Yosemite National Park

Road Info: Due to construction, you may experience short delays or temporary detours on some park roads. Call 209/372-0200 for recorded road information.

Easy Access to Lower Yosemite Fall

During construction at Lower Yosemite Fall, you are encouraged to park in the designated day-visitor lot at Yosemite Village and take the free shuttle bus as you explore the Valley. Shuttle buses run every 10 minutes from 7:00 a.m. to 10:00 p.m., and are wheelchair lift equipped. See route on map below.

Yosemite Valley Shuttle Bus Map

PARK HERE
- From the Valley take Southside Drive (one way)
- Just beyond Chapel, turn left at the stop sign onto Sentinel Drive
- Drive over the bridge; at stop sign, turn right
- PARKING AREA is located on Northside Drive
- Ride the express shuttle to the Visitor Center

Detailed trail maps are available for purchase at visitor centers and stores throughout the park. See the Yosemite Guide for descriptions of Valley day hikes.

Yosemite Today

August 26 - September 8, 2003

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Where to Go and What to Do in Yosemite National Park Vol. 3  Issue 11

Ride the Free Yosemite Valley Shuttle Bus

SCHEDULE
7:00 a.m. - 10:00 p.m.

1 Yosemite Village/Day Parking
2 Yosemite Village
3 The Ahwahnee
4 Yosemite Village/Degnan’s Complex
5 Visitor Center
6 Lower Yosemite Fall Service ends at 7:30 p.m.
7 Camp 4/Yosemite Falls Trailhead
8 Yosemite Lodge
9 Visitor Center
10 Yosemite Village
11 Sentinel Bridge/Yosemite Chapel
12 Housekeeping Camp/Lembert Meadow
13 Bicycle Rental Stand
14 Curry Village
15 Upper Pines Campground*
16 Happy Isles/John Muir Trailhead*
17 Mirror Lake Junction*
18 Stable*
19 Lower Pines Campground
20 Curry Village
21 Bicycle Rental Stand

*Service ends at 8:30 p.m.
WHERE TO GO

Food & Beverage Service

These hours of operation are approximate. Current hours of operation are posted at each front desk or facility.

**YOSEMITE VILLAGE**

Degnan’s Delicatessen
7:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m.

Degnan’s Café
7:00 a.m. to 10:00 p.m.

The Loft at Degnan’s
Noon to 9:00 p.m.

**YOSEMITE LODGE**

Village Grill
Noon to 9:00 p.m.

**Yosemite Village, Yosemite Lodge, and Curry Village**

Food Court
11:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.

**SNACK STANDS**

Taqueria
8:00 a.m. to 10:00 p.m.

Curry Village Gift/Grocery
9:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

**GROCERIES**

Yosemite Lodge Gift/Grocery
8:00 a.m. to 10:00 p.m.

Village Store
8:00 a.m. to 10:00 p.m.

Degnan’s Delicatessen
8:00 a.m. to 10:00 p.m.

**GIFTS, BOOKS, & APPAREL**

Yosemite Village
The Ansel Adams Gallery
9:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.

Yosemite Bookstore
8:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.

Yosemite Museum Store
9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

Village Store
8:00 a.m. to 10:00 p.m.

Habitat Yosemite
9:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.

Art Activity Center
9:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

Wilderness Center
7:30 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.

Nature Center at Happy Isles
10:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. (closed for lunch)

**SHOERS & LAUNDROMAT**

**SHOERS**

Curry Village
24 hours

Yosemite Village
7:00 a.m. to 10:00 p.m.

**LAUNDROMAT**

Housekeeping Camp
8:00 a.m. to 10:00 p.m.

**RECYCLING**

Village Store Recycling Center
Noon to 5:00 p.m.

**POST OFFICES**

Main Post Office - Yosemite Village
Monday – Friday 8:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.
Saturday 10:00 a.m. to noon

Yosemite Lodge Post Office
Monday – Thursday 11:30 a.m. to 2:30 p.m.
Friday 11:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

Curry Village Post Office
Monday – Friday 2:30 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

**ATM**

Yosemite Village
South of Village Store (Bank of America)

Yosemite Lodge
Inside main registration area

Curry Village
Inside gift/grocery store

**Auto Service, Towing, and Repair (AAA)**

Village Garage
8:00 a.m. to noon, 1:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m.

