

CEDAR GROVE AREA (Continued)

Sheep Creek - learn about the formation of the valley along with some bird's-eye views of Cedar Grove. Meet at Ranger Station on Wednesday at 9 a.m. - 2½ hours.

Paradise Valley overnight - designed to acquaint you with the joys of backpacking. Round trip 14 miles. Leave at 9:00 a.m. and return about noon next day. Check at Information Station for details.

Other conducted walks are held each day in Cedar Grove. Check at the information station and the bulletin boards for schedules.

CAMPFIRE PROGRAMS

Cedar Grove Amphitheater, Campground No. 2: illustrated evening programs nightly, except Wednesday; 8:30 p.m. June and July; 8:00 p.m. August - a half-hour of music precedes each program. See bulletin boards for exact subject.

SELF-GUIDING TRAILS

Cedar Grove Motor Trail - a short drive along an early day wagon road, beside the Kings River. Guide leaflet available.

Zumwalt Meadow Trail - a 1½-mile loop trail around a beautiful meadow. Guide leaflet is available.

PUBLICATIONS

Books, pamphlets and maps are on sale at all visitor centers on subjects pertinent to these and other National Parks. They are sold by the Sequoia Natural History Association, a non-profit organization dedicated to furthering the interpretive program of the National Park Service.



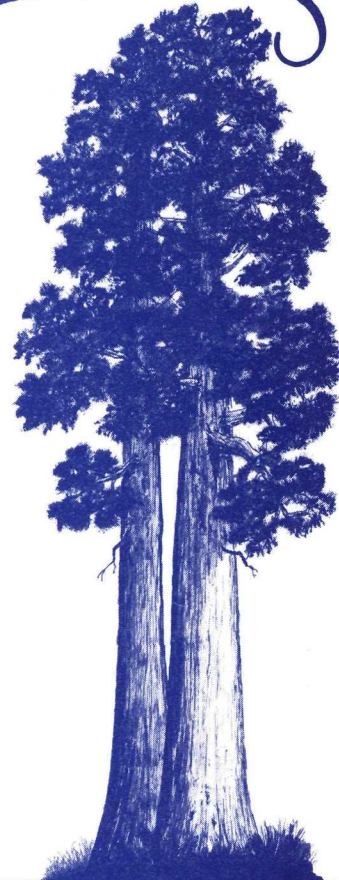
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for your Enjoyment



... conducted walks, campfire programs, visitor centers, self-guiding trails, and wayside exhibits are all designed to make your visit more enjoyable. Take advantage of them! And above all ask questions. The men and women in the National Park Service uniform will be happy to help you.



A Schedule of
NATURALIST ACTIVITIES
in
Sequoia and Kings Canyon National Parks
June 19 - September 5, 1971

● For more specific information about the activities listed below consult the bulletin boards located throughout the parks. Wear comfortable walking shoes and don't forget your camera. On all walks, children under ten years of age must be accompanied by a responsible adult.

GIANT FOREST — LODGEPOLE AREA

LODGEPOLE VISITOR CENTER - Giant sequoia exhibits; 10-minute slide program; publications for sale; information, open 8 a.m. - 8 p.m. daily.

CONDUCTED WALKS

Congress Trail - a 2½-hour walk through the heart of the sequoia forest. Daily at 9:30, 1:30, and 3:00. Meet at General Sherman Tree.

Tokopah Falls - a 3-hour walk along a glaciated valley culminating at the falls. Daily at 8:30 a.m. Meet at Lodgepole Store Parking Area.

Eagle View—Tharp's Log - a 3-hour walk thru portions of the Giant Forest with breath-taking views from the High Sierra trail. Daily at 1:30 p.m. Meet at Crescent Meadow Parking Area.

Children's Nature Walk - spend 1½ hours with a naturalist at Round Meadow. This walk is for youngsters - but adults are welcome. Daily (consult bulletin boards for exact times). Meet at Round Meadow Parking Area.

Crystal Cave - a highly decorated marble cave, open daily. Ranger-naturalist tours each half-hour: mornings 9:30 until 11:30, afternoons 12:30 until 3:00 p.m. Tour fee 50c (no charge for those under 16 years of age) Wear a light wrap.

Times and places for other conducted walks in this area and at Dorst Campground are posted on the campground bulletin boards and at the visitor center.

CAMPFIRE PROGRAMS

Lodgepole Campground Amphitheater and Dorst Campground Amphitheater. Evening programs, illustrated with color slides, presented nightly 8:30 p.m. June and July; 8:00 p.m. August. A half hour of music precedes each program. See bulletin boards for subjects.

SELF-GUIDING TRAILS

The Congress Trail - winding among the magnificent giant sequoias, this trail will serve as an excellent introduction to these forest giants. Trail is located near the General Sherman Tree Parking Area, about 2½ miles north of Giant Forest Village.

GRANT GROVE AREA

VISITOR CENTER - Giant sequoias, logging and park history exhibits, 12-minute slide program; publications for sale; information, open 8 a.m. to 8 p.m. daily.

CONDUCTED WALKS - All walks except Children's Nature Walk begin at Amphitheater Parking Lot.

Big Stump - a 2-hour walk around historic Big Stump basin. Sunday, Wednesday, Friday (see bulletin boards for exact times).

Children's Nature Walk - spend one hour with a Naturalist in nature's world. Tuesday, Friday. (See bulletin board for exact times). Meet at Visitor Center.

Adventure Hike - join a Naturalist for an all-day hike away from the crowds. Bring lunch and water. Saturday only, 9:00 a.m.

Check the bulletin boards in the campgrounds and at the visitor center for other conducted walks in Grant Grove.

CAMPFIRE PROGRAMS

Grant Grove Amphitheater - Sunset Campground evening programs, illustrated with color slides, presented nightly, 8:30 p.m. June and July; 8:00 p.m. August. A half-hour of music precedes each program. Check bulletin boards for the subjects.

SELF-GUIDING TRAILS

Big Stump - walk back thru history on a 1-mile trail in Big Stump Basin. Guide leaflet 10c.

Grant Grove - this self-guiding trail uses signs to introduce you to the giant sequoia and the nation's Christmas Tree.

CEDAR GROVE AREA

INFORMATION STATION - Information, publications, topographic maps, fire permits; open daily 8 a.m. to 6 p.m. in Campground No. 2.

CONDUCTED WALKS

Kanawyers Flat - a 2-hour easy, level walk thru a ponderosa pine forest to the site of an early day hotel. Meet at Road's End Station Thursdays at 9:00 a.m.

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