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Fun Activities Featured at Elephant Butte Lake State Park

Elephant Butte, NM – New Mexico State Parks invites visitors to enjoy the fun and sun at Elephant Butte Lake State Park this Memorial Day weekend.

“We encourage families to come out and enjoy the lake,” said Superintendent Kay Dunlap. “We have many activities to participate in—from boating, swimming, camping, fishing and hiking, there is something for everyone.”

These activities were highlighted during Elephant Butte’s first Media Day on May 17th, which was a combined effort of multiple agencies. The park is building strong partnerships with local communities and businesses and had a very successful weekend of boating, fishing and family activities for Media Day. A big thank you goes out to event sponsors, particularly the City of Elephant Butte and the Elephant Butte Chamber of Commerce. A complete list of sponsors for the event can be found on the NM State Park Facebook page.

When visiting the lake, State Park officials remind you to always make safety your number one priority. Be prepared on the water and always wear your lifejacket! FREE boating safety classes are offered around the state and on-line throughout the year.

Enjoy your New Mexico State Parks today! For more information, call 888—NMPARKS or visit www.nmparks.com.

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