



Denver Sports

Baseball – Colorado Rockies

April through October

Soccer – Colorado Rapids

April through October

Basketball – Denver Nuggets

October through April

Arena Football – Colorado Crush

February through May

Hockey – Colorado Avalanche

October through April

Entertainment Venues

Pepsi Center

Year Round Activities

Coors Amphitheater

Summer Events Only

Red Rocks Amphitheater

Summer Events Only

Shopping Malls

www.parkmeadows.com

www.shopcherrycreek.com

www.flatironcrossing.com

www.outletsatcastlerock.com

www.shopaspengrove.com



Denver Metro Attractions

[Buffalo Bill Museum](#)

The Buffalo Bill Museum's exhibits include memorabilia from Buffalo Bill's life and Wild West shows, Indian artifacts, antique firearms and other Old West artifacts. There is also a children's activity area. The historical complex on Lookout Mountain includes the Museum, Buffalo Bill's grave, and the Pahaska Tepee gift shop and snack bar.

[Lakeside Amusement Park](#)

Largest amusement park in the Rocky Mountain region with original carousel, classic wooden "Cyclone" Roller Coaster, 2 steel coasters and 2 steam trains from the 1904 St. Louis Worlds Fair.

[Cherokee Ranch and Castle](#)

Guided tours and English-style teas are offered at this historic building just 20 miles south of Denver. Built in 1926, the house museum is modeled after a Scottish castle, and features an extensive collection of art and antiques. It is surrounded by 14,000 acres of open space and offers spectacular views of the Front Range.

[National Renewable Energy Laboratory](#)

Experience the Power of Renewable Energy. Visitors learn about Renewable Energy and Energy Efficiency Technologies in a fun and interactive environment. Great for kids and adults!

[Ocean Journey](#)

Visit this inland aquarium to see the fish in the path of the Colorado River from the Rocky Mountains to the Sea of Coronado.

[Coors Brewery Tours](#)

See and taste traditional brewing in the Rocky Mountains! Since 1873, Coors has thrived on a legacy of quality, innovation & customer service. Total tour time is 90 minutes & includes the malting, brewing, & packaging processes, sampling of Coors' products to those who are 21 or older with ID & shopping in the gift shop.

[Red Rocks Amphitheater Visitor Center](#)

The naturally formed, world-renowned outdoor Amphitheatre is located in the foothills just fifteen miles west of Denver. The majestic setting of the Amphitheatre and the panoramic view of Denver is breathtaking. Red Rocks Amphitheatre hosts top musical events throughout the summer season. Red Rocks Park encompasses 818 acres and is open to hikers and sightseers year-round.

[Denver Botanic Gardens](#)

Denver Botanic Gardens has been a favorite Denver destination for 50 years. Art and science unite in the gardens' spectacular 23-acre site, offering an unforgettable experience for the whole family, as well as a living laboratory for education and plant conservation programs.

[Six Flags Elitch Gardens](#)

Located in the heart of downtown Denver with more than 45 spectacular rides and attractions. Mr. Twister II wooden roller coaster and several new steel coasters.



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[Denver Museum of Nature & Science](#)

Visit one of the largest museums of its kind-See incredible dinosaurs, experience an IMAX movie, view amazing gems and minerals, Egyptian mummies, and much more. Explore the wonders of space in the interactive exhibit, Space Odyssey, and view the celestial worlds in Gates Planetarium.

[The Wildlife Experience](#)

This exciting new museum concept houses a world-class collection of wildlife art and natural history exhibits. The museum features a variety of interactive galleries including the Conservation Gallery, Africa Room, and Children's Gallery.

[Forney Museum of Transportation](#)

Exhibits feature antique automobiles from 1899 to 1976 including Amelia Earhart's Kissel Car and Prince Aly Kahn's Rolls Royce, carriages, bicycles, motorcycles, farm machinery, **the world's largest locomotive called the Big Boy measuring over 134' long**, and much more.

[Wings over the Rockies Air and Space Museum](#)

Located in a hanger at the old Lowry Air Force Base, the Wings Museum houses a B-52 Stratofortress, a B1A Lancer and a Star Wars X-Wing fighter!

[Four Mile Historic Park](#)

Discover this quiet, rustic 12-acre historic oasis and the site of Denver's oldest house. Tour the house, stroll the gardens and grounds, see antique farm equipment and visit the animals. Weekend horse-drawn rides.

