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Halloween Family Fun at New Mexico State Parks ***Zombie 5K Fun Run, Bats! and Trunk or Treat***

Santa Fe, NM – The New Mexico State Parks Division announces Halloween family fun events planned at several parks. Bring the family out for safe, Halloween fun!

Friends of Ute Lake will be hosting a **Zombie 5K Fun Run** on Saturday, October 28th. Registration begins at 4 p.m. at the Visitor Center. Fun Run begins at 5 p.m. Entry Fee is \$20. The event will occur throughout the parks' North Area Entrance.

On Sunday, October 29th, Cerrillos Hills State Park near Santa Fe is hosting **Bats!** With more than 1,000 species, bats comprise 1/4 of the world's mammal population. The only mammal that flies, these creatures have more in common with us than the mice they resemble. The presentation is from 2-4 p.m., and donations are welcome.

Enjoy safe trick or treating at the **Public Safety Trunk or Treat!** This event will be hosted at Elephant Butte Lake State Park on Sunday, October 29th from 4-7 p.m. Come see the decorated vehicles of local public safety agencies. Public safety officials, volunteers and the Friends of Elephant Butte Lake State Park will be handing out candy to the little ones dressed for Halloween. Please **DO NOT** bring your own candy or goodies, as these will only be provided by the Friends Group. Park entry fees are waived from 4-7 p.m. for this event only.

Conditions are Right for Adventure at New Mexico State Parks!



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