

Visitor Guide: Late Winter 2014 - 2015

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Sequoia & Kings Canyon National Parks & Sequoia National Forest/Giant Sequoia National Monument



A birthday gift to national parks

In 2015, Sequoia marks its 125th year as a national park, while Kings Canyon National Park reaches its 75th year! In 2016, we observe the 100th anniversary of the National Park Service itself.

What better time to take action and help these parks meet the challenges of this century? Inside the parks or out, you can celebrate by helping them to thrive.

Teachers and parents: Share the purpose and promise of national parks with students and children, offering them both short-term delights and deep, life-long connections to these places of national significance and beauty.

There are so many ways to make a difference: Artist Dave Williams donated his spectacular logo art for the park anniversaries. A volunteer videographer produced a film about the High Sierra Trail's history for all to learn from and enjoy.

"River rovers" work successfully every year to reduce drownings by delivering safety messages to visitors along park rivers. Thanks to the Volunteers in Parks program, we all enjoy refinished picnic tables, erased graffiti, and restored meadows, among other benefits.

You can help from home, too.

Since parks and towns alike share the same air and water, conservation at home helps parks, as well.

Join the anniversary spirit; stand up for your national parks. A volunteer project may be waiting for your time and talent. Visit www.nps.gov/seki/supportyourpark. Thank you!



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