

EDventures Itinerary

EXPLORE COCONINO COUNTY: CRATER LAKE & LAVA TUBES



Date(s): Wednesday, August 28, 2024

Coordinator: Chris Wuehrmann

Transportation: 12-PASSENGER VANS (non-smoking).

Meal: Box lunch and drinking water provided. Bring extra drinking water and snacks if desired.

Tour: Our day afield will focus heavily on the volcanic history of the San Francisco Volcano Field surrounding Flagstaff and Williams. We will drive up the access road to the ski area on San Francisco Peaks, hike into Crater Lake for lunch, then in the afternoon visit a lava tube (with optional exploration of the tube) south of Kendrick's Peak. We will also traverse some of the old Route 66 on the way home. Total hiking distance for the day is about two miles at elevations near 8,000 feet.

6:45AM – Arrive at Yavapai College Prescott Campus. **Meet your van in the parking lot in front of Lifelong Learning, Building 31.**

7:00AM – Depart from Prescott Campus.

8:15AM – Restroom stop in Flagstaff.

8:30AM – Drive to Snowbowl Ski Area on San Francisco Peaks and hike into Crater Lake.

12:00PM – Lunch at Crater Lake.

1:30PM – Visit the Lava Tube for optional hike.

3:30PM – Drive old Route 66 on the way home.

6:00PM – Approximate arrival time in Prescott.

Itineraries are subject to change due to timing, weather, facility closures and other factors. Efforts will be made to stay as close to the original schedule as possible. Times are approximate and may vary slightly. Please arrive at your pickup location early so that we can stay as close to the schedule as possible.

TIPS:

- **Bring a good flashlight or headlamp if you choose to go down the lava tube.**
- Bring your camera and an extra battery.
- Wear comfortable clothes and hiking shoes.
- Wear a hat and sunscreen even if you usually tan!
- Bring or wear insect repellent for bug bites
- Check the weather the night before and dress in layers if you are uncertain.
- Bring extra drinking water and snacks. Some drinking water is provided.
- Notify your driver if you need to make an unscheduled bathroom stop.
- Please arrive early so we can check you in and depart on time.
- Total hiking distance for the day will be about 2 miles at elevations near 8,000 feet.
- Have **FUN!**

Health Form:

The electronic Health form link will be **emailed** with the finalized itinerary to the email address on your student profile. If you do not receive this link or you are unable to submit the electronic form, please contact our office. You **MUST** provide a health form to your trip leader on the morning of departure.

Please call **928-717-7755** with any questions. EDventures office hours are Monday to Friday, 8AM-5PM.

Driver Contact: If you will be late or unable to make it to your pickup location, please call your instructor **on the morning of departure** at **(928) 499-4527** prior to the scheduled pickup time.

Prescott Campus Map

