February 2022

Arizona Office of Tourism

Monthly National Parks Visitation Report



National Park Service Visitation						
National Park	February 2022	February 2021	% Change	2022 YTD	2021 YTD	% Change YTD
Canyon de Chelly NM	18,347	107	17046.7%	32,756	107	30513.1%
Casa Grande NM	8,502	5,813	46.3%	15,013	10,870	38.1%
Chiricahua NM	6,129	5,646	8.6%	11,023	9,898	11.4%
Coronado NM	11,168	11,205	-0.3%	21,587	21,627	-0.2%
Fort Bowie NHS	1,149	1,076	6.8%	2,154	2,192	-1.7%
Glen Canyon NRA ¹	86,948	106,747	-18.5%	159,380	202,932	-21.5%
Grand Canyon NP	191,984	161,428	18.9%	372,078	326,350	14.0%
Hubbell Trading Post NHS	4,306	0		6,618	0	
Lake Mead NRA ¹	98,553	102,257	-3.6%	200,710	187,346	7.1%
Montezuma Castle NM	33,087	28,957	14.3%	57,322	49,025	16.9%
Navajo NM	1,289	0		2,487	0	
Organ Pipe Cactus NM	Not Available	24,885		Not Available	46,341	
Petrified Forest NP	24,899	22,807	9.2%	51,465	47,425	8.5%
Pipe Spring NM	1,066	951	12.1%	1,705	1,630	4.6%
Saguaro NP	107,292	177,726	-39.6%	207,756	364,231	-43.0%
Sunset Crater Volcano NM	3,916	4,881	-19.8%	7,248	9,148	-20.8%
Tonto NM	4,444	3,918	13.4%	7,855	7,201	9.1%
Tumacacori NHP	5,158	3,706	39.2%	9,112	6,508	40.0%
Tuzigoot NM	11,074	8,551	29.5%	19,263	15,682	22.8%
Walnut Canyon NM	18,975	8,654	119.3%	25,783	14,831	73.8%
Wupatki NM	8,509	6,159	38.2%	16,082	12,074	33.2%
Total All Parks	646,795	685,474	-5.6%	1,227,397	1,335,418	-8.1%

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.

February Notes: The Lake Mead NRA visitor counts representing the AZ portion for 2021 and 2022 are estimated. In 2022, Canyon de Chelly NM restricted visitor center levels to 50% capacity. Glen Canyon NRA reported that most launch ramps were closed due to the low lake level. Hubbell Trading Post NHS offered limited services. At Petrified Forest NP the Painted Desert Inn opened again to the public after closing in 2020. Coronado NM and Navajo NM both reported issues with traffic counters.

Source: National Park Service.

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