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Yosemite Today

May 28 - June 10, 2008

Yosemite National Park

ROAD INFO

Construction may cause short delays or detours on some park roads. Call 209/372-0200 for recorded road information.

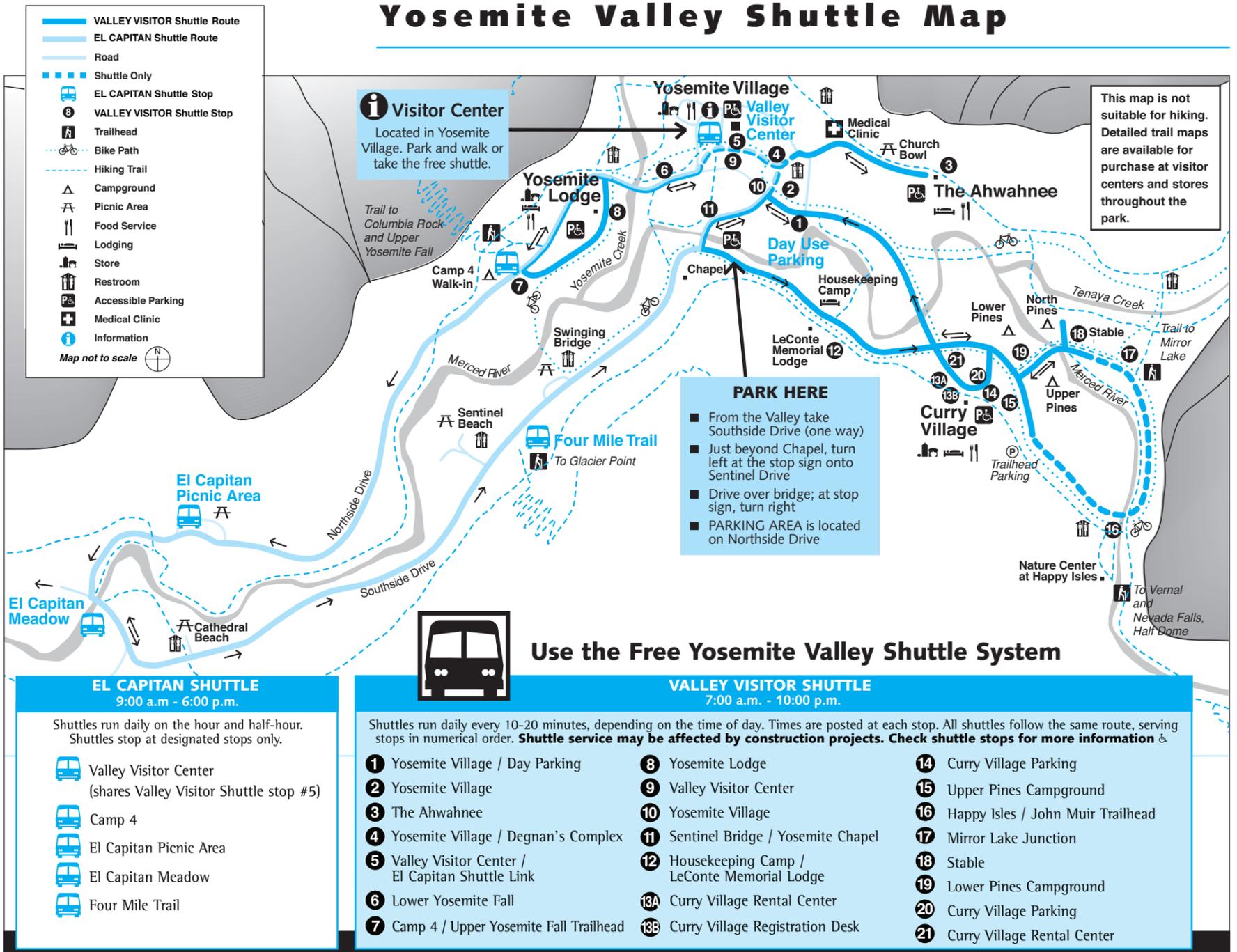
YOSEMITE AREA REGIONAL TRANSPORTATION SYSTEM



YARTS bus stops are located in Yosemite Valley at The Ahwahnee, Curry Village, Valley Visitor Center, and Yosemite Lodge. For bus schedules to and from the Yosemite area, call 1-877-98-YARTS, or visit YARTS online at www.yarts.com.



Yosemite Valley Shuttle Map



This map is not suitable for hiking. Detailed trail maps are available for purchase at visitor centers and stores throughout the park.

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

EL CAPITAN SHUTTLE

9:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m.
Shuttles run daily on the hour and half-hour. Shuttles stop at designated stops only.

- Valley Visitor Center (shares Valley Visitor Shuttle stop #5)
- Camp 4
- El Capitan Picnic Area
- El Capitan Meadow
- Four Mile Trail

VALLEY VISITOR SHUTTLE

7:00 a.m. - 10:00 p.m.
Shuttles run daily every 10-20 minutes, depending on the time of day. Times are posted at each stop. All shuttles follow the same route, serving stops in numerical order. Shuttle service may be affected by construction projects. Check shuttle stops for more information &

