March 2020

Arizona Office of Tourism Monthly National Parks Visitation Report



National Park Service Visitation						
National Park	March	March	% Change	2020	2019	% Change
	2020	2019		YTD	YTD	YTD
Canyon de Chelly NM	26,291	35,139	-25.2%	75,537	75,740	-0.3%
Casa Grande NM	7,153	14,582	-50.9%	30,830	28,428	8.4%
Chiricahua NM	5,995	12,479	-52.0%	18,901	20,281	-6.8%
Coronado NM	13,784	14,045	-1.9%	39,938	27,596	44.7%
Fort Bowie NHS	1,174	1,488	-21.1%	3,441	2,922	17.8%
Glen Canyon NRA ¹	109,704	169,963	-35.5%	235,448	340,123	-30.8%
Grand Canyon NP	276,002	451,228	-38.8%	775,359	889,334	-12.8%
Hubbell Trading Post NHS	3,044	2,675	13.8%	11,407	3,406	234.9%
Lake Mead NRA ¹	87,431	92,962	-5.9%	222,748	205,920	8.2%
Montezuma Castle NM	Not Available	54,163		Not Available	84,027	
Navajo NM	1,781	3,283	-45.8%	3,985	4,793	-16.9%
Organ Pipe Cactus NM	26,593	41,890	-36.5%	94,527	107,668	-12.2%
Petrified Forest NP	45,816	55,187	-17.0%	101,502	91,870	10.5%
Pipe Spring NM	1,050	2,628	-60.0%	2,723	3,448	-21.0%
Saguaro NP	98,901	186,275	-46.9%	369,194	384,614	-4.0%
Sunset Crater Volcano NM	1,200	11,628	-89.7%	10,182	14,661	-30.6%
Tonto NM	4,431	8,322	-46.8%	13,108	13,226	-0.9%
Tumacacori NHP	3,843	6,231	-38.3%	14,051	12,020	16.9%
Tuzigoot NM	Not Available	14,716		Not Available	23,203	
Walnut Canyon NM	6,760	19,531	-65.4%	21,063	26,361	-20.1%
Wupatki NM	8,656	17,447	-50.4%	24,743	22,414	10.4%
Total All Parks	729,609	1,215,862	-40.0%	2,068,687	2,382,055	-13.2%

Note: The above figures are for recreational visitors only.

¹Glen Canyon NRA and Lake Mead NRA both encompass two states. Only the Arizona portion of visitors are represented here. March Notes: All parks responded to the COVID situation with altered operations and/or closures in late March.

Source: National Park Service. "Current calendar year data are preliminary and subject to change. Data will be finalized by the end of the first quarter of next calendar year."

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