Towing 24 hours. Propane available until 4:00 p.m.

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Local Outline:

Yosemite Village
Yosemite Lodge
Curry Village

[Map of Yosemite Village, Yosemite Lodge, and Curry Village]

Coffee Corner
8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

Tapaquera
11:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

**GROUNDS & GARDENS**

See page 12 of the Yosemite Guide for a description of Valley trails and day hikes. Detailed trail maps are available for purchase at visitor centers and stores throughout the park.
Valley Visitor Center
Open 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Located in Yosemite Village just west of the main post office (shuttle stop #5 and #9). Information, maps, books, exhibits, and a unique One Day in Yosemite product. TTY (Starting September 2, hours change from 8:00 am to 5:00 pm)

Film
Spirit of Yosemite
This inspiring state-of-the-art visitor orientation film provides a stunning overview of Yosemite’s splendor. It is shown every 30 minutes from Monday to Saturday at 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m., and Sunday noon to 5:30 p.m. in the Visitor Center’s newly remodeled West Auditorium Theater. Closed captiousing available. TTY

Yosemite Museum
Located in Yosemite Village next to the Valley Visitor Center.

Features
Museum Gallery
Open 10:00 a.m. to noon and 1:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m. Historic 19th and 20th century Yosemite landscape paintings from the park’s museum collection.

Indian Cultural Exhibit
Open 9:00 a.m. to noon and 1:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m. Displays interpret the cultural history of Yosemite’s native Miwuk and Paiute people from 1850 to the present. Demonstrations of traditional skills are presented. No food or drink permitted.

Yosemite Museum Store
Open 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Offering traditional American Indian arts and crafts and books on related subjects.

The Indian Village of Ahwahnee
Located behind the Yosemite Museum and open during daylight hours. There is sometimes the opportunity to join Indian Cultural Program staff for demonstrations or programs about Ahwahneece skills and culture.

Yosemite Cemetery
This historic cemetery is located across the street and just west of the Yosemite Museum. People buried here include American Indians and others who played an important role in the development of what is now Yosemite National Park. A Guide to the Yosemite Cemetery is available at the Valley Visitor Center.

Wilderness Center
Open 7:30 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. Located in Yosemite Village between the Ansel Adams Gallery and the post office. One-stop resource for backpackers in need of wilderness permits, bear canister rental, maps, and guidebooks. Displays and information on pre-trip planning, minimum impact camping techniques, and Yosemite’s wilderness. TTY (Starting September 2, hours change from 8:00 am to 5:00 pm)

The Ansel Adams Gallery
Open 9:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. Located in Yosemite Village next to the Valley Visitor Center. The Gallery offers work of Ansel Adams, contemporary photographers, and other fine artists. In addition, handbooks, books, gifts, photography supplies, and cameras/tripod rentals are available. For more information, call the Gallery at 209/372-4413 or visit their web site at www.anseladams.com.

Gallery Exhibit
Continuing
The stunning color photography of Charles Cramer will be our next featured exhibit at the Gallery. Cramer is an acknowledged master of photograph- printing processes and this exhibit will highlight two of the newest techniques. Images from his recent fieldwork will be on display as well as some of his most popular photographs.

Nature Center at Happy Isles
Open 8:00 a.m. to noon, 1:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m. This nature center includes natural history exhibits, interactive displays, and a bookstore geared to nature-exploring for families. Nearby are short trails focusing on the area’s four different environments: forest, meadow, talus, and fen. You can also see substantial evidence of the 1996 rockfall from the Glacier Point cliff above the Nature Center. A new outdoor exhibit details the geologic story of rockfall in Yosemite. The Center is a short walk from shuttle bus stop #14.