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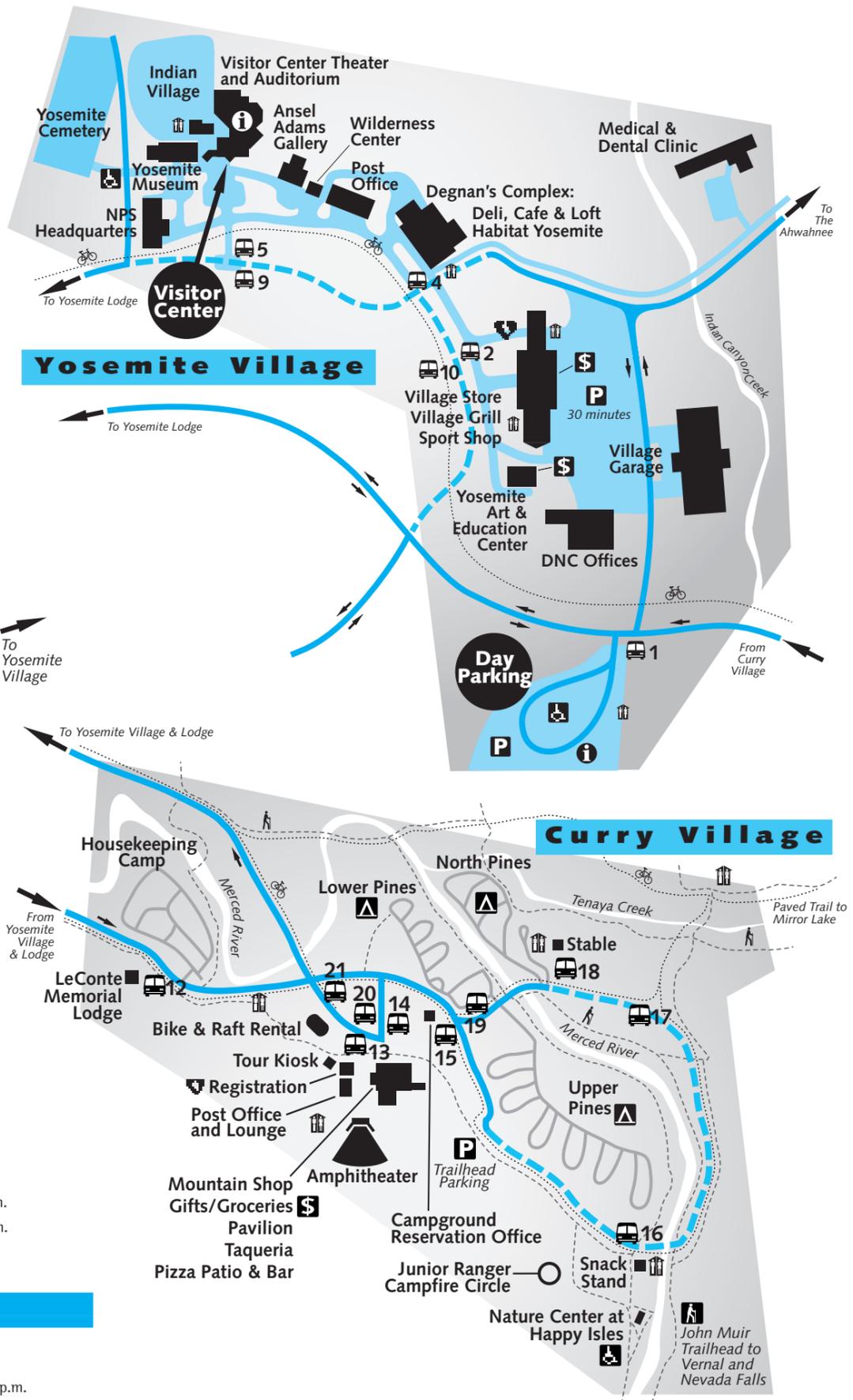
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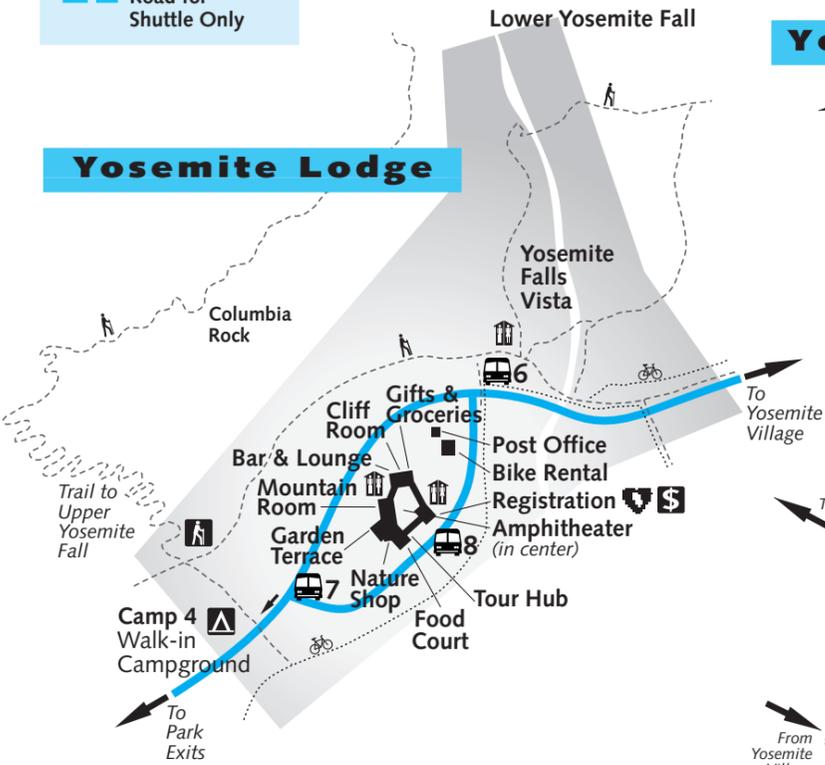
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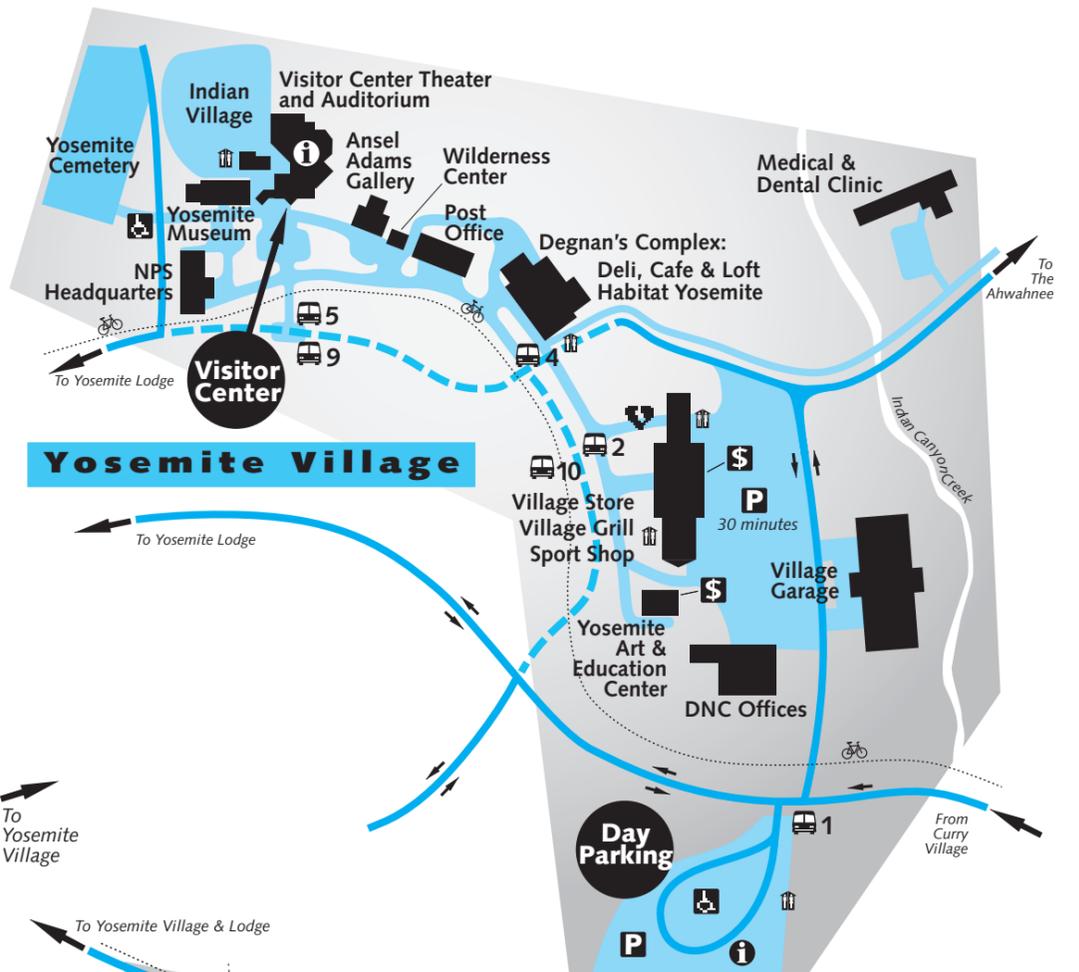
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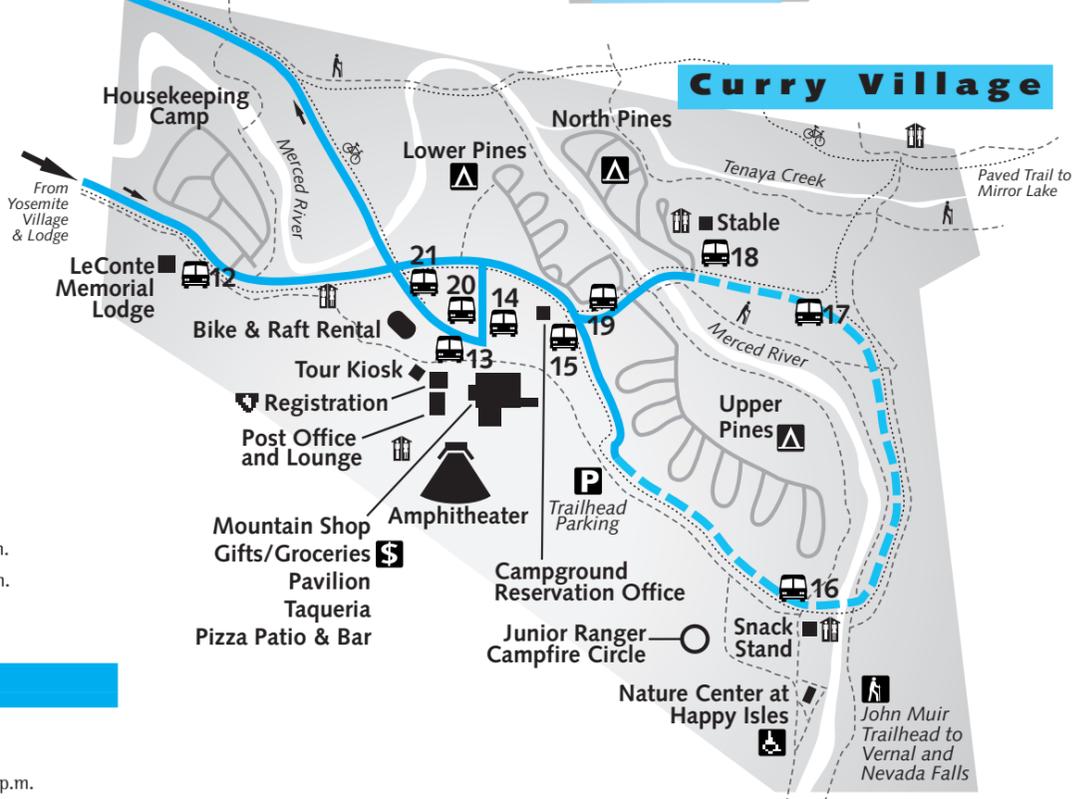
Yosemite Lodge



Yosemite Village



Curry Village



Food & Beverage Services

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

YOSEMITE VILLAGE

Degnan's Loft

Monday - Friday 5:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m.
Saturday - Sunday noon to 9:00 p.m.

