dornans Trading Post Dornans Gift Shop	Year-round	307-733-2415 x204	Open: May 11:30 am–5 or 7 pm; June–Sept. 11:30 am–9:30 pm
Service Station	Dornans	Year-round	307-733-2415 x201	Groceries. Deli open May–Sept.
Other	Moosely Mountaineering Snake River Anglers Adventure Sports Barker Ewing Float Trips	Year-round mid-May–Sept. May–Oct. May–Sept. mid-May–Sept.	307-739-1801 307-733-3699 307-733-2415 x302 307-733-1800	May & Sept. 8 am–6 pm; June–Aug. 8 am–8 pm Automotive fuel (no diesel). Pay at pump, 24-hour with credit card. Mountaineering, climbing, camping equipment. Peak season open daily 9 am–8 pm Spin and fly fishing, float trips, Wyoming fishing licenses. Bike, stand-up paddle boards, kayak, and canoe rentals and sales. 8 am–8 pm Float trips on the Snake River. 8 am–6 pm. Hours vary during shoulder season.
South Jenny Lake				
Lodging	AAC Climber's Ranch	June 10–Sept. 12	307-733-7271	Rustic accommodations, 3 miles south of Jenny Lake. americanalpineclub.org
Store/Gift shops	General Store	May 7–Sept. 25		Camping and hiking supplies, groceries, film, and gifts. www.gtlic.com
Boat Tours	Jenny Lake Boating	May 14–Sept. 11	307-734-9227	Shuttle & tours across Jenny Lake. Canoe & kayak rentals. www.jennylakeboating.com
North Jenny Lake				
Lodging	Jenny Lake Lodge	June 1–Oct. 9	307-733-4647 or	Modified American Plan. Cabins.
Food Service	Lodge Dining Room	June 1–Oct. 9	1-800-628-9988	Breakfast 7:30–9 am. Lunch 12–1:30 pm. Dinner 6–8:45 pm.
Store/Gift Shops	Jenny Lake Lodge	June 1–Oct. 9	www.gtlic.com	Reservations required for all meals. Sport coat recommended for dinner. Gifts, books and apparel.
Signal Mountain				
Lodging	Signal Mountain Lodge	May 6–Oct. 16	307-543-2831 or	Lakefront suites, motel units, and log cabins.
Food Service	Peaks Dining Room Trapper Grill	May 6–Oct. 2 May 6–Oct. 16	1-800-672-6012 signalmountainlodge.com	Dinner 5:30–10 pm. Closes at 9 pm Sept. 19–Oct. 2. Breakfast 7–11 am. Lunch/dinner 11 am–10 pm. Closes at 9 pm Sept. 19–Oct. 16.
Store/Gift Shops	Needles Gift Store Timbers Gift Store	May 6–Oct. 16 May 6–Oct. 16		8 am–10 pm. Closes at 9 pm during shoulder seasons. 8 am–10 pm. Closes at 9 pm during shoulder seasons.
Store	General Store	April 30–Oct. 16		7 am–10 pm. Gas, drinks, snacks, supplies. Hours vary during shoulder seasons.
Showers & Laundry	Signal Mountain	May 6–Oct. 16		7 am. Last shower 10:30 pm, last wash 9:30 pm.
Marina	Signal Marina	May 21–Sept. 11		Rentals, guest buoys, lake fishing trips, gas and courtesy docks.
Jackson Lake Lodge				
Lodging	Jackson Lake Lodge	May 16–Oct. 9	307-543-3100 or	Large lodge with views across Willow Flats and Jackson Lake.
Food Service	Mural Room	May 16–Oct. 9	1-800-628-9988	Breakfast 7–9:30 am. Lunch 11:30 am–1:30 pm. Dinner 5:30–9 pm.