LeConte Memorial Lodge
Open Wednesday through Sunday, 10:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. Located at shuttle stop #12. The LeConte Memorial Lodge, Yosemite’s first public visitor center, is operated by the Siesta Club and features a children’s library, a variety of environmental education and evening programs. Stop by and see the ongoing Winds of Wilderness project. For more information, call 209/372-4342.

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Tunnel View After a Storm
Photo by Colleen Brown

Tentative View After a Storm
Photo by Colleen Brown

Tuolumne Meadows

Free Olmsted Point/ Tuolumne/Tioga Pass Shuttle Bus
Free shuttle bus service is available during the summer along the Tioga Road from Olmsted Point to Tuolumne Pass. Due to limited trailhead parking, use of the free shuttle buses is strongly advised.

Shuttle travel
from Tuolumne Meadows Lodge and Olmsted Point with stops along the Tioga Road, including Tuolumne Campground and the Tuolumne Meadows Visitor Center. The shuttle also makes two morning (9:00 a.m. and noon) and two afternoon (1:00 p.m. and 5:00 p.m.) runs to Tioga Pass.

Service begins at Tuolumne Meadows Lodge at 7:00 a.m. Shuttle buses arrive at approximately 30-minute intervals between 8:30 a.m. and 5:30 p.m. The last shuttle bus leaves Tioga Point at 6:00 p.m. Schedules are subject to change. Please check route maps at the Tuolumne Meadows Visitor Center or shuttle bus stops for details.

Just for Kids
Programs for children include Junior Rangers two days a week on Tuesdays and Thursdays and a kids’ campfire program on Wednesday night. Junior Rangers is a 2-hour ranger-led program for children (ages 8-12).

Ranger Walks
Join a ranger to explore new areas and learn about geology, birds, flowers, American Indian history, and more. These walks range from 1 to 2 hours and all but the long walks are fairly easy. Twice a week, longer hikes are offered to lakes, domes, or passes. Wear sturdy shoes, bring water, lunch, and rain gear. End your perfect day with a Music Walk. This easy, early evening stroll will inspire and delight.

Evening Activities
Come help Yosemite Theater celebrate its 21st sea- son! Three shows are performed by live actors on a stage in either the West Auditorium Theater or the East Auditorium behind the Valley Visitor Center (near shuttle stop #5 and #9). Hear the adventuresome stories and antics of John Muir, share the journey by wagon across the plains to California with feisty pioneer Sarah Hawkins, or join the Story Quilts for an evening of storytelling about the nat- ural world. Tickets are $7.50 adult, $3.25 children 12 and under, and are available at the door (seating is available), or from your tour desk. See Scheduled Events pages for dates and times.

Hiking/Trekking:
Ranger Walks
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Programs printed in color are especially for children and their families.

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**Free, informal outdoor classes in various art mediums are available for adults through the Art Activity Center, located at the east end of Yosemite Village next to the Village Store. Each day class begins at 10:00 a.m. and ends at 2:00 p.m.**
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Glacier Point

Ranger Walks
Join a ranger for a walk to discover Yosemite’s unique, tucked-away places. See a pioneer cabin near a beautiful meadow, explore the red fir forest in the Canadian life zone, or hike to a waterfall. See Scheduled Events pages for dates and times.

Evening Programs
Meet a ranger to enjoy the lengthening shadows in Yosemite Valley and the alpenglow on the Sierra high country, or come for the sunset and stay for the moonrise. On some weekends, join a ranger and an astronomical society for a night with telescopes. Meet at the Glacier Point amphitheater after the sunset talk. See Scheduled Events sections for specific dates. Bring warm clothes. On some Saturday evenings, photographers will not want to miss the Alpenglow Photo Shoot, led by representatives from Kodak (in association with Yosemite Concession Services).

See Scheduled Events pages for dates and times.

Illustrations by Lawrence Grodsky

Wawona & Mariposa Grove

Wawona Information Station at Hill’s Studio
Open 8:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Offers information about park activities, wilderness permits, trail information, books, bear canister rentals, and maps. Located on the grounds of the Wawona Hotel, Hill’s Studio was the gallery and art studio of famous 19th century landscape painter, Thomas Hill. Explore the hotel or park at the Wawona Store parking area and follow the path up the hill. For more information call 209/379-9511.

