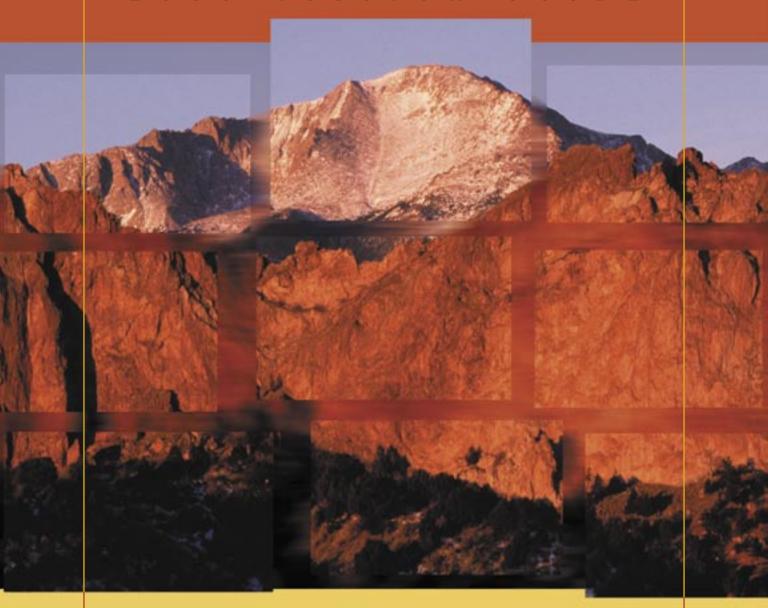
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Founded in 1872, Colorado Springs has evolved from frontier town to world-class international community, boasting a blend of high-tech companies, military installations, and national non-profit organizations, such as the Olympic Training Center. The landscape of our city also includes many parks, trails, and open spaces. Over a half-million people call the Pikes Peak region home and we're proud of our healthy economy and the incredible quality of life we enjoy.

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Lionel Rivera Mayor, Colorado Springs



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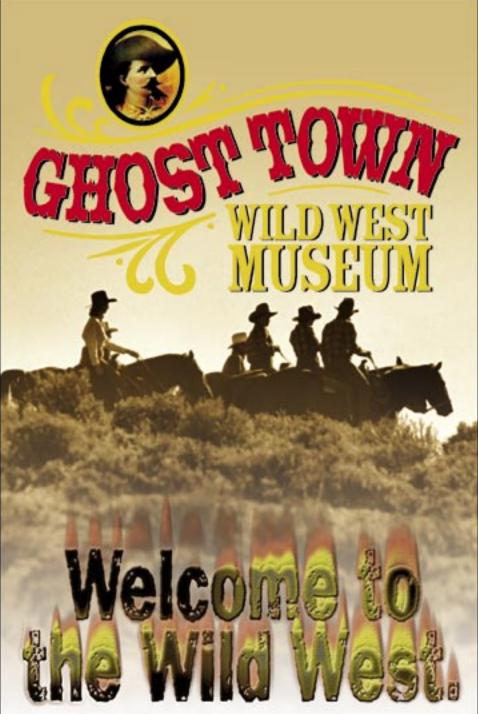
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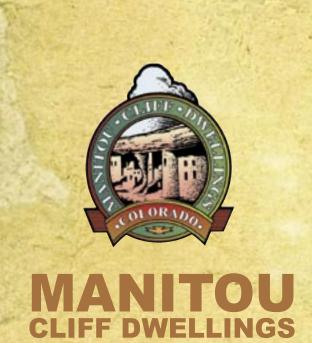


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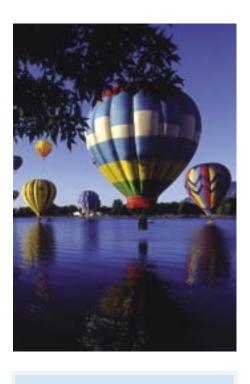
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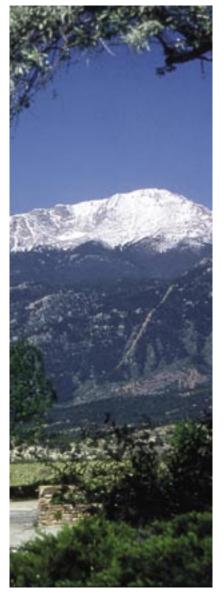
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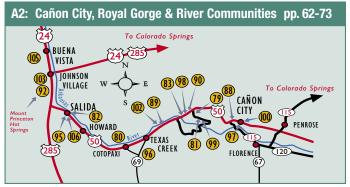
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Colorado Springs is extremely accessible. The city is served by several major highways, with two U.S. Interstate highways (I-70 & I-25) intersecting 70 miles north in Denver. Highways passing through Colorado Springs include Interstate 25, U.S. Highways 85/87 and 24, and Colorado Highways 83, 94, 115 and 122. The easiest and most convenient way to enter the state of Colorado is by visiting one of the many Welcome Centers, where visitors are greeted and given a wealth of valuable information to assist them during their visit.

Colorado Welcome Centers





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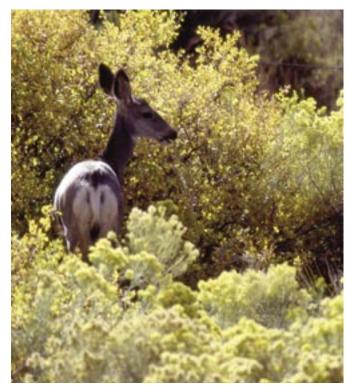
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In 1870, General William Jackson Palmer, on first seeing the Colorado Springs and Pikes Peak region, wrote to his wife: "Could one live in constant view of these grand mountains without being elevated by them into a lofty plane of thought and purpose?" Almost immediately, Palmer began planning the city of his dreams, one that would become a major resort community. Today, 135 years later, people by the millions continue to come from all over the world, drawn by the same beauty that forever changed Palmer.

Today, a number of smaller towns and historical districts lie near Colorado Springs. Just west of Colorado Springs on Colorado Avenue is Old Colorado City, a historic and quaint shopping district. Take Hwy 24 to Manitou Springs, a scenic town nestled at the foot of Pikes Peak. Continue west on Highway 24 to the communities of Green Mountain Falls, Chipita Park and Cascade, offering charm and history to all visitors. Woodland Park is a delightful community near many state parks, national forests, campgrounds and hiking trails. Also, within an hour's drive from Colorado Springs is Cañon City (to the south) and Cripple Creek (to the west), where one can experience other exciting attractions.



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☐ Donna Vessey Entertainment, donnavesseyentertainment.com 332-9185 Entertainment for Corporate & Private Events www.donnavesseyentertainment.com	Education
☐ Haywire, gogogohaywire.com	☐ Colorado College, 14 E. Cache La Poudre St., coloradocollege.edu 389-6000
☐ Jerry Brown Productions, jerrysings.com633-8801	□ Colorado Springs School District 11, d11.org
Singer, guitarist and variety groups for weddings, parties & concerts, various locations MTA Talent Agency, mtatalent@cs.com	□ Pikes Peak Community College, ppcc.cccoes.edu 800-456-6847, 576-7711 □ Pikes Peak Library District, ppld.org531-6333
Musical groups and every other type of live music	□ Pillar, LifeLongLearning, visitpillar.org, 30 E. Rio Grande
☐ Pikes Peak Arts Council, pikespeakartscouncil.org,	☐ University of Colorado, uccs.edu800-990-8227, 262-3000
☐ Pikes Peak Line Dancers, home.earthlink.net/~theherberts227-7253 Provides music, performances and lessons—any type group	Ministry
☐ Pikes Peak Young Composers Competitionpikespeakyoungcomposers.org 593-1831, composition competition K-12, Summer festival workshops & concert for all ages	☐ Ss. Constantine & Helen Orthodox Church, theophany.org473-9238 2770 N. Chestnut
☐ Red Herring Productions, \$\$\$, redherringproductions.com	Medical
□ Rolf At The Keyboard, \$\$\$	□ EmergiCare Medical Clinic, 3002 S. Academy Blvd
☐ Velvet Hills Chapter- Sweet Adelines, velvethills.org630-2525	☐ EmergiCare Medical Clinic, 402 E. Garden of Gods590-1701
Welcomes women who love to sing, part of Sweet Adelines International	□ EmergiCare Medical Clinic, 4083 Austin Bluffs Parkway
Recreation	u memoriai nospitai, 1400 E. Bouldei, 00909, memoriamospitai.com .303-3000
Adventures Out West, advoutwest.com800-755-0935, 578-0935 Tours in jeeps, vans, balloons, mountains, USAFA, Garden of the Gods, Pikes Peak, custom	OHAMPED & TOUDIOM INCODMATION
□ AlpenQuest, \$\$\$, alpenquest.com800-366-4831, 635-4741 Rock climbing, mountain guiding, and teambuilding programs for groups or individuals	CHAMBER & TOURISM INFORMATION
☐ Bike Rides	☐ Chaffee County Visitors Bureau, nowthisiscolorado.com 800-831-8594
☐ Blough's Intermountain Adventures, bloughsia.com	□ City of Cripple Creek, cripple-creek.co.us
☐ High Altitude Jeep Adventures, \$\$\$	 □ C S Convention & Visitors Bureau, experiencecoloradosprings.com 635-7506 □ Colorado Springs Economic Development, coloradosprings.org471-8183
☐ High But Dry Balloons, \$\$\$, highbutdryballoons.com 800-897-3066, 260-0011 Scenic, champagne hot air balloon excursions, open all year, call for reservations	□ Denver Information, denver.org
☐ Trails and Open Space Coalition, trailsandopenspaces.org 633-6884	☐ Hispanic Chamber of Commerce, coshcc.com635-5001
We work to preserve open space and develop a regional trails network	 □ Manitou Springs Chamber of Commerce, manitousprings.org 800-642-2567 □ Old Colorado City Associates, shopoldcoloradocity.com577-4112
ACCOMMODATIONS \$ (\$30-\$79); \$\$ (\$80-\$129); \$\$\$ (\$130-and up)	□ Pikes Peak Country Attractions Association, pikes-peak.com . 800-525-2250 □ Royal Gorge Destinations, canoncity.com
	□ Victor Chamber of Commerce, victorcolorado.com
Bed & Breakfast Authoritic Rℜ & Cottages of Piles Peak, authoriticings com, 888-802-2237	☐ Woodland Park Chamber, woodlandparkchamber.com, 800-551-7886, 687-9885
Authentic B&Bs & Cottages of Pikes Peak, authenticinns.com 888-892-2237 PO Box 6807, CS 80934, Varied locations with something for everyone. Comfort & charm	<u>-</u>