	Pioneer Grill	May 16–Oct. 9	www.gtlic.com	Dinner reservations recommended. 6 am–10:30 pm
Store/Gift Shops	Blue Heron Lounge	May 16–Oct. 9		11 am–midnight.
Service Station	Jackson Lake Lodge	May 16–Oct. 9		Sundries, magazines, books, gifts, souvenirs and apparel.
Horseback Riding	Jackson Lake Lodge Corral	May 16–Oct. 9 May 20–Oct. 9		Gas and diesel. Trail rides.
Triangle X				
Lodging	Triangle X Ranch	mid-May–October Dec. 26–mid-Mar.	307-733-2183 trianglerx.com	Full service guest ranch. Horseback riding, float trips. Also open for winter activities.
Colter Bay				
Lodging	Colter Bay Cabins Tent Village	May 26–Oct. 2 May 27–Sept. 5	307-543-3100 or 1-800-628-9988	Shared bathroom, one-room and two-room cabins available. Enclosed log/canvas deluxe tents with bunks and wood-burning stove
Food Service	Ranch House	May 26–Oct. 2	www.gtlic.com	Breakfast 6:30–10:30 am. Lunch 11:30 am–1:30 pm. Dinner 5:30–9 pm.
Store/Gift Shops	John Colter Cafe Court General Store	May 27–Sept. 5 May 26–Oct. 2		Open 11 am–10 pm. ATM groceries, gifts, and firewood.
Convenience Store	Marina Store	May 26–Sept. 25		Fishing tackle, film, outdoor apparel, beverages, and snacks.
Horseback Riding	Highway Station	April 16–Oct. 16		Gas, diesel, beverages, snacks, souvenirs and firewood.
Marina	Colter Bay Corral	June 4–Sept. 5		Breakfast and dinner rides, wagon seats available. Trail rides.
Showers & Laundry	Colter Bay	May 26–Sept. 25		Scenic cruises. Boat rentals. Guided fishing. Gas. Water dependent.
	Colter Bay	May 26–Oct. 2		Pay showers and laundry services in the Launderette.
Leeks Marina				
Food Service	Leeks Pizzeria	May 20–Sept. 11	307-543-2494	Pizza and sandwiches. Open 11 am–10 pm. signalmountainlodge.com
Marina	Leeks Marina	May 21–Sept. 11	307-543-2546	Dependent on water levels.
Flagg Ranch				
Lodging	Headwaters Lodge & Cabins	June 1–Oct. 2	307-543-2861 or	Log style units.
Restaurant	Headwaters Lodge	June 1–Oct. 2	1-800-443-2311	Home-style menu. Breakfast, lunch, and dinner.
Convenience Store	Headwaters Lodge	May 15–Oct. 12	gtlic.com/headwaters-lodge.aspx	Gas, diesel, beverages, snacks, and souvenirs, and firewood.
Campground	Headwaters Campground & RV	May 20–Oct. 2		Essentials for camping and fishing. Camper cabins available.
Horseback Riding	Headwaters Corral	June 1–Aug. 31		One hour, two hour, 1/2 day and full day trail rides.
Other Services				
Education	Teton Science Schools	Year-round	307-733-4765	Field natural history seminars. www.tetonscience.org
Programs/Events	The Murie Center	Year-round	307-739-2246	Conservation programs and events, guided tours. www.muriecenter.org
Mountaineering	Exum Mountain Guides	Year-round	307-733-2297	Mountaineering and climbing instruction. AMGA accredited. exumguides.com
	Jackson Hole Mountain Guides	Year-round	307-733-4979	Mountaineering and climbing instruction. AMGA accredited. www.jhmg.com
