

Ranger-guided Programs August 5 - 11



FRIDAY	SATURDAY	SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY
9:00 am A Bug's Life	9:00 am Scat Happens	9:00 am Big Nasty Geology Walk	9:00 am A Bug's Life	9:00 am Way of the Modocs	9:30 am	9:00 am Fleener Chimneys: Hike and History
2:00 pm Golden Dome Cave Tour	2:00 pm History of Humanity	2:00 pm Golden Dome Cave Tour	2:00 pm Merrill Cave Tour	2:00 pm Hopkins Chocolate Cave Tour	Sunshine Cave Tour	2:00 pm Lava Brook Cave Tour
	8:00 pm A Climate of Change					

PROGRAM DESCRIPTIONS

BIG NASTY GEOLOGY WALK

Join Ranger Erin for a short hike and discussion about the geology of the monument. Meet at Mammoth Crater parking lot, off of RT 49.

A BUG'S LIFE

Hike along with Ranger Kenzie to discover the vital role insects play throughout the monument. Meet at the Big Painted Cave trailhead.

FLEENER CHIMNEYS: HIKE & HISTORY

Join Ranger Ashley for a short hike and history of this unique volcanic eruption. Meet at Fleener Chimneys parking lot.

HISTORY OF HUMANITY

Join Ranger Emily to learn about the people who have lived here, explored here, and continue to maintain the area. Meet at Mushpot Cave.

SCAT HAPPENS

Join Ranger Alison at the visitor center to learn about animal scat and the important role it plays in our monument.

WAY OF THE MODOCS

Immerse yourself in the traditions of Modoc culture with Ranger Emily as she talks about the Modoc ways of life and tools used by their ancestors. Meet for this talk at Petroglyph Point.

EVENING PROGRAMS

(At the campground amphitheater)

A CLIMATE OF CHANGE

Join Ranger Jeanette to learn how climate change is affecting our beautiful national monument, both now and in the future.



CAVE TOURS

- Meet at the visitor center at 2:00 pm (unless otherwise noted)
- There is a maximum limit—pick up a reservation card at the visitor center the day of your tour!
- All cave tours last 1-1 ½ hours
- Closed-shoes, flashlights, and head protection required
- Lights and hard hats are available at the visitor center
- Cave difficulty varies. Inquire at the visitor center.