

Boat Tour

Curecanti
National Recreation
Area, Colorado

Reservations and Boarding Information

The fiord-like canyon setting of Morrow Point Lake is a viewing experience not soon forgotten. A 40-foot scenic cruiser with space for 30 passengers takes you nearly the full length of the lake on a three-hour round trip tour. The boat operates daily from Memorial Day weekend to Labor Day. Schedules and map are shown on the reverse side.

A park ranger on board narrates your trip, noting natural features and reminiscing of early day travel on the Denver and Rio Grande narrow gauge railroad, the "Scenic Line of the World."

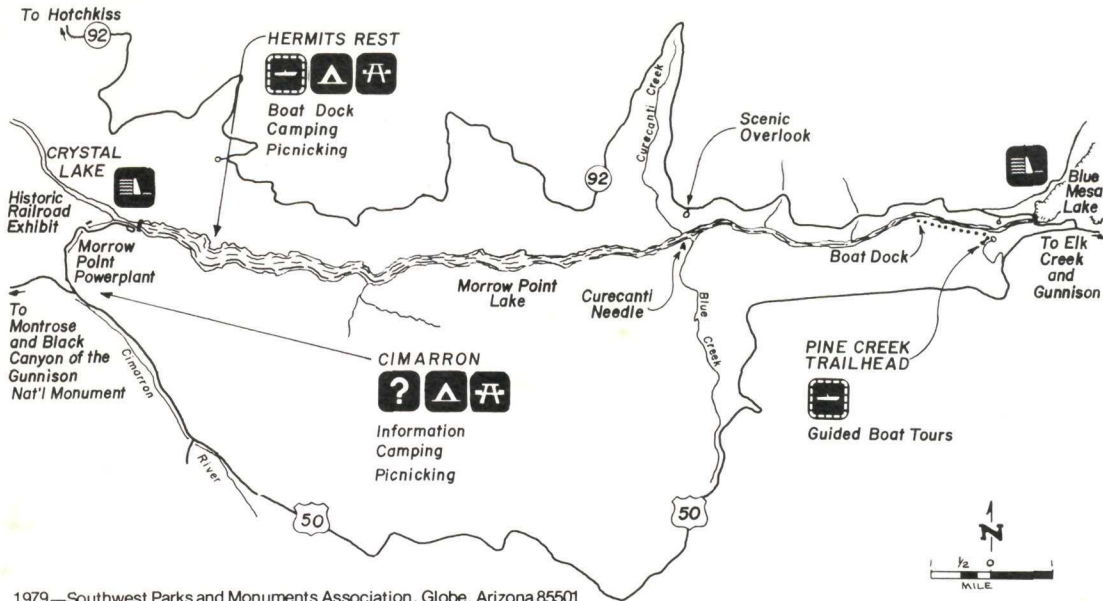
All seats are reserved at the Elk Creek Visitor Center or by calling (303) 641-0403. Reservations are accepted up to three days in advance. Standby seating on a first-come, first-served basis for seats not claimed may be available at the tour boat.

Starting point of the tour is the Pine Creek boat dock. Drive one mile west of Blue Mesa Dam on US 50 to the Pine Creek access road which leads to a one-mile foot trail to the dock. The first one-eighth mile drops steeply (234 steps) and is very strenuous on the return. The lower part of the trail follows the

narrow gauge railroad bed along the Gunnison River.

Snacks and non-alcoholic beverages are permitted on the boat, but not pets. Restrooms are located on board and at Pine Creek and Hermit's Rest where the boat stops before the return trip.

National Park Service, U.S. Department of the Interior



Schedule

Morning Tour

Depart
Pine Creek Dock 10:00 a
Return 12:45 p

Afternoon Tour

Depart
Pine Creek Dock 1:30 p
Return 4:15 p
Be at the dock 15 minutes
prior to departure

Fees

\$2 Adult
\$1 Child (under 12)

No charge for children-in-arms. Golden Age Passport applies.