Youth Backpacking	Teton Valley Ranch Camp		307-733-2958	Variety of summer camps including backpacking for boys and girls. www.tvrcamp.com
	Wilderness Adventures		1-800-533-2281	Variety of summer camps including backpacking. www.wildernessadventures.com
Floating/Fishing	Barker-Ewing Float Trips		307-733-1800	Float trips and combination trips with Wildlife Expeditions. www.barkerewing.com
	Flagg Ranch Company		1-800-443-2311	Float trips and fishing trips. www.gtlic.com/headwaters-lodge.aspx
	Grand Fishing Adventures		307-734-9684	Float trips and fishing trips (Moose to Wilson). www.grandfishing.com
	Grand Teton Fly Fishing		307-690-0910	Guided fishing trips. www.grandtetonflyfishing.com
	Grand Teton Lodge Company		307-543-2811	Float trips and fishing trips: Jackson Lake and Snake River. www.gtlic.com
	Lost Creek Ranch		307-733-3435	Float trips and fishing trips. lostcreek.com
	National Park Float Trips		307-733-5500	Float trips and fishing trips. nationalparkfloattrips.com
	OARS		1-800-346-6277	Multi-day trips. Float trips and kayaking on Jackson Lake. www.oars.com
	Signal Mountain Lodge		307-543-2831	Float trips and fishing trips: Jackson Lake and Snake River. signalmountainlodge.com
	Snake River Anglers		307-733-3699	Float trips and fishing trips. www.snakeriverangler.com
	Solitude Float Trips		307-733-2871	Float trips (private trips available). www.grand-teton-scenic-floats.com
	Triangle X Ranch		307-733-2183	Float trips and fishing trips. trianglerx.com
Medical Services				
	Medical emergencies	Year-round	911	
	St. Johns Medical Center	Year-round	307-733-3636	Located in Jackson. www.tetonhospital.org
	Grand Teton Medical Clinic	May 16–Oct. 9	307-543-2514	Located at Jackson Lake Lodge. Open 10 am–5 pm. grandtetonmedicalclinic.com
Worship Services				
	Interdenominational	May 29–Aug. 28 May 29–Aug. 28 May 22–Sept. 11 May 22–Sept. 11 May 29–Sept. 11 June 5–Aug. 28	307-543-3011	Gros Ventre Campground Amphitheater, Sundays 9:30 am, 7 pm. Jenny Lake Camp Circle, Sundays 8 am. Signal Mountain Campground Amphitheater, Sundays 8 am, 10 am, 7:30 pm. Jackson Lake Lodge, Sundays 8 am, 10 am, 7:30 pm. Colter Bay Village Amphitheater, Sundays 8 am, 10 am, 5:30 pm. Flagg Ranch Campfire Circle, Sundays 8 am, 10 am.
	Episcopal	May 29–Sept. 25	307-733-2603 x102	Chapel of the Transfiguration, Sundays. Services 8 am and 10 am. stjohnsjackson.diowy.org
	Jesus Christ of the Latter Day Saints	May 29–Sept. 4	307-543-2811	Jackson Lake Lodge, Sundays. Sacrament 10 am, 5:30 pm. Sunday school and Priesthood Relief Society based on attendance. www.mormon.org/meetinghouse
	Roman Catholic	June 12–Sept. 25	307-733-2516	Chapel of the Sacred Heart, Sunday mass, 5 pm. 2016 Holy Door Celebrating Jubilee Year of Mercy www.olmcatholic.org