Degnan's Delicatessen

7:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

Degnan's Cafe

7:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

Village Grill

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

YOSEMITE LODGE

Coffee Corner

6:30 a.m. to 8:30 p.m.

Food Court

Breakfast 6:30 a.m. to 11:00 a.m.

Lunch 11:30 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.

Dinner 5:00 p.m. to 8:30 p.m.

Mountain Room Lounge

Monday - Friday 4:30 p.m. to 11:00 p.m.

Saturday - Sunday noon to 11:00 p.m.

Mountain Room Restaurant

5:30 p.m. to 9:30 p.m.

Reservations for parties of 8 or more are recommended. 209/372-1281

Cone Stand at the Pool

10:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m., *weather permitting*

THE AHWAHNEE

Dining Room

Breakfast 7:00 a.m. to 10:30 a.m.

Lunch 11:30 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.

Dinner 5:30 p.m. to 9:00 p.m.

Sunday Brunch 7:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.

Appropriate attire is respectfully requested for dinner. Reservations are recommended for dinner and Sunday Brunch. 209/372-1489

The Ahwahnee Bar

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

CURRY VILLAGE

Guest Lounge

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

Coffee Corner

6:00 a.m. to 10:00 p.m.

with ice cream service

Curry Village Bar

Noon to 10:00 p.m.

Pavilion Buffet

Breakfast 7:00 a.m. to 10:00 a.m.

Dinner 5:30 p.m. to 8:00 p.m.

Pizza Deck

Noon to 10:00 p.m.

Taqueria

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

Happy Isles Snack Stand

11:00 a.m. to 7:00 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

7:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

Housekeeping Camp Grocery

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

Curry Village Gift/Grocery

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 Art & Education Center

9:00 a.m. to noon, 1:00 p.m. to 4:30 p.m.

Yosemite Bookstore

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

Inside Valley Visitor Center

Yosemite Museum Store

9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

Valley Wilderness Center

8:00 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 5:00 p.m.

Sport Shop

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

YOSEMITE LODGE

Gift/Grocery

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

Nature Shop

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

NATURE CENTER AT HAPPY ISLES

9:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

THE AHWAHNEE

Gift Shop

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

Sweet Shop

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

CURRY VILLAGE

Mountain Shop

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

Gift/Grocery

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

Showers & Laundromat

SHOWERS

Curry Village

24 hours

Housekeeping Camp

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

Tuesday, Thursday, and Saturday

Noon to 4:00 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 - Friday 11:30 a.m. to 2:45 p.m.

El Portal Post Office

Monday - Friday 8:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m., 1:30 p.m. to 5:00 p.m.

ATM

Yosemite Village

South of Village Store (Bank of America)

Inside Village Store

Yosemite Lodge

Inside main registration area

Curry Village

Inside gift/grocery store

El Portal

On Highway 140 at the Yosemite View Lodge

Gas Station (outside Yosemite Valley)

El Portal

9:00 a.m. to noon, 1:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m.

Diesel available.

Pay at the pump 24 hours with credit or debit card.

Auto Service, Towing, and Repair (AAA)

Village Garage

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

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

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What's Happening In

Yosemite Today

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Yosemite Valley

Valley Visitor Center and Bookstore

Open 9:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. and located in Yosemite Village just west of the main post office (shuttle stops #5 and #9), the visitor center offers information, maps, and books.

Explore the exhibit hall and learn how Yosemite's spectacular landscape was formed, how people have interacted with it through the centuries, how wildlife adapts and survives, and how your national park continues to evolve. ♿ TTY

FILM

Spirit of Yosemite

This inspiring visitor-orientation film provides a stunning overview of Yosemite's splendor. It is shown every 30 minutes Monday through Saturday 9:30 a.m. to 5:30 p.m., and Sunday noon to 5:30 p.m. in the Valley Visitor Center Theater. ♿

Yosemite Museum

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

FEATURES

Museum Gallery Open 10 a.m. to noon and 1:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m. The gallery offers a variety of exhibits throughout the year.

Granite Frontiers: A Century of Yosemite Climbing

June 7 - October 27

This exhibit focuses on Yosemite's extensive rock climbing history -- featuring artifacts, movies, and stories covering the development of this popular activity. Beginning with John Muir's ascent of Cathedral Peak in 1869, the exhibit explores the challenges of reaching the heights. Over time, this has included the need for better equipment and techniques, and has led to the two hour and forty-five minute ascent of El Capitan. This exhibit is sponsored by The Yosemite Fund and is being produced by the Yosemite Climbing Association (YCA) in cooperation with the National Park Service.

"As I hammered in the last bolt and staggered over the rim, it was not at all clear to me who was conqueror and who was conquered: I do recall that El Cap seemed to be in much better condition than I was." - Warren Harding, 1959

Opening reception:

June 6 4:30 p.m. - 6:30 p.m.

Indian Cultural Exhibit

Open 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m., the exhibit interprets the cultural history of Yosemite's native Miwok 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., the store offers 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, the village offers exhibits on Ahwahneechee life. ♿

Yosemite Cemetery

This historic cemetery is located across the street 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. *Guide to the Yosemite Cemetery* is available at the Valley Visitor Center.

Valley Wilderness Center

Open 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. and located in Yosemite Village next to The Ansel Adams Gallery, the center offers Wilderness permits, bear canisters, maps, and guidebooks. Information on pre-trip planning, minimum-impact camping, and Yosemite's Wilderness is also available. ♿

Yosemite Theatre Live

Join us for Yosemite Theatre! Shows are presented live onstage in the Valley Visitor Center Theater. Hear tales of John Muir or Buffalo Soldier Eliza Boman, or see renowned climber Ron Kauk, as filmed by Sterling Johnson. Tickets cost \$8 for adults and \$4 for children 12 and under and are sold in advance at any tour desk, or at the door (if available). See schedule above for dates and times. ♿

The Ansel Adams Gallery

Located in Yosemite Village next to the Valley Visitor Center and open daily from 9:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m., the gallery offers the work of Ansel Adams, contemporary photographers, and other fine artists. In addition,



Jules Eichorn, rappelling 1930s

YCA Collection.

Granite Frontiers: A Century of Yosemite Climbing (details at left)

handcrafts, books, gifts, digital services, and photography supplies are available. Scheduled activities are listed on the front porch. For more information, call 209/372-4413, or visit www.anseladams.com.

GALLERY EXHIBIT

Charles Cramer Through May 30

Exquisite color photographs from Yosemite and beyond.

Michael Frye: Contrast May 31 - July 15

A mixture of traditional straight landscapes, high-key images, and nighttime work.

Wednesday Night Art in the Village

5:00 p.m. - 6:30 p.m. Explore Yosemite through the eyes of an artist at the Yosemite Art and Education Center and The Ansel Adams Gallery, which will be celebrating and showcasing art in Yosemite with local refreshments and cheeses.

Day-Use Parking Information Station

Located in the day-use parking area, and open 10:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. (closed for lunch), the station offers information about Yosemite.

LeConte Memorial Lodge

Open Wednesday through Sunday, 10:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m., and located at shuttle stop #12. LeConte Memorial Lodge, Yosemite's first public visitor center, is operated by the Sierra Club and features a children's corner, library, and a variety of environmental education and evening programs. For more information, call 209/372-4542.

Nature Center at Happy Isles

Open 9:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Designed for nature-exploring families, this center offers natural history exhibits, interactive displays, field guides, and maps. Nearby are short trails through the area's forest, river, and fen environments. Evidence of the huge 1996 rockfall from the Glacier Point cliff is visible above. The center is a short walk from shuttle stop #16. ♿

Tuolumne Meadows

Check locally for possible program postings

Tuolumne Meadows Visitor Center

Opening date pending

Open 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Park orientation, trail information, books, maps, and displays. Phone 209/372-0263 ♿

Parsons Memorial Lodge, McCauley Cabin and Soda Springs

Two trails, both flat and 3/4-mile long, lead to this historic area accessible only by walking. Soda Springs are small, naturally carbonated springs that attract birds and deer, especially at sunrise and sunset.

Free Olmsted Point/Tuolumne/Tioga Pass Shuttle Bus

Opens for season June 6

Free shuttle bus service is available during the summer along the Tioga Road from Olmsted Point to Tioga Pass. Due to limited trailhead parking, use of the free shuttle buses is strongly advised. Shuttles travel between 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 morning

and afternoon 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 Olmsted 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.