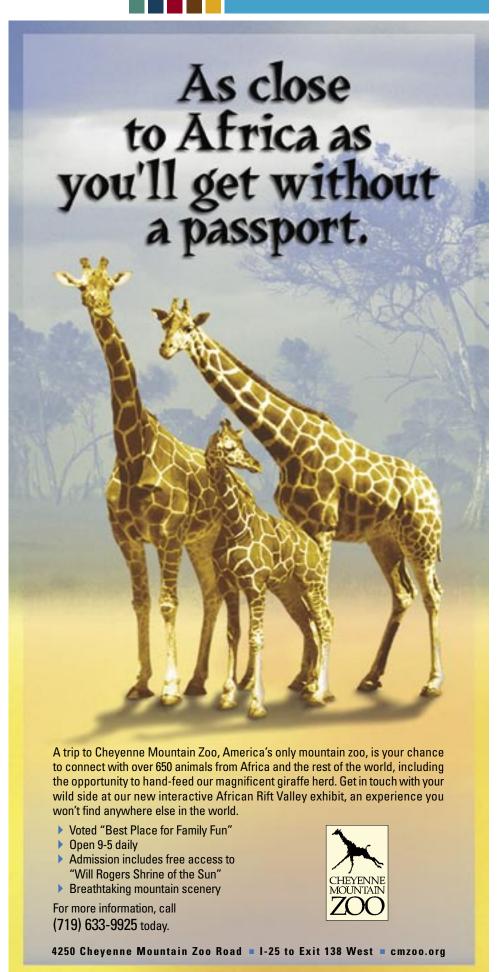
PIKES PEAK—ONE MOUNTAIN, A MULTITUDE OF ACTIVITIES

Pikes Peak – America's Mountain – is the crown jewel of the Pike National Forest and the center of Colorado Springs' area activities. Hosting more than 300,000 visitors each year, Pikes Peak offers both the young and the young at heart scenic outdoor adventures and activities.

After failing to reach the 14,110 foot summit in 1806, Lieutenant Zebulon Pike named the mountain "Grand Peak" and proclaimed that no man would ever ascend it. Grand Peak was later renamed Pikes Peak in honor of his discovery. Since the days of Zebulon Pike, the mountain has been ascended in a variety of ways, including a wagon trip more than a century ago that inspired Katharine Lee Bates to write "America the Beautiful."

Today, Pikes Peak is one of America's most visited mountains, allowing visitors of all activity levels to enjoy the beautiful mountain at their own pace. Relaxing vacationers can ride through the clouds on the Pikes Peak Cog Railway, the world's highest cog railroad and the highest railroad in the United States. The Pikes Peak Cog Railway stretches nine miles and spans an amazing 7,539 vertical feet. Freeing themselves of transportation worries, visitors are able to completely absorb the panoramic views of Colorado Springs, Garden of the Gods and the snow-capped Rocky Mountains.

Outdoor and exercise enthusiasts can hike the 12-mile Barr Trail to the summit. By hiking to the top, visitors relish the clean mountain air and interact with the nature and wildlife on the mountain. Hikers can find satisfaction in climbing to the top of Colorado's most famous "14er" that Zebulon Pike claimed would never be reached. And, if hiking to the summit isn't enough, cyclists can arrange to experience the adventure and thrill of descending Pikes Peak on two wheels. Ring the Peak is a collection of trails, four wheel drive roads. and a few roads that circumnavigates Pikes Peak in Colorado. The trails cross federal, state, county, city, and sometimes private lands. The total length of the trail system is approximately 63 miles with approximately 80% of the trails completed by spring, 2005 and the remaining 20% scheduled to be completed by 2007. The altitude ranges between a low of 6.400 feet in Manitou Springs to a high of 11,400 feet in Bull Park, so many of the trails are useable only during the late spring, summer, and early fall. Nine portals have been designated as access points to the trails, although there are numerous other ways to find your way to the trails.



Rise Above It All!



PIKES PEAK COG RAILWAY

For more than 100 years, passengers have taken the cog railway in safety and comfort to the top of Pikes Peak, 14,110 feet. Relax, enjoy the views and watch for bighorn sheep and other wildlife as you head up in safe and modern Swiss-made railcars. The vistas of the Great Plains and the majestic Continental Divide inspired the song "America the Beautiful." Open seven days a week from mid-April through December.

Information and Reservations 719-685-5401 www.cograilway.com



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When you come to Colorado Springs and the Pikes Peak region, an experience of a lifetime awaits you! Our landscape, with its unlimited spaciousness, serves as a stage for many outdoor recreational opportunities, ranging from whitewater river rafting, rock climbing, hiking, golf, horseback riding, mountain biking, fishing, skiing and even hot air ballooning. With the sun shining 300 days a year, you can enjoy these activities year-round!

It was former president Theodore Roosevelt who said that to describe the beauty of Colorado Springs and the Pikes Peak region "bankrupts the English language." Yet it was Katharine Lee Bates who looked upon our great city in 1893 from atop Pikes Peak, our fabulous 14,110 foot mountain, and was so inspired, she wrote the poem "America the Beautiful," an anthem that our nation still sings today. One of the highest mountains in Colorado, Pikes Peak, our "purple mountain majesty" is just one reason over six million people visit our region every year.

Colorado Springs may be nestled at the foot of the spectacular Rocky Mountains, but our mild and dry climate gives visitors and residents plenty of opportunities to enjoy our beautiful outdoors. Whether you want to enjoy a leisurely stroll downtown, hike in the crisp and clean air of our mountains, drive through the beautiful Garden of the Gods park, tackle a trail on foot or on your mountain bike, or just window shop in along the numerous historic districts throughout our region. Colorado Springs is a place for the entire family to enjoy. There are over 50 major area attractions to be experienced (many of them free!) and dozens of communitywide special events throughout the year.

We have accommodations to suit all your needs, from the 5-Star, 5-Diamond Broadmoor, to full or limited-service hotels, motels, bed and breakfasts, campgrounds and more. We look forward to seeing you in Colorado Springs soon so we can shower you with our famous western hospitality!





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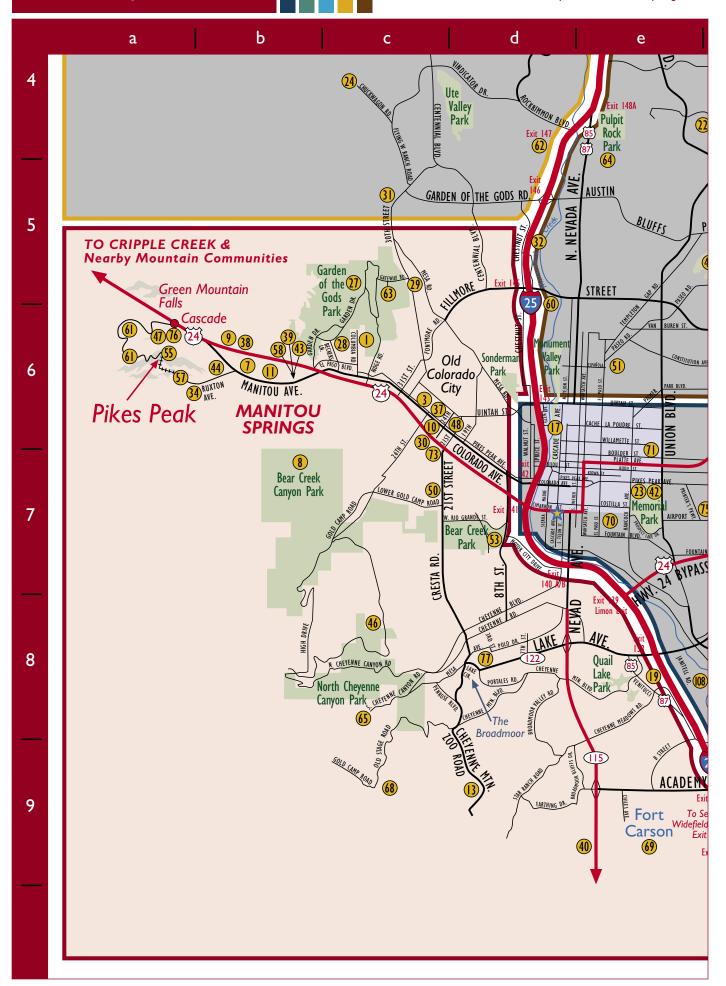
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○ C-6 > Academy Riding Stables

4 El Paso Blvd., Colo. Springs, 80904 arsriding.com, 633-5667, 888-700-0410, Fax 471-9163

- Come and enjoy a ride through the Garden of the Gods
- We have pony rides for ages 2 to 7 years old
- Enjoy our Buggy or Surrey for your wedding occasion
- Inquire about our Hay Wagon and Stagecoach rides



9 B-6 > Cave of the Winds

Manitou Springs, 80829, 6 miles west of I-25 on US Hwy 24, caveofthewinds.com, info: 685-5444

- Open year round sum. 9am to 9pm, winter 10am to 5pm
- Two distinct & unique tours fun for any age, ability or interest
- Discovery Tour most popular tour for the whole family
- Lantern Tour learn facts, fables and folklore of our early years while carrying authentic lanterns from the 1880s
- Take a 3-D virtual tour of our cave on our web site



The thrill of a lifetime – descend over 7,000 vertical feet

C-6 > Challenge Unlimited – Pikes Peak by Bike

204 S. 24th St., Colorado Springs 80904 bikithikit.com, 1-800-798-5954, 633-6399

- Bike down over 7,000 ft. from the top of Pikes Peak
- Professional guides, two tours daily mid-April October
- Price includes bike, helmet, all weather gear & meals
- You don't have to be an experienced rider
- It's fun, safe and easy—if you can sit on a bike, you're in
- Other tours and bike rentals available



13 D-9 > Cheyenne Mountain Zoo

Take I-25 to exit 138 west, 633-9925 cmzoo.org, info@cmzoo.org, open daily 9 am-5 pm

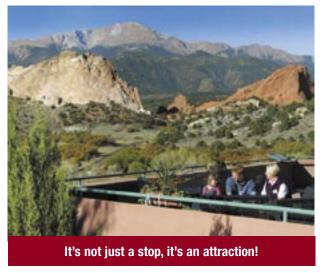
- America's only mountain zoo
- Feed our famous giraffe herd largest in the world!
- Come nose-to-nose with great apes, lions & tigers
- Incredible kids' activity area & petting zoo
- Breathtaking city views & mountain scenery
- Summer 2005 exclusive White Lions



28 C-6 > Garden of the Gods Trading Post

Southern edge of the Garden of the Gods Park Summer 8am - 8pm, Winter 9am - 5pm, 800-874-4515

- Largest art gallery and gift shop in Colorado
- Join us for lunch at the Balanced Rock Café
- Traditional and contemporary jewelry
- Colorado collectibles, t-shirts, and glassware
- Motorcoach and group friendly with ample parking
- Visit us on the web at gardenofthegodstradingpost.com



29 C-5 > Garden of the Gods Visitor and Nature Center

1805 30th St. at Gateway Road, Colo. Springs, 80904 gardenofgods.com, 634-6666, open year round

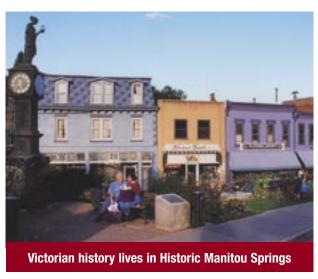
- The place to start a visit to the Garden of the Gods
- Dramatic, entertaining 12-minute show on park history
- 30 interactive hands-on educational nature exhibits
- 3 gift shops with hundreds of Colorado-made items
- Balcony restaurant overlooking the Park and Pikes Peak
- Free map of the Park and brochures on area attractions



30 C-6 > Ghost Town

Located 1.5 mi. west of I-25, Exit 141, on Hwy 24 @ 21st St., Colo. Spgs., ghosttownmuseum.com, 634-0696

- Experience an 1800's old west town frozen in time & preserved indoors
- Step back in time to Colorado's Gold Rush days & have fun
- Pan for real gold (seasonal). Lots of hands-on activities
- An amazing place with thousands of artifacts on display, great for kids
- Guests say; "A find for the kids!" "A cool trip in time!"
- Shop the museum store—a wide variety of Colorado gifts



III B-6 > Historic Manitou Springs

5 miles west of I-25 on U.S. Hwy 24, exit Manitou Ave. West, manitousprings.org, 800-609-9983

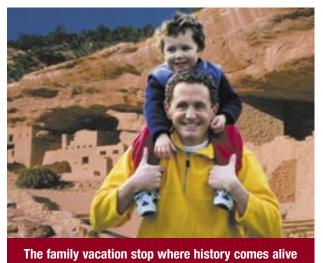
- Base camp to the Pikes Peak recreation area
- Taste the waters that made Manitou famous
- · One of a kind shops and unique dining
- Experience Colorado's most famous artist enclave
- Park & stroll around large national historic district
- Great year round climate, awesome scenery, a must see!



34 A-6 > Iron Springs Melodrama Dinner Theatre

444 Ruxton Ave., Manitou Spgs., open Tue.-Wed., Fri.-Sat. pikes-peak.com/Theatre, 685-5104

- Cheer the Hero! Boo the Villain! Audience participation
- Musical comedy melodrama, sing-a-long, comedy revue
- Family style dinner, chicken/BBQ beef
- Dinner 6-6:45, show 8:00 pm, full bar, Visa & M.C. accepted
- Child, senior & group rates, seating to 240
- Open: mid-Apr. to mid-Oct. & Dec. Located near Pikes Peak Cog Depot in Historic Manitou Springs



38 B-6 > Manitou Cliff Dwellings

Manitou Springs, 6 miles west of I-25 on US Hwy 24, cliffdwellingsmuseum.com, 800-354-9971 or 685-5242

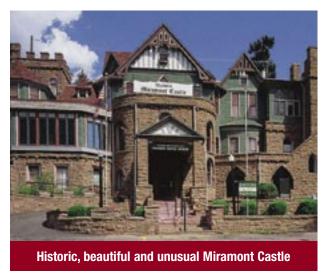
- Experience the architecture of the ancient Anasazi
- Two museums feature cultural displays to explore
- Several gift shops offer Native American & Colorado art
- Hours of operation: June, July & August-9am to 7pm, May and Sept.-9am to 6pm, Oct. thru April-9am to 5pm
- Don't miss our Native American dancers June, July & August
- Closed Thanksgiving and Christmas



40 E-9 > John May Museum Center May Natural History Museum & RV Park

8 mi. South on Hwy 115 (Nevada Ave.), \$4.50 Ad. \$2.50 Ch. maymuseum-camp-rypark.com, 800-666-3841, 576-0450

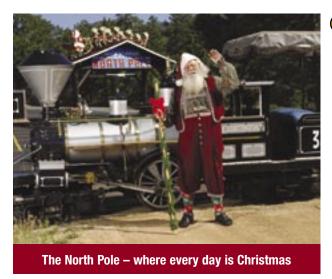
- Set in a beautiful canyon close to Colorado Springs
- Thousands of giant tropical insects & their relatives
- Space Expo. photos of other worlds by Hubble Telescope
- Camping at the Golden Eagle Ranch RV Park & Campground
- 500 large shaded sites, 4 fishing lakes, hiking, campfires
- Pull-thru hook-ups/separate 35 acre RV Rally area



44 B-6 > Miramont Castle and Museum

9 Capitol Hill Ave., Manitou Springs, 80829 miramontcastle.org, 685-1011, Fax 719-685-1985

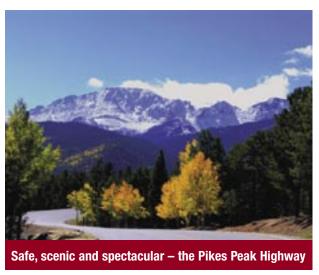
- Circa 1895, built as a private home
- Restored as-built, with 9 unique styles of architecture
- Summer: 10:00 am − 5:00 pm
- Fall and Spring: 1:00 4:00 pm; Winter: 12:00 3:00 pm
- Miniature Museum included in tour, a castle favorite
- Tearoom open from Tuesday–Saturday, 11 am − 2 pm
- Victorian Gift Shop



47 A-6 > North Pole-Home of Santa's Workshop

Located 10 miles west of Colorado Springs on US Hwy 24, santas-colo.com, 684-9432

- Cozy fireside chats with Santa himself
- Amusement rides for the entire family
- Gift shops galore—ornaments, dolls, toys, souvenirs
- Entertainment—live magic shows, animated elf and moose
- Food available—3 restaurants, picnickers welcome
- Abundant memory-making opportunities



55 A-6 > Pikes Peak - America's Mountain

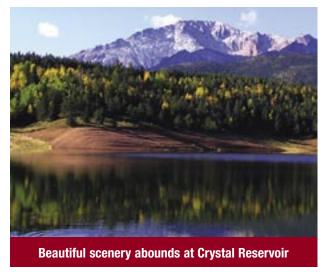
10 mi. W. of I-25 on US 24 to Cascade, follow the signs pikespeakcolorado.com, 800-318-9505, 385-7325

- 19 mile journey of breathtaking scenery
- Drive a safe scenic highway & enjoy at your leisure
- Alpine wonderlands, mountain reservoirs and gift shops
- 360° panoramic views at the 14,110 foot summit
- Inspired Katharine Lee Bates, "America the Beautiful"
- Open year round, weather permitting



P.O. Box 351, 515 Ruxton Ave. Manitou Spgs., CO 80829 cograilway.com, 685-5401, Fax 685-9033

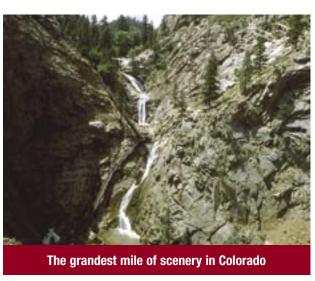
- The world's highest Cog railway
- Since 1891, millions have taken trip to 14,110 feet!
- Cascading streams and forests of quaking aspen and pine
- See panoramas that inspired "AMERICA THE BEAUTIFUL"
- Frequently see Bighorn sheep, marmots & other wildlife
- Trains run daily from mid-April through December



(1) A-5 > Pikes Peak - Summit House, Glen Cove and Crystal Reservoir

Pikes Peak Highway, visitpikespeak.com open year-round weather permitting

- Crystal Reservoir hiking, fishing, restaurant, gift shop
- Glen Cove pan for gems, restaurant, gift shop, picnic area
- Summit House breathtaking view, 14,110 feet high
- The experience that inspired "America The Beautiful"
- Photo opportunities abound, lifetime memories
- Take home your memento from our gift shop at the summit



65 C-8 > Seven Falls

South Cheyenne Canyon, Colorado Springs, CO sevenfalls.com, 632-0765, open year round

- You haven't seen Colorado until you've seen Seven Falls
- Colorado's best choice for educational family fun
- Computerized lights make the falls come alive at night
- Self-guided audio tours, unforgettable hiking trails
- Native American dancers, three gift shops and snack bar
- Ride the in-mountain elevator to Eagle's Nest Lookout



73 C-7 > Van Briggle Art Pottery

Highway 24 and 21st Street, Colorado Springs vanbriggle.com, 633-7729

- One of the oldest active art potteries in America
- Free Studio tours
- Established in 1899 by acclaimed sculptor Artus Van Briggle
- Open daily. Sunday seasonal hours, please call

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Events

National Little Britches	Finals Rodeo,	, nlbra.com	800-763-3694	, 389-0333
July 25-30, 2005; Kids 5-18,	compete for \$1	20,000 in prizes	and scholarships,	Pueblo

- ☐ Pikes Peak International Raceway, \$\$\$, ppir.com....... 888-306-7223, 382-7223 PPIR is the premier motorsports facility in the Rocky Mountain Region

Entertainment

Recreation

- □ Bear Creek Nature Center, Free, elpasoco.com/parks.......520-6387 Year-round nature exhibits and programs. 245 Bear Creek Road.

Attractions

- Breathtaking mountain scenery and hundreds of animals. Take I-25 to exit 138 west
- ☐ Crystal Reservoir, visitpikespeak.com
 The first stop on Pikes Peak Hwy., snack shop, gift shop in rustic cabin
- ☐ Garden of the Gods Trading Post, gardenofthegodstradingpost.com.. 800-874-4515 Colorado's oldest & largest art gallery and gift shop. Stop for lunch at the Cafe
- ☐ Garden of the Gods Visitor & Nature Center, \$, gardenofgods.com634-6666
- 1805 N.30th St., Voted best gift shop in Colorado Springs, 12-min. show, café, exhibits
- ☐ Glen Cove, visitpikespeak.com
- Midway point of Pikes Peak Hwy. snack shop and gift shop
- □ Iron Springs Melodrama Dinner Theatre, \$\$, pikes-peak.com/theatre... 685-5104 444 Ruxton Ave., Manitou Spgs., family-style dinner, music & comedy melodrama & revue
- ☐ Manitou Cliff Dwellings, \$, cliffdwellingsmuseum.com... 800-354-9971, 685-5242 Prehistoric Indian ruins, two museums, Native American performances June-Aug.
- ☐ Manitou Springs Chamber of Commerce, \$, manitousprings.org.....800-642-2567 685-5089, 4 miles west of Colorado Springs. Centrally located to all area attractions

Michael Garman Gallery, \$-\$\$\$, michaelgarman.com..... 800-731-3908, 471-9391

- 9 Capitol Hill Ave., Manitou Springs, constructed in 1895, now Victorian-era museum

□ North Pole/Santa's Workshop, santas-colo.com	684-9432
Christmas themed amusement park. Rides, magic shows, gift shops, food and S	
Old Colorado City History Center, history.oldcolo.com	636-1225

Free tours Monday—Friday at 11:00 a.m. and 2:00 p.m. No tours Nov. 15 to Jan. 15

Pikes Peak - America's Mountain, \$, pikespeakcolorado.com..............684-9383

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RESTAURANTS \$ (\$1-\$14); \$\$ (\$15-\$29); \$\$\$ (\$30-and up)

Casual Family Atmosphere

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□ Pikes Peak Inn. \$.....

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□ Stables@B'moor Chuckwagon, \$\$, comtnadventure.com 866-448-0371 Old Stage Rd., mt. ranch/ bbq/wildlife/trail/wagon rides/ent. opt. groups

ACCOMMODATIONS...... \$ (\$30–\$79); \$\$ (\$80–\$129); \$\$\$ (\$130–and up)

Hotels/Motels

□ Alpine Motel, \$, alpinemotel.cc
☐ Amarillo Motel, \$, amarillomotel@juno.com
□ Beckers Lane Lodge, \$
□ Best Value Inn Villa Motel, \$\$, villamotel.com
□ Best Western Executive Inn & Suites, bestwestern.com
□ Best Western Pikes Peak Inn, \$, I-25, exit 145 800-223-9127, 719-636-5201 3010 Chestnut, business center, internet, lounge, restaurant, banquets, pool, pets
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□ Santa Fe Motel, \$, santafepikespeak.com
□ Silver Saddle Motel, \$, silver-saddle.com
□ Swiss Chalet Motel, \$
□ The Timber Lodge, \$-\$\$\$, pikes-peak.com/timberlodge 636-3941, 3627 W. Colorado Ave., 24 cabins, 4 acres, stream, 14 kii
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☐ Blue Skies Inn Bed & Breakfast, \$\$\$, blueskiesbb.com Manitou wooded stream/garden by Pikes Peak, fun artist-painted inn
□ Cheyenne Canon Inn, cheyennecanoninn.com Colorado's finest historic Inn located near Cheyenne Canon with spec
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$\hfill \Box$ Eastholme In The Rockies, \$\$, eastholme.com
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□ Gray's Avenue Hotel B&B, \$\$, graysbandb.com
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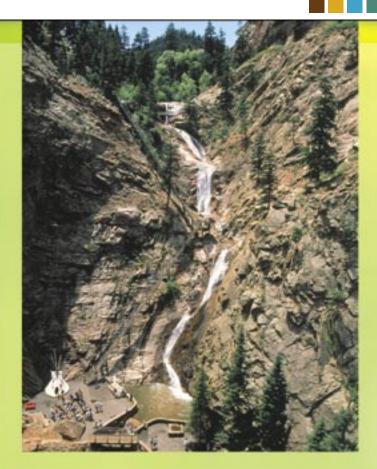
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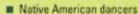
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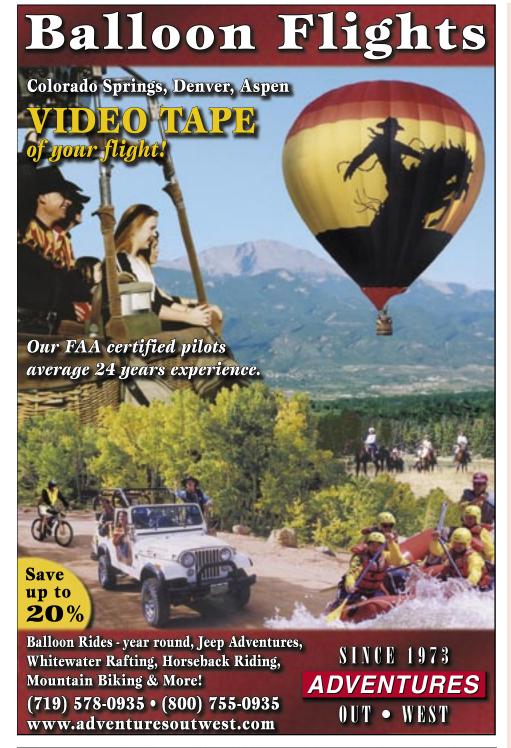
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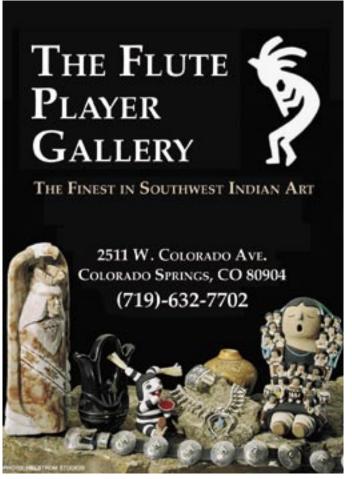
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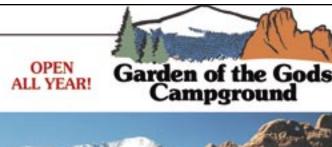


