

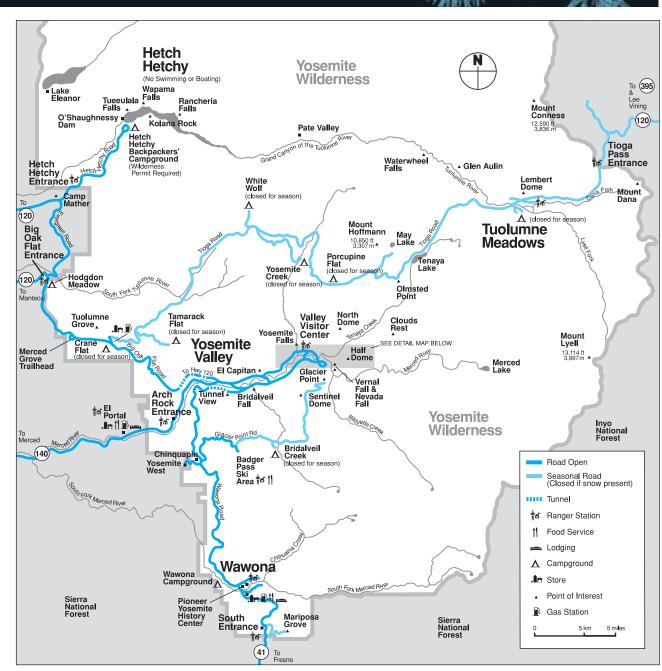
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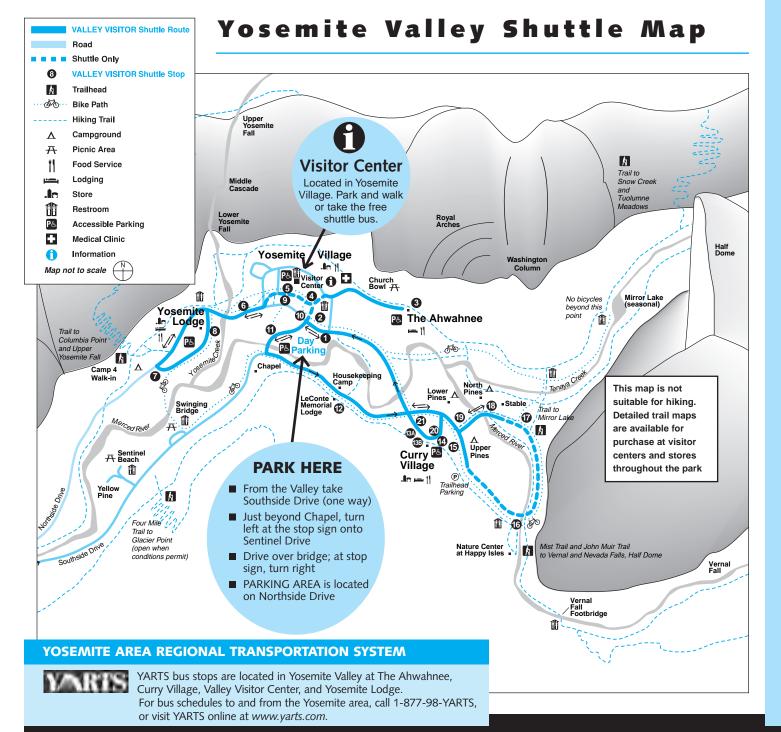
Yosemite National Park

Construction may cause short delays or detours on some park roads. Call 209/372-0200 for recorded road information.



Visit the new Yosemite Park Partners website: www.yosemitepartners.org.







Use the Free Yosemite Valley Shuttle System

Shuttles run daily every 30 minutes, depending on the time of day. Times are posted at each stop. All shuttles follow the same route, serving stops in numerical order.

Shuttle service may be affected by construction projects. Check shuttle stops for more information. &

VALLEY VISITOR SHUTTLE 7:00 a.m. -10:00 p.m.

- 1 Yosemite Village / Day Parking
- 2 Yosemite Village
- 3 The Ahwahnee
- 4 Yosemite Village / Degnan's Complex
- 5 Valley Visitor Center
- 6 Lower Yosemite Fall
- 7 Camp 4/Upper Yosemite Fall Trailhead
- 8 Yosemite Lodge
- 9 Valley Visitor Center
- 10 Yosemite Village
- 11 Sentinel Bridge / Yosemite Chapel
- Housekeeping Camp / LeConte Memorial Lodge
- (3) Curry Village Rental Center
- (3) Curry Village Registration Desk
- 14 Curry Village Parking
- 15 Upper Pines Campground*
- 16 Happy Isles / John Muir Trailhead*
- 17 Mirror Lake Junction*
- 18 Stable*
- 19 Lower Pines Campground
- 20 Curry Village Parking
- 21 Curry Village Rental Center

* Service to these locations stops after a major snowfall

Scheduled **Events**

Programs printed in color are especially for children and their families.

NPS = National Park

DNC = Delaware North Companies at Yosemite **.**

AAG = The Ansel Adams Gallery

= Programs offered for a fee



Indicates facilities accessible to visitors in wheelchairs. Short, steep inclines may be encountered.



Devices are available upon advanced request. Inquire at a visitor center.

SUNDAY Jan. 20, 27, Feb. 3, 10, 17, 24 9:00am WEE WILD ONES (January 27, and February 10 & 24 only)

45 min. Stories & activities for kids 6 and under. The Ahwahnee Great Lounge fireplace (DNC) 2:00pm Ranger Stroll - Merced Meanders

1¹/₂ hrs. Shuttle stop #11 (NPS) 7:00pm **Evening Program**

if available (DNC) \$ &

1 hr. Check local postings for topic Yosemite Lodge (DNC) &

Winter Theatre Live! The Spirit of John Muir: Stories of Ice and Snow (January 20 and February 17 only) 1 hr. Yosemite Lodge Cliff Room Tickets at Lodge tour desk or at door,

M O N D A Y Jan. 21, 28, Feb. 4, 11, 18, 25

2:00pm Ranger Stroll – Yosemite's First People $1^{1/2}$ hrs. Front of Yosemite Museum (NPS) & 7:00pm National Parks in the Sky -

the Beauty of Our Universe 1 hr. Yosemite Lodge (NPS) &

TUESDAY Jan. 22, 29, Feb. 5, 12, 19, 26

9:00 am Photography Walk 2 hrs. Limited space. Reservations required Sign up/meet at The Ansel Adams Gallery Conditions permitting (AAG)

Noon Yosemite Forum and Human Dimensions Research in Park Management, **Informed Decision-Making** (February 12 only)

1 hr. Valley Visitor Center Auditorium (NPS) &

2:00pm Ranger Stroll - Trees 11/2 hrs. The Ahwahnee, shuttle stop #3 (NPS)

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Badger Pass Lodge (DNC) \$

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The Dihedral Wall, El Capitan - 1962 Photo by Glenn Denny

Yosemite Valley

Valley Visitor Center and Bookstore

Open 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. and located in Yosemite Village just west of the main post office (shuttle stops #5 and #9), the visitor center offers information, maps, and books. Explore the new exhibit hall and learn how Yosemite's spectacular landscape was formed, how people have interacted with it through the centuries, how wildlife adapts and survives, and how your national park continues to evolve. & 🚍 TTY

Spirit of Yosemite

This inspiring visitor-orientation film provides a stunning overview of Yosemite's splendor. It is shown every 30 minutes Monday through Saturday 9:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., and Sunday noon to 4:30 p.m. in the Valley Visitor Center Theater. 🕹 🚾

Yosemite Museum

Located in Yosemite Village next to the Valley Visitor Center.

Museum Gallery Open 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. through January 27 (may close for lunch).