Tuolumne Meadows Wilderness Center

Opens along with Tioga Road

Open 8:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. (closed for lunch). Located just south of Tioga Road, along the road to Tuolumne Lodge, at shuttle stop #3. The center offers trail information, Wilderness permits, bear canister rental, maps, and guidebooks. ♿



Mammoth Peak as seen from Soda Springs in Tuolumne Meadows

Photo by G. Born

Illustration by Lawrence Ormsby

Indicates facilities accessible to visitors in wheelchairs. Short, steep inclines may be encountered.

WHAT TO DO

Programs printed in color are especially for children and their families.

- NPS = National Park Service
- DNC = DNC Parks & Resorts at Yosemite, Inc.
- AAG = The Ansel Adams Gallery
- AAC = American Alpine Club
- APN = American Park Network
- SC = Sierra Club
- YA = Yosemite Association
- YMS = Yosemite Mountaineering School
- YF = Yosemite Fund
- \$ = Programs offered for a fee

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 Assistive Listening Devices are available upon advance request. Inquire at any Yosemite visitor center.

Join the Habitat Protectors

Fridays, 9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.
Yosemite Valley Visitor Center

Join National Park Service restoration efforts. Volunteers will work on restoration projects and learn about efforts and help restore the Valley. All ages welcome; those under the age of 16 must be accompanied by an adult. All volunteers must wear long pants and closed-toe boots. Long sleeves, water, snacks, and sunblock are recommended. Groups larger than ten are required to pre-register. To learn more, please contact Marielle DeBree at 209/379-3286 or Marielle_Debree@nps.gov

National Trails Day

Saturday, June 7, 2008
11:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.

Join park staff in front of the Visitor Center for information and activities.

2:00 p.m. - 3:30 p.m.
Walk at Lower Yosemite Falls
Meet at Lower Yosemite Fall Shuttle stop #6

8:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m.
Evening Program
Search and Rescue
Curry Village Amphitheater

Free Art Classes

The Yosemite Art & Education Center is open 9:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. daily (closed for lunch) and offers a free art class daily Monday through Saturday beginning at 10:00 a.m. until 2:00 p.m. Children under 12 must be accompanied by an adult. Be prepared for a short walk to the painting site, and bring something to sit on. Bring your own supplies, or buy them at the center, located near the Village Store. Please register in advance. 209/372-1442



May 25 - May 31
Roger Folk
Watercolor

June 1 - June 7
John McClary
Pen & Watercolor

June 9 - June 14
Janice Powell Shedd
Watercolor

Scheduled Events

	SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY
Yosemite Valley	<p>8:00am Coffee with a Ranger ½ hr. Bring a mug. Lower Pines Campground Amphitheater (NPS) &</p> <p>9:30am Discovery Hike- Vernal Fall Bridge 3½ hrs. Curry Village Mountaineering School Tickets/info at any tour desk (YMS) \$</p> <p>10:00am Ranger Stroll – Rivers and Waterfalls 1½ hrs. Lower Yosemite Fall Shuttle stop #6 (NPS)</p> <p>1:30pm Cliffs and Climbers Hike 2½ hrs. Curry Village Tickets/info at any tour desk (YMS) \$</p> <p>3:00pm Ranger Stroll – Bears 1½ hrs. Lower Pines Campground Amphitheater (NPS)</p> <p>3:30pm JUNIOR RANGER WALK 1 hr. Nature Center at Happy Isles, near shuttle stop #16 (NPS)</p> <p>6:45pm WEE WILD ONES 45 min. Stories & activities for kids 6 and under. Curry Village Amphitheater (DNC)</p> <p>7:00pm LeConte Memorial Lodge: OPEN HOUSE (June 1 only) 2 hrs. Shuttle stop #12 (SC)</p> <p>8:00pm LeConte Memorial Lodge: Mail Must Go Through – Postal Delivery in Yosemite (June 8 only) 1 hr. Shuttle stop #12 (SC)</p> <p>Yosemite Theatre LIVE: Return to Balance - High Definition Rock Climbing Film (except June 8) 1½ hrs. Visitor Center Theater Tickets/info. at any tour desk or at door (DNC) & \$</p> <p>8:30pm Ranger Program 1 hr. Lower Pines Campground Amphitheater (NPS) &</p> <p>Evening Program 1 hr. Yosemite Lodge Amphitheater Check local postings for topic (DNC) &</p> <p>Evening Program 1 hr. Curry Village Amphitheater Check local postings for topic (DNC) &</p>	<p>8:00am Coffee with a Ranger ½ hr. Bring a mug. Lower Pines Campground Amphitheater (NPS) &</p> <p>Naturalist Walks: A Yosemite Birdwalk 2½ hrs. Yosemite Art and Education Center (YA) \$</p> <p>9:00am Bike to Hike Tour 2½ hrs. Curry Village bike stand Tickets/info at any tour desk (YMS) \$</p> <p>10:00am Ranger Stroll –Yosemite's First People 1½ hrs. Front of Yosemite Museum (NPS) &</p> <p>Art Class 4 hrs. Yosemite Art and Education Center See details at left (YA)</p> <p>Photography Walk (June 9 only) 2 hrs. Limited space Meet at Yosemite Lodge (Canon/APN)</p> <p>WEE WILD ONES (June 9 only) 45 min. Stories & activities for kids 6 and under. Curry Village Amphitheater (DNC)</p> <p>1:00pm Photography Walk (June 9 only) 2 hrs. Limited space Meet at Yosemite Lodge (Canon/APN)</p> <p>2:00pm Discovery Hike – Sentinel Dome & Taft Point 4 hrs. Curry Village Tickets/info at any tour desk (YMS) \$</p> <p>Curry Village History Walk (June 9 only) 1½ hrs. Curry Village Amphitheater (DNC)</p> <p>3:00pm Ranger Stroll – Bears 1½ hrs. Lower Pines Campground Amphitheater (NPS)</p> <p>3:30pm JUNIOR RANGER WALK 1 hr. Nature Center at Happy Isles, near shuttle stop #16 (NPS)</p> <p>8:00pm Yosemite Theatre LIVE: Yosemite Through the Eyes of a Buffalo Soldier, 1904 1½ hrs. Visitor Center Theater Tickets/info. at any tour desk or at door (DNC) & \$</p> <p>8:30pm Ranger Program 1 hr. Lower Pines Campground Amphitheater (NPS) &</p> <p>Evening Program 1 hr. Yosemite Lodge Amphitheater Check local postings for topic (DNC/APN) &</p> <p>Evening Program 1 hr. Curry Village Amphitheater Check local postings for topic (DNC) &</p>	<p>8:00am Coffee with a Ranger ½ hr. Bring a mug. Lower Pines Campground Amphitheater (NPS) &</p> <p>9:00am Photography Walk 2 hrs. Limited space. Reservations required Sign up/meet at The Ansel Adams Gallery Conditions permitting (AAG)</p> <p>9:30am Adventure Hike – Vernal & Nevada Falls 6 hrs. Curry Village Mountaineering School Tickets/info at any tour desk (YMS) \$</p> <p>10:00am Ranger Stroll – Trees 1½ hrs. Ahwahnee shuttle stop #3 (NPS)</p> <p>Art Class 4 hrs. Yosemite Art and Education Center See details at left (YA)</p> <p>12:00pm Yosemite Forum: Administrative History of Yosemite (June 10 only) 1 hr. Yosemite Valley Visitor Center Auditorium (NPS) &</p> <p>1:00pm Yosemite Theatre LIVE: RANGER NED'S BIG ADVENTURE 1 hr. Curry Village Tickets/info at any tour desk (DNC) \$</p> <p>3:00pm Ranger Stroll – Bears 1½ hrs. Lower Pines Campground Amphitheater (NPS)</p> <p>3:30pm JUNIOR RANGER WALK 1 hr. Nature Center at Happy Isles, near shuttle stop #16 (NPS)</p> <p>5:30pm Twilight Stroll (June 10 only) 1 hr. Meets on The Ahwahnee back lawn (DNC)</p> <p>8:00pm Yosemite Theatre LIVE: John Muir is Back – and Boy, is he Ticked Off! 1½ hrs. Visitor Center Theater Tickets/info. at any tour desk or at door (DNC) \$</p> <p>8:30pm Ranger Program 1 hr. Lower Pines Campground Amphitheater (NPS) &</p> <p>Evening Program 1 hr. Yosemite Lodge Amphitheater Check local postings for topic (DNC) &</p> <p>Evening Program 1 hr. Curry Village Amphitheater Check local postings for topic (DNC) &</p> <p>9:00pm STARRY SKIES OVER YOSEMITE VALLEY (June 10 only) 1 – 1½ hrs. Tickets/info at any tour desk (DNC) \$</p>
Wawona Mariposa Grove	<p>8:00am Coffee with a Ranger 45 min. Bring a mug Wawona Campground Amphitheater (NPS) &</p> <p>10:00am Nature Walk in the Mariposa Grove 1½ hrs. Lower Grove trailhead (NPS)</p> <p>2:00pm Nature Walk in the Mariposa Grove 1½ hrs. Lower Grove trailhead (NPS)</p>	<p>8:00am Coffee with a Ranger 45 min. Bring a mug Wawona Campground Amphitheater (NPS) &</p> <p>10:00am Nature Walk in the Mariposa Grove 1½ hrs. Lower Grove trailhead (NPS)</p> <p>2:00pm Nature Walk in the Mariposa Grove 1½ hrs. Lower Grove trailhead (NPS)</p>	<p>8:00am Coffee with a Ranger 45 min. Bring a mug Wawona Campground Amphitheater (NPS) &</p> <p>10:00am Nature Walk in the Mariposa Grove 1½ hrs. Lower Grove trailhead (NPS)</p> <p>2:00pm Nature Walk in the Mariposa Grove 1½ hrs. Lower Grove trailhead (NPS)</p> <p>5:30pm Vintage Music of Yosemite 4 hrs. Live music with pianist/singer Tom Bopp Wawona Hotel lounge (DNC)</p>
Hetch Hetchy Big Oak Flat Crane Flat		10:00am Ranger Hike – Explore Hetch Hetchy 2½ hrs. Meet at O'Shaughnessy Dam Bring water (NPS)	
Tuolumne Meadows	Check local postings for program schedule.		
Glacier Point	<p>2:00pm Ranger Walk – Cliffs and Domes 2 hrs. Taft Point/Sentinel Dome parking area on Glacier Point Road (NPS)</p> <p>8:00pm Sunset Ranger Talk ½ hr. Glacier Point railing, overlooking the Valley (NPS) &</p>		

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WEDNESDAY

THURSDAY

FRIDAY

SATURDAY

8:00am **Coffee with a Ranger**
1/2 hr. Bring a mug. Lower Pines Campground Amphitheater (NPS) &

9:00am **Naturalist Walks: Waterfall Wednesday**
2 1/2 hrs. Yosemite Art and Education Center (YA) \$

Bike to Hike Tour
2 1/2 hrs. Curry Village bike stand
Tickets/info at any tour desk (YMS) \$

10:00am **Ranger Stroll – Geology**
1 1/2 hrs. Front of Yosemite Valley Visitor Center (NPS) &

Art Class
4 hrs. Yosemite Art and Education Center
See details at left (YA)

1:00pm **NPS Open House**
(May 28 only)
4 hrs. Come and learn about park improvement efforts Valley Visitor Center Auditorium (NPS) &

2:00pm **Discovery Hike – Vernal Fall Bridge**
3 1/2 hrs. Curry Village Mountaineering School. Tickets/info at any tour desk (YMS) \$

3:00pm **Ranger Stroll – Bears**
1 1/2 hrs. Lower Pines Campground Amphitheater (NPS)

3:30pm **JUNIOR RANGER WALK**
1 hr. Nature Center at Happy Isles, near shuttle stop #16 (NPS)

4:30pm **LeConte Memorial Lodge: An Inconvenient Truth**
(May 28 only)
1 hr. Shuttle stop #12 (SC)

5:00pm **Art in Yosemite Village**
1 1/2 hrs. Yosemite Art and Education Center and The Ansel Adams Gallery (AAG/YA)

6:45pm **WEE WILD ONES** (May 28 only)
45 min. Stories & activities for kids 6 and under. Curry Village Amphitheater (DNC)

8:00pm **Yosemite Theatre LIVE: Conversations with a Tramp**
1 1/2 hrs. Visitor Center Theater
Tickets/info at any tour desk or at door (DNC) & \$

8:30pm **Ranger Program**
1 hr. Lower Pines Campground Amphitheater (NPS) &

Evening Program
1 hr. Yosemite Lodge Amphitheater
Check local postings for topic (DNC) &

Evening Program
1 hr. Curry Village Amphitheater
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8:00am **Coffee with a Ranger**
1/2 hr. Bring a mug. Lower Pines Campground Amphitheater (NPS) &

9:00am **Photography Walk**
2 hrs. Limited space
Reservations required. Sign up/meet at The Ansel Adams Gallery Conditions permitting (AAG)

9:30am **Discovery Hike – Vernal Fall Bridge**
3 1/2 hrs. Curry Village Mountaineering School. Tickets/info at any tour desk (YMS) \$

10:00am **Ranger Stroll –Yosemite's Legacy**
1 1/2 hrs. Front of Yosemite Valley Visitor Center (NPS) &

Art Class
4 hrs. Yosemite Art and Education Center
See details at left (YA)

1:00pm **Yosemite Theatre LIVE: RANGER NED'S BIG ADVENTURE**
(June 5 only)
1 hr. Curry Village
Tickets/info at any tour desk (DNC) \$

1:30pm **Cliffs and Climbers Hike**
2 1/2 hrs. Curry Village
Tickets/info at any tour desk (YMS) \$

3:00pm **Ranger Stroll – Bears**
1 1/2 hrs. Lower Pines Campground Amphitheater (NPS)

3:30pm **JUNIOR RANGER WALK**
1 hr. Nature Center at Happy Isles, near shuttle stop #16 (NPS)

5:30pm **Twilight Stroll**
1 hr. Meets on The Ahwahnee back lawn (DNC)

6:45pm **WEE WILD ONES**
45 min. Stories & activities for kids 6 and under. Yosemite Lodge Amphitheater (DNC)

8:00pm **LeConte Memorial Lodge**
May 29: **Interesting Plants from Yosemite's Unusual Habitats**
1 hr. Shuttle stop #12 (SC)

Yosemite Theatre LIVE: John Muir is Back – and Boy, is he Ticked Off!
1 1/2 hrs. Visitor Center Theater
Tickets/info. at any tour desk or at door (DNC) & \$

8:30pm **Ranger Program**
1 hr. Lower Pines Campground Amphitheater (NPS) &

Evening Program
1 hr. Yosemite Lodge Amphitheater (DNC) &

Evening Program
1 hr. Curry Village Amphitheater
Check local postings for topic (DNC) &

8:00am **Coffee with a Ranger**
1/2 hr. Bring a mug. Lower Pines Campground Amphitheater (NPS) &

9:00am **Habitat Restoration Volunteer Program**
4 hrs. Valley Visitor Center
See details below (NPS)

9:30am **Adventure Hike – Secrets of the Valley**
6 hrs. The Ahwahnee Concierge Desk
Tickets/info at any tour desk (YMS) \$

10:00am **Ranger Stroll – Wild About Wildlife**
1 1/2 hrs. Front of Yosemite Valley Visitor Center (NPS) &

Art Class
4 hrs. Yosemite Art and Education Center
See details at left (YA)

3:00pm **Ranger Stroll – Bears**
1 1/2 hrs. Lower Pines Campground Amphitheater (NPS)

3:30pm **JUNIOR RANGER WALK**
1 hr. Nature Center at Happy Isles, near shuttle stop #16 (NPS)

8:00pm **LeConte Memorial Lodge**
May 30: **Sounds Nature Makes**
June 6: **AMERICAN INDIAN STORYTELLING & FLUTE**
1 hr. Shuttle stop #12 (SC)

Yosemite Theatre LIVE: Return to Balance - High Definition Rock Climbing Film
1 1/2 hrs. Visitor Center Theater
Tickets/info. at any tour desk or at door (DNC) & \$

8:30pm **Ranger Program**
1 hr. Lower Pines Campground Amphitheater (NPS) &

Film: Ansel Adams
1 hr. Yosemite Lodge Amphitheater (AAG) &

Evening Program
1 hr. Curry Village Amphitheater
Check local postings for topic (DNC) &

8:00am **Coffee with a Ranger**
1/2 hr. Bring a mug. Lower Pines Campground Amphitheater (NPS) &

9:00am **Photography Walk**
2 hrs. Limited space. Reservations required
Sign up/meet at The Ansel Adams Gallery
Conditions permitting (AAG)

Bike to Hike Tour
2 1/2 hrs. Curry Village bike stand
Tickets/info at any tour desk (YMS) \$

10:00am **Ranger Stroll – Ahwahneechee Stories and Games**
1 1/2 hrs. Front of Yosemite Museum (NPS) &

Art Class 4 hrs. Yosemite Art and Education Center. See details at left (YA)

