

April 2022

Arizona Office of Tourism
Monthly National Parks Visitation Report



National Park Service Visitation						
National Park	April 2022	April 2021	% Change	2022 YTD	2021 YTD	% Change YTD
Canyon de Chelly NM	33,408	266	12459.4%	99,766	590	16809.5%
Casa Grande NM	5,934	5,046	17.6%	31,770	23,520	35.1%
Chiricahua NM	8,157	6,555	24.4%	29,706	25,017	18.7%
Coronado NM	11,774	10,499	12.1%	46,616	44,631	4.4%
Fort Bowie NHS	925	1,296	-28.6%	4,559	5,236	-12.9%
Glen Canyon NRA ¹	275,819	330,078	-16.4%	635,074	762,304	-16.7%
Grand Canyon NP	438,576	421,232	4.1%	1,202,927	1,064,636	13.0%
Hubbell Trading Post NHS	3,541	0		13,954	0	
Lake Mead NRA ¹	149,798	154,403	-3.0%	485,156	472,878	2.6%
Montezuma Castle NM	47,164	49,177	-4.1%	146,875	146,126	0.5%
Navajo NM	4,515	0		9,733	0	
Organ Pipe Cactus NM	Not Available	25,639		Not Available	102,501	
Petrified Forest NP	47,081	37,644	25.1%	143,590	143,168	0.3%
Pipe Spring NM	2,785	2,519	10.6%	6,461	5,761	12.2%
Saguaro NP	109,659	124,267	-11.8%	450,058	689,508	-34.7%
Sunset Crater Volcano NM	8,336	14,669	-43.2%	27,838	35,772	-22.2%
Tonto NM	3,623	4,059	-10.7%	17,521	16,706	4.9%
Tumacacori NHP	4,452	3,927	13.4%	19,388	15,316	26.6%
Tuzigoot NM	14,473	14,509	-0.2%	50,571	44,408	13.9%
Walnut Canyon NM	21,206	25,642	-17.3%	67,840	58,357	16.2%
Wupatki NM	17,672	20,106	-12.1%	60,725	49,533	22.6%
Total All Parks	1,208,898	1,251,533	-3.4%	3,550,128	3,705,968	-4.2%

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.

April Notes: April 16th was a NPS fee free day (Beginning of National Park Week). The Lake Mead NRA visitor counts representing the AZ portion for 2021 and 2022 are estimated. In 2022, Glen Canyon NRA reported that most launch ramps were closed due to the low lake level. Hubbell Trading Post NHS offered formal programming for National Park Week. Grand Canyon NP received detoured traffic at Desert View (east entrance) for six days due to a wildfire caused highway closure north of Flagstaff. Tonto NM was closed for one day due to a power outage. Sunset Crater Volcano NM counts were incomplete due to wildland fire. Wupatki NM was closed for 10 days due to the Tunnel Fire. Coronado NM, Petrified Forest NP and Saguaro NP reported issues with traffic counters.

Source: National Park Service.

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