



YOSEMITE HIGH COUNTRY NATURALIST TOUR

Summer-Fall*



This tour is a must for those who want to see what many insiders consider the premier area of the Park. Your expert naturalist guide will share incredible vistas, short walks and time to relax among the pristine Alpine meadows, rivers, granite domes and peaks of Yosemite's Tuolumne high country.

Experience exquisite beauty as the Tuolumne River leaves its serene meadow setting and explodes into the Grand Canyon of the Tuolumne. Come face to face with massive glacial rocks left behind by 4,000 foot deep glaciers, and watch deer mingle among tranquil meadows bathed in golden afternoon light.

You'll have options to scramble to the top of a granite dome, swim in a river or lake, enjoy some quality time alone, or photograph John Muir's beloved 'Range of Light.'



TRIP TIME

8:45am-4:45pm

GROUP SIZE

Up to 9 participants. 2 person minimum. Reservations recommended. Contact Recreation Desk for availability and pricing for groups of 10 or more.

PRICE

\$185 adult; \$120 child (ages 4-15). Includes transportation, naturalist guide, and lunch voucher for use in our General Store. Additional \$20 park admission fee per adult (*waived for Yosemite Annual Pass or America the Beautiful Pass holders*).

DIFFICULTY/AGE LIMIT

Participants should be able to walk up to an hour on varied terrain to take part in hikes. Please be aware that most of the day is spent at an elevations of 8,500 feet, so please drink plenty of water the night before and throughout the day. The trip is suitable for ages 4 and above.

MEETING PLACE

All trips meet at the Recreation Desk located in the Guest Lounge 15 minutes before departure.

WHAT TO BRING

- Completed trip registration forms
- Small backpack with at least 32 oz water and snacks
- Proper footwear—Teva-style sandals, tennis shoes or hiking boots
- Layered clothing including wind/rain jacket or fleece (High Country weather can be unpredictable and much colder)
- Bug repellent, sunscreen, hat and sunglasses
- Camera and binoculars
- Swimsuit, towel (optional)

OTHER INFORMATION

Our first-aid-certified guides carry first aid kits, permits, maps, radios/cell phones. Guide gratuity not included; for exemplary service a 10-20% tip is customary.

*Conditions permitting. Call for additional seasonal availability.
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Prices are subject to change.