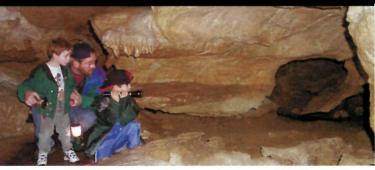
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Oregon Caves 2007 Season





The monument offers an opportunity to explore a cave, hike through the forest, tour the historic lodge, and participate in Ranger guided activities.

2007 Cave Tour Schedule

March 24 - May 25	10:00 AM - 4:00 PM	On the hour
May 26 - June 22	9:00 AM - 5:00 PM	On the hour
June 23 - Sept 3	9:00 AM - 6:00 PM	Every half hour
Sept 4 - Oct 8	9:00 AM - 5:00 PM	On the hour
Oct 9 - Oct 21	10:00 AM - 4:00 PM	On the hour
Oct 22 - Nov 25	10:00 AM - 4:00 PM	(10, 12, 2, 4) Closed Thanksgiving day

Fees

17 years and above	\$8.50 per person
16 years and under	\$6.00 per person
Children must be 42 inches tall to go on the tou	ir (see below)

Nov 26 - Mar 2008 No Cave Tours Offered - Cave Closed

About the Tour

The 90 minute cave tour is considered moderately strenuous and is not recommended for people with heart, breathing, or walking problems. The half mile (1 km) route includes more than 500 stairs, most of which are steep and uneven. Low passageways require stooping and twisting. The temperature inside the cave is 42°F (6°C) year round.

Be Prepared

Be sure to wear warm clothing and comfortable walking shoes. Cameras with flash units are allowed. Backpacks and tripods are not permitted in the cave due to low ceilings and narrow passageways. The cave is lighted and personal flashlights are not necessary.

Children

Children must be at least 42 inches tall to go on the full tour of the cave.



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Off-trail Cave Tours

Off-trail cave tours are offered during summer months only. Tours are limited. Contact the monument for more information.

Accessibility

Only the first room of the cave is accessible to wheelchairs.

Avoid Long Waits

Arriving early in the day during July and August will help you avoid long waits for a tour. On busy days, there are a variety of activities to do while you wait for your tour including Ranger conducted walks and talks, tours of the historic lodge, short loop trails through the forest and a Junior Ranger program for children.

Food and Lodging

Food and lodging are available in the historic Oregon Caves Chateau, a National Historic Landmark. Dining services, gift gallery and lodging are open from mid-May through mid-October. Lodging information or reservations: 541-592-3400.

Hours of operation and fee rates subject to change.



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