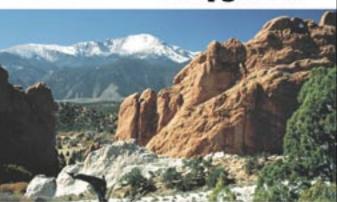
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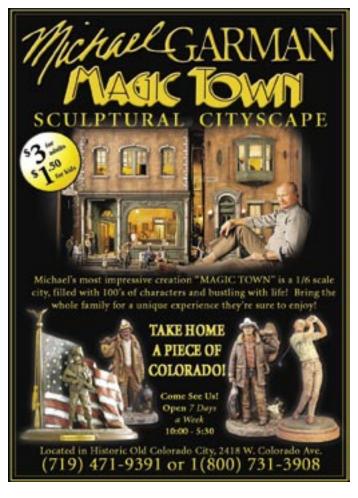
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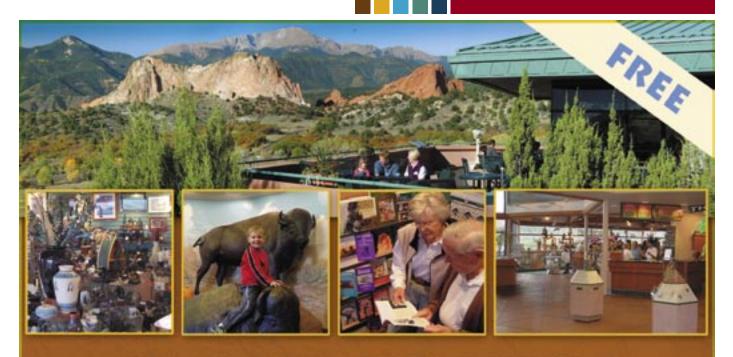
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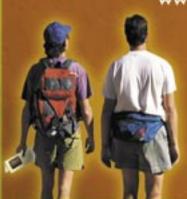
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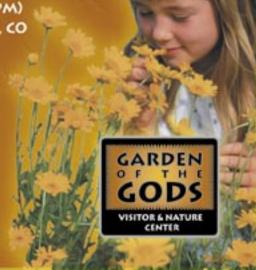
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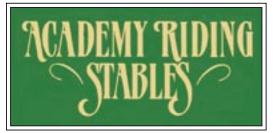
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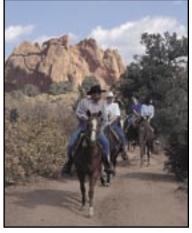
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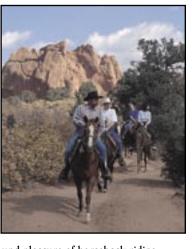
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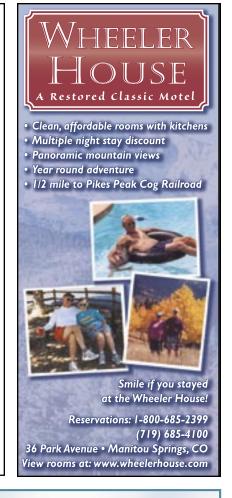
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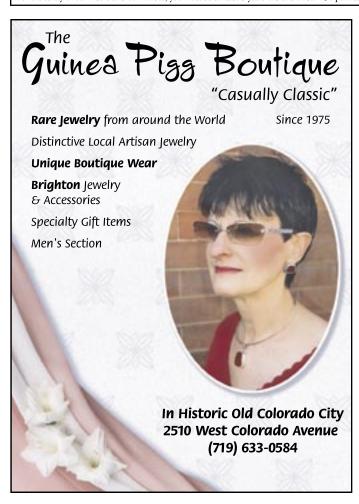
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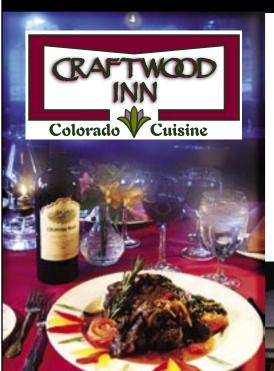
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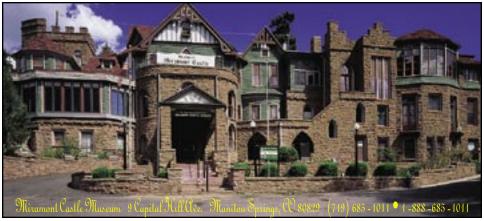
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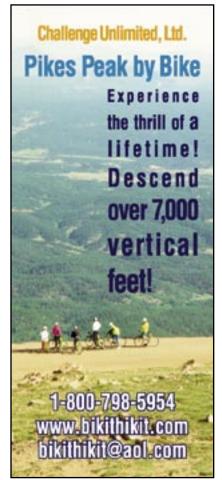


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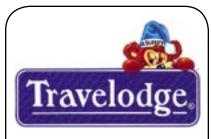




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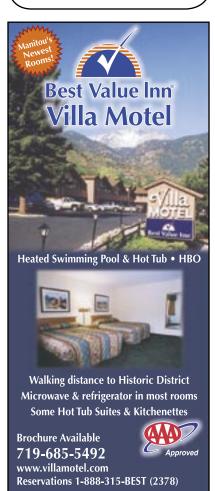
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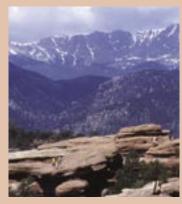
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OUR GREAT OUTDOORS

Colorado Springs and the Pikes Peak region receives 300 days of sunshine each year, providing an excellent environment for outdoor adventures. A wide range of activities such as hiking, mountain biking, mountain climbing, backpacking, whitewater rafting and fishing invite outdoor enthusiasts of all ages and interests to the area.

With hundreds of hiking trails, the Pikes Peak region allows visitors to enjoy leisurely walks along the mountainous landscape as well as challenging rock-climbing excursions on the mountainsides. Hikers and backpackers can find trails at popular tourist areas such as Seven Falls, Helen Hunt Falls, Garden of the Gods and the Air Force Academy. One of the most-hiked trails in the region, the Barr Trail,



ascends to the summit of Colorado's most famous 14er – Pikes Peak. Hikers who prefer less-traveled paths can find adventure and exploration opportunities all along the front range.

The Pikes Peak region offers a tremendous variety for mountain biking enthusiasts as well, from casual to extreme. For the casual biker, the new Santa Fe Trail winds along the foothills of the Rocky Mountains from Colorado Springs, through the Air Force Academy and all the way to the town of Palmer Lake. In total, the Santa Fe Trail covers more than 30 miles. Paved trails through the more than 1,300 acres of Garden of the Gods also provide a scenic tour for casual riders through the 300 million-year-old towering red sandstone formations. Riders who prefer rougher trails can find more technical and challenging routes in Cheyenne Canyon, Palmer Park, Pikes Peak and all around the area. The ultimate mountain biking experience for riders of all levels and ages, however, might be descending more than 7,000 vertical feet from the summit of Pikes Peak.

While most outdoor activities in the Pikes Peak region take place on solid ground, water adventures are another popular pastime. The Arkansas River is only one hour from Colorado Springs and provides the source for mild to wild whitewater rafting trips. Whether it's a half-day outing or a three-day trek, rafting on the Arkansas is for everyone — with moderate stretches for novices and families and adventure-class whitewater for the wild at heart. Rafting the Arkansas River is one way to experience parts of Colorado that are not accessible by any other means of transportation — such as the 1,053 foot Royal Gorge.

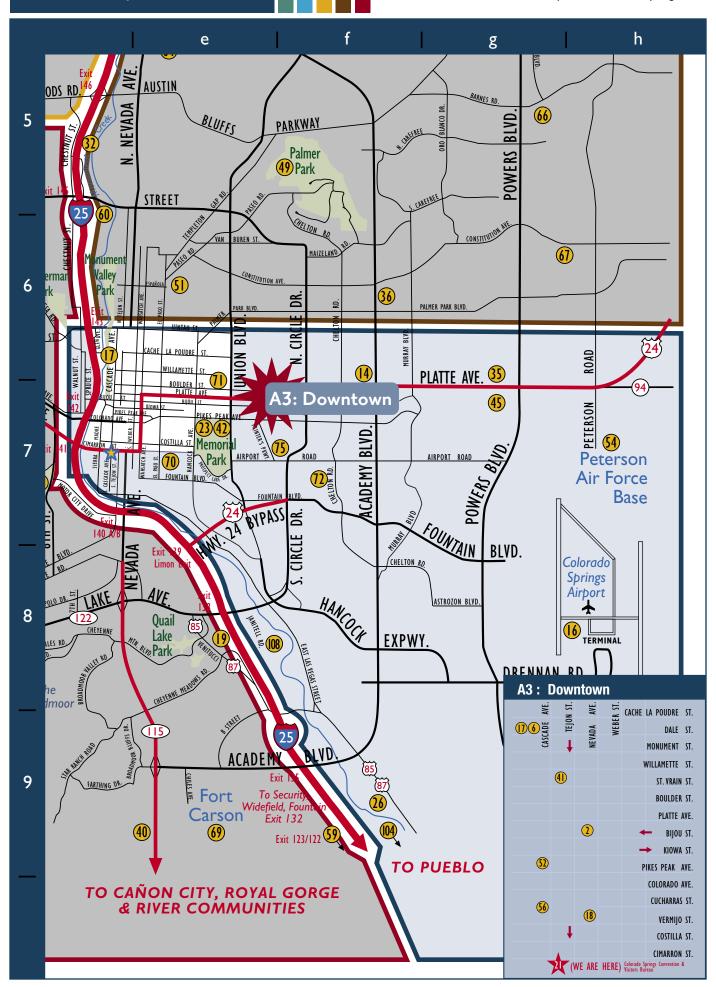
With several reservoirs, rivers and smaller streams, fishing is another popular pastime in the Pikes Peak region. Colorado's mountain rivers provide a golden opportunity to experience trout fishing at its best. The Arkansas River and the South Platte River – each with prime fishing locations approximately one hour from Colorado Springs – have stretches open to both fly and bait fishing all year. Pikes Peak also offers fishing opportunities at the Crystal Reservoir and North and South Catamount Reservoirs. Fishing enthusiasts can spend the day casting in the reservoirs and then catch the sunset from the summit of Pikes Peak.

PARKS AND TRAILS

Colorado Springs' city founder General William Jackson Palmer generously donated 1,270 acres of parkland, bridle and foot paths, scenic drives and roadways planted with trees, to establish a significant foundation for the Colorado Springs park system. These gifts included Acacia (North) Park, Monument Valley Park, Antlers Park, Pioneer Square (South) Park, Palmer Park, North Cheyenne Cañon, Prospect Lake and Bear Creek Cañon. In 1909, the Perkins heirs gave Garden of the Gods Park to the city, adding to the beautiful parkland already established.

