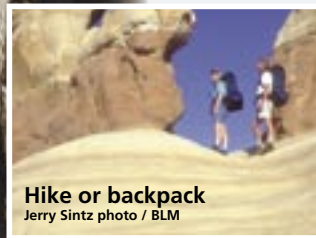


Lake Powell

Glen Canyon NATIONAL RECREATION AREA

The blue waters of Lake Powell meander through the stark canyons and buttes of Glen Canyon National Recreation Area, creating a surreal setting that Hollywood filmmakers have favored for decades. Formed by the Colorado River, Lake Powell offers fishing, boating, swimming, and water skiing. The surrounding canyons are perfect for hiking, backpacking and exploring ancient Anasazi ruins.

Ticaboo, located 11 miles north of Bullfrog/Lake Powell on Highway 276, is a good place to stay while visiting the area. ATV trails and dirt roads lead to interesting sites including the Henry Mountains and the country's largest herd of free-roaming buffalo. Hiking trails off the Burr Trail, Grand Staircase-Escalante National Monument and Capitol Reef are highly rated amongst avid hikers and backpackers.



Hike or backpack
Jerry Sintz photo / BLM

Glen Canyon Nat'l Recreation Area
Escalante Interagency Visitor Center
755 West Main Street
Escalante, UT 84726

Phone: 435-826-5499

Website: www.nps.gov/glca

Open all year

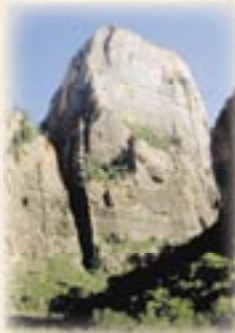
Hole-in-the-Rock overlooking Lake Powell
Harriet Priska photo

Nearby Attractions



Cedar Breaks National Monument

Painted cliffs, colorful rock spires and columns can be seen at Cedar Breaks, located on Scenic Byway 143, 16 miles west of Panguitch Lake. Photograph or hike, and in winter, snowmobile, cross country ski, or apine ski at nearby Brian Head Ski Resort. Phone: 435-586-9451



Zion National Park

Towering monoliths, forested canyons, waterfalls and the Virgin River make Zion a place to explore. Open all year, Zion National Park is 83 miles from Bryce Canyon via US 89 and U-9. Phone: 435-772-3256



Grand Canyon North Rim

Sweeping vistas of the Grand Canyon and the Colorado River far below may be enjoyed from the North Rim, located 160 miles south of Bryce Canyon. Hiking and mule rides are available. The North Rim closes in winter. Phone: 520-638-7888