



The Jemez Valley Vacation Guide 2025-2026 Free Take one!

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**Where to stay, eat, shop, soak, hike, and more!
Everything to see and do in the Jemez Valley!**

Remember, when visiting, if you pack it in, pack it out! Please don't litter!

The Sights Along Highway 4

By Talty Robinson

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Corn Maiden Pottery
CWW Feed Store
Loretto Veterinary Clinic
U.S. Post Office, San Ysidro 87053
San Ysidro Ball Park
Columbine Pottery/
EarthTek Farms

Sandoval County Fire Stat. No. 63

Dr. V's Mountain Meds

San Ysidro Village Offices

Suburban Propane

The Mosaic Tile House

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San Ysidro Catholic Church
Jemez Valley Christian Church
Jemez Creek

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Jemez Reservation Boundary
Baseball Field Road

Mile Marker 3-4

Waquie Propane
Walatowa Timber Industries
Jemez Pueblo Transfer Station
Sawmill Road

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Jemez Pueblo Village Limits
Pueblo Place Housing Subdivision
Hemish Path to Wellness
Corn Haven Rd./Broken Arrow Dr.
Pueblo Grill & Pizza
Pueblo of Jemez Comprehensive
Health Center
Pueblo of Jemez Governor's Office
Tribal Administration
Kris & Kat's
Pueblo of Jemez Fire Station
Head Start Rd.

Head Start Senior Center &
Community Resource Center
Canal Ln

Access to Family Traditions

Dave's Burger's & More

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Mission Road Jemez Pueblo Com-
munity Library
Jemez Pueblo Civic Center
Walatowa High Charter School
Youth Center Athletic Complex
Hemish Path to Wellness
Bear Head Road

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Bridge
Junction Highway 290
U.S. Post Office,

Ponderosa 87044

Forest Road 10,

Ponderosa Winery, Paliza Family
Campground

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Walatowa Gas Station & C-Store

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Red Rocks Area

Pueblo of Jemez Historical Marker

Walatowa Visitor Center

Gift Shop & Museum

National Forest Information

Hummingbird Cafe

Jemez Reservation Boundary

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Cañon

Steven Gachupin Sports Complex

Jemez Valley Community & Senior
Center

JHH Clothes Closet

Jemez Valley Baptist Church

The Rose Center

Jemez Valley Public Schools

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Our Lady of Guadalupe Catholic
Church

School Bus Barn

County Solid Waste Convenience
Station

Jemez Valley Recycling Center

Jemez National Recreation Area
Boundary

Junction Highway 485

Access to Gilman Tunnels

Access to Forest Road 376

Biddy, Mo & Joes Snow Shack

La Junta National Rec Area

Fishing Access

Restroom

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Jemez National Rec Area Rest Stop
Vista Hermosa Rd.

Sweetwater Herbs & Retreat

Shangri-La West Gallery

Well, Look-ee Here! Thrift Shop

Mountain View Propane

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Las Casitas National Rec Area

Fishing Access

Restroom

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Dead Man's Curve

Be careful!

San Diego National Rec Area

Fishing Access

River's Bend Nat'l Rec Area

Fishing Access

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Vista Linda National Rec Area

Campground Restroom

Spanish Queen Nat'l Rec Area

Picnic Ground Restroom

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The Bluffs National Rec Area

Fishing Access

Jemez Springs Waste Water Plant

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Madrid Road

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Jemez Springs Village Limits

Desert Willow B&B/
Dragonfly Cottage

Casa Diego Vacation Rental

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Little Joe's Electric Co.

Janecka Collection

Cañon del Rio

Jemez Springs Volunteer Fire

Department

Jemez Springs Domestic Water

Co-op

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Jemez Springs Community Park

Restroom Public Parking

Jemez Canyon Inn

WEEKENDS

Jemez Fine Art Gallery

Jemez Artisans Gallery

Catholic Church

Jemez Mountain Electric CoOp

Madonna Hall/Cemetery

Highway 4 Cafe & Bakery

Jemez Mountain Buds

Casa Blanca/Jemez Mountain

Pottery

Laughing Lizard Inn

Jemez Hot Springs

Jemez Mountain Inn

Presbyterian Church

Mission Street Arts

Los Ojos Restaurant & Saloon

Mooney Blvd

Jemez Springs Village Complex:

Jemez Springs Plaza

Father Fitzgerald Park

Jemez Springs Historic

Bath House

Jemez Springs Public

Library

Jemez Springs Police

Department

Public Restrooms

Jemez Mountain Brewhouse

Bodhi Manda Zen Center

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Jemez Historic Site

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Jemez Historic Site
 Jemez Historic Site Historical Marker
 Catholic Church
 The Fitzgerald Center
 Former Via Coeli Monastery/
 Servants of the Paraclete
 Valles Caldera Nat'l Preserve Admin. Offices
 Jemez Ranger Station/Santa Fe National Forest
 Jemez Springs Village Limit
 New Bridge
 Jemez River

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La Cueva Fire District
 Soda Dam & Marker
 Redondo Road/Area 1
 South Lourdes Road

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Entrada Drive/Area 2

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 Hummingbird Music Camp

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YMCA Camp Shaver
 Battleship Rock Nat'l Rec Area
 Picnic Ground
 Restroom

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Rincon National Rec Area
 Fishing Area

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Spence Hot Springs
 Dark Canyon Nat'l Rec Area
 Fishing Access

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Lots of beautiful nature!

Mile Marker 26-27

La Cueva National Rec Area Picnic Ground
 Restroom
 La Cueva Center:
 La Cueva Lodge
 Amanda's Country Store
 Bait & Tackle
 Andy's Liqor Store
 Emergency Call Box
 Junction Highway 126
 Access to Fenton Lake State Park
 Hidden Valley Sporting Goods
 Jemez Mountain Baptist Church
 San Antonio Campground
 Forest Road 376
 Aspen Ridge Alpacas

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Redondo Meadow Staging Area
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Redondo National Rec Area
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 San Diego Canyon Nat'l Rec Area Overlook

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Banco Bonito Staging Area

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Yet still even more beautiful nature!

Mile Marker 31-32

Jemez Falls National Rec Area
 Campground
 Restroom

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East Fork National Recreation Area Trailhead

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Forest Road 10
 Access to Ponderosa,
 Paliza Family Campground

Sierra Los Pinos

Large Cluster Mailboxes

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More natural beauty? Yes!

Mile Marker 36-37

Las Conchas Trailhead
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Las Conchas Nat'l Rec Area

Fishing Access

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Just look at that view!

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Valles Caldera National Preserve
 Main Entrance

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The vista goes on forever!

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Bandelier National Monument
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Forest Road 289
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Lots of beautiful nature!

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La Cueva Fire District Boundary

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Drive carefully up here.

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Hairpin switchbacks
 Junction Highway 501 Los Alamos
 West Jemez Road

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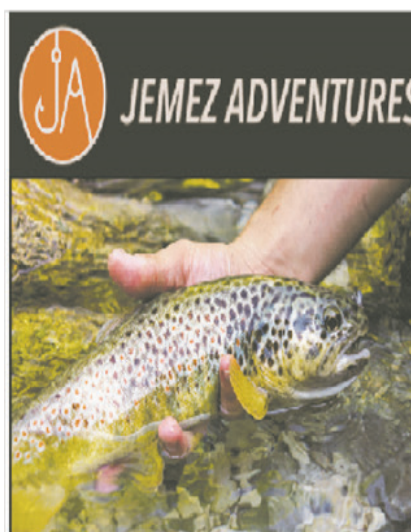
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Tips for Your Adventure in the Jemez Mountains

by Alan Bray

General Santa Fe National Forest West/Jemez Mountains

Welcome to the Jemez Mountains! There are loads of outdoor adventures and opportunities in the Jemez, and here are some general tips for your adventure in the SFNF (W):

General Tip #1: Connectivity for phone, internet, and text is sketchy in the mountains. Do not count on downloading directions, campground descriptions, or anything else you might need. Spending time online before your Jemez trip can pay big dividends.

General Tip #2: If you are serious about exploring the Jemez buy an SFNF map. Places to buy them on NM 4 are the Walatowa Visitor Center and the Jemez Ranger Station on NM 4. On NM 126 Amanda's Country Store and Hidden Valley Sporting Goods carry SFNF maps. SFNF maps are also available

online (e.g., Amazon has it).

General Tip #3: The Jemez has a handful of world-class attractions open to the public. If you have not seen any of the "big five" sites you should: Jemez State Monument, Valles Caldera National Preserve, Bandelier National Monument, Kashe Katuwi Tent Rocks National Monument, and the Puye Cliff Dwellings. All have websites detailing directions, fees, and hours of operation.

Camping Tips (please fully put out campfires)

Thousands of people camp in the Jemez every year. The dispersed/dry and backpack camping seasons begins in April or May depending on the weather. Organized Campgrounds (CGs) open roughly May 1 but check the CG's website as this can vary with fire issues, weather, and forest service maintenance.