[Denver Trolley](#)

See Denver from a "breezer" - the Denver Railway Heritage Society has acquired several antique trolley cars for operation on the west side of the Platte River.



Downtown Attractions

[The 16th Street Mall](#)

Built in 1982, the mall is a tree-lined, pedestrian promenade of red-and-gray granite that runs through the center of downtown. Lined with outdoor cafes, renovated historic office buildings, sparkling glass-walled skyscrapers, shops, restaurants and department stores. Numerous fountains and plazas offer a variety of daily special events and entertainers. Free shuttle buses cruise the mile-long Mall every 90 seconds.

[Colorado History Museum](#)

The spectacular mural on the front of the museum represents just a small sampling of the treasures housed inside - the sagas of Native Americans, buffalo hunters, gold panners, gunfighters, wagon trains, hard rock mining, railroads, explorers, Spanish conquistadors and more, dramatically portrayed through exhibits, dioramas and artifacts. A great way to learn about Colorado's rich history.

[Denver Art Museum](#)

World-class art in the heart of Denver! Over 46,000 works of art, including renowned American Indian collection, European, American, Western art and more. Family-friendly. Special and traveling exhibitions, daily tours, Museum Shop, Palettes Restaurant. Closed Mondays.

[Denver Firefighters Museum](#)

The Museum houses an extensive collection of artifacts, photographs and documents dating from 1866 to the present which relate to the history of firefighting. Educational programs focus on fire safety and prevention.

[Larimer Square](#)

Denver's urban shopping and dining district. Victorian buildings, house specialty boutiques and unique concept restaurants. Shop one-of-a-kind stores with distinctive fashion and exclusive offerings.

[Molly Brown House Museum](#)

The Molly Brown House Museum is located at 1540 Pennsylvania St. The home of the "unsinkable" Molly Brown, Titanic heroine, is restored to its original Victorian splendor. Tours are led by costumed guides.

[U.S. Mint](#)

Because of new security rules, tours of the Denver Mint require congressional sponsorship and must be procured two weeks before the time of the visit. Instructions for this process are on the link listed above.



Pikes Peak Colorado Springs Area

[Air Force Academy](#)

Currently open to visitors. Call for daily schedule.

[Cave of the Winds](#)

Centuries of water persisted against rock, leaving behind a crystalline trail an underground mansion of rooms and passages. Four different tours available.

[Garden of the Gods](#)

A national landmark, 1350 acres of plant and animal life and magnificent red sandstone rock formations. The Garden offers the best hiking, picnicking and horseback riding.

[Manitou and Pikes Peak Cog Railway](#)

Seventy miles from downtown Denver, world's highest cog railway ascends Pikes Peak, 14,100 ft. Open since 1891, train winds past waterfalls, through aspen and pine forest. Wildlife abounds. Views from Great Plains to Continental Divide.

[Olympic Training Center](#)

The \$8 million Olympic Visitor Center hosts approximately 140,000 visitors each year. It is the primary facility providing the general public with information about the U.S. Olympic Committee, U.S. Olympic Training Centers and the Olympic Movement.

[Peterson Air & Space Museum](#)

Military aviation history for the Air Defense Command, North American Aerospace Defense Command, US Space Command and NORAD. Many planes and missiles on display.

[Pikes Peak Highway](#)

Pikes Peak Highway makes a 60-mile round trip from Cascade to the summit of Pikes Peak. Enjoy breathtaking views of the Continental Divide, Sangre De Cristo Mountains, Denver, Colorado Springs and New Mexico.

[Seven Falls](#)

Scenic canyon with multiple waterfalls. Illuminated at night.

[Royal Gorge Bridge - Canon City](#)

World's highest suspension bridge. The 360-acre park also features an aerial tram, incline railway, theater, children's attractions, gift shops, restaurants and nature center.

[Cripple Creek - Cripple Creek](#)

An authentic mining town that now has limited-stakes gambling. Gold is still being mined between Cripple Creek and the town of Victor.

[Mollie Kathleen Gold Mine - Cripple Creek](#)

Take the only mine tour with a trip down a 1000' vertical mine shaft. Explore the underground workings of an 1890's hard rock gold miner.