

March 2023

Arizona Office of Tourism
Monthly State Parks Visitation Report



Arizona State Park Visitation						
State Park	March 2023	March 2022	% Chg	2023 YTD	2022 YTD	YTD % Chg
Alamo Lake SP	11,528	14,073	-18.1%	24,777	31,846	-22.2%
Buckskin Mountain SP	6,643	7,557	-12.1%	17,257	21,350	-19.2%
Catalina SP	53,979	37,867	42.5%	113,961	113,205	0.7%
Cattail Cove SP	7,328	7,350	-0.3%	16,440	18,835	-12.7%
Colorado River SHP	2,105	1,845	14.1%	9,878	6,026	63.9%
Dead Horse Ranch SP	27,747	22,458	23.6%	59,998	59,768	0.4%
Fool Hollow Lake RA	5,502	8,291	-33.6%	9,165	13,712	-33.2%
Fort Verde SHP	1,226	1,453	-15.6%	2,444	2,827	-13.5%
Granite Mountain Hotshots MSP	1,622	1,443	12.4%	4,424	4,282	3.3%
Homolovi SP	3,769	5,092	-26.0%	5,727	8,029	-28.7%
Jerome SHP	6,858	6,906	-0.7%	13,222	13,289	-0.5%
Kartchner Caverns SP	19,369	20,950	-7.5%	49,570	52,997	-6.5%
Lake Havasu SP	39,989	44,188	-9.5%	107,812	134,693	-20.0%
Lost Dutchman SP	39,876	33,183	20.2%	92,213	91,029	1.3%
Lyman Lake SP	1,078	3,147	-65.7%	1,705	4,917	-65.3%
McFarland SHP	1,218	932	30.7%	3,144	2,713	15.9%
Oracle SP	1,295	1,244	4.1%	3,890	3,624	7.3%
Patagonia Lake SP	22,730	17,403	30.6%	46,037	39,128	17.7%
Picacho Peak SP	71,537	19,188	272.8%	110,628	49,849	121.9%
Red Rock SP	11,561	11,767	-1.8%	21,906	23,207	-5.6%
Riordan Mansion SHP	1,988	1,981	0.4%	4,990	3,644	36.9%
River Island SP	2,474	3,700	-33.1%	7,154	10,148	-29.5%
Roper Lake SP	8,090	7,218	12.1%	17,600	18,030	-2.4%
Slide Rock SP	19,433	36,586	-46.9%	41,115	65,916	-37.6%
Tombstone Courthouse SHP	6,015	5,879	2.3%	13,479	14,144	-4.7%
Tonto Natural Bridge SP	9,363	12,037	-22.2%	18,845	25,826	-27.0%
Tubac Presidio SHP	1,155	1,211	-4.6%	2,887	2,965	-2.6%
Yuma Territorial Prison SHP	9,518	9,351	1.8%	27,642	26,301	5.1%
Total All Parks	394,996	344,300	14.7%	847,910	862,300	-1.7%

Note: Dankworth Pond SP data is included in Roper Lake SP, Sonoita Creek SNA is included in Patagonia Lake SP and Verde River Greenway SNA is included in Dead Horse Ranch SP.

March Notes: A new visitor accounting system was used in 2023 compared to 2022. In 2022, Riordan Mansion limited tour size to 12 people. The Roper Lake swim area was closed due to low water levels.

Source: Arizona State Parks. Compiled by: Arizona Hospitality Research and Resource Center (AHRRC).