Camp Tip #1: Organized camp

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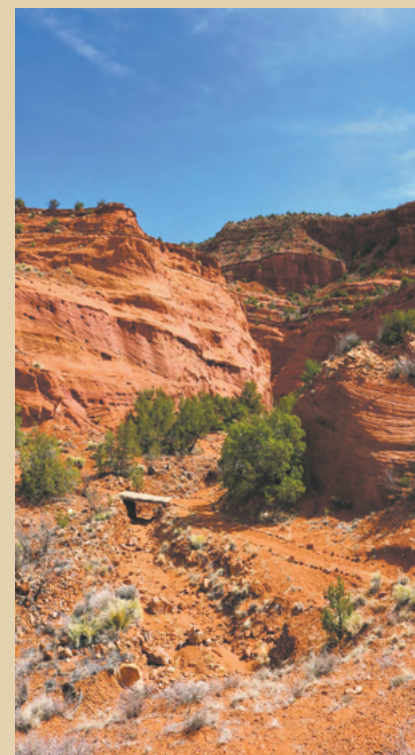


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grounds in the Jemez have drinking water and vault toilets. They include Vista Loma, Paliza, Jemez Falls, Bandelier (Jumiper CG), Redondo, San Antonio, and Fenton Lake in the southern Jemez. In the northern Jemez: Rio de Las Vacas, Clear Creek, Cochiti Lake, Tetilla Peak (north Cochiti Lake), and Ri-ana (Abiquiu Lake). Reservations are required and made on-line. There are no dump stations in the Jemez.

Camp Tip #2: Informal campgrounds have few to no amenities but are set aside areas that are often near a stream: Rio Puerco, Resumidero, American Springs, Coyote Canyon, and Canada del Guardia. These are first come first served sites that are “named” dispersed/dry camping sites.

Camp Tip #3: Dispersed (Dry) camping occupancy in the SFNF is limited to 14 days – please pack out what you pack in. Tents and RVs allowed - no amenities. Forest roads with extensive dry camping:

FR-376, FR-10, FR-36, FR-103, FR-93, FR534, FR-100, FR-99, FR-539, FR289, & FR 20.

Camp Tip #4: Backpacking is most popular in the Jemez Wilderness areas: San Pedro Parks, Bandelier, and Dome Wildernesses, and in the SFNF. Call ahead and/or check

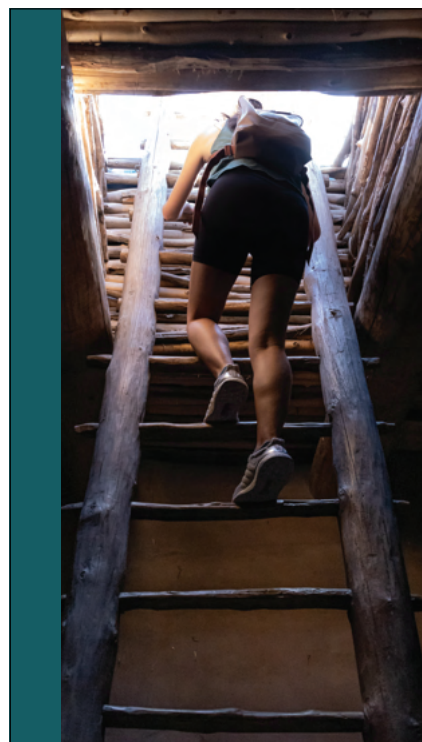
websites for current conditions, trail status, and permits.

Hiking tips

There are many trails in the Jemez – some are popular well-worn tracks that are delightful walks of 1 – 3 miles (e.g., Las

Conchas Rec Area on NM 4), while others can be up to 20 miles in the wild (e.g., Painted Cave Trail, 12+ miles in the Bandelier Wilderness). **Hike Tip #1:** SFNF hiking trails can be found on the ranger district websites or the SFNF website.

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Jemez Mountains Ranger districts: Jemez, Coyote, Espanola, and Cuba. The more popular trails (e.g., BNM Loop Trail, Spence Hot Spring, East Fork, etc.) are crowded weekends and afternoons. Going early helps.

Hike Tip #2: An SFNF map is a great trail reference. Website www.fs.usda.gov/recmain/santafe has a list of Forest Trails organized by Ranger District. Fishing and Recreation access sites also have interesting trails. Online hiking sites (e.g., All Trails) are helpful also.

Hike Tip #3: If looking for a break from the road but not an endurance challenge, the San Diego Overlook on NM 4 is perfect. It's about 2 miles north of La Cueva. The walk is about ½+ mile on a well-maintained trail with a restroom at the trailhead and gorgeous canyon views through the pines.

Hike Tip #4: A great lower elevation hike is the Red Rocks Trail in Jemez Pueblo. It's a little over a mile with sculpted red rock and junipers at every turn. Hike permits are mandatory and are available at the Walatowa Visitor Center front desk. A perfect morning hike in summer, it walks well all day in spring and fall.

Scenic Drives Tips

If you are looking for an overview of the area or just a relaxing day cruise in the forest a scenic drive can be the answer. Forest roads (FRs) traverse the entire Jemez Mountains from north to south and east to west. The SFNF map has road quality symbols that can help, and warnings for roads that are 4WD only – but weather can turn almost any FR into a problem – recent rain or snow can turn FRs into muddy rutted roads. **Drive Tip #1:** Many FRs are drivable in a 2WD vehicle if roads are dry, and one drives slowly in

rough patches. FRs open April 15 with one exception – FR 376 above NM 126 doesn't open until July 1. FRs close December 31. **Drive Tip #2:** Staying with major forest roads (e.g., FR-376, FR-10, FR-100, FR-99, NM 4, FR 103, NM 126, FR 70) and dry weather is always a good start for selecting a safe route. **Drive Tip #3:** Ranger Stations are a reliable source for road conditions - but call before your trip – Rangers are busy and often in the field that day – but they will call back.


Fishing Tips


Jemez fish fall into two


major categories – wild (brown & cutthroat trout) or stocked (triploid sterile rainbow trout). There are historically about 2 dozen fishable streams and one fishing lake – Fenton. Some streams are currently fishless due to fire – particularly the Bandelier and SE Jemez waters, and portions of some northern creeks.

Fish Tip #1: All Jemez waters require a NM state license to fish. In the Jemez Amanda's Country Store has NM fishing licenses, or they can be purchased on-line.

Fish Tip #2: Trout are the primary target, and in open regulation waters a 5 fish bag per person can be







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Fish Tip #3: 12 Jemez streams are special regulation waters with Red, Green and Xmas Chile reaches – see the NMDGF regs provided with your NM fishing License. As an example, wild brown trout in the Rio Guadalupe in Red Chile water can only be fished for with artificial baits and the bag limit is 2 fish. Special waters are well-signed, and the signage includes the bag and tackle restrictions.

Fish Tip #4: Many streams are stocked with Triploid Rainbows

(e.g., Jemez, San Antonio, Las Vacas, Cebolla, and in Fenton Lake. Check the NMDGF website or jemezcentral.com for stocking dates.

Fish Tip #5: Rio Grande Cutthroat waters include Rio Cebolla (above the hatchery), Upper Rio de las Vacas and all San Pedro Parks Wilderness waters, Rios Frijoles and Capulin and all waters on the Bandelier, and in the north Canoñes, Polvadera, and Chihuahueños Creeks. Check before going – some high altitude streams have been devastated by fire, particularly in or near the Bandelier.

(Kid) Fish Tip #6: The Kids (or Brood) Pond at the Seven Springs Hatchery is a great for kids under 12 years old to catch a nice trout.

Winter is great fun here too!

Winter Activities

General forest areas throughout the Santa Fe National Forest, including wilderness areas, are open to Nordic skiing and snowshoeing. Generally, the higher the elevation, the better the snow. Backcountry travelers should always be alert for the possibility of avalanche activity, and should understand the inherent dangers of remote winter travel. There are no areas specifically managed or recommended for sledding, tubing, or snowmobiling in the Santa Fe National Forest. Snowmobile use is never allowed in Wilderness areas.

The Valles Caldera in Winter

Winter is a spectacular time to visit the Valles Caldera National Preserve. The preserve has miles of trails for the adventurous skier and snowshoer. Remember that you are traveling in an environment with unpredictable wildlife, changing weather conditions, deep snow, and snow covered streams. Your safety is not guaranteed. Be prepared for any situation and know the limits of your ability. With a little bit of preparation, many exciting activities await you. Be sure to layer up with insulating, waterproof clothing, wear sunglasses, use sunscreen and carry water.