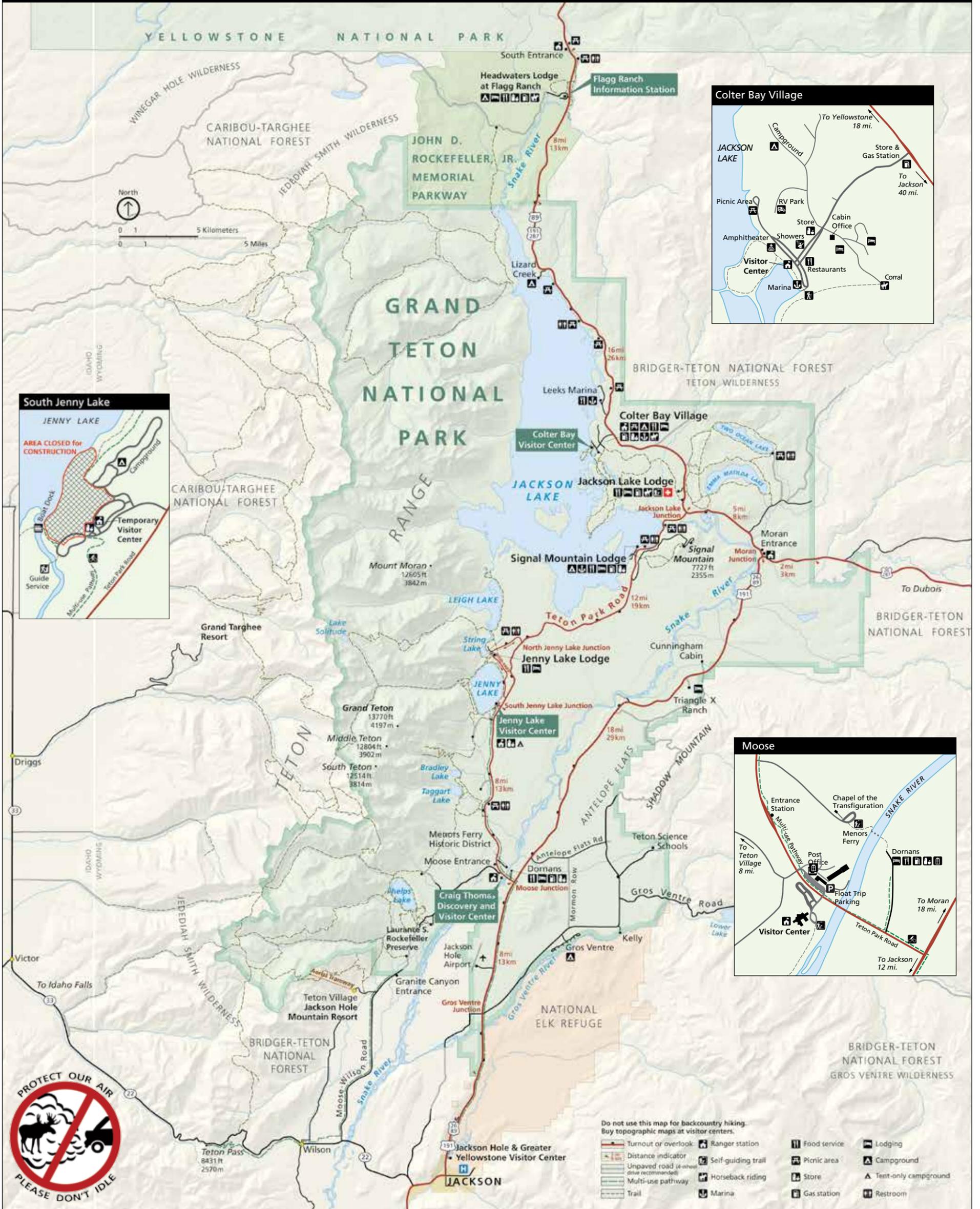
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The Teton Range



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Road Information

Road Work Delays

Road improvements will take place in Grand Teton and Yellowstone national parks throughout the 2016 season. For the most up-to-date information about road construction in Grand Teton National Park call 307-739-3614. For information about Yellowstone roads call 307-344-2117 or visit www.nps.gov/yell/planyourvisit/parkroads.htm. Please stay in your vehicle while in work zones for your

safety and to keep traffic flowing.

Obey Posted Speed Limits

Obey all posted speed limits in construction areas for your safety and the safety of workers. All regular speed limits in the park range between 25 miles-per-hour and 55 miles-per-hour. Speed limits may be reduced in construction zones. Fines for speeding and other violations may increase in construction zones.

Park Watch

Report Suspicious Activity

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