# **Bryce Canyon**

National Park Bryce Canyon, Utah 84717 801-834-5322

## ACTIVITY GUIDE AUGUST 11 - SEPTEMBER 2



#### VISITOR CENTER 8 AM TO 8 PM

Information, exhibits, orientation slide program and sales publications.

#### SUNRISE NATURE CENTER 9 AM TO 5 PM

Information, exhibits and sales publication

#### JUNIOR RANGER PROGRAM

Attention children between the ages of 5 and 12! To earn a Junior Ranger certificate and patch, get a Junior Ranger Booklet at the Visitor Center.

#### **BRYCE TOUR**

Tours of Bryce Canyon are given daily from the Bryce Canyon Lodge in a 1938 touring limousine. Tour times are 9:00am, 11:30am, 1:30pm, and 3:30pm. Purchase tickets at the Lodge.

#### **BRYCE - ZION - TRAIL RIDES**

Horseback rides are led daily into the canyon. Sign up for trail rides at the Bryce Canyon Lodge.

### **WORSHIP SERVICES**

IN AND AROUND BRYCE CANYON NATIONAL PARK Catholic, A Christian Ministry in a National Park, and Latter Day Saints Services are offered on a regular basis. Check for current schedule of Services at the Bryce Canyon Lodge, Visitor Center, Nature Center or campground bulletin boards.

#### A FED ANIMAL IS A DEAD ANIMAL

#### FEEDING KILLS WILDLIFE IN MANY WAYS

Some are lured to the roadside where they are hit by passing cars.

Young animals do not develop good feeding skills and starve.

Animals used to humans lose their natural wariness and become easier for predators to kill. Respect their wildness.

Food storing skills are not learned and animals starve during winter months.

Snack foods, many of which are not healthy for humans, are certainly not healthy for wild animals.



Animals may bite, scratch or otherwise harm the feeder and have to be destroyed. Keep your distance for their safety as well as yours.

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IT IS AGAINST THE LAW, SUBJECT TO A \$50 FINE.

ACTIVITY	SUN	MON	TUE	WED	тни	FRI	SAT
NAVAJO LOOP TRAIL HIKE Descend to the bottom of the canyon. Walk through Wall Street and see towering Douglas firs. 2 hrs moderately strenuous - 1.5 miles. Meet at Sunset Point.	8:30am		8:30am	8:30am	8:30am		8:30am
MORNING ORIENTATION Wondering how to see the park? Come and learn how to explore Bryce Canyon. 15 min. Meet at Visitor Center Auditorium.	9:30am	9:30am	9:30am	9:30am	9:30am	9:30am	9:30am
PRAIRIE DOG WALK Stroll through a meadow community, visit a prairie dog town and learn more about this fascinating threatened species. 1 hour - easy - 1/2 mile - Meet at Visitor Center. Bring binoculars.		10:00am	10:00am	10:00am		10:00am	10:00am
GEOLOGY OF BRYCE A 20 minute talk explains why Bryce Canyon looks the way it does. Meet at Sunset Point.	11:30am	11:30am	11:30am	11:30am	11:30am	11:30am	11:30am
GRAND STAIRCASE A 20 minute talk explains how Bryce Canyon fits into this region known as the "Grand Staircase." Meet at Yovimpa Point.		ntoin, n	1: 00pm	1:00pm			1:00pm
QUEEN'S GARDEN HIKE Hike down one of the easiest trails into the canyon and see colorful, delicate formations. 2 hrs moderately strenuous - 1.5 miles Meet at Sunrise Nature Center.	TW3	1:30pm	STAN THE	1:30pm		1:30pm	
BRISTLECONE LOOP WALK Walk along the plateau top, discuss air quality and other park issues. Learn about the fir-spruce community and bristlecone pine . 1 1/2 hrs easy - 1 mile - Meet at Rainbow Point.	110	12.51	2:30pm	2:30pm			2:30pm
RIM WALK Enjoy a stroll along the canyon rim. Learn more about the history, geology, and vegetation. 1 hour - easy - 1 ml. Meet at Bryce Canyon Lodge.	4:00pm	4:00pm	4:00pm	4:00pm	4:00pm	4:00pm	4:00pm
JUST FOR KIDS Join a ranger for a variety of nature activities just for children ages 5-12. Meet at Sunset Amphitheater. Sign-up required at Visitor Center. Please be on time.	6:00pm	6:00pm	6:00pm		6:00pm		6:00pm
EVENING PROGRAM - VISITOR CENTER Meet in the Visitor Center for a slide illustrated talk. Topics are posted on amphitheaters, campground and Visitor Center bulletin boards.	8:00pm no program Aug. 18	8:00pm	8:00pm	8:00pm	8:00pm	8:00pm	8:00pm
EVENING PROGRAM - AMPHITHEATER Meet in the North or Sunset campground amphitheaters for a slide illustrated talk. Topics are posted on amphitheaters, campground and Visitor Center bulletin boards. Sunset campground amphitheater is Dress warmly and bring a blanket.	2.531	North 9:00pm There	Sunset 9:00pm will be <u>NO</u> Sunday e		ater prog	rams on	
NIGHT SKIES AT BRYCE Bryce's clean air offers excellent views of the stars, planets and other astronomical features. Bring binoculars and dress warmly. 1 1/2 hrs Meet at Sunset Point.	9:00pm Aug.11 Aug.25						
MOONLIGHT WALK Hike down into the canyon and view the hoodoos bathed in moonlight. 1 1/2 hrs moderately strenuous - 1.5 miles. Tickets required (check at Visitor Center for availability) - Dress warmly.					9:00pm Aug.22		9:00pm Aug.24
STAR PARTY Join the staff of Hansen Planetarium for a special party celebrating Bryce's spectacular night skies. 2 1/2 hrs Meet in Visitor Center auditorium and dress warmly.	8:30pm Aug.18						
QUEEN'S GARDEN SELF GUIDING TRAIL At your leisure take a 1.5 mile walk among the hoodoos. Purchase guide at Nature Center or Visitor Center.	*	*	*	*	*	*	*