10:30am **LeConte Memorial Lodge**
May 31: **Botany Walk** Limited to 15 people
June 7: **Yosemite Valley History Walk**
Limited to 15 people
2 hrs. Shuttle stop #12 (SC)

11:00am **National Trails Day Celebration**
(June 7 only)
3 hrs. Front of Valley Visitor Center (YF)

1:00pm **Discovery Hike – Four Mile Trail to Union Point**
3 1/2 hrs. Yosemite Lodge Amphitheater
Tickets/info at any tour desk (YMS) \$

2:00pm **National Trails Day Walk at Lower Yosemite Falls**
(June 7 only) 1 1/2 hrs. Lower Yosemite Fall shuttle stop #6 (YF)

3:00pm **Ranger Stroll – Bears**
(May 31 only)
1 1/2 hrs. Lower Pines Campground Amphitheater (NPS)

3:30pm **JUNIOR RANGER WALK**
1 hr. Nature Center at Happy Isles, near shuttle stop #16 (NPS)

3:00pm **Fine Print Viewing** 1 hr. Limited space
Sign up at The Ansel Adams Gallery (AAG)

6:00pm **Yosemite Theatre LIVE: RANGER NED'S BIG ADVENTURE**
(June 7 only) 1 hr. Curry Village
Tickets/info at any tour desk (DNC) \$

8:00pm **LeConte Memorial Lodge**
May 31: **Flowering Plants of Yosemite**
June 7: **Women Backpacking**
1 hr. Shuttle stop #12 (SC)

8:30pm **Ranger Program** 1 hr.
Lower Pines Campground Amphitheater (NPS) &

Rock Climbing Program
1 hr. Yosemite Lodge Amphitheater
Check local postings for topic (AAC)

Evening Program
1 hr. Curry Village Amphitheater
Check local postings for topic (DNC)

8:00am **Coffee with a Ranger**
45 min. Bring a mug
Wawona Campground Amphitheater (NPS) &

Ranger Hike to Chilnualna Falls
6 hrs. Hike is 8 miles roundtrip, moderate to strenuous. Wear sturdy shoes or boots, and bring a lunch, water, and sunscreen
Weather permitting. Meet at the trailhead parking (NPS)

10:00am **Nature Walk in the Mariposa Grove**
1 1/2 hrs. Lower Grove trailhead (NPS)

2:00pm **Nature Walk in the Mariposa Grove**
1 1/2 hrs. Lower Grove trailhead (NPS)

5:30pm **Vintage Music of Yosemite**
4 hrs. Live music with pianist/singer
Tom Bopp Wawona Hotel lounge (DNC)

8:00am **Coffee with a Ranger**
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Tom Bopp Wawona Hotel lounge (DNC)

10:00am **JUNIOR RANGERS**
1 1/2 hrs. Hodgdon Meadow Group Campground (NPS)

11:00am **Hike to the Hidden Illilouette Fall**
3 1/2 hrs. Moderately difficult
Meet at Glacier Point Gift Shop (NPS)

8:00pm **Sunset Ranger Talk**
1/2 hr. Glacier Point railing, overlooking the Valley (NPS) &

2:00pm **Ranger Walk – Cliffs and Domes**
2 hrs. Taft Point/Sentinel Dome parking area on Glacier Point Road (NPS)

8:00pm **Sunset Ranger Talk**
1/2 hr. Glacier Point railing, overlooking the Valley (NPS) &

8:00pm **Sunset Ranger Talk**
1/2 hr. Glacier Point railing, overlooking the Valley (NPS) &

9:00pm **Stars Over Yosemite**
Glacier Point railing, overlooking the Valley. Cancel if overcast (NPS)

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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, or hike to a seldom-seen 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. Stargazing programs are offered as well.

See Scheduled Events pages for dates and times.

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Half Dome from Glacier Point

NPS Photo

Wawona & Mariposa Grove



Bachelor and Three Graces

NPS Photo

the gallery and art studio of famous 19th-century landscape painter, Thomas Hill. Walk from the hotel or park at the Wawona Store parking area and follow the path up the hill. For more information call 209/375-9531. ♿

Pioneer Yosemite History Center

Go back to a time of horse-drawn wagons, a covered bridge, and log cabins. Explore Yosemite's history and learn how Yosemite was the inspiration for national parks across America and around the world. The center is always open, and interpretive signs and brochures are available. ♿

Mariposa Grove

Located at Yosemite's southern end, the Mariposa Grove is the park's largest stand of giant sequoias, with about 500 trees. A few of these giants are visible in the parking area. Information about access for disabled people is available at the tram boarding area.

Getting to Mariposa Grove

Allow 1½ hours driving time to reach the grove from Yosemite Valley. Cars are prohibited beyond the grove parking lot. The access road to the grove may close intermittently due to limited parking.

Trailers are prohibited on the Mariposa Grove Road. Private vehicles longer than 25 feet may not use this road during the hours of shuttle operation (see below).

FREE MARIPOSA GROVE & WAWONA SHUTTLE BUS

A shuttle bus stops at the Wawona Store, South Entrance, and Mariposa Grove. Visitors may park at the Wawona Store to board the bus. Shuttles operate beginning at 9:00 a.m. and the last shuttle leaves the grove at 6:00 p.m., or after the last tour. Please use this free bus service to help reduce congestion and parking delays.

FREE SHUTTLE SERVICE BETWEEN WAWONA AND YOSEMITE VALLEY

Bus departs daily from the Wawona Hotel at 8:30 a.m. and from the Wawona Store at 8:35 a.m. It departs from Yosemite Lodge for return trip at 3:30 p.m.

Walking through the Grove

Trails into the grove extend uphill from the trailhead 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.

Dogs and bicycles are not permitted anywhere in the Grove.

DISTANCE & ELEVATION

DESTINATION	DISTANCE FROM TRAILHEAD	ELEVATION GAIN
Grizzly Giant	0.8 mile /1.3km	400ft / 122m
Grove Museum	2.1 miles /3.5km	800ft / 292m
Fallen Tunnel Tree	2.5 miles /4.0km	1,000ft / 305m
Wawona Point	3.0 miles /4.8km	1,200ft / 438m

Mariposa Grove Museum

Open 10:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. Located in the upper part of the Mariposa Grove, the museum offers information and displays on giant sequoias. ♿

Evening Programs

Join pianist/singer Tom Bopp in the Wawona Hotel lobby from 5:30pm to 9:30pm., Tuesday through Saturday, as he performs songs and stories from Yosemite's past. Once or twice a week, he will present an hour-long interpretive program on the vintage songs of Yosemite or the history of Wawona with slide or music accompaniment. Check with Tom at the piano for dates and times. ♿

Wawona Information Station at Hill's Studio

Sunday - Thursday 8:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.
Friday - Saturday 8:30 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.
The station 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

Big Oak Flat & Sequoia Groves

Big Oak Flat Information Station

Open 8:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. The station offers general park information, books, and maps. It also provides Wilderness permits, bear canister rentals, and backpacking information.

Merced Grove

Yosemite's quietest stand of sequoias is the Merced Grove, a group of about 20 trees accessible only on foot. It's a four-mile round-trip hike (about three hours) into the grove from Big Oak Flat Road (Highway 120 West). Located 3½ miles north of Crane Flat and 4½ miles south of the Big Oak Flat Entrance, the trailhead is marked by a road sign and post labeled B-10.

Tuolumne Grove

This cluster of about 25 sequoias is near Crane Flat at the intersection of Big Oak Flat and Tioga roads. The former route of the Big Oak Flat Road leads downhill from Crane Flat into the grove. Now closed to cars, this path drops 500 feet (150 meters) in one mile. The trip is moderately strenuous on the uphill return. Within the Tuolumne Grove there is an easy, half-mile, self-guiding nature trail.



Indicates facilities accessible to visitors in wheelchairs. Short, steep inclines may be encountered.

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Wawona Mariposa Grove Glacier Point

Food & Beverage Services

WAWONA HOTEL

Dining Room

Breakfast – 7:30 a.m. to 10:00 a.m.
Lunch – 11:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m.
Dinner – 5:30 p.m. to 9:00 p.m.
Saturday BBQ – 5:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m.
Reservations taken for 8 or more. 209/375-1425

Guest Lounge 5:00 p.m. to 9:30 p.m.

Groceries

Wawona Store & Pioneer Gift Shop
8:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m.

Gifts, Books, & Apparel

WAWONA

Golf Shop & Snack Stand

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

Wawona Store & Pioneer Gift Shop

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

Wawona Information Station at Hill's Studio

Sunday – Thursday 8:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.
Friday – Saturday 8:30 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.