Evening Programs
Come to a REACH! Share in a park tradition by joining a ranger for an hour of stories, legends, and fun. Program topics vary each night and are posted in the Wawona Campground. Meet at the amphitheater in the “B” loop of the campground.

Join pianist/singer Tom Bopp in the Wawona Hotel lobby from 9:30 p.m. to 10:30 p.m. Tuesday through Saturday, as he performs songs and stories from Yosemite’s past. Tom also features presentations with slides, famous Yosemite music, or Wawona history on some Thursday and Saturday nights.

Pioneer Yosemite History Center
See horse-drawn wagons, walk across a covered bridge, and visit historic buildings out of Yosemite’s past. A visit to the Pioneer Yosemite History Center will explain how Yosemite was the inspiration for national parks across America and throughout the world. The Center is always open, and interpretive signs and brochures are available.

Take A Stage Ride
Take a 10-minute ride and experience the adventure of horse-drawn stage travel in Yosemite. Purchase tickets near the Wawona Covered Bridge. $2/adult and $1/child (ages 3-12). See Scheduled Events pages for dates and times.

Half Dome from Glacier Point NPS Photo

To Get to Mariposa Grove
Allow 1½ hours driving time to the Mariposa Grove from Yosemite Valley. Cars are prohibited beyond the parking area in the Grove, but several giant sequoia can be seen from there. Information about access for the disabled is available at the trailhead parking area. The access road to the Grove may close intermittently due to limited parking. Trailers and motor homes are prohibited on the Mariposa Grove Road from the South Entrance to Mariposa Grove.

Free Mariposa Grove & Wawona Shuttle Bus
This shuttle bus stops at the Yosemite South Entrance, Big Oak Flat, and Mariposa Grove. Shuttles operate throughout the day beginning at 9:00 a.m. Last shuttle leaves the Grove at 4:00 p.m. Visitors may park at the Wawona Store to board the shuttle bus. Due to narrow roads and very limited parking, visi- tors are strongly encouraged to use this free bus service to help alleviate congestion and lengthy parking delays.

Walking through the Grove
The trailhead for walking up through the Grove is located at the far end of the parking area. Interpretive signs between the trailhead and the California Tree provide a self-guiding tour. Written translations are available at the trailhead in Spanish, German, French, and Japanese.

Mariposa Grove tram Tour
Trams run every day in the Mariposa Grove of Giant Sequoia for a 1-hour tour through the lower and upper groves. The first tram is at 9:00 a.m. and the last tram is at 5:00 p.m., running every 30 minutes from the boarding area.

Mariposa Grove Museum
Giant sequoia displays and maps, and information open daily 9:45 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Located in the upper portion of the Mariposa Grove.

DISTANCE & ELEVATION

Travel time from Glacier Point: 400 W / 122 m

Giant Sequoia Display

To day

Crane Flat, Big Oak Flat, and White Wolf

Big Oak Flat Information Station
Open 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Station is located just inside the park at the Big Oak Flat Entrance Station (Highway 120 West), and offers park orientation material, trail information, books, and maps. For more information call 209/375-1899.

Wilderness Permits
Open 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Located inside the Information Station. Wilderness permits, trail information, bear canister rental, and limited map sales.

Yosemite’s Other Sequoia Groves
Tuolome Grove
The Tuolome Grove of Giant Sequoias is near Crane Flat at the intersection of the Big Oak Flat Road (Highway 120 West) and the Tuopa Road. The former route of the Big Oak Flat Road leads downhill from Crane Flat into the Tuolome Grove of Big Trees, a cluster of about 25 sequoias. Now closed to cars, this 2-mile (3.2 km) round-trip has an elevation change of 500 feet (150 meters). The downhill walk is relatively easy, though it is moderately strenuous on the uphill return. Once in the Tuolome Grove, there is an easy half-mile, self-guiding nature trail.

