



11 Electric Sites



41 Developed Sites



1 Group Shelter



Handicap Accessible
Tables & Grills



Handicap Accessible
Rest Rooms



Hiking Trails



1 Boat Ramp



Sugarite Canyon State Park



Park Information

Land

3,600 acres

Lake Surface

120 acres

Elevation

7,800 feet

Precipitation

15 inches



Gate Hours

24 hours



Emergency Numbers

911

(505) 445-5607

Located on the Colorado border, Sugarite Canyon State Park features heavily wooded mountains and meadows painted with wildflowers and butterflies. Visitors can fish and boat (electric motors only), observe the plentiful wildlife, hike scenic trails, cross-country ski, camp and picnic.

The Coal Camp Interpretive Trail winds through the ruins of the Sugarite coal camp. Coal mining in the area provided an important economic boost to the region and state. The visitor center provides information about the coal camp and the area's history.

An extended cliff of basaltic rock columns, often referred to as "caprock" is the dominant geologic feature at the park. About 12 million years ago, broad sheets of molten lava erupted from a nearby volcano, forming layers of basalt rock 10-100 feet thick. Rock climbing is allowed on the caprock.

There are two lakes - 120 acre Lake Maloya and 3 acre Lake Alice in the park. Lake Dorothy, also about 3 acres, is just north of the park in the adjacent Colorado State Wildlife Area.

A prime location for wildlife viewing and bird-watching, it is highly unlikely that any park visitor will leave without seeing at least one furry, feathered or scaly creature.



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How to get there

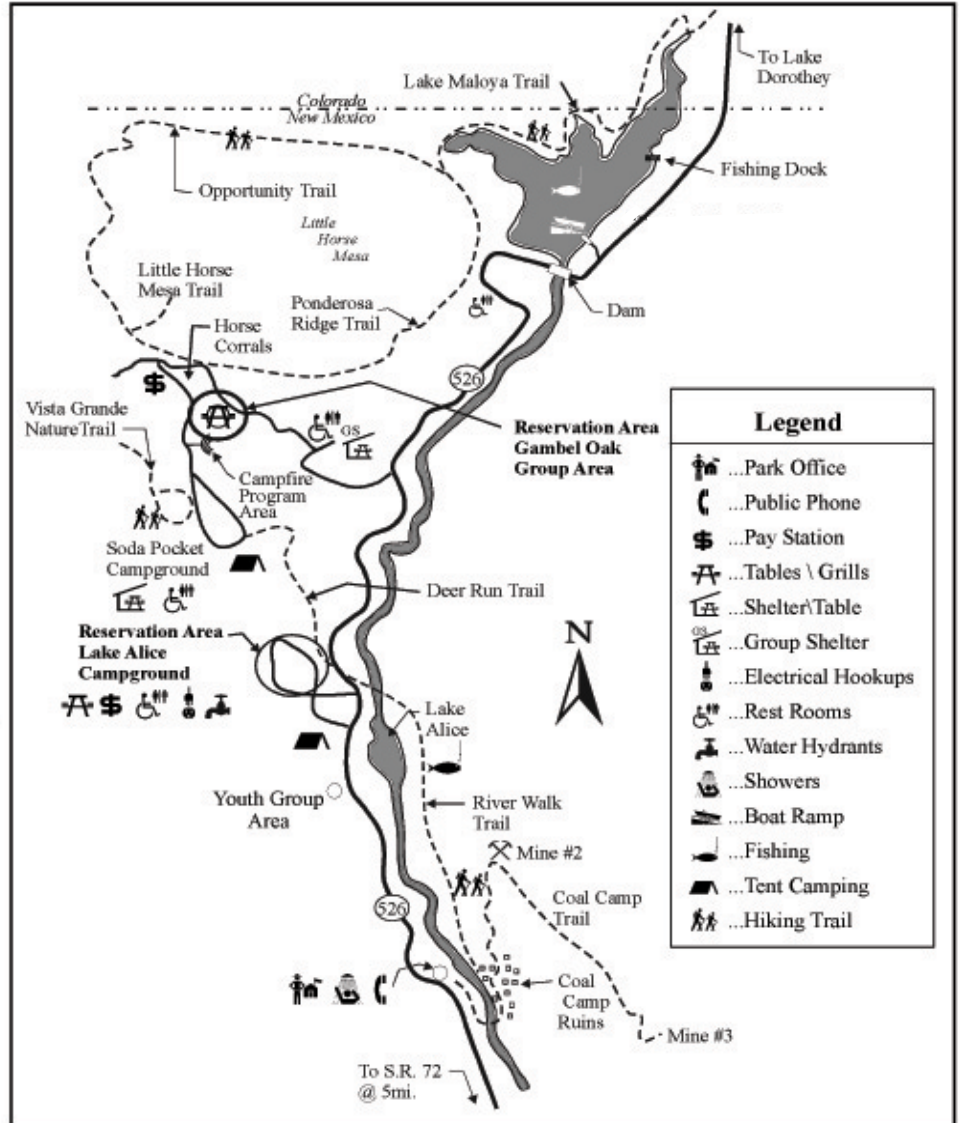
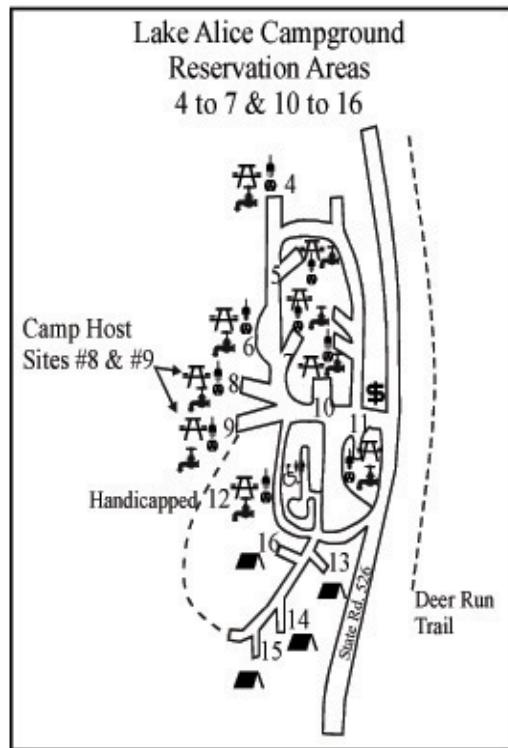
To get to Sugarite Canyon State Park, take I-25 exit 452 at Raton, follow NM 72 east for 3.5 miles, and go north on NM 526 for around two miles.

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Campgrounds



PARK FEES

Day Use

Per Vehicle	\$5
Bicycle Walk-in	Free
Bus	\$15

Annual Day-Use-Permit

Valid full year from purchase month	
All Parks	\$40
Resident 100% disabled veteran	free

Overnight Camping

Primitive Site	\$8
Developed Site	\$10
Electrical Hookup	\$4
Sewage Hookup	\$4
Water Hookup	Free

Annual Camping Pass

Valid full year from purchase month	
NM Resident	\$180
Senior NM Resident (62+)	\$100
Disabled NM Resident	\$100
Out-of-State	\$225

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