Some important tips for Crosscountry

Skiing and Snoshoeing

- There are no groomed trails. All unplowed roads and trails are open to cross-country skiing and snowshoeing.
- None of the streams have bridges. Carry a USGS topographic map and a compass and know how to use them. Cell coverage is very limited in the backcountry.
- Talk with park rangers before yo leave on any trip. Some preserve areas could be closed to skiing or snowshoeing to protect wildlife.
- Include allowances for limited daylight, snow conditions, temperature extremes, and the number of people in the group, their experience and physical condition.
- Learn as much as you can about winter survival.
- Narrow racing skis are great for groomed trails, but provide little surface area to break trail.
- Dress properly and know about layering for severe winter temperatures to prevent chilling and overheating.

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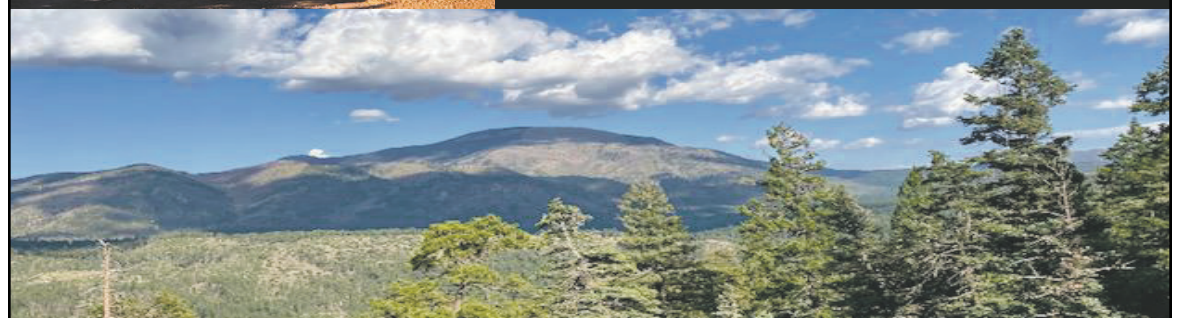
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Art in the Jemez

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www.jemezfineart.com

An artist collective of local artists living and working in the Jemez Mountains. The south gallery features unique shows that rotate frequently. Workshops, classes, demonstrations and special events are planned throughout the year. Stroll the walkway south from the Village Plaza about a quarter mile to the gallery and experience work in a wide range of styles. They also have fine art prints, cards, and postcards.

Jemez Artisans Gallery
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www.JemezArtisans.com

Discover the vibrant creativity of the Jemez Artisans Gallery, a beloved local co-op where eight talented artists showcase an eclectic mix of handmade treasures.

From intricate jewelry and colorful fabric art to stunning photography, fine woodwork, fused glass, and playful upcycled pieces. Located just south of Jemez Springs Plaza in the historic Old Post Office on Highway 4, this gallery has been celebrating art and community for over 14 years. With easy parking and daily summer hours from 11–5, it's a must-visit stop on your journey through the beautiful Jemez Mountains. Call (575) 829-3018 or visit JemezArtisans.com check them out on Facebook for the latest creations and events!

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www.jemezmountainpotteryand-sculpture.com

At Jemez Mountain Pottery & Sculpture Gallery you can take a class with award-winning ceramic artist Linda Vozar Sweet. “I’ve learned to break down the steps for students so the process of working in clay is less frustrating and more

rewarding,” says Linda, who studied ceramic art in Faenza, Italy and has years of experience working with clay. In addition to pottery items such as wine cups, hand-built textured vases, and dinnerware, Linda is a figurative sculptor in bronze and clay. Her work continues to evolve as she discovers new glazes and explores different methods for working in a broad range of styles. Native American jewelry and books by local authors are also for sale in the gallery. Stop in to see what’s new and different in this wonderful gallery/studio.

Mission Street Arts
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www.missionstreetarts.com

Artist Residencies and Community Events in Jemez Springs New Mexico, Mission Street Arts, located in the awe-inspiring Jemez Valley, exists to further the artistic vision of resident artists and the community by providing facilities in a scenic

and supportive environment for artists and involvement in our community through workshops, studio visits, and exhibits. We welcome artists working in diverse fields including stone-carving, sculpture, painting, drawing, performance, printmaking, textile arts, and writing. Check the website for info and how to apply. www.missionstreetarts.com



Jemez Fine Art Gallery



Jemez Mountain Pottery and Sculpture

Small Town Big Art

By A. Word

When one thinks of a town of 250, healing waters, and a thriving spiritual community from every corner of the globe – folks can feel easily into the serenity and calm lustrous beauty of the land. What may remain hidden, except to those who visit often or call it home, is that the Jemez Valley is anything but still. Both weekdays and weekends are bustling with activity – especially when it comes to the arts.

In our charming little town—where local businesses are few but full of heart—you’ll find two vibrant spaces devoted entirely to showcasing artistic talent. One of them, the Jemez Artisans Gallery, features the work of eight local artists whose creations span a wide range of styles, mediums, and inspirations. Explore an ever-changing collection that includes striking landscape photography, finely crafted woodwork, handmade bags and pouches, whimsical illustrations, fused glass, upcycled art, jewelry, mandalas, painted vinyl records, magnets, greeting cards, and a

beloved selection of Jemez Mountain T-shirts. It’s the perfect place to find meaningful gifts or a special piece for yourself. Throughout the year, the gallery also hosts visiting artists, offering fresh perspectives through painting, photography, textile art, and more. Come discover the creative spirit of the Jemez—there’s always something new to see! Learn more at JemezArtisans.com.

Right across the street is Jemez Fine Art Gallery (JFA Gallery), also a collective, that showcases the work of 15 area artists. As each artist is responsible for a day or two a month at the gallery, stop by to get a true feel for what’s behind the piece – be it plein aire, watercolor, acrylic, wood batik, oil or of the 3D variety in ceramic, bronze and stone. JFA Gallery prides itself on a wide variety of juried styles and mediums. As a retirement community for so many, our artists include many known names in the art world from muralists and illustrators to small-town heroes who have been art teachers at local schools and

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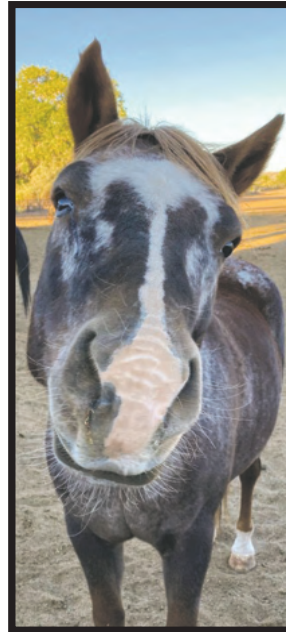
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Jemez Red Rocks by Theodore Greer (theodoregreer.com)



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Mission Street Arts

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universities. What's more is that by purchasing directly from the artist, the prices that line gallery walls are eye candy for collectors as they don't have that additional hefty commission to account for. The South end of the gallery hosts a variety of visiting artists who rent out the space for 1-2 week shows which are also often accompanied with a reception – bringing locals and visitors together with music, finger foods and a lively love for the arts. (jemezfineart.com)

Between Friends of the

Library workshops and Mission Street

Arts Artist in Residence activities– there is rarely a time without something unique and inspiring to do. From reader's theaters, to interactive playground installations, from painting workshops to environmental art exploration. Come play with us! (jsplibrary.com and missionstreetarts.com)

Afraid you're going to miss that busy weekend? No worries! Our small valley is filled to the brim with area nonprofits that also love

to host live art events and silent auctions to support area animals, wellness initiatives and support for those in our community that need it most. It is in these events that you spot pieces by our hidden gems – sculptors, painters, weavers, jewelers and collectors that like to share their passion with the world in a way that gives back.

Be sure to pick up your most recent copy of After the Thunder to keep up to date on these events and for more information on how to dive into the Jemez area art scene!



