

Hazard Tree Alert

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Trail Number	Trail Name	Difficulty Rating	Length in Miles	Elevation Change in Feet
51	Strip Mine	Moderate	2.6	933
72	Sandia Man Cave	Easy	.47	84
82	Tramway	Moderate	2.6	929
84	Crest Spur	Difficult	.6	507
130 N	North Crest	Difficult	10.57	4,118
130 S	South Crest	Difficult	15.97	4,081
135	Piedra Lisa	Difficult	5.82	2,099
137	La Luz	Difficult	7.72	3,775
140	Pino	Difficult	4.72	2,798
147	Tree Spring	Moderate	1.97	1,039
148	Cienega	Moderate	2.18	1,659
150	Canoncito	Difficult	3.05	1,935
192	Embudito	Difficult	5.55	3,039
193	Embudo	Difficult	3.22	1,749
194	Three Gun	Moderate	3.98	2,133
195	Faulty	Moderate	8.98	808
195 A	Upper Faulty	Moderate	1.32	48
196	Bill Spring	Easy	.7	231
200	10K	Moderate	4.88	572
201	Osha Loop	Moderate	2.65	246
202	Ellis	Moderate	2.67	300
214	CCC	Route	1.83	1,702
215	Hawk Watch	Difficult	1.2	930
225	Barts	Difficult	2.14	1,879
230	Domingo Baca	Route	2.36	739
247	Osha Spring	Difficult	4.5	2,708
259	Penasco Blanca	Moderate	1.63	520
264	Tecolote	Moderate	1.23	126
265	Oso Corredor	Easy	2.72	701
281	Sulphur Canyon	Easy	.36	109
365	Foothills	Easy	6.4	20

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Many trails in the Sandias are multiple use. Please practice trail courtesy. There are perennial and intermittent springs and streams on the mountain, but visitors should always carry their own water.

Every year the mountain exacts a toll of victims from the unwary, the unprepared, and the unfit. The chief hazards to be aware of are storms (always dress in layers), dehydration, heat exhaustion, heat stroke, falling trees, and getting lost.

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Group Reservation Picnic Areas

Name	No. of Sites	Fee Required	Shelter Available
Balsam Glade	1	Yes	Yes
Capulin	1	Yes	No
Cienega	1	Yes	No
Doc Long	2	Yes	Yes
Las Huertas	1	Yes	Yes
Nine Mile	1	Yes	No

Additional group reservation picnic areas are available south of Interstate 40. For more information or reservations on all group sites, contact www.recreation. gov or call 1-877-444-6777.

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