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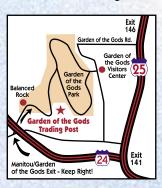
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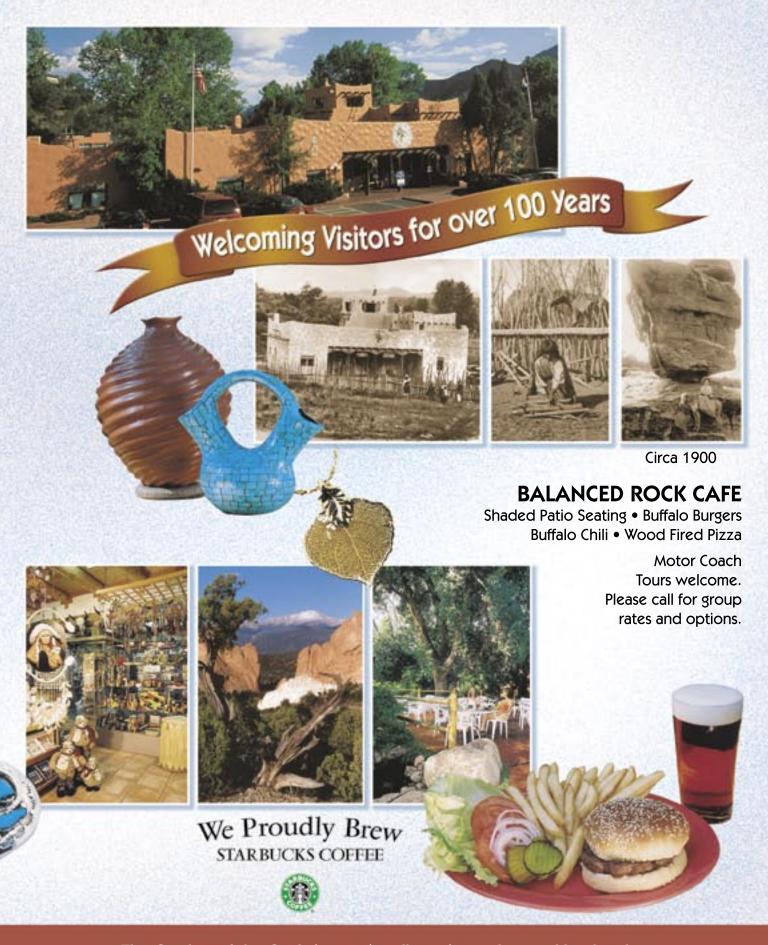


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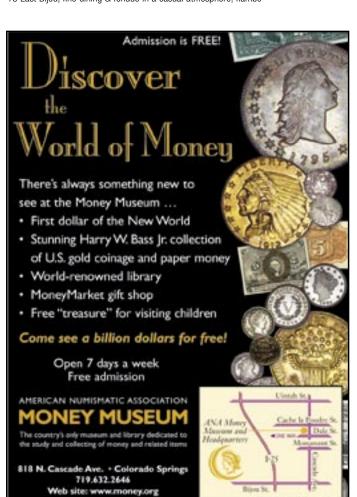
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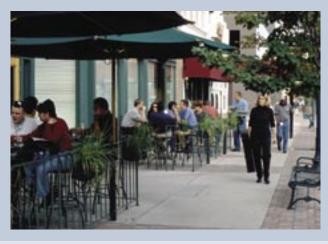
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Downtown Colorado Springs is accessible on foot, by automobile, public transit or even by bicycle. The area is safe due to an increased commitment in public safety over the past decade. Colorado Springs' downtown has a strong art presence, largely due to the efforts of the Downtown Partnership, which worked to place more permanent art on the streets, as well as advising on the development of an exciting new arts district. The Downtown Partnership continually seeks new ways to bring visual and performing excitement to the community. For more information, go to www.springsgov.com.



ITINERARIES

Planning your visit to the Pikes Peak Country region is sure to be lots of fun, but with so much to do, how do you choose? The following easy-to-plan itineraries are designed simply as guidelines, keeping in mind the interests, flexibility and desires of groups. Of course, with more than 50 attractions in the region, feel free to mix and match creating your own plans.

FAMILIES AND KIDS: OPTION ONE

An early start to the day will take you to the world-famous **Cheyenne Mountain Zoo**, America's only mountain zoo, where you'll watch the staff feed and care for the collection of more than 500 exotic animals. The Zoo's African Rift Valley is as close as you can get to Africa without a passport. Then head for the caves—**Cave of the Winds**, that is. First opened in 1880, it is the oldest attraction in the region and includes a guided tour through 20 beautiful and colorfully lighted cavern rooms. Now, if you find yourselves all still together, stop by the **Ghost Town Museum** for a peek at the Old West and relax with a refreshing glass of sarsaparilla.

The Iron Springs Melodrama Dinner Theater offers excellent family dining and entertainment all in one location (and, audience participation is encouraged!)

FAMILIES AND KIDS: OPTION TWO



Take a short, one-hour drive southwest of Colorado Springs where you will enjoy one of America's most spectacular attractions, the **Royal Gorge.** For a view from the top, visit

the Royal Gorge Bridge and Park. You can walk or drive across the world's highest suspension bridge, which spans 1,053 feet above the Arkansas River, or you can even take the aerial tramway across the gorge. You might also want to enjoy a trip aboard the world's steepest incline railway to the bottom of the canyon. For the ultimate thrill try the new Sky Coaster. For a totally different view of the Gorge and the Arkansas River, ride the **Historic Royal Gorge Route Railroad**, one of the most spectacular historic railroads in the world. Choose from Coach, first class with delicious appetizers, gourmet lunch or 4-course dinner trains as you ride through the Royal Gorge in style.

Located nearby, enjoy lunch and an afternoon of fun at Buckskin Joe Frontier Town and Railway. The entire family will enjoy this Old West theme park, alive with daily action and fun street shows. While en route back to Colorado Springs, stop by May Natural **History Museum** where you'll see 7.000 of the world's most beautiful and unusual invertebrates, including giant tropical insects from around the world. Once back in Colorado Springs, enjoy a relaxing family dinner at one of the many downtown restaurants, such as Giuseppe's Old Depot Restaurant where kids can look out from the dining table and watch the trains go by. Afterwards, a short but scenic drive to the Rocky Mountain Chocolate Factory in Old Colorado City is where mouth-watering treats are sure to be found and enjoyed by all.

FAMILIES AND KIDS: OPTION THREE

Your family can enjoy the beauty of Pikes Peak from various vantage points. Head for the summit—Pikes Peak Summit House, Crystal Reservoir and Glen Cove, that is. Enjoy the 19 spectacular miles of **Pikes** Peak Highway from the comfort of your own vehicle and travel the world's highest toll road to reach the summit of Pikes Peak. Or let everyone be a passenger and take the Manitou & Pikes Peak Cog Railway (reservations required), the highest railroad in the U.S. "The Cog," as it's known locally, has safely and comfortably transported passengers to the 14,110-foot summit for more than 100 years. Once on top, you can enjoy lunch, or at least a world famous high altitude donut! Spend the afternoon at the foot of Pikes Peak in **Historic Manitou Springs**, one of the largest National Historic Districts in the west. Visit the sparkling, icy cold mineral springs that made Manitou famous. Take a drinking cup and taste as many of these free drinking springs as you want. Historic Manitou Springs also offers wonderful shops and art galleries and an excellent selection of restaurants.

Another option might be the historic site of Rock Ledge Ranch, a living historical farm and agricultural museum depicting life in the Pikes Peak region from 1860 to 1910. Step into the past and discover the spirit of Colorado history as you meander through the 270-acre site nestled against the guiet magnificence of the Garden of the Gods. Another option would be the ProRodeo Hall of Fame and Museum of the American **Cowboy.** Here you'll enjoy tributes to cowboys participating in the professional sport of rodeo, including live rodeo animals and special exhibits in the new rodeo arena. Next stop might be Seven Falls, which has been called the "grandest mile of scenery

in Colorado" with seven separate waterfalls splashing 181 feet down a sheer granite cliff. Take a 224-step stairway to the top, or enjoy the convenience of a mountain elevator to the observation platform for one of the most panoramic views ever imagined.

As an alternative day, we might suggest a short 45-minute drive to the historic town of **Cripple Creek.** Once there be sure to



experience the Cripple Creek & Victor Narrow Gauge Railroad, a 4-mile round trip adventure alongside old mines and ghost towns, or perhaps the Mollie Kathleen Gold Mine, another site of great historical interest.

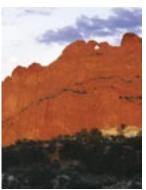
FAMILIES AND KIDS: OPTION FOUR

It doesn't have to be winter or during the holidays to enjoy Santa's Workshop/North Pole, where believers of all ages can enjoy Christmas all summer long. Enjoy the fun, safe rides, wonderful theater acts, farm animals, and even talk to Santa for an early start on your Christmas list request. Now, if it's a bit cool, take along a cup of coffee or hot chocolate on the aerial tram as you get a bird's eye view of our glorious mountains and countryside. The new Rocky Mountain Dinosaur Resource Center might be your next stop, a center that will be host to some of the most spectacular dinosaurs, marine reptiles, flying reptiles and fish of North America's Late Cretaceous world. Afterwards, The Flying W Ranch will be your destination for a traditional chuck wagon dinner and an old fashioned evening of entertainment. Before partaking in the scrumptious supper, wander through the Old Western Town to observe western lifestyles in action, and perhaps pick up a few last minute gifts and souvenirs. The evening entertainment features nationally recognized musicians, the Flying W Wranglers, who are sure to have you stomping, clapping and singing along.



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ACTIVE AND ADVENTUROUS: OPTION ONE



Start the day early with a comfortable van ride to the summit of Pikes Peak, and then take "Pikes Peak by Bike" down the mountain, all coordinated by the professional biking company,

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If you prefer to bike some more, get on the new **Santa Fe Trail**, which takes you from the south end of town, north through the Air Force Academy, past Monument and up to Palmer Lake. You can even run the trail for more of a workout! For those left with energy in the evening, the **Pikes Peak International Raceway** will awaken even the weary with the thrill and action of NASCAR racing at the world's fastest mile oval.