Artist Raymond Sandoval



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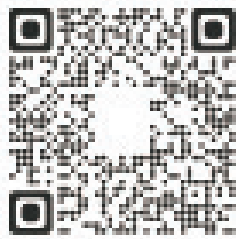
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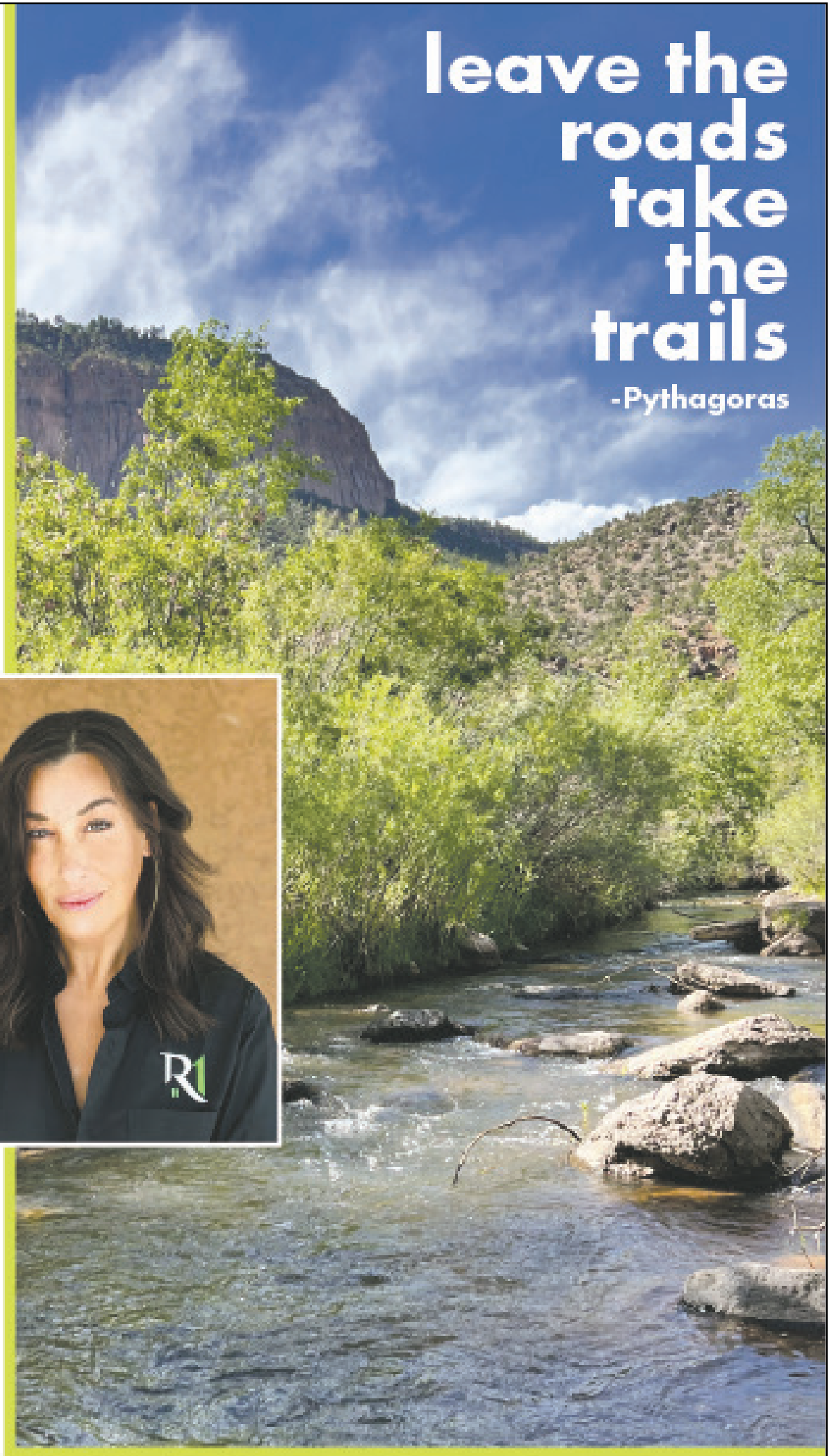
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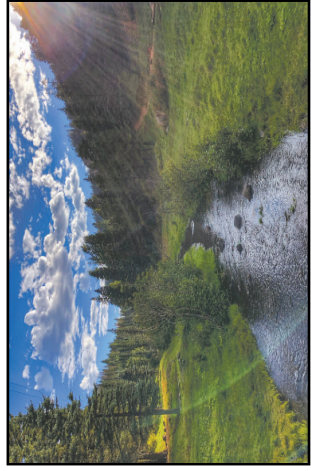


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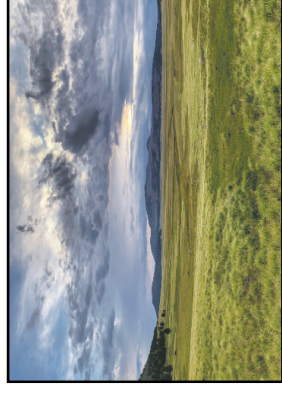
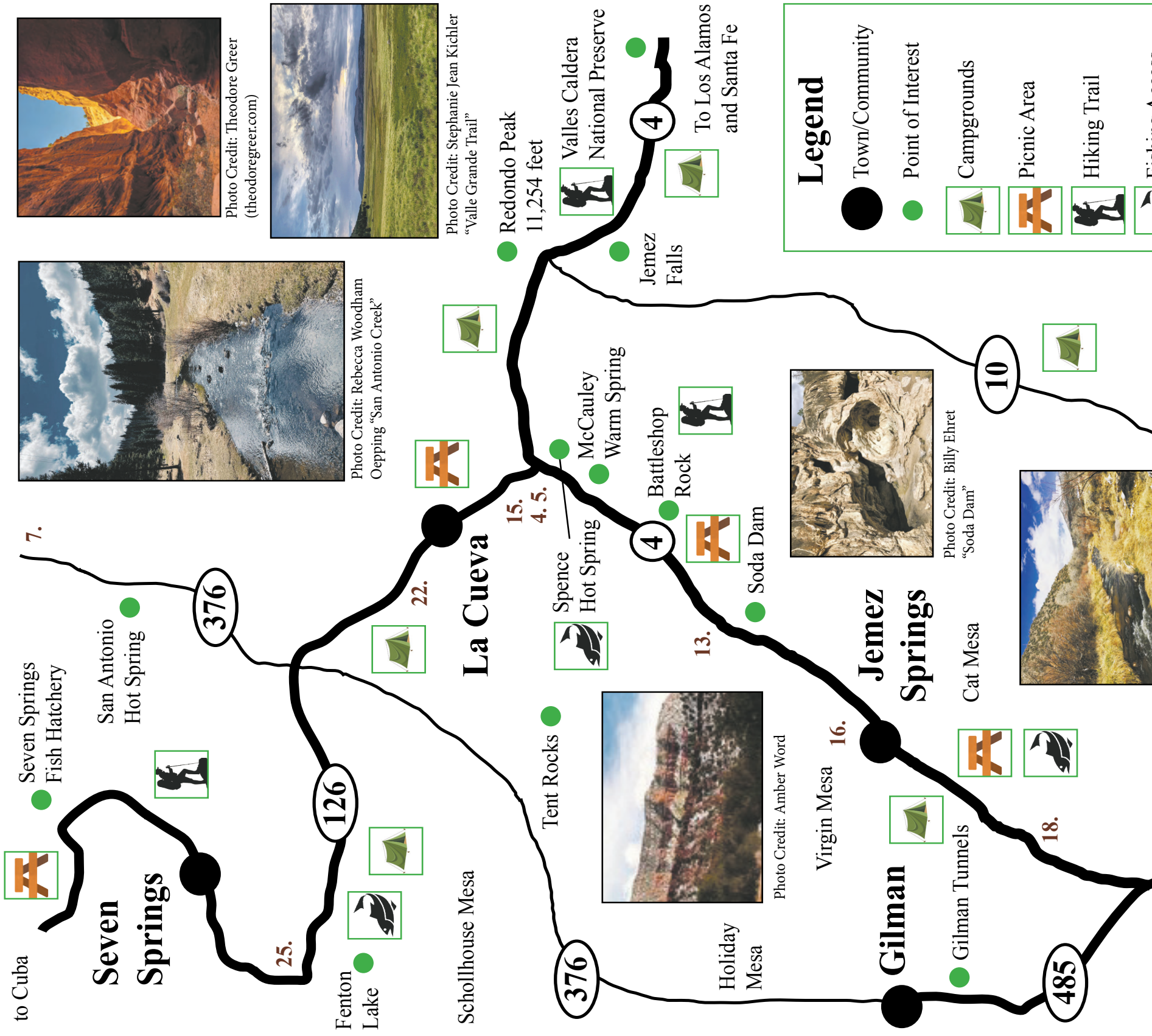


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Everything in the Jemez Valley

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Legend

- Town/Community
- Point of Interest
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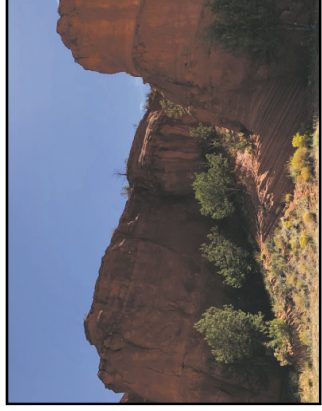


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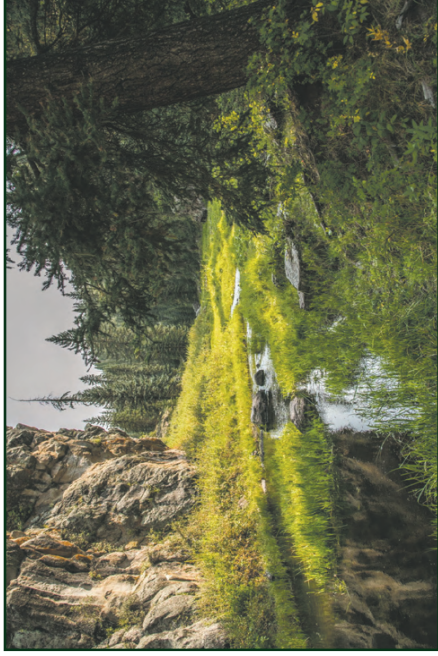


