

Vzpomínka (62) - PHOENIX, AZ

CATALINA STATE PARK

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Trails

Hiking and riding on the trails are popular activities, with eight trails varying in length and difficulty. The Romero Ruin Interpretive Trail (3/4-mi.) meanders through the ruins of a prehistoric Hohokam village site that is over a thousand years old. The mile-long Nature Trail offers beautiful vistas of the Sonoran Desert and Santa Catalina Mountains, with signs explaining the desert ecosystem and its inhabitants. The Romero Canyon Trail (7.2 mi.) and the Sotherland Trail (10.5 mi.) offer longer, more strenuous hikes through beautiful desert terrain and riparian canyons. Both climb to cool natural pools and connect with other Coronado National Forest trails which continue on to Mount Lemmon at the top of the Catalina Mountains. The Canyon Loop Trail (2.3 mi.) is representative of the several habitat types found in the park. The 50-Year Trail (7.8 mi.) is popular with equestrians and mountain-bikers, and the Birding Trail (1 mi.) offers hikers a chance to see some of the park's 170+ species of birds in three different types of habitats. The Bridle Trail (1.4 mi) is the only completely flat trail in the park, connecting the Equestrian Center with the main trail head.

(Please note that this brochure is intended as a guide. Those planning to use the longer trails should carry a topographic map. Each person should carry at least one gallon of drinking water per day. Remember summer temperatures often exceed 100°F.)

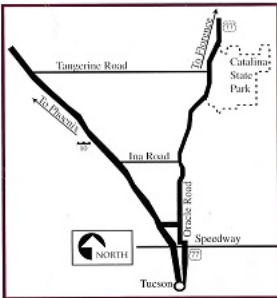


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 **Catalina State Park is located in the Coronado National Forest.**

Location

The park is located on State Hwy. 77 (Oracle Rd) at mile marker 81, just 9 miles north of Tucson and 6 miles north of Ina Road.

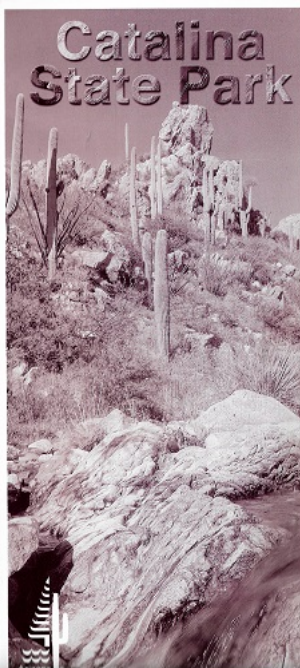


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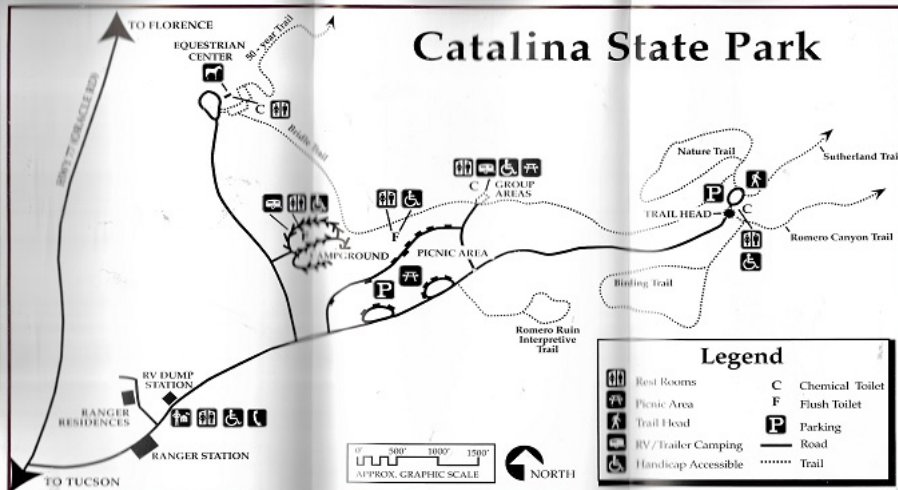
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This scenic desert park offers camping, hiking, picnicking, bicycling, horseback riding, plant and wildlife viewing, and an archaeological site, all just a few minutes from Tucson. Catalina State Park is located within Coronado National Forest, and is managed by Arizona State Parks in cooperation with the U.S. Forest Service. The park encompasses 5,493 acres at elevations near 3,000 feet.

Bring along your curiosity and your sense of adventure as you take in the beautiful mountain backdrop.

Park Facilities

- Campground with 48 tent and RV hookup sites.
- Campground has restrooms and showers.
- Campsites have picnic tables and grills.
- Picnic area with restrooms, picnic tables and grills.
- Equestrian Center for parking or camping with horses.
- Group areas for day-use or camping (by reservation).

Fees

Entrance and camping fees apply. Call the park at (520) 627-9211 for current fee information.

Rules and Regulations

- Pets must be kept on a leash.
- Wood fires and ground fires are prohibited.
- Natural materials/features in the park are protected.
- Camping is limited to 14 nights in a 30-day period.
- Generator hrs: 8 a.m. - 8 p.m. Quiet hrs: 10 p.m. - 7 a.m.

Hours

- The park is open 365 days a year.
- Day-use hours are 5a.m. - 10p.m.
- Equestrian Center/Day Room hours are 8a.m. - 4p.m.