

May 2021

Arizona Office of Tourism  
Monthly National Parks Visitation Report



| National Park Service Visitation |                  |                |               |                  |                  |              |
|----------------------------------|------------------|----------------|---------------|------------------|------------------|--------------|
| National Park                    | May 2021         | May 2020       | % Change      | 2021 YTD         | 2020 YTD         | % Change YTD |
| Canyon de Chelly NM              | 441              | 0              |               | 1,031            | 73,311           | -98.6%       |
| Casa Grande NM                   | 3,173            | 0              |               | 26,693           | 30,830           | -13.4%       |
| Chiricahua NM                    | 5,193            | 1,999          | 159.8%        | 30,211           | 21,647           | 39.6%        |
| Coronado NM                      | 8,947            | 13,967         | -35.9%        | 53,578           | 71,473           | -25.0%       |
| Fort Bowie NHS                   | 541              | 137            | 294.9%        | 5,777            | 3,815            | 51.4%        |
| Glen Canyon NRA <sup>1</sup>     | 256,132          | 135,411        | 89.2%         | 809,804          | 438,706          | 84.6%        |
| Grand Canyon NP                  | 395,137          | 43,397         | 810.5%        | 1,470,629        | 818,756          | 79.6%        |
| Hubbell Trading Post NHS         | 0                | 0              |               | 0                | 11,407           | -100.0%      |
| Lake Mead NRA <sup>1</sup>       | 164,624          | 215,514        | -23.6%        | 615,723          | 629,661          | -2.2%        |
| Montezuma Castle NM              | 44,222           | 0              |               | 326,195          | 85,752           | 280.4%       |
| Navajo NM                        | 0                | 0              |               | 0                | 3,985            | -100.0%      |
| Organ Pipe Cactus NM             | 10,989           | 4,256          | 158.2%        | 113,490          | 107,038          | 6.0%         |
| Petrified Forest NP              | 63,185           | 900            | 6920.6%       | 206,353          | 102,402          | 101.5%       |
| Pipe Spring NM                   | 3,272            | 0              |               | 9,033            | 2,723            | 231.7%       |
| Saguaro NP                       | 142,841          | 22,300         | 540.5%        | 832,349          | 414,314          | 100.9%       |
| Sunset Crater Volcano NM         | 15,199           | 0              |               | 50,971           | 15,693           | 224.8%       |
| Tonto NM                         | 2,807            | 0              |               | 19,513           | 13,108           | 48.9%        |
| Tumacacori NHP                   | 2,348            | 829            | 183.2%        | 17,664           | 15,548           | 13.6%        |
| Tuzigoot NM                      | 12,790           | 0              |               | 55,616           | 25,085           | 121.7%       |
| Walnut Canyon NM                 | 26,633           | 1,740          | 1430.6%       | 84,990           | 22,803           | 272.7%       |
| Wupatki NM                       | 19,892           | 0              |               | 69,425           | 24,743           | 180.6%       |
| <b>Total All Parks</b>           | <b>1,178,366</b> | <b>440,450</b> | <b>167.5%</b> | <b>4,799,045</b> | <b>2,932,800</b> | <b>63.6%</b> |

Note: The above figures are for recreational visitors only.

<sup>1</sup>Glen Canyon NRA and Lake Mead NRA both encompass two states. Only the Arizona portion of visitors are represented here.

May Notes: Coronado NM, Organ Pipe Cactus NM, and Wupatki NM all reported using estimates due to issues with some counters. Tumacacori NHP resumed a full operations schedule on 5/21/21. The Lake Mead NRA visitor count representing the AZ portion for 2021 is estimated.

Source: National Park Service.

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