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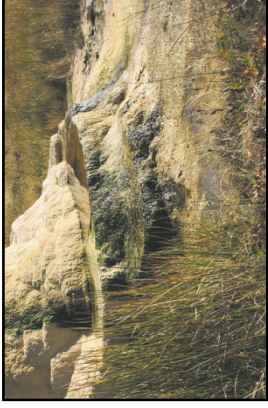


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"Hot Spring in the Village Plaza"

Downtown Jemez Springs

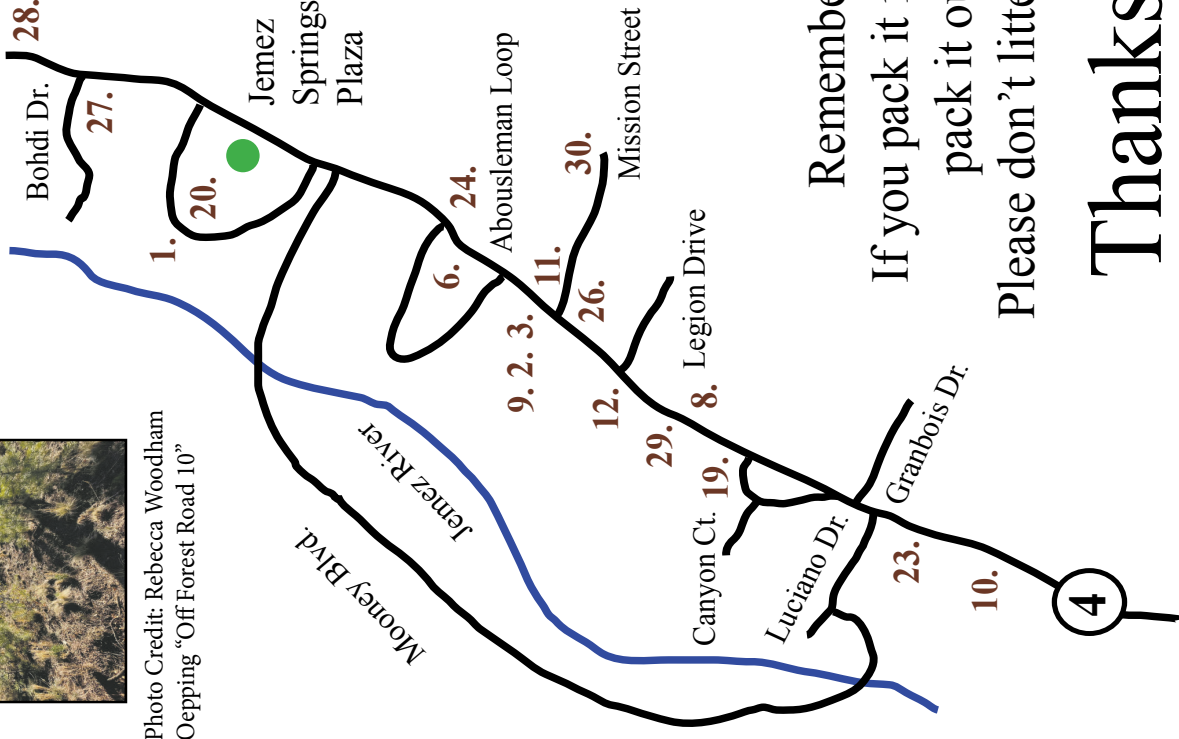


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Enjoy Free Cultural Events at Historic Sites

A 2024 survey released by the New Mexico Tourism Department shows that there are three main factors which influence travelers' destination choices including: feeling welcomed, exploring unique historical sites, and experiencing vibrant cultural offerings.

Sandoval County happens to be home to two of the most visited and welcoming historic sites in the state – Jemez Historic Site in Jemez Springs and Coronado Historic Site in Bernalillo – each brimming with history, culture and year-round events.

Jemez Historic Site, which was once the Pueblo of Gisewa, was established around 1350 AD. Spanish missionaries came to the area around 1621 where they erected the San José del los Jémez Mission Church which still stands today.

Less than an hour south of Jemez Springs is Coronado Historic

Site, featuring the remains of historic kivas, likely built around 1300 AD when the Village of Kuaua was thriving. Pueblo natives however, lived in the location as far back as 600 AD. The first Spanish expedition was led by Francisco Vasquez de Coronado, who came in search of gold. Like Jemez Historic Site, Spanish settlers and missionaries colonized the area in the late 1500's.

Both sites are unique in their history but share some similarities. Both have historic monuments and artifacts, hiking trails, onsite gift shops, and public events. Both are managed by the New Mexico Department of Cultural Affairs (DCA). In fact, many events and tours are led by trained members of the Friends of Coronado & Jemez Historic Sites ("Friends"), a 501(c)(3) whose goal is to protect, preserve and support the two sites.

Most of the more than 300 members, like Friends' president

Sherry Hardage, share an affinity for archaeology, history and anthropology. "It's been gratifying to meet and befriend so many people from all walks of life as a Friends member," Hardage said. "This is the most diverse state I've lived in, and both sites are microcosms of the state's unique history and culture."

In addition to finding opportunities to volunteer, Friends members receive many benefits such as free entry to the sites and to special events like the Star Parties, Lights of Gisewa, and the Fiesta of Cultures. Plus, they get discounts for workshops and 10% off in the gift shops.

Annual fees are as low as \$35 for an individual, \$50 for a family of four, \$20 for students, along with discounts for Seniors. Visit www.coronadojemezfriends.org/membership for a full list of benefits and fees. Membership and event fees support scholarships for archaeo-

logical research, special event promotion and coordination, school education programs and more.

The Friends raise money from sales at the two gift shops, and through fundraising trips and events. The largest fundraiser is the annual Fiesta of Cultures, taking place this year on October 18th at the Coronado Historic Site. A special "members hour" will be held from 10-11am when members can enjoy refreshments and unhurried shopping with the vendors. The event opens to the Public at 11:00 and lasts until 4:00. Tickets are \$10; Friends members, disabled veterans, tribal members, NM foster families, and children under 16 are free.

The Fiesta, co-sponsored by DCA and the Museum Foundation of New Mexico, is a celebration of the different cultures that have contributed to the diversity of New Mexico. Artists, story tellers, music and dancers from many

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ethnic communities fill the day with memorable entertainment.

Over the last three years, the Friends have held fundraising trips for their members and the public. A 3-day camping trip to Chaco Canyon allowed many to experience Chaco in a contemplative and exploratory way that isn't easy to achieve in a single day visit. A three-day-two-nights tour of archaeological sites in the Four Corners region was enjoyed by members who hiked through the ancient villages, heard lectures by knowledgeable locals and got personal tours of museums. Starting this fall, the Friends will host a series of fundraising trips along sections of Old Route 66, to celebrate the 100th Anniversary of the route's opening in 1926. Members will learn about the history of New Mexico as it is revealed by the remaining towns, businesses and interesting ruins.

At the Jemez Historic Site, the first of three popular Star Parties will be held on July 19th. These events are held on the darkest nights during warmer months with lectures from 11:00am to 1:00pm on both European and Native American cosmology and constellations. Later in the evening from 7 to 11pm visitors can peer through several types of telescopes to see the stars with members of The Albuquerque Astronomy Society (TASS). Two other Star Parties will take place on September 20th and October 18th.

One of the not-to-miss cultural experiences in New Mexico is Pueblo Independence Day, which begins with a 13-mile run from Jemez Pueblo Plaza and ends with a daylong celebration at the Jemez Historic Site. This event commemorates the Pueblo Revolt against the Spanish colonizers on Aug. 10, 1680. Visitors may also tour the Pueblo and watch traditional dances, purchase handmade crafts and jewelry, and try traditional foods.

The event year comes to an end when the stunningly beautiful luminarias line the walls and walkways of the Jemez site during the Lights of Gisewa, on December 12th and 13th. This is one of the most photographed events in New Mexico and is a magical experience for all who attend. Pueblo dancers perform while resonant drumbeats echo from the canyon walls. When the music stops, the muffled silence and the cold night air is exhilarating.

Visit the DCA website for additional information about what's happening at both sites; www.nmhistoricsites.org

Consider becoming a Friends' member to enjoy the many events throughout the year at both sites and to help preserve and protect the historic and cultural treasures that are Jemez and Coronado Historic Sites. For more information on membership, visit www.coronadojemezfriends.org/membership



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Fenton Lake



Fenton Lake with Devin and Oliver

By Rose Fenton

If you have never been to Fenton Lake State Park, you need to include it on your "places to see" list. This tiny bit of heaven is truly breathtaking and within an hour and a half drive from Albuquerque or Santa Fe. The lake is man-made, fed by the Rio Cebolla, and named for Reverend Elijah McLean Fenton who homesteaded there with his family.

Its drainage area has historically been subjected to fires and these in turn have resulted in high ash and silt loads that are filling the lake. A group of Jemez business owners and residents have formed the Friends of Fenton Lake, a 501 3c organization devoted to helping the lake and Park be all they can be. Park facilities improvement and lake de-silting are our primary goals. Please donate to the Friends of Fenton Lake and help us save this beautiful resource - all money raised goes to directly to the lake.

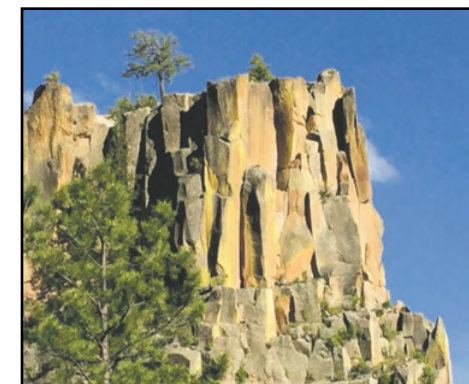
Fenton Lake will be sponsoring events such as fishing derbies and clean-ups at the lake - join us! A \$30 membership to the group provides a one-year pass to the lake and the money goes directly to support Fenton Lake. For more information email friendsoffentonlake@gmail.com.



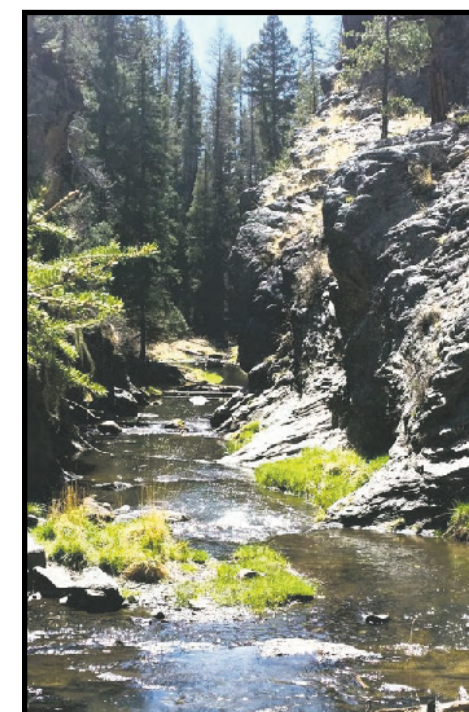
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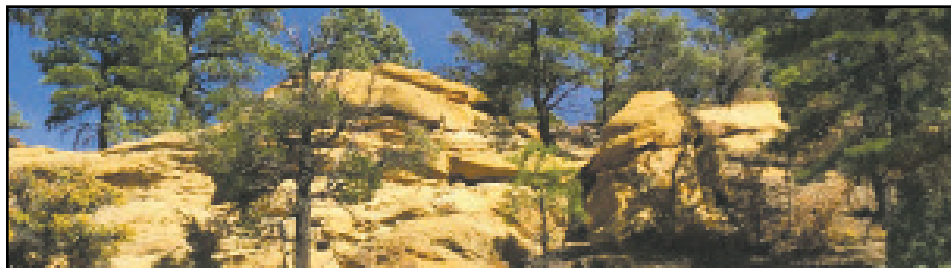
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Battleship Rock by Billy Ehret



End of the Trail at Las Conchas by Maggie Chance Schmitt



Revamped and Ready to Roll Jemez Valley Farmers' Market Has a New Look!

The Jemez Valley Farmers' Market, formerly known as the Jemez Springs Farmers' Market, is sponsored by Jemez Sustainable Solutions. Our market is a vibrant hub that celebrates community, promotes healthy eating, and empowers local food producers, crafters, entrepreneurs, musicians, and anyone dedicated to community betterment and togetherness.

Located in the heart of Jemez Springs at Father Fitzgerald Memorial Park, our market offers breathtaking views of the Jemez mountains. We are open every

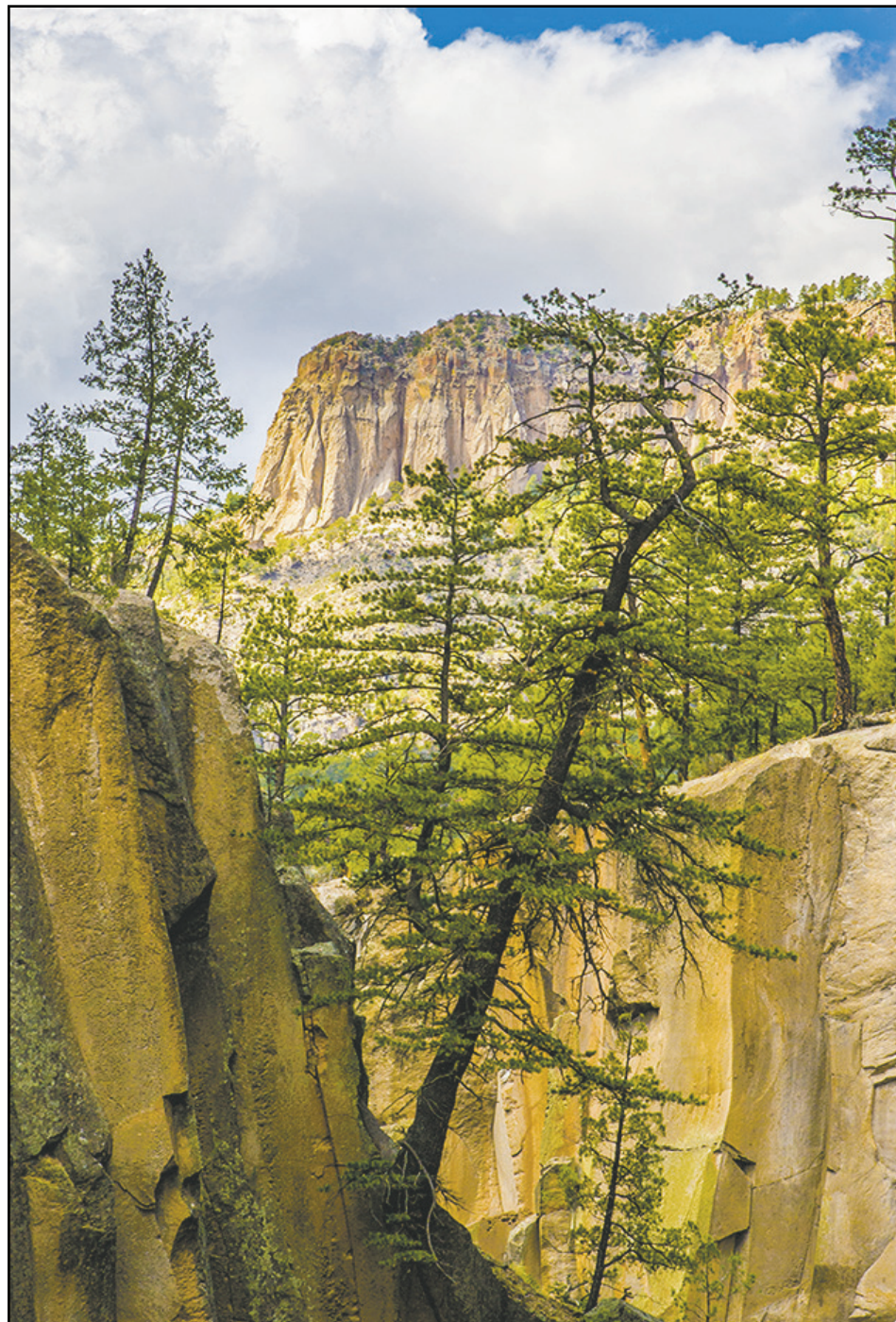
Saturday from 9:00 to 11:00 AM, starting the first Saturday in June and running through mid-October.

From sweet pies to savory pickles and homegrown tomatoes, our market is the perfect destination for your Saturday morning. Our new managers, Autumn Trujillo and Victoria Martinez, along with the locals, are excited to share their experiences in Jemez and offer recommendations for sightseeing, local art, and outdoor adventures.

Don't miss out on our community's favorite farmers' market!

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Canyon Light by Theodore Greer (theodoregreer.com)

Dining in the Jemez

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4926 Highway 4 in the
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575 834-0655

This little stand along Highway 4 is owned and operated by the Tafoya family in the heart of the Jemez Pueblo. You can get hamburgers and cheeseburgers, hotdogs and corn dogs, nachos, enchiladas, tacos, fried red chili, fries and so much more! Prices are very affordable. Dave's Burgers is usually open from 11 AM to 8 PM on Saturday, and Sunday from 4 PM to 8 PM, closed Mondays. You can also call in your order in advance or confirm hours. You can't leave the valley without checking out Dave's!



Highway 4 Café and Bakery
17502 Highway 4,
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575-829-4655

Owned and operated by trained chef, Pema, Highway 4 Café and Bakery is where the locals go for pastries, espresso, sandwiches and more. Exceptionally tasty food, great coffee, and home-made chai, all in a quaint setting, with the nicest staff.

Great views from the comfortable outdoor patio with free Wi-Fi. Try the piñon tart made like a pecan tart but different and delicious. They also have everything from milkshakes to anti-sanal bread, croissants, cinnamon rolls, cookies, and Danish. The breakfasts are the best in town. Lunch features burgers, burritos, and so much more!

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Esquire magazine called it “One of America’s Best Bars”! Enjoy the western ambience from the rock wood fire place to the old gun collection and taxidermy on the walls. Los Ojos has live music performed by local talent most Friday and Saturday nights.

Try a number of popular choices from the Los Ojos Special menu, like Chile Charlie, to the Famous Green Chile Cheese Burger and the best fresh squeezed margarita you’ve ever had! There is a full-service bar and package store open every day. Los Ojos opens at 11am and stays open until at least 9pm most days and as late as 2am on weekends. There is a beautiful patio with views of the Virgin and Cat Mesas. A true New Mexico treasure! (Catch the scenes shot here in Angelina Jolie’s latest movie!)



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The Rose Center for Integrative Health

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A long-time magnet for so many people interested in the healing arts, The Rose Center for Integrative Health is an inclusive home for wellness amidst our red rock mesas. Located at 8372 Highway 4, across from the Jemez Valley Public Schools in Cañon. The Rose Center aims to increase access to health services for the greater Jemez Valley community, especially in the realms of preventive and integrative healthcare as well as provide one-time wellness experiences for Jemez Valley visitors. In addition to providing clinic space to Jemez-based holistic health practitioners, The Rose Center hosts a number of programs in health education, movement medicine, sound baths and more. It is also home-base to Jemez Valley Community Wellness (JVCW), a 501c3 nonprofit.

JVCW’s mission is to “offer integrative medicine to the entire

Jemez Valley and to subsidize those services for individuals who may not be able to afford them“. They host workshops, community-building events and offer a variety of other opportunities that can help all those living and exploring the valley to discover tools for more holistic living. JVCW brings in traveling practitioners from around the area and the globe.

In addition to what JVCW brings to the Rose Center, there is also quite the line-up of anchor private practitioners that provide access to their services there. Including: Naturopathic Medicine, Ayurveda, BodyTalk, Sound Therapy, Nutritional Consulting, EMDR, Tapping, Talk therapy, Traditional Aztec Hands-on Energy Work, massage, and more. Check out the Jemez Valley’s own bi-monthly newspaper, After the Thunder for the Rose Center’s monthly calendar of events.

If you are visiting the Valley,

there are many offerings for you too! Individual treatments can be a great way to enhance your healing journey here in the Jemez. While many of the Rose Center’s practitioners offer packages in order to support lasting lifestyle changes with regular visits and follow ups, there are also several stand alone healing offerings as well. Consider an Aztec healing treatment after a nice soak at Jemez Hot Springs, or sink into a customized sound bath - individual, couple and group sessions are available - after a hike out-

to Jemez Falls or San Antonio Hot Springs to integrate all of the beauty that this magical Valley has to offer.

Check out The Rose Center’s website, www.TheRose.Center for a list of up to date current resident practitioners and their offerings. Visit www.JVCW.org to make bookings for Jemez Community Wellness - sponsored events and visiting practitioners. Keep in mind that The Rose Center is currently only open by appointment.

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Hidden in a romantic corner of the terraced yard, the Garden Cottage offers the chance to sleep to the sounds of the whispering river. Both options are steps away to hot springs, the historic Bath House, and restaurants.

Adjacent to the Casa Blanca is the unique Jemez Mountain Pottery studio featuring the raku and stoneware work of Linda Vozar Sweet.

La Cueva Lodge
38690 Highway 126 (at the intersection of Highway 4),
La Cueva
575-829-3300

The La Cueva Lodge offers 15 modern motel style rooms on the San Antonio River. The lodge is a great base camp for enjoying, hunting, fishing, hiking, and cross-country skiing in the Jemez Mountains. Why you can fish right out your back door! Rooms start at \$125 plus tax, some have mini-kitchenettes, private picnic areas with tables and barbeques. You can not find a more peaceful place to stay. Sorry No pets. No smoking in rooms. They love large groups!

Dragonfly Cottage
15973 Highway 4,
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505-573-2996
www.desertwillowbandb.com

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Jemez Canyon Inn
Highway 4 at Canyon Court,
Jemez Springs
575-829-3254

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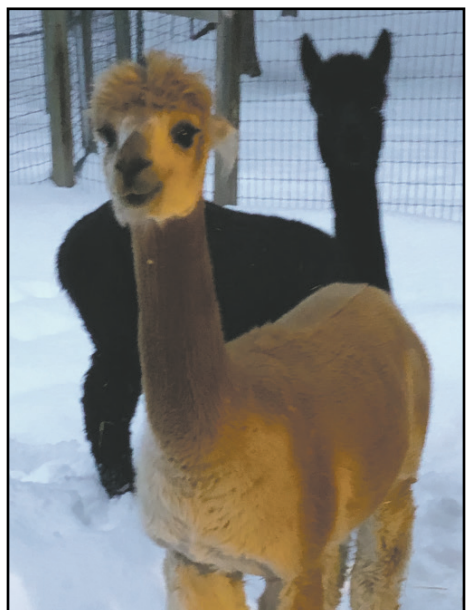
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the inn can be seen from the windows. The inn has eight air-conditioned rooms, each with private bathrooms. Each room is individually decorated in New Mexico inspired decor and has its own access. Six rooms specifically open out onto the outdoor patio and Zen lily koi fish pond. Since COVID-19 there have been some minor changes so please visit their website for more information. When booking with Cañon del Rio you can enjoy a \$10 discount at their sister company Jemez Hot Springs. Free Wi-Fi available. Online booking available.

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Please call or email to arrange a time to visit. (575) 829-3312 Mickey790NM@gmail.com.

Since alpacas do not have teeth on the top and use their lips to get their treats, small children can easily feed the alpacas. The fuzzy alpacas are professionally sheared every year in June. If you are interested in alpaca fleece for weaving or knitting, and the products made from their luxurious fiber, visit the shop above the barn.

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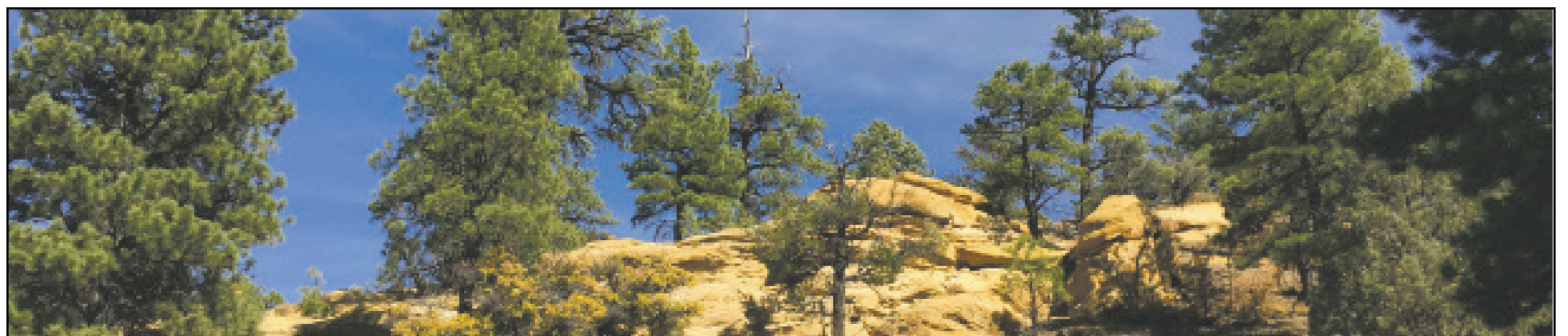


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Life is better on the river! Pack your bags and claim your private fishing or swimming hole on the San Antonio Creek in La Cueva! You'll have access to 100 feet of riverfront all to yourself and with the Santa Fe National Forest bordering the property to the south, your riverside escape extends even further! The cozy 630 square foot home is perfect for couples, solo adventurers, and friendly furry friends. Comfortably fits two adults and a young child.

Jemez Springs Cozy Private Cottage

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Lights Among the Ruins photo by Luis Saenz



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Amanda's Jemez Mountain Country Store
38724 Highway 126 at Highway 4, La Cueva
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Amanda's is your Jemez Mountain fishing headquarters! Located at the intersection of Highway 4 and Highway 126 in the heart of La Cueva, it's just a short distance from Fenton Lake. This is where you find up-to-the-minute stocking reports, fishing information, and NM Game and Fish licenses. There is wide selection of fishing gear, bait, and camping supplies. Amanda's is also the place to stock up on groceries, produce, frozen meats, cold drinks, and snacks. You will also find health and beauty items, a Kids Korner, local t-shirts and apparel. Amanda's is a classic mountain country store with the nicest staff. Say hi to Gina, Stephanie, and Ray!