Merced Grove
Yosemite’s quietest stand of sequoia is the Merced Grove, accessible only on foot. It’s a 4-mile round-trip hike into the grove from the Big Oak Flat Road (Highway 120 West). Located 3.5 miles north of Crane Flat or 4.5 miles south of the Big Oak Flat entrance, the trailhead is marked by a post labeled B-10 and a road sign. Allow 3 hours for the round-trip hike to this group of about 20 sequoias.

Ranger Programs
Please check the bulletin boards at Crane Flat, Big Oak Flat, and White Wolf for additional upcom- ing ranger programs. (White Wolf: Ranger programs will discontinue on September 5 for the season)

Half Dome from Glacier Point NPS Photo
Food & Beverage Service

WAWONA HOTEL
Dining Room
Breakfast and Buffet – 7:30 a.m. to 10:00 a.m.
Sunday Buffet – 7:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m.
Lunch – 11:30 a.m. to 2:30 p.m.
Dinner – 5:30 p.m. to 9:00 p.m.
Reservations taken for 8 or more. 209/375-1425

GLACIER POINT
Snack Stand
10:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

Grocery

Wawona Grocery Store
8:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m.

Gifts, Books, & Apparel

WAWONA
Wawona Hotel Golf Shop
8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

Pioneer Gift Shop/Grocery
8:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m.

Pioneer Gift Shop & Sport Shop
8:30 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.
209/372-8344 for reservations

Tuolumne Meadows Bookstore
9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.
Inside the Tuolumne Meadows Visitor Center
(Starting September 2, hours change from 8:00 am to 5:00 pm)

Tuolumne Meadows Store
8:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m.

Tuolumne Meadows Visitor Center
9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Shuttle stop #3

Wilderness Center
7:30 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.

Post Office

Tuolumne Meadows Post Office
Monday – Friday: 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.
Saturday: 9:00 a.m. to noon

Gas Station

Tuolumne Meadows Store
8:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m.

Tuolumne Meadows Visitor Center
8:30 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.

Reservations taken for 8 or more. 209/375-1425

WHERE TO GO
Night Sky Information
Take advantage of the opportunities in Yosemite to view the wonders of the night sky. Here are some sights to look for while you are out during the night hours.

- August 28: Mars is opposite the Sun. Mars will appear brighter than anything else in the night sky, except the Moon and Venus.
- August 30: At twilight, a waning crescent Moon appears. Spica will be to the lower left.

September
- The orange planet, Mars, will be visible in the southeastern sky at the right of the Moon.
- September 7: At twilight, Mars is visible to the Moon’s lower left, and later, look for Mars directly to the left of the Moon.
- September 8: Tonight look for Mars and the Moon to cross the sky together.

General Park Information

BICYCLE RENTAL
Daily, weather permitting, with hourly and daily rates. Baby- and wheelchair, and six-speed bikes with trailers. Bikes must be returned by 6:45 p.m.

Yosemite Lodge
8:30 a.m. to 7:00 p.m. at 209/372-1208

Curry Village
Located at shuttle stops #31 at 21
8:30 a.m. to 7:00 p.m. at 209/372-8319

RAFTING
Closed for the season

STABLES
2-hour 4-hour rides daily depart daily. Day rides, private rides, and pack trips into Yosemite’s spectacular wilderness may also be arranged. Private home boarding is available. Call for reservations.

Yosemite Valley
Located at shuttle stop #18
8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. at 209/372-8348

Yosemite Village Tour Kiosk 7:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. at 209/372-8347

SWIMMING POOLS
Yosemite Lodge
10:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.

Lap Swim: 9:00 a.m. to 10:00 a.m., 6:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m.

Curry Village
11:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.

Yosemite Lodge
5:00 a.m. to 10:00 p.m.

Wawona Hotel
9:00 a.m. to dusk

Tours
Guided at tour/transportation desks at the following locations:
Yosemite Lodge Tour Desk
7:30 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.

Yosemite Village Tour Kiosk
7:30 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.

Curry Village Tour Kiosk
9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.

SEEKING TOURS
Valley Floor Tour
This 20-mile, 2-hour tram tour departs at 10:00, 11:00 a.m., and 1:00, 2:00, and 3:30 p.m. from Yosemite Lodge in Yosemite Valley. This one is now conducted by National Park Service Rangers.

Glacier Point Tour
A 4-hour round trip from Yosemite Valley to Glacier Point. The Glacier Point Tour also offers an easy way for visitors to hike back down to Yosemite Valley. Stops are at 8:30, and 10:00 a.m., and 1:30 p.m. daily from Yosemite Lodge.

Big Trees Tram Tour
Trains run every day in the Mariposa Grove of Giant Sequoias for a 1-hour tour through the lower and upper groves. The first tram is at 9:00 a.m. and the last tram is at 5:00 p.m., running every 30 minutes from the lower grove. Call 209/373-1621 for information.

Grand Tour
An 8-hour combination of Big Trees and Glacier Point Tours. Departs 8:45 a.m. daily from Yosemite Lodge.

*Weather permitting

Stable rentals are available for $5 per trip at the Yosemite Village Stables. Dogs must be gentle, over 10 pounds, with proof of shots and rabies. Located at the stable in Yosemite Valley. Dogs must be returned by 6:45 p.m.

General Services

- ATA
- Yosemite Village
- South of Village Store (Bank of America) Inside Village Store
- Yosemite Lodge Inside main registration area
- Curry Village Inside gift/machinery store
- Wawona Inside Wawona Store
- El Portal On Hwy. 140 at Yosemite Village and the El Portal Market

Miscellaneous

Yosemite Mountaineering School and Guide Service
Located at Wawona Store, Tuolumne Meadows Store, and the Hetch Hetchy General Store. Drop bins are available for after-hour returns, as well as wheelchair and six-speed bikes with trailers. Bikes must be returned by 6:45 p.m.

Yosemite Lodge
8:30 a.m. to 7:00 p.m. at 209/372-1208

Curry Village
Located at shuttle stops #33 at 21
8:30 a.m. to 7:00 p.m. at 209/372-8319

RAFTING
Closed for the season

STABLES
2-hour 4-hour rides daily depart daily. Day rides, private rides, and pack trips into Yosemite’s spectacular wilderness may also be arranged. Private home boarding is available. Call for reservations.

Yosemite Valley
Located at shuttle stop #18
8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. at 209/372-8348

Yosemite Village Tour Kiosk 7:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. at 209/372-8347

SWIMMING POOLS
Yosemite Lodge
10:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.

Lap Swim: 9:00 a.m. to 10:00 a.m., 6:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m.

Curry Village
11:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.

Wawona Hotel
9:00 a.m. to dusk

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Guided at tour/transportation desks at the following locations:
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SEEKING TOURS
Valley Floor Tour
This 20-mile, 2-hour tram tour departs at 10:00, 11:00 a.m., and 1:00, 2:00, and 3:30 p.m. from Yosemite Lodge in Yosemite Valley. This one is now conducted by National Park Service Rangers.

Glacier Point Tour
A 4-hour round trip from Yosemite Valley to Glacier Point. The Glacier Point Tour also offers a one-way ticket for adventurers to hike back down to Yosemite Valley. Departs at 8:30, and 10:00 a.m., and 1:30 p.m. daily from Yosemite Lodge.

Big Trees Tram Tour
Trains run every day in the Mariposa Grove of Giant Sequoias for a 1-hour tour through the lower and upper groves. The first tram is at 9:00 a.m. and the last tram is at 5:00 p.m., running every 30 minutes from the lower grove. Call 209/373-1621 for information.

Grand Tour
An 8-hour combination of Big Trees and Glacier Point Tours. Departs 8:45 a.m. daily from Yosemite Lodge.

*Weather permitting

Stable rentals are available for $5 per trip at the Yosemite Village Stables. Dogs must be gentle, over 10 pounds, with proof of shots and rabies. Located at the stable in Yosemite Valley. Dogs must be returned by 6:45 p.m.

Yosemite Lodge
8:30 a.m. to 7:00 p.m. at 209/372-1208

Curry Village
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