ACTIVE AND ADVENTUROUS: OPTION TWO

All-day or half-day, thrilling whitewater raft trips await you with reservations made through any of the river rafting companies in our region. Special arrangements are easily made to extend your rafting or float trip up to three days. Some whitewater rafters even offer unique packages, such as "International Trips," family packages, specialty trips, such as multi-sport days, youth and school, 20th century classical music, and yoga adventures. Whichever option you choose, a genuine Colorado whitewater adventure is one you

don't want to miss and won't soon forget! For a unique experience try the "Raft-n-Rail" with **Echo Canyon** and the **Historic Royal Gorge Route Railroad.** They have teamed up to offer you the excitement of the river with the Historic Royal Gorge Route's scenic railroad in one continuous excursion.



EASY GOING: OPTION ONE

Start the morning with a free tour of Van Briggle Art Pottery studio and a stop by the gift shop. Then a short drive will take you to Miramont Castle, a museum dedicated to preserving the Victorian heritage of Manitou Springs and the Pikes Peak region. After a stop for lunch at one of Manitou Springs many cafés, the next stop will be the Colorado Springs Fine Arts Center, where you will experience the rich cultures of the Southwest and modern art in an awardwinning, art deco facility. While you're on this side of town, visit the newly remodeled American Numismatic Museum - "The Money Museum." Also, be sure to visit the Colorado Springs Pioneer Museum, featuring the 1903 El Paso County courthouse and showcasing the region's history, crafts and artwork. Then enjoy an evening of entertainment at the Flying W Ranch where you'll experience a chuck wagon barbecue and western entertainment designed to entertain all ages.

EASY GOING: OPTION TWO

An early morning drive will take you to the **United States Air Force Academy** where



you will enjoy an informative exhibit about cadet life in the spacious Visitor Center and Gift Shop. A short walk along a nature trail will lead you to the famous Cadet Chapel. You can end your visit with a self-guided driving tour of the

Academy including a large wildlife sanctuary. That afternoon, visit to the nearby **Western Museum of Mining and Industry,** where you'll explore Colorado's rich and colorful mining past and future. You'll even see the actual operation of reconstructed multi-ton steam engines, drills, locomotives and more. To experience the Royal Gorge consider the **Historic Royal Gorge Route Railroad** with its world class view of the Gorge and the Arkansas River. Ask about the special lunch and dinner trains.

EASY GOING: OPTION THREE

A short drive to the **Garden of the Gods** Visitor and Nature Center offers a spectacular and unique view point of the famously photographed red rock formations of the region (don't forget to bring your camera!) Don't miss the excellent and exciting 12minute video. A drive through the Garden of the Gods Park will lead you to the Garden of the Gods Trading Post, Colorado's largest trading post where you can shop for unique and beautiful souvenirs of the region, as well as have a light or hearty lunch. Next, you're off to the Manitou Cliff Dwellings where you will learn of the history of the Anasazi Indians dating from 1100 to 1300 A.D., and might even catch authentic Native American dancing.



You don't have to be a sports enthusiast to enjoy the **U.S. Olympic Complex.** See where Olympic dreams begin! Visit the U.S. Olympic Complex for a free 1-hour tour that includes a film of Olympic highlights and a walkabout of the training facilities where up to 250 athletes live and train each day. Explore the Visitor Center and purchase unique Olympic-related merchandise at the U.S. Olympic Spirit Store.

If light shows are what you seek, then an evening activity might include a visit to **Seven Falls** for the light spectacular—the entire canyon is illuminated with lights reflecting off the granite walls and seven water falls. Or, you may choose to enjoy the brilliant laser light show of colorful, animated figures dancing from on the cliff walls of the **Cave of the Winds.**



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Red Rock Canyon is a mostly untouched 787-acre property located between Manitou and Colorado Springs just south of Highway 24 near 31st Street. The property features rock formations comparable to the Garden of the Gods.

The Canyon has been recently purchased by the City of Colorado Springs and is being renovated into a public park. Located at the base of 14,110 foot Pikes Peak, Red Rock Canyon is a vital part of the scenic mountain backdrop to Colorado Springs. Its distinctive red sandstone monoliths and spires, balanced by white limestone and yellow-brown sandstone hogbacks, mark the transition between the plains and the mountains. Its location creates a natural separator between Colorado Springs and Manitou Springs, and also establishes the last link in a continuous corridor of parks, open space and national forest system lands stretching fourteen miles from west central Colorado Springs to the Pueblo County line.

Confluence Park

Confluence Park is a major urban redevelopment project located near the heart of downtown. It forms the cornerstone of the Pikes Peak Greenway and the Midland Corridor. The park is a large civic gathering place at the confluence of

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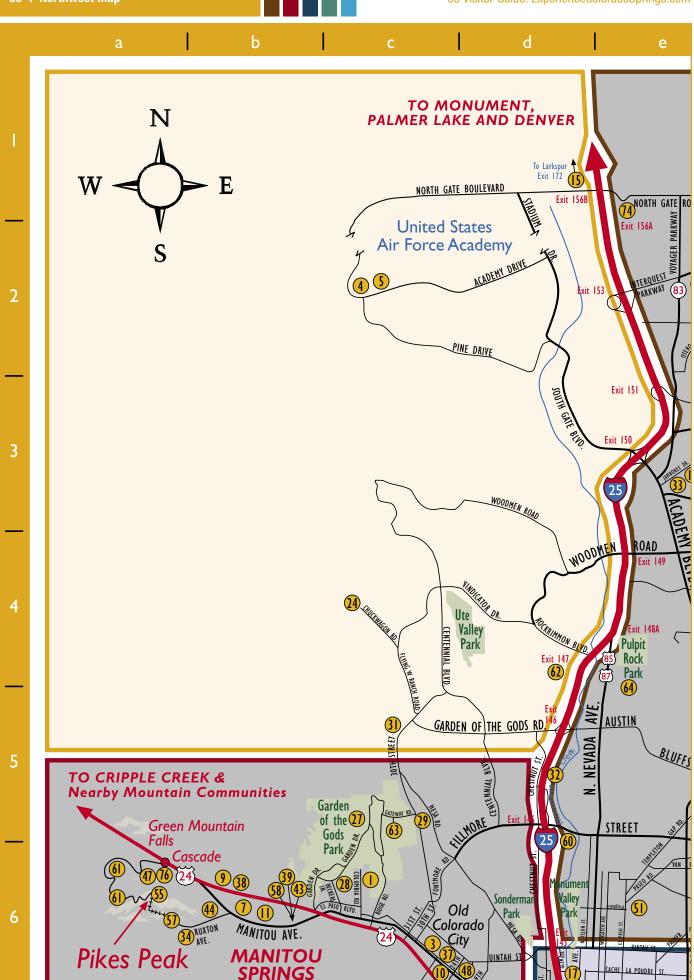


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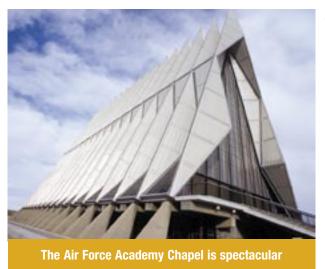
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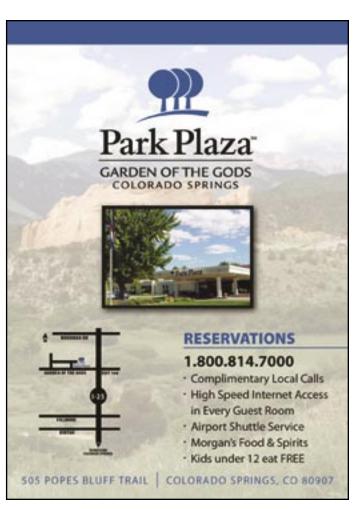
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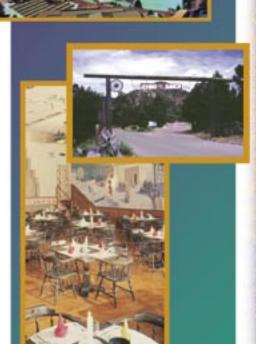
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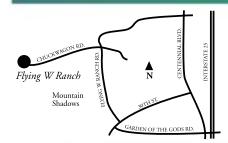
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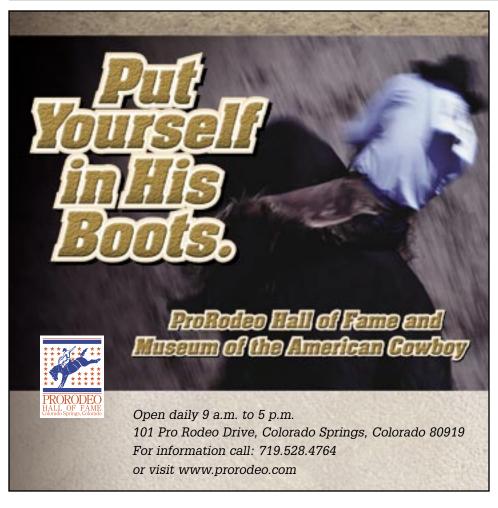
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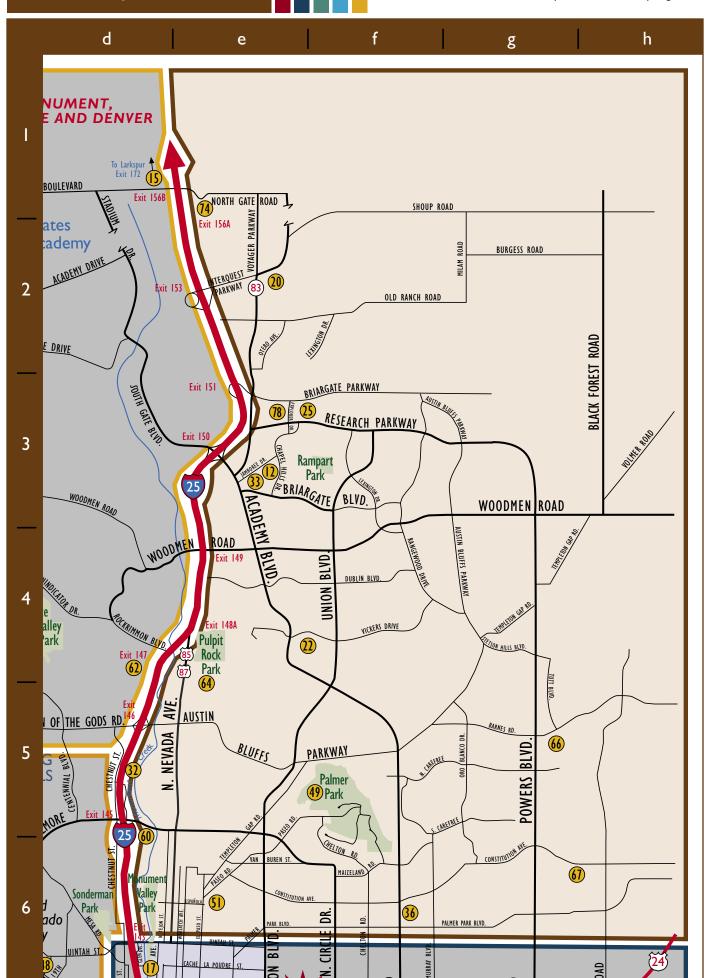
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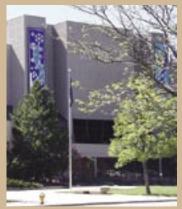
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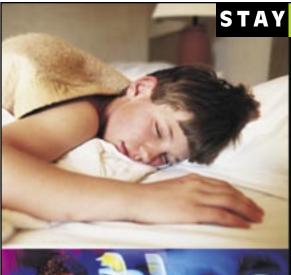
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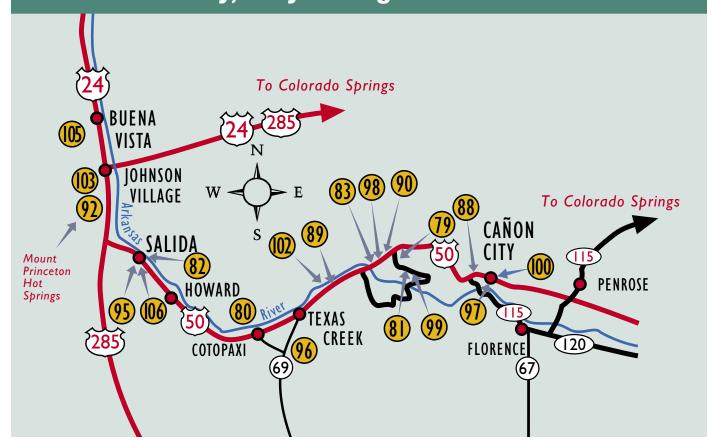
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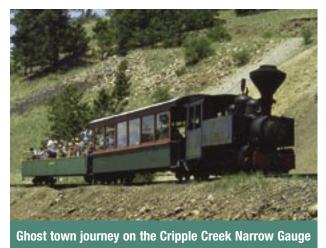
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Not to be Missed — Cripple Creek & Mountain Communities