GLACIER POINT

Gift Shop

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

Snack Stand *Opens for season June 6*

9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

MARIPOSA GROVE

Big Trees Gift Shop

9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

Post Office

Wawona Post Office

Monday – Friday 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.
Saturday 9:00 a.m. to noon

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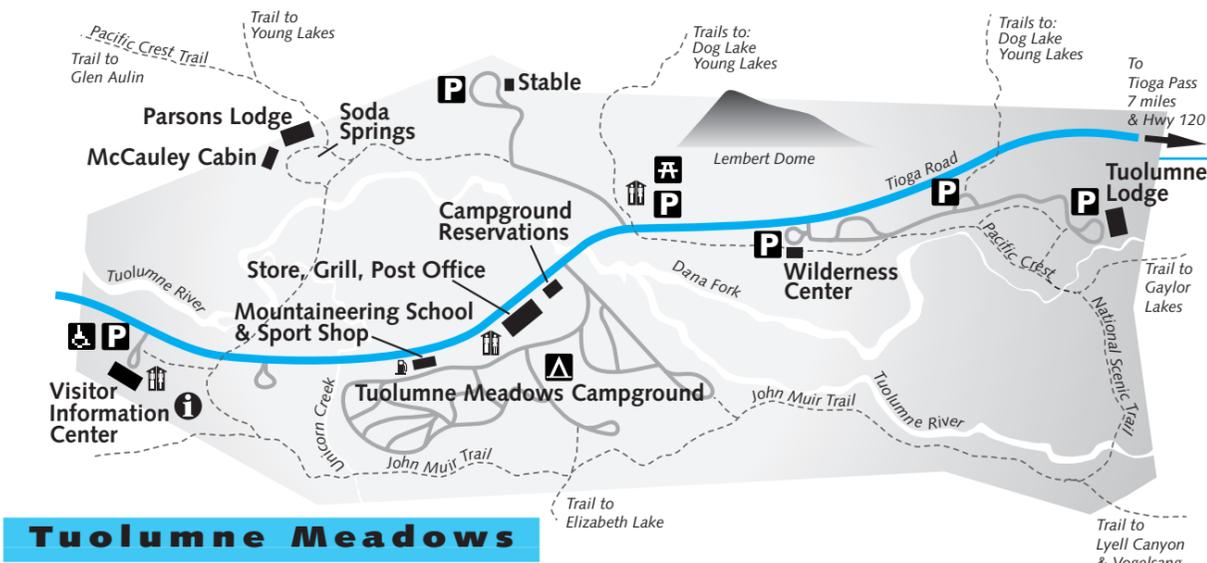
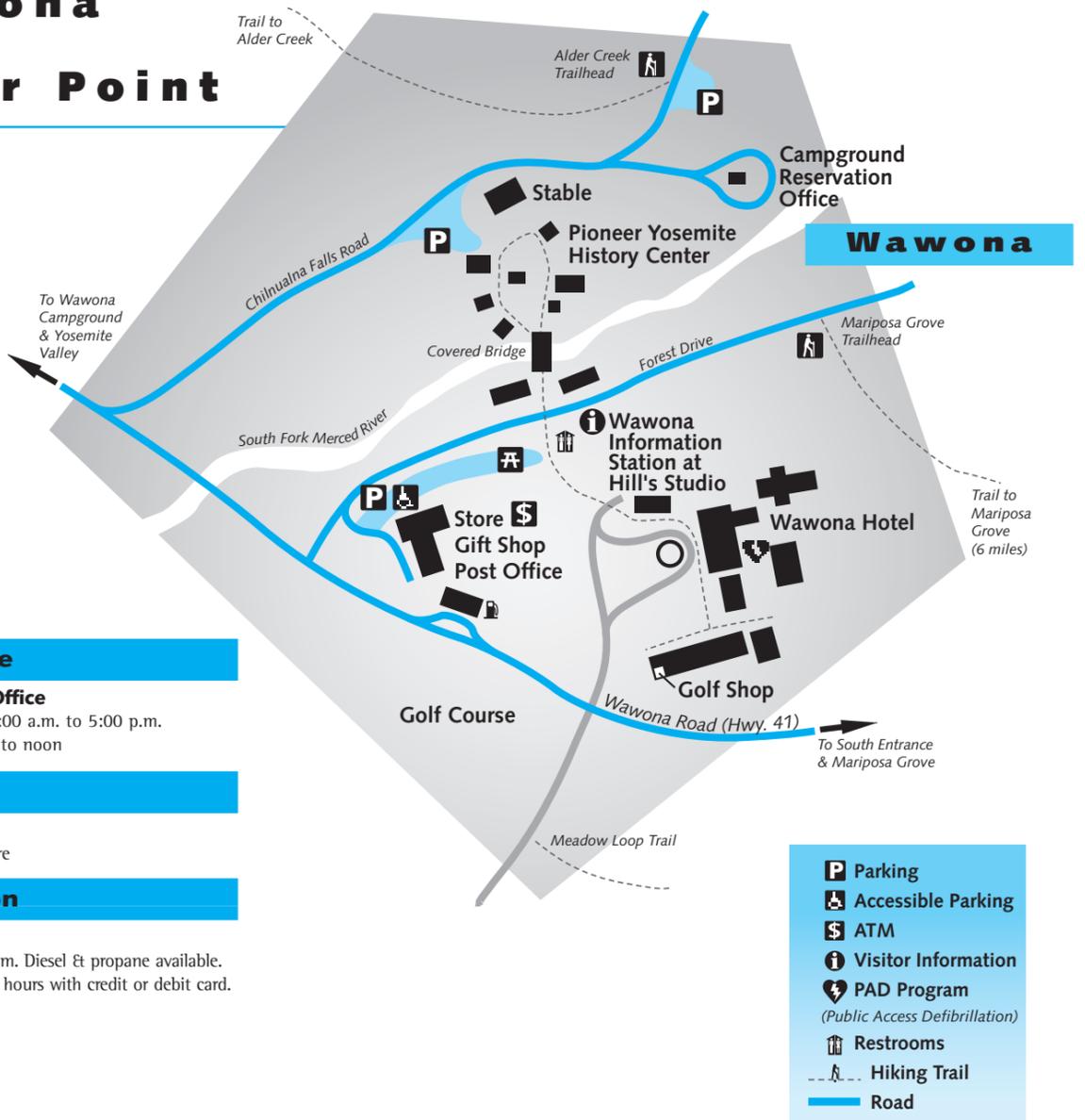
Wawona

Inside Wawona Store

Gas Station

Wawona

9:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. Diesel & propane available.
Pay at the pump 24 hours with credit or debit card.



Tuolumne Meadows

Food & Beverage Services

TUOLUMNE MEADOWS

Tuolumne Meadows Grill *Opens June 6*

Sunday – Thursday: 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.
Friday – Saturday: 8:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.

Tuolumne Meadows Lodge

Dining Room

Opens for season June 6

Breakfast – 7:00 a.m. to 9:00 a.m.
Dinner – 5:50 p.m. to 8:00 p.m.

Meals are served family style, and reservations are required. Call 209/372-8413

Groceries

Tuolumne Meadows Store

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

Gifts, Books, & Apparel

Mountaineering School and Sport Shop

9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

Tuolumne Meadows Store

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

Tuolumne Meadows Wilderness Center

8:00 a.m. to 4:30 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

9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Propane available.
Pay at the pump 24 hours with credit or debit card.

White Wolf Crane Flat

Food & Beverage Services

WHITE WOLF LODGE *Opens for season June 13*

Breakfast – 7:30 a.m. to 9:00 a.m.
Take-out lunch – noon to 2:00 p.m.
Dinner – 5:30 p.m. to 8:30 p.m.
Dinner reservations are advised.
Call 209/372-8416.

Gifts, Books, & Apparel

BIG OAK FLAT INFORMATION STATION

8:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

Groceries

Crane Flat

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

White Wolf Camp Store

8:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m. *Opens for season June 13*

Gas Station

Crane Flat

9:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. Diesel available.
Pay at the pump 24 hours with credit or debit card.

yosemite park partners



Visit the new Yosemite Park Partners website:
www.yosemitepartners.org

General Park Information

Emergency 911

Fire – Police – Medical Emergency:
Dial 911, 24 hours a day (from hotel room 9-911)

Park Information

Road, Weather, and General Park Information
209/372-0200 www.nps.gov/yose

Park Partner Information
www.yosemitepartners.org

Medical

Yosemite Medical Clinic

Emergency care: 24 hours daily
Drop-in and urgent care: 8:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m.

Appointments
8:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. Monday – Friday

Located on Ahwahnee Drive in Yosemite Valley, the clinic provides routine and emergency medical care, 24-hour paramedic/ambulance services, limited pharmacy, lab, x-ray, physical therapy, and Mountain Crisis Services for victims of domestic violence. 209/372-4637

PAD Program

Yosemite's Public Access Defibrillation (PAD) Program is designed to protect park visitors and staff from sudden cardiac arrest. All automated external defibrillator (AED) cabinets have been placed in high visitor-use locations and are open and accessible to anyone in the event of a medical emergency. For more information about the PAD Program, contact the Yosemite Medical Clinic.

AEDs can be found at the following locations: Village Store (Yosemite Village); registration desks at Yosemite Lodge, Curry Village, The Ahwahnee, and the Wawona Hotel; Crane Flat Store; Badger Pass Lodge (winter); and Glacier Point (summer).

Dental Services

Adjacent to Yosemite Medical Clinic.
For hours, call 209/372-4200. If no answer, call 209/372-4637.

Weather Radio

The National Weather Service broadcasts weather information for Yosemite National Park 24 hours a day on NOAA Weather Radio station KAD-94, on a frequency of 162.450 MHz. Please note that reception may not be available in remote areas.

Accommodations

For advance reservations or information (rooms or activities), call 801/559-5000, or visit www.YosemitePark.com. For availability on day of arrival, check at any front desk.

Camping

To reserve campsites, call the National Recreation Reservation Service at 877/444-6777 between 7:00 a.m. and 9:00 p.m., or check www.recreation.gov. For same-day reservations, visit Yosemite's Campground Reservation Office at the northeast corner of the Curry Village parking lot. First-come, first-served campsites are also available. See the *Yosemite Guide* for details.

Accessible Services

The Yosemite *Accessibility Guide* is available at park entrance stations, visitor centers, and online at www.nps.gov/yose/access.

TTYs are available inside The Ahwahnee and Yosemite Lodge, and outside the Valley Visitor Center and Curry Village front desk.

Accessible parking spaces are available just west of the Yosemite Valley Visitor Center. To reach these, enter the Valley on Southside Drive, and go west (left) on Sentinel Drive. Turn left on Northside Drive, and follow the blue-and-white accessibility signs.

Bear Canister Rental

Canisters are available for \$5 per trip at the Valley Wilderness Center, Hill's Studio in Wawona, the Big Oak Flat Information Station, the Hetch Hetchy Entrance Station, and Tuolumne Meadows Wilderness Center.

Wilderness Permits

Anyone going into Yosemite's backcountry must have a Wilderness permit. Register for permits at the Valley Wilderness Center, Hill's Studio in Wawona, Big Oak Flat Information Station, Hetch Hetchy Entrance Station, or Tuolumne Meadows Wilderness Center.

Recreation *Conditions permitting*

YOSEMITE MOUNTAINEERING SCHOOL AND GUIDE SERVICE

Yosemite Mountaineering School and Guide Service offers lessons and guided climbing at all levels, overnight backpacking, and guided day hikes to spectacular areas of Yosemite.

Curry Village 209/372-8344
8:30 a.m. to noon, 1:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m.
Tuolumne Meadows 209/372-8435
9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m., *conditions permitting*

BICYCLE RENTALS

Daily, weather permitting, with hourly and daily rates. Baby-joggers, wheelchairs, and six-speed bikes with trailers. Last rentals are at 4:45 p.m.

Yosemite Lodge 9:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.
Curry Village 9:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.

CURRY VILLAGE RAFT RENTALS

10:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

Weather and river conditions permitting

SWIMMING POOLS

Curry Village
11:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

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

Wawona
Dawn to dusk

GOLF AT WAWONA HOTEL

9:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m., *conditions permitting*

TRAIL RIDES

2-hour rides depart daily. Call for reservations.

Yosemite Valley Shuttle stop #18
7:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. 209/372-8348

Wawona
7:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. 209/375-6502

Tuolumne Meadows
Opens for season June 8
7:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

Tours *Conditions permitting*

Inquire at tour/transportation desks at the following locations:

Yosemite Lodge Tour Desk
7:30 a.m. to 7:00 p.m. 209/372-1240

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

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

Big Trees Tour Kiosk
9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. 209/375-1621

SIGHTSEEING TOURS

Valley Floor Tour
This 26-mile, 2-hour tram tour departs several times daily from Yosemite Lodge at the Falls in Yosemite Valley. Contact any tour desk for times. **Most tours are conducted by National Park Service Rangers.**

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

Big Trees Tram Tour
Trams run every day in the Mariposa Grove of giant sequoias for a 1-hour tour through the lower and upper groves.
Call 209/375-1621 for information.

Grand Tour
This 8-hour combination of Big Trees and Glacier Point tours departs at 8:45 a.m. daily from Yosemite Lodge.

Tuolumne Meadows Hikers Bus
Departs from Yosemite Lodge at 8:20 a.m.
Call 209/372-1240 for information.

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General Services

\$ ATM

Yosemite Village
South of Village Store (Bank of America)
Inside Village Store

Yosemite Lodge
Inside main registration area

Curry Village
Inside gift/grocery store

Wawona
Inside Wawona Store

El Portal
On Hwy. 140 at Yosemite View Lodge

Babysitting

Limited babysitting is available for registered guests at Yosemite Lodge and The Ahwahnee. Call front desk or concierge in advance for more information.

Internet Access

Internet access is available to park visitors at three locations: Yosemite Lodge, Degnan's Café, and the Mariposa County Library (Girls Club), south of the Yosemite Cemetery. Access at the library is free, requires a sign-up and is available during limited hours Monday through Thursday (check at library for details). At Yosemite Lodge, kiosks and wireless access are available 24 hours for a fee. At Degnan's Café, kiosks are available 7:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. for a fee.

Kennel

8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. Located at the stable in Yosemite Valley. Dogs must be gentle, over 10 pounds; proof of shots and license are required.
209/372-8348

Service Organizations

Al-Anon There will be no more Al-Anon meetings until further notice. If you need to speak with someone, or ask questions, please call Shari B. at 209/372-4812.

Alcoholics Anonymous
7:30 p.m. Sunday, Tuesday, and Thursday
DNC General Office Building
(Employee Training Center) Yosemite Village

Lions Club
Meets the first and third Thursdays of each month at noon, The Ahwahnee.
Call 209/372-4475 for information.

Rotary International
Club meets Thursdays for lunch, at noon in The Ahwahnee's Mural Room. Visiting Rotarians, families and guests welcome. \$15 per guest (cash or

check). Casual dress code acceptable. Reservations not required, yet are helpful. For meeting information, call 209/372-8459, or visit: YosemiteRotary.org

Religious Services

YOSEMITE COMMUNITY CHURCH

(Nondenominational Christian)
Pastor Brent Moore 209/372-4831
Wedding information on our website:
www.yosemitevalleychapel.org
Various Bible Studies during the week.
Counseling provided. Call pastor for appointment.

Worship Service/Yosemite Valley Chapel

Sunday 9:15 a.m. (Sunday School and Nursery available)
May 25: 11:00 a.m. (no child care)
Sunday 6:30 p.m. (no child care)
Tuesday Bible Study: call Chapel for more info.
Thursday 7:00 p.m. (no child care)

ROMAN CATHOLIC

Rev. Raymond J. Duffy 209/372-4729

Mass in Yosemite Valley

Valley Visitor Center Theater
Saturday 7:30 p.m.
Sunday 10:00 a.m.

Mass in Wawona

Wawona Community Center
Saturday 4:30 p.m.

CHURCH OF CHRIST (Nondenominational)

Ron Skelton 209/379-2307 or 209/379-2100
El Portal Chapel/Worship Service
Sunday 11:00 a.m.
Foresta Road, at top of Chapel Lane

CROSSWAY TRIBE OF JESUS

(Christian Protestant) 209/379-2428
Pastor Steve Hughes

Worship Gathering

Wednesdays 7:30 p.m.
Yosemite Valley Chapel

SEVENTH-DAY ADVENTIST

Coordinators Ray & Edie DeFehr 209/586-4325
Yosemite Valley at Lower River Amphitheater, across bridge from Housekeeping Camp or left at gate, approx. 1/3 mile north of Stoneman Bridge.

Music

Saturday 9:45 a.m.

Sabbath School Saturday 10:00 a.m.

Worship Service Saturday 11:00 a.m.

Potluck Picnic Saturday 12:30 p.m.

(no services July 19)

THE CHURCH OF JESUS CHRIST OF

LATTER DAY SAINTS

Dan Andersen, Merced Stake
Sacrament Meeting at Yosemite Valley Chapel
Sunday 1:00 PM



Ranger-led tram tour

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