Hidden Valley Sporting Goods
16 Hidden Valley Road
575-829-3500

Just a short distance down Highway 126 off of Highway 4, Hidden Valley Sporting Goods boasts a large array of camping gear, tents, cooking kits, automotive and RV supplies. The best trail foods, cold drinks, and hot coffee will keep you going on your hike. Free wi-fi. They also rent kayaks and canoes!

Jemez Springs Bath House Gift Shop
062 Village Plaza, Jemez Springs
575-829-3303, 866-204-8303
www.jemezsprings.org

This historic Bath House not only provides the best private soaks, herbal wraps, and massages they have an adorable gift shop with a wide assortment of spa products, bath salts, soaps, lotions, and magical incense. Call for hours.

Shangri La West
10703 Highway 4 Jemez Springs
575-829-4676

Buying direct from the artists allows Shangri La West to search for the most interesting and best quality Native American arts and crafts available. Browse their collections of Hopi silver overlay, Zuni silver with stone inlay, and Navajo silver fabricated jewelry. Unusual fetishes are seen in jewelry, or carved in stone. Alabaster carvings and small sculpture are also available. Shangri La West showcases the work of many local Native American artists. Jemez potters are known for their inventiveness and beauty of their designs such as using traditional black slip on polished red

ware, earth colors on pale gray clay, and engraved surfaces, some inlaid with turquoise and other semi-precious stones. Jemez potters are nationally and internationally known artists. Andrée Moen, founder and owner, has shown their work for years. Add to your own collection!

Well, Look-ee Here!
10902-A Highway 4, Cañon
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Walatowa Visitors Center
7413 Highway 4 at the Red Rocks
575-834-7235

At the Walatowa Visitors Center, by the Red Rocks Convenience Store and the starting point for the Red Rocks Trails, you will find the Pueblo of Jemez History Museum (free). If you're looking to discover a large selection of items from Native American artists from across North America, you must visit. The Walatowa Welcome Center also features Jemez pottery, jewelry, rugs, blankets, fine art sculptures, clothing, candles, incense, and an extensive selection of books about the history of the Pueblo and its people, music, and poetry.

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how much is stuffed into this little store at the intersection of Highway 4 and 550 in San Ysidro. They have everything from birdseed to bales of hay, and an entire pet section. Have fun in this classic old fashioned mercantile looking through piles of blankets, rugs, mugs, gifts, and a special collection of jewelry. Then there is the assortment of colored lariats, beautifully designed chaps, riding gear and even armored vests and protective helmets for bull riders. You can also find the coolest

T-shirts, sweatshirts, boots, hats, all kinds of clothing, and and really good gloves. There's an aisle featuring nothing but racks upon racks of nuts, bolts, screws, nails, hard to find mobile home parts, springs, cotter pins and other hardware. For the kids, they have toys, games, and stuffed animals. Real stuffed animals fill the back room. On display are menacing mountain lions, snarling black bears and sneaky coyotes among the amazing array of mounted wildlife. A must-see!

Shangri La West Gallery and Trading Post

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Antiques, jewelry, gifts and a large gallery of fine Jemez Pottery

Shangri La West Gallery showcases the work of many local Native American artists. Owned and operated by Andrée Moen. Andrée purchases directly from the artists and continually search for outstanding pieces of work for you to see and purchase.

The Hot Springs of the Jemez

By Lynda Sparber Witz

Folks come to the Jemez for the two R's: recreation and relaxation. Nature provided both when the ancient volcanos were shaping the forest's landscape. The gift was bubbling springs of mineralized water heated by subterranean magma and spread out across the valley. These springs have been said to have natural healing, even medicinal, qualities. What is known for sure is that a soak just feels so, so good.

There are many springs all

through the Jemez Forest. Most trickle up and create swampy spots with clumps of lush green foliage. But three locations are destinations that have natural hot springs large enough for you and others to enjoy a soak together.

Note: These are located out in the forest. Dogs ARE allowed. Be aware of weather rolling in, like thunderstorms. Take plenty of drinking water and your own food. Please, Please, pack out any trash! Litter and debris have become a huge problem. Thanks!

McCauley Warm Springs: The two warm pools at this spring can really delight the kids. The pools lie between Battleship Rock and Jemez Falls, so there's a lot to take in besides the spring. Access hiking trail 137 via the Battleship Picnic area or you can access the trail from the parking lot area for Jemez Falls. The reasonably easy hike ranges from 3 to 5 miles, depending on the route you choose. It's a very wonderful excursion with great views. Located at: GPS N35.828357 and W-106.642257

Spence Hot Spring: This is our most frequently visited primi-

tive spring and can draw many visitors during peak times (mostly midday). Known as "Hippie Hole" by residents with a long memory of the flower child days; be warned that some folks still don't know that swimwear is not optional. Spence provides pleasant and clear water along with amazing vistas. It's also very easy to find and hike to at only 0.7 miles out and back to the parking area. Seven miles from the village of Jemez Springs, there's a parking lot on the east side of Highway 4. The trail takes you over the river and up the hill. Located at: GPS 35.849392, W -106.6292074

San Antonio Hot Spring:

This spring is a worthy reward for hikers who make the extra effort to get there. It's the hardest to get to but many say it's the best, with HOT, soothing clear mineral water and spectacular views from its spot tucked into a mountainside. Plan to have a high clearance vehicle if not hiking. Go early or mid-week if you want to avoid possible crowds. This is another spot where visitors sometimes forget to bring swimwear, FYI. Take Highway 4 to Amanda's Country Store and turn on to NM 126 (toward Fenton Lake). Then travel NM 126 until you see access to the dirt Forest Road, FR 136. From here the multiple pools of San Antonio Hot Springs are about 5 miles north on rough road. Located at: GPS N35.9380969, W-106.6459242



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Valles Caldera National Preserve

By Lynda Sparber Witz

It's said that the sunlight went dim for months and the climate was disrupted for decades when a volcano that created the Valles Caldera had a second mega eruption. That blast about a million years ago spewed projectiles all the way to Kansas. The earth eventually sank into itself like a soufflé, collapsing into a bowl-shaped crater (caldera) nearly 14 miles in diameter. It was left surrounded by craggy mountains and colorful canyons created by the ash, pumice, and lava layered by multiple volcanic eruptions. Today that lush, diverse landscape has created an intersection of nature, geology, and humans that is the "crown jewel" of outdoors New Mexico.

The entire Valles Caldera National Preserve is huge – it covers an area of 140 square miles of land, a territory bigger than the area of either Philadelphia or Las Vegas. That means there are so many places to go and things to do to enjoy this amazing national park. You can choose:

Activities with rangers, astronomy, backcountry driving*, bicycling, birding, cross-country skiing, fishing*, flyfishing*, forest bathing, geocaching, guided tours, hiking, horseback riding*, hunting*, large group gatherings*, mountain biking, mountaineering, Nordic walking, photography, picnicking, plein air painting, scenic drives, scientific observation, snowshoeing, trail running, and wildlife viewing. (Activities with an * require a permit.)

Enter the Valles Caldera National Preserve at the Main Gate on Hwy 4 at mile marker 39.2 – that is 24 miles west of Los Alamos and 22 miles east of Jemez Springs. Fee is \$25 per vehicle; \$10 if arriving by foot, bicycle or horse.

Bandelier National Monument

At Bandelier National Monument you can literally step into the mystery and wonder of ancient Native American culture. Even now, when so many public space doors are closed to guests, visitors are free to travel the paths walked by the

Ancestral Pueblo people and climb the ladders tilting upward to explore inside ancient cliff dwellings. The monument is OPEN. The outdoor facilities, all trails, public restrooms, Juniper Campground and the shop are completely open to the public. (The only exceptions are the still shuttered visitor center, museum, theater and shuttle service.) While the visitor center is closed, friendly park rangers are stationed at the main entry from 9am to 4:30pm to answer questions. Bandelier is run by the National Park

Service which, in opening the important areas, adheres to its mission to preserve natural and cultural resources for the enjoyment, education, and inspiration of this and future generations. Information is available at NPS.gov or (505) 672-3861.

Bandelier's early reopening soon attracted many guests anxious for a spectacular and interactive outing. The site is open from dawn to dusk. Ranger Will suggests planning your arrival for early in the morning or late after noon to avoid midday traffic vying for spots in their small parking lot.

Until shuttle service resumes, the limited parking is all that's available and previous guests report trying to fit an RV into a spot is difficult if not impossible.

No dogs (except service dogs). Bring plenty of water and your own food. Sturdy 'playground shoes' are suggested at the minimum. Bring sunscreen and dress for the weather.

Previously, the area was in use by people for the past 11,000 years and legend says the later residents of the cliff dwellings mysteriously just disappeared around 1550 CE.

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