略 A1 inset > Cripple Creek and Victor **Narrow Gauge Railroad**

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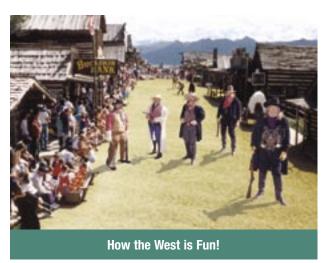


93 A1 inset > Mollie Kathleen Gold Mine Tour

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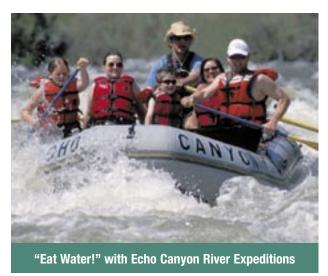


80 A2 inset > Buckskin Joe Frontier Town and Railway

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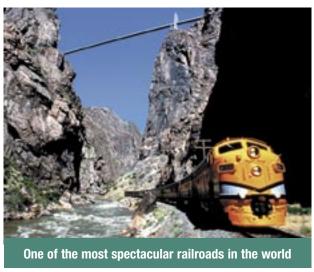
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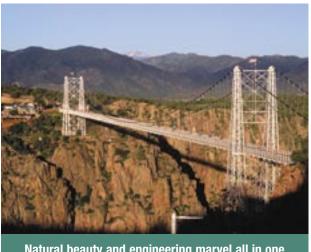
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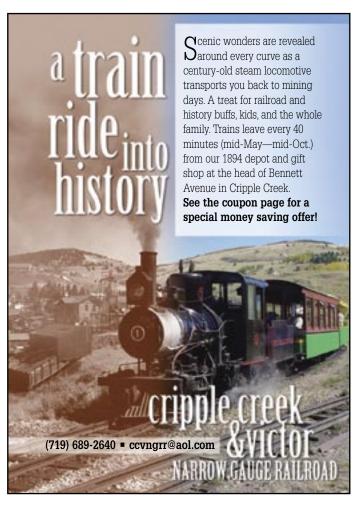
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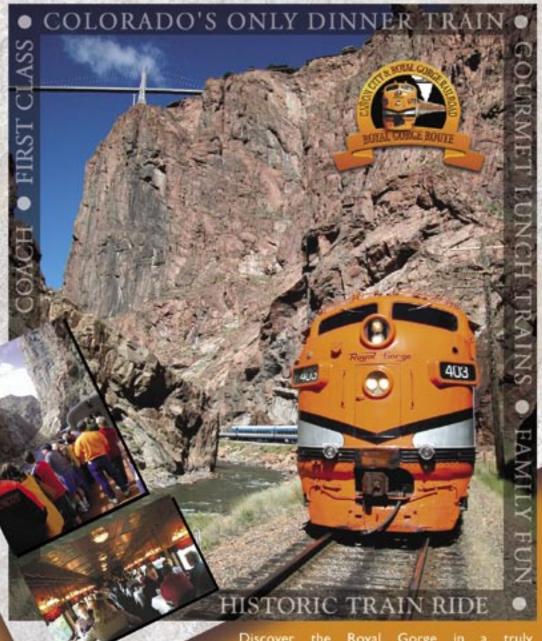
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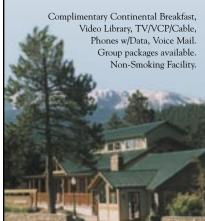




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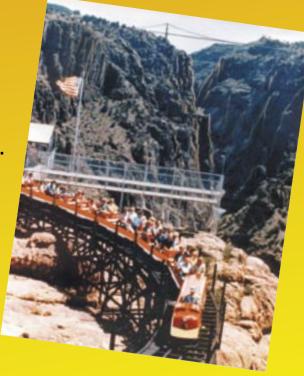


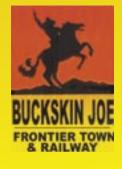
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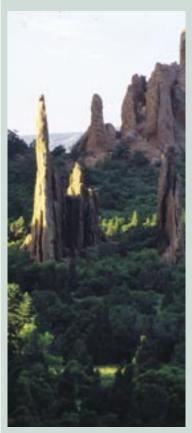
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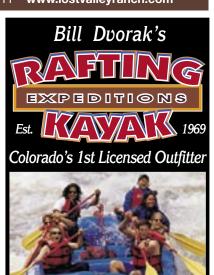
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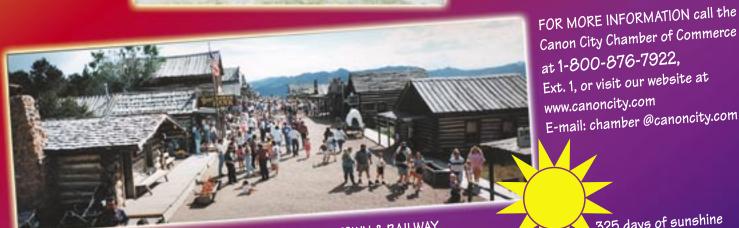
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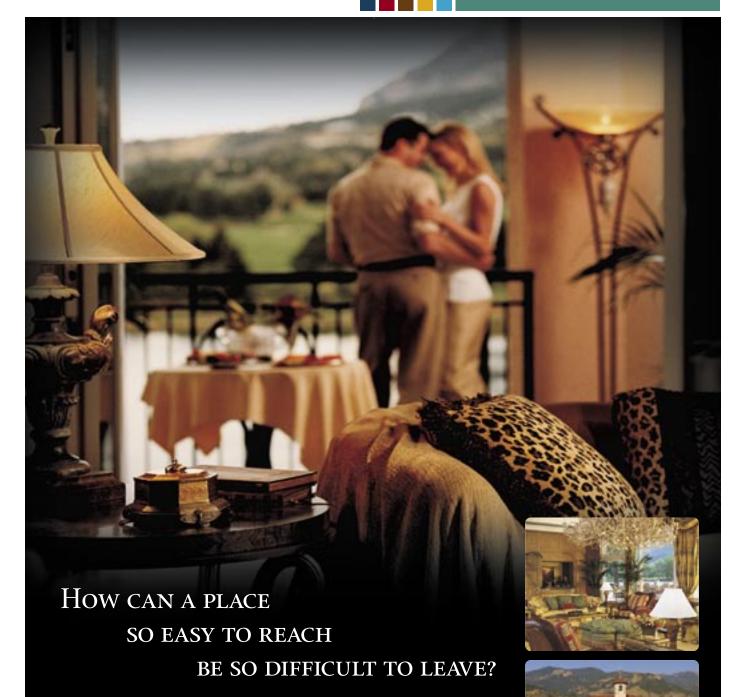
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