Yosemite in the Sixties: Climbing Life through the Lens of Glen Denny

Through January 27

This exhibit shows the photographic work of Glen Denny, a climber in Yosemite from 1961 to 1971, a time when he was photographing the climbs and the activities of climbers in the park. Glen's photographic skills were in part self-taught, but included coursework with Ansel Adams, which influenced his approach. Come see a unique insiders' perspective of the rockclimbing world in Yosemite.

Indian Cultural Exhibit

Open 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. (may close for lunch). The exhibit interprets the cultural history of Yosemite's native Miwok and Paiute people from 1850 to the present. Demonstrations of traditional skills are presented.

Yosemite Museum Store

Open 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m, the store offers traditional American Indian arts and crafts, and books on related subjects.

The Indian Village of Ahwahnee

Located behind the Yosemite Museum and open during daylight hours, the village offers exhibits on Ahwahneechee life. 🕹

Yosemite Cemetery

This historic cemetery is located across the street just west of the Yosemite Museum. People buried here include American Indians and others who played an important role in the development of what is now Yosemite National Park. Guide to the Yosemite Cemetery is available at the Valley Visitor Center.

The Ansel Adams Gallery

Located in Yosemite Village next to the Valley Visitor Center and open daily from 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m., the gallery offers the work of Ansel Adams, contemporary photographers, and other fine artists. In addition, handcrafts, books, gifts, digital services, and photography supplies are available. Scheduled activities are listed on the front porch. For more information, call 209/372-4413, or visit www.anseladams.com.

GALLERY EXHIBIT

Through February 26

Richard Lohmann - Atmosphere

Artist's Reception: February 16, 2:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m.

Yosemite Winter Theatre

THE SPIRIT OF JOHN MUIR: **STORIES OF ICE AND SNOW**

January 19 & 20 and February 16 & 17 7:00 p.m.

1hr. Yosemite Lodge Cliff Room

Actor Lee Stetson portrays John Muir as he delights audiences with tales of Muir's daring winter adventures.

Tickets may be purchased in advance from the Yosemite Lodge tour desk, or if seating is available, at the door. &

Vinter Family Celebration
FEBRUARY 16
1:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m.

Join park interpretive staff for an afternoon of crafts, learning stations, walks, and winter fun!

Curry Village Guest Lounge

Outdoor Adventures with the Yosemite Association

These programs are offered for a fee, part of which supports other interpretation and education programs in Yosemite.

Moonlight Snowshoe with Pete Devine JANUARY 19

Winter Landscape Photography with John Senser JANUARY 24-27

Snowshoe Explorations with a Naturalist with Emily Jacobs FEBRUARY 2

Dewey Point Snowshoe Trek with Pete Devine FEBRUARY 16

Discovering the Winter World with Dick Ewart FEBRUARY 23

For details or to enroll in programs, call the Yosemite Association at 209/379-2321,

visit www.yosemite.org/seminars, or pick up a course catalog at the Yosemite Valley Visitor Center. Free park entry and camping are included.

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Pioneer Yosemite History Center

Go back to a time of horse-drawn wagons, a covered bridge, and log cabins. A visit to the Pioneer Yosemite History Center explores Yosemite's history and explains how Yosemite was the inspiration for national parks across America and around the world. The center is always open, and interpretive signs and brochures are available. &

Badger Pass Lodge (DNC) \$

Badger Pass

Badger Pass Ski Area

Badger Pass, California's oldest operating ski area, is the center of Yosemite ski and snowboarding activity during the winter. It is located at 7,200 feet in elevation and is a one-hour drive from Yosemite Valley on the Glacier Point Road. There are 10 runs, three ski lifts, downhill and cross-country ski schools, ski rentals, and a day lodge. Cross-country skiers will find groomed and ungroomed trails that originate at Badger Pass; tracks are groomed on the Glacier Point Road all the way to Glacier Point. Wilderness permits are available at the Badger Pass A-frame. Call 209/372-1000 for ski conditions.

Badger Pass Bus

Ride the free bus to Badger Pass Ski Area. Road and weather conditions permitting, the bus leaves daily from Curry Village at 8:00 a.m. and 10:30 a.m., the Yosemite Transportation System office (next to the Yosemite Village Garage) at 8:10 a.m. and 10:40 a.m., The Ahwahnee at 8:15 a.m. and 10:45 a.m., and Yosemite Lodge at 8:30 a.m. and 11:00 a.m. Return buses leave Badger Pass at 2:00 pm and 4:00 p.m. Several buses operate on busy days. Allow at least one hour for a one-way trip. Additional information is available at hotel front desks.

Ranger Snowshoe Walk — Explore the Forest in Winter

Daily 10:30 a.m., conditions permitting

Enter the dazzling world of Yosemite winter with an expert naturalist. Join an NPS ranger at the Badger Pass A-frame for a moderate/strenuous two-hour walk (not recommended for children under 10 yrs.). Wear warm clothing and boots. Showshoes provided for a suggested donation of \$5.

Full Moon Snowshoe Walk January 18-22 and February 17-21 6:30 p.m., conditions permitting

Join an interpreter for a two- to three-mile walk in a moonlit winter wonderland. Watch the moon rise over majestic firs at Badger Pass. No experience necessary; however, this program is not recommended for children under 10, as it is moderately strenuous. Visit a tour desk, Badger Pass Lodge, or call 209/372-1240 for required advance reservations. Tickets are \$14.75 (snowshoes included), or \$5 (bring your own snowshoes).

Note: Ranger and Full Moon Snowshoe walks will be canceled if the Badger Pass Road closes, or if weather conditions are too severe.



Badger Pass Lodge (DNC) \$

Mariposa Grove of Giant Sequoias

Sequoia Groves in Winter

Badger Pass Lodge (DNC) \$

Located at Yosemite's southern end, the Mariposa Grove is the park's largest stand of giant sequoias, with about 500 trees. Allow 11/2 hours driving time to reach the grove from Yosemite Valley. Cars are prohibited beyond the grove parking lot. A few of these giants are visible in the parking area. Trails into the grove extend uphill from the trailhead at the far end of the parking area. Interpretive signs between the trailhead and the California Tunnel Tree provide a selfguiding tour. Written translations are available at the trailhead in Spanish, German, French, and

The access road to the grove closes during the winter. If the road is closed, the four-mile roundtrip walk from Yosemite's south entrance to the grove takes two to three hours (longer for hikes into the grove).

Merced Grove

Yosemite's quietest stand of sequoias is the Merced Grove, a group of about 20 trees accessible only on foot. It's a four-mile round-trip hike (about three hours) into the grove from Big Oak Flat Road (Highway 120 West). Located 31/2 miles west of Crane Flat and 41/2 miles south of the Big Oak Flat Entrance, the trailhead is marked by a road sign and post labeled B-10.

Tuolumne Grove

This cluster of about 25 sequoias is near Crane Flat at the intersection of Big Oak Flat and Tioga roads. The former route of the Big Oak Flat Road leads downhill from Crane Flat into the grove. Now closed to cars, this path drops 500 feet (150 meters) in one mile. The trip is moderately strenuous on the uphill return. Within the Tuolumne Grove there is an easy, half-mile, self-guiding nature trail.

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Park Facilities and Services

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Yosemite Village South of Village Store (Bank of America) Inside Village Store

Yosemite Lodge Inside main registration area Curry Village Inside gift/grocery store

El Portal On Highway 140 at the Yosemite View

Lodge and the El Portal Market.

Babysitting

Limited babysitting available for registered guests at Yosemite Lodge and The Ahwahnee. Call front desk or concierge for additional information.

Food & Beverage Service

These hours of operation are approximate. Current hours of operation are posted at each front desk or facility

YOSEMITE VILLAGE

Degnan's Delicatessen 7:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

YOSEMITE LODGE

Coffee Corner 6:30 a.m. to noon

Food Court

Breakfast 6:30 a.m. to 11:00 a.m. Lunch 11:30 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. Dinner 5:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m.

Mountain Room Lounge

Monday - Friday 4:30 p.m. to 11:00 p.m. Saturday - Sunday noon to 11:00 p.m.

Mountain Room Restaurant

Sunday - Thursday 5:00 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. Friday - Saturday 5:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m. Reservations for parties of 8 or more 209/372-1281

THE AHWAHNEE

Dining Room

Breakfast 7:00 a.m. to 10:30 a.m. Lunch 11:30 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. Dinner 5:30 p.m. to 9:00 p.m. Sunday Brunch 7:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.

Appropriate attire is respectfully requested for dinner. Reservations are recommended for dinner and Sunday Brunch. 209/372-1489

The Ahwahnee Bar 11:00 a.m. to 11:00 p.m.

CURRY VILLAGE

Guest Lounge

Open Friday Noon to 10:00 p.m. Saturday 8:00 a.m. to 10:00 p.m. Sunday 8:00 a.m. to Noon

Coffee Corner

Open on Saturday, Sunday, and January 21 & February 18 5:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m.

Pizza Deck

Open on Friday, Saturday, and January 20 & February 17 5:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m.

Pavillion Buffet

Ski Buffet January 19, February 16 & 25 only Dinner 5:30 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. Dancing 8:00 p.m. to 10:00 p.m.

WAWONA HOTEL

Dining Room

Open January 18 (dinner) - January 21 (breakfast) & February 8 (dinner) - February 10 (breakfast) & February 15 (dinner) - February 18 (breakfast) & February 22 (dinner) - February 24 (breakfast)

Breakfast - 7:30 a.m. to 10:00 a.m. Lunch - 11:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. Dinner - 5:30 p.m. to 9:00 p.m.

Reservations taken for 8 or more. 209/375-1425

5:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m.

BADGER PASS

Skiers Grill - 8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. **Snowflake Room** – 11:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

Gifts, Books, & Apparel

YOSEMITE VILLAGE

The Ansel Adams Gallery 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

Yosemite Art & Education Center

9:00 a.m. to noon, 1:00 p.m. to 4:30 p.m. Art supplies available for sale on weekends only. Yosemite Bookstore 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

Inside Valley Visitor Center

Yosemite Museum Store 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Village Store 8:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m.

Habitat Yosemite 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

Closed Monday - Wednesday

Sport Shop 10:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. Closed Monday - Wednesday

YOSEMITE LODGE

Gift/Grocery 8:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m.

Nature Shop 11:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

THE AHWAHNEE

Gift Shop 8:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m.

Sweet Shop 7:00 a.m. to 10:00 p.m.

CURRY VILLAGE

Mountain Shop Monday - Thursday 10:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. Friday - Sunday 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

Gift/Grocery 8:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m.

WAWONA

Wawona Store & Pioneer Gift Shop 8:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.

BADGER PASS

Sport Shop

9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

Groceries

Yosemite Lodge Gift/Grocery

8:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m.

Village Store 8:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m.

Degnan's Delicatessen 7:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Curry Village Gift/Grocery 8:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m.

Wawona Store & Pioneer Gift Shop 8:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.

El Portal Market 9:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m.

Crane Flat 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. May close for remodeling.

Internet Access

Internet access is available to park visitors at three locations: Yosemite Lodge, Degnan's Deli, and the Mariposa County Library (Girls Club), south of the Yosemite Cemetery. Access at the library is free, requires a sign-up and is available during limited hours Monday through Thursday (check at library for details). At Yosemite Lodge, kiosks and wireless access are available 24 hours a day, for a fee. At Degnan's Deli, kiosks are available 7:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. for a fee.

Showers & Laundromat

SHOWERS

Curry Village 24 hours

LAUNDROMAT

Housekeeping Camp 8:00 a.m. to 10:00 p.m.

Recycling

Yosemite Village Store Recycling Center

Noon to 4:00 p.m. Tuesday, Thursday & Saturday

Post Offices

Main Post Office - Yosemite Village

Monday - Friday 8:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Saturday 10:00 a.m. to noon

Yosemite Lodge Post Office

Monday - Friday 12:30 p.m. to 2:45 p.m. **Wawona Post Office** Monday - Friday 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

Saturday 9:00 a.m. to noon

El Portal Post Office Monday - Friday

8:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m., 1:30 p.m. to 5:00 p.m.

Gas Station

Wawona

9:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. Diesel & propane available. Pay at the pump 24 hours with credit or debit card.

8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Diesel available. Pay at the pump 24 hours with credit or debit card.

El Portal

9:00 a.m. to noon, 1:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m. Diesel available.

Pay at the pump 24 hours with credit or debit card.

Auto Service, Towing, and Repair (AAA)

Village Garage 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Towing 24 hours. Propane available until 4:00 p.m. 209/372-8320

Service Organizations

Al-Anon Effective October 3, there will be no more Al-Anon meetings until further notice. If you need to speak with someone, or ask questions, please call Shari B. at 209/372-4812.

Alcoholics Anonymous

7:30 p.m. Sunday, Tuesday, and Thursday DNC General Office Building (Employee Training Center) Yosemite Village

Lions Club

Meets the first and third Thursdays of each month at noon, The Ahwahnee. Call 209/372-4475 for information.

Rotary International

Meets Thursdays for lunch at noon in The Ahwahnee Mural Room. Visiting Rotarian families and guests welcome. For meeting reservations or information, call 209/372-8459.

Religious Services

YOSEMITE COMMUNITY CHURCH

(Nondenominational Christian) Pastor Brent Moore 209/372-4831 Wedding information on our website: www.yosemitevalleychapel.org Various Bible Studies during the week. Counseling provided. Call pastor for appointment.

Worship Service/Yosemite Valley Chapel

Sunday 9:15 a.m. (Sunday School and Nursery available)

Sunday 6:30 p.m. Tuesday Women's Bible Study 6:30 p.m. Held at Pastor Brent's home, call for location

Tuesday Men's Bible Study 7:00 p.m. Thursday 7:00 p.m.

ROMAN CATHOLIC

Rev. Raymond J. Duffy 209/372-4729

Mass in Yosemite Valley

Valley Visitor Center Theater Sunday 10:00 a.m.

CHURCH OF CHRIST (Nondenominational)

Ron Skelton 209/379-2307 or 209/379-2100 El Portal Chapel/Worship Service Sunday 11:00 a.m. Foresta Road, at top of Chapel Lane

CROSSWAY TRIBE OF JESUS

(Christian Protestant) 209/379-2428 Pastor Steve Hughes Pastor Rae Armstrong

Worship Gathering Wednesday 7:00 p.m. Mariposa County Library (Girls Club) South of the Yosemite Cemetery

General Park Information

Emergency 9-1-1

Fire - Police - Medical Emergency: Dial 9-1-1, 24 hours a day (from hotel room 9, 9-1-1)

Park Information

Road, Weather, and **General Park Information**

209/372-0200 www.nps.gov/yose

Park Partner Information www.yosemitepartners.org

Medical

Yosemite Medical Clinic

Emergency care: 24 hours daily Drop-in and urgent care: 8:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m.

Appointments 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Monday - Friday

Located on Ahwahnee Drive in Yosemite Valley, the clinic provides routine and emergency medical care, 24-hour paramedic/ambulance services, limited pharmacy, lab, x-ray, physical therapy, and Mountain Crisis Services for victims of domestic violence. 209/372-4637

T PAD Program

Yosemite's Public Access Defibrillation (PAD) Program is designed to protect park visitors and staff from sudden cardiac arrest. All automated external defibrillator (AED) cabinets have been placed in high visitor-use locations and are open and accessible to anyone in the event of a medical emergency. For more information about the PAD Program, contact the Yosemite Medical Clinic.

AEDs can be found at the following locations: Village Store (Yosemite Village); registration desks at Yosemite Lodge, Curry Village, The Ahwahnee, and the Wawona Hotel; Crane Flat Store; Badger Pass Lodge (winter); and Glacier Point (summer).

Dental Services

Adjacent to Yosemite Medical Clinic. For hours, call 209/372-4200. If no answer, call 209/372-4637.

Weather Radio

The National Weather Service broadcasts weather information for Yosemite National Park 24 hours a day on NOAA Weather Radio station KAD-94, on a frequency of 162.450 MHz. Please note that reception may not be available in remote

Accommodations

For advance reservations or information (rooms or activities), call 559/252-4848, or visit www.YosemitePark.com. For availability on day of arrival, check at any front desk.

Camping

To reserve campsites, call the National Recreation Reservation Service at 877/444-6777 between 7:00 a.m. and 9:00 p.m., or check www.recreation.gov. For same-day reservations, visit Yosemite's Campground Reservation Office at the northeast corner of the Curry Village parking lot. First-come, first-served campsites are also available. See the Yosemite Guide for details.

Bear Canister Rental

Canisters are available for \$5 per trip at the Valley Visitor Center Bookstore and Hetch Hetchy Entrance Station.

& Accessible Services

The Yosemite Accessibility Guide is available at park entrance stations, visitor centers, and online at www.nps.gov/yose/access.

TTYs are available inside The Ahwahnee and Yosemite Lodge, and outside the Valley Visitor Center and Curry Village front desk.

Accessible parking spaces are available just west of the Yosemite Valley Visitor Center. To reach these, enter the Valley on Southside Drive, and go west (left) on Sentinel Drive. Turn left on Northside Drive, and follow the blue-and-white accessibility signs.

Wilderness Permits

Anyone going into Yosemite's backcountry must have a Wilderness permit. Self-register for permits at the Valley Visitor Center, Hill's Studio porch (near Wawona Hotel), Big Oak Flat Information Station, Hetch Hetchy Entrance Station, or Tuolumne Meadows Ski Hut. Self-register at Badger Pass A-Frame after December 14 (weather permitting).

Recreation Conditions permitting

YOSEMITE MOUNTAINEERING

SCHOOL AND GUIDE SERVICE Yosemite Mountaineering School and Guide Service offers lessons and guided climbing at all levels, overnight backpacking, and guided day hikes to spectacular areas of Yosemite.

Curry Village 209/372-8344 Closed for season.

Badger Pass 209/372-8444 8:30 a.m to 4:00 p.m. Located in cross-country ski area

Rental shop, cross-country center, ski school, and lift tickets: 8:30 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. Ski lifts: 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. **Snow tubing**: 11:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m.,

BADGER PASS 209/372-8444

Call 209/372-1000 for conditions and information.

2:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m.

ICE SKATING RINK Located at Curry Village, shuttle stop #13A and #21 209/372-8341

Monday - Friday

3:30 p.m. - 6:00 p.m., 7:00 p.m. - 9:30 p.m. Saturday, Sunday, and holidays 8:30 a.m. – 11:00 a.m., noon – 2:30 p.m.

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Information & Reservations 209/372-4386 Monday - Friday 7:00 a.m. - 9:00 p.m. Saturday - Sunday 7:00 a.m. - 7:00 p.m.

Yosemite Lodge Tour Desk 7:30 a.m. to 7:00 p.m. 209/372-1240 SIGHTSEEING TOURS

Valley Floor Tour *weather permitting* This 26-mile, 2-hour tour departs several times daily from Yosemite Lodge in Yosemite Valley. Contact any tour desk for times.