

Chapter 1 : Watch Series - Nature - Season 9

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Villagers in Bagaran, Armenia, sing of cultural endurance and survival while picnicking at night beneath apricot trees and a giant cross that shines defiantly into Turkey. The neck and head are sparsely feathered, which helps keep gore, guts, and fecal matter from clinging in a deep carcass dive. More dominant birds have taken their fill of the choice meat, leaving the skin and bones for other birds. As the train nears the end of the journey at Kashgar station, a child draws a heart in the desert sand that came along for the ride. The carcass of a bison that drowned in the Yellowstone River became a feast for this wolf and her two-year-old offspring. An American crocodile rises from a bed of turtle grass to return to the labyrinth of mangrove roots that offer near-impenetrable shelter. A curiosity, a portent, a looming symbol of the impending change: This May, for the first time in nearly four decades, an American cruise ship sailed into Havana Bay. On a mountainside in Yosemite National Park, photographer Stephen Wilkes took 1, images over 26 hours to create this day-to-night composite. Twilight bathes the sanctuary of Athena Pronaia at Delphi. Pilgrims in ancient Greece may have offered sacrifices here before consulting the oracle of Delphi. With the help of a bloodhound, a ranger tries to track the poachers who killed this elephant and cut off part of its head to get away quickly with its ivory tusks. On their first migration to their summer range in southeastern Yellowstone, three-week-old calves of the Cody elk herd follow their mothers up a 4-foot slope. A harvested bull elk and its prized antlers are transported the old-fashioned way by mule. More than 72, hunters came to the lands around Yellowstone and Grand Teton in In Flint, Michigan, siblings Julie, Antonio, and India Abram collect their daily allowance of bottled water from Fire Station 3, their local water resource site. Photographs and paintings of sights such as this the Grand Canyon of the Yellowstone inspired Congress to create the park in It was a revolutionary step. Kids swim in a river where a bridge collapsed in Port Salut, Haiti. The city suffered serious damage from Hurricane Matthew, with many homes completely destroyed. He spent years in prison before DNA tests proved his innocence. A girl watches as three Kurdish women are photographed with their faces hidden. Two of the women say they were forced to marry ISIS fighters before escaping to a refugee camp. A panda keeper in China uses a stuffed leopard to train young pandas to fear their biggest wild foe. As an evening storm lights up the sky near Wood River, Nebraska, about , sandhill cranes arrive to roost in the shallows of the Platte River. The meadows here have been popular with nudists since the s. Gerd Gamanab, 67, sought treatment too late: Years of labor in the Namibian sun and dust destroyed his corneas. His blindness likely could have been prevented. The capital of Taiwan, Taipei comes to vibrant life when the sun goes down. Tempted by the fruit of a strangler fig, a Bornean orangutan climbs feet into the canopy. A worker uses a mallet to dislodge frozen tuna aboard a Chinese cargo vessel docked at the city of General Santos, in the Philippines. A baby African white-bellied tree pangolin hitches a ride on its mother at Pangolin Conservation, a nonprofit organization in St. Steven Donovan, flipping into a pool, took a seasonal job at Glacier National Park to sharpen his photography skills. The colors of Grand Prismatic Spring in Yellowstone come from thermophiles: To track changes in sea ice, the Norwegian research vessel Lance drifted along with it for five months in , on a rare voyage from Arctic winter into spring. These rhinos on a South African ranch have recently had their horns trimmed. Unlike elephant ivory, rhino horn grows back when cut properly. The rancher is stockpiling the horn in hopes that selling it will soon be legal. Black rhinos number only about 5, today. Kirill Vselensky perches on a cornice in Moscow as Dima Balashov gets the shot. The year-olds, risktakers known as rooftoppers, celebrate their feats on Instagram. Silversides swirl through mangroves in the coral reefs off Cuba. The finger-size fish form large schools to try to confuse predators. Isra Ali Saalad moved from Somalia to Sweden with her mother and two siblings. Spider monkeys are a favorite quarry and also favorite pets. This one, in Grand Teton National Park, fends off ravens from a bison carcass. Workers moved it away from the road to keep scavengers and tourists apart. A diver keeps a close watch on a tiger shark in the Bahamas. But the scene may not be as dangerous as it looks: Tigers rely on surprise to hunt prey and are unlikely to attack divers who keep them in sight. Virunga Park rangers in the Democratic Republic of the

Congo undergo military-style training, including ambush tactics, due to the constant threat from armed groups. At Fort Hall, Idaho, Leo Teton stands next to a pole ornamented with bison skulls, representing the spiritual connection between the Shoshone-Bannock tribe and bison. Tortoises jockey for shelter from the sun. They will cook in their shells if they remain in the heat for too long. They ranch with a guard dog to ward off coyotes, bears, and mountain lions.

Chapter 2 : Waterfall Chasing: National Aquarium in Baltimore, February 28,

Authorities say they killed a black bear at Grand Teton National Park after it became accustomed to people and officials were unable to find a home for it. The Jackson Hole News and Guide reports.

Along the shores of Jackson Lake , fire pits, tools and what are thought to have been fishing weights have been discovered. Some of the tools are made of obsidian which chemical analysis indicates came from sources near present-day Teton Pass , south of Grand Teton National Park. The mountain-dwelling Shoshone were known as " Sheep-eaters " or " Tukudika " as they referred to themselves, since a staple of their diet was the Bighorn Sheep. A number of stone enclosures on some of the peaks, including on the upper slopes of Grand Teton known simply as The Enclosure are thought to have been used by Shoshone during vision quests. During their return trip from the Pacific Ocean , expedition member John Colter was given an early discharge so he could join two fur trappers who were heading west in search of beaver pelts. Colter was later hired by Manuel Lisa to lead fur trappers and to explore the region around the Yellowstone River. Louis, Missouri in The Colter Stone has not been authenticated to have been created by John Colter and may have been the work of later expeditions to the region. Between and , the Astorians traveled through Jackson Hole and crossed Teton Pass as they headed east in Jackson oversaw the trapping operations in the Teton region between and Most overland human migration routes such as the Oregon and Mormon Trails crossed over South Pass , well to the south of the Teton Range, and Caucasian influence in the Teton region was minimal until the U. Government commenced organized explorations. Government sponsored expedition to enter Jackson Hole was the 1825-26 Reynolds Expedition. Army Captain William F. Reynolds and guided by mountain man Jim Bridger , it included naturalist F. Hayden , who later led other expeditions to the region. Hayden led the well-funded Hayden Geological Survey of In , Hayden oversaw explorations in Yellowstone, while a branch of his expedition known as the Snake River Division was led by James Stevenson and explored the Teton region. Nevertheless, small groups of prospectors set up claims and mining operations on several of the creeks and rivers. By all organized efforts to retrieve minerals had been abandoned. The region was mostly suited for the cultivation of hay and cattle ranching. By , Jackson Hole had an estimated permanent population of In response to the increased tourism, dude ranches were established, some new and some from existing cattle ranches, so urbanized travelers could experience the life of a cattleman. Establishment of Grand Teton National Park Grand Teton National Park Dedication in To the north of Jackson Hole, Yellowstone National Park had been established in , and by the close of the 19th century, conservationists wanted to expand the boundaries of that park to include at least the Teton Range. This dam failed in and a new concrete Jackson Lake Dam replaced it by In , this plan was revealed to the residents of the region and was met with strong disapproval. By Rockefeller had become increasingly impatient that his purchased property might never be added to the park, and wrote to the Secretary of the Interior Harold L. Ickes that he was considering selling the land to another party. Members of Congress repeatedly attempted to have the new national monument abolished. In November , the Rockefeller family transferred ownership of the ranch to the park for the establishment of the Laurance S. Rockefeller Preserve , which was dedicated on June 21, However, white explorers may not have been the first to climb many of the peaks and the earliest first ascent of even the formidable Grand Teton itself might have been achieved long before written history documented it. Langford claimed that he and Stevenson climbed Grand Teton, but were vague as to whether they had made it to the summit. Their reported obstacles and sightings were never corroborated by later parties. Langford and Stevenson likely did not get much further than The Enclosure. The disagreement over which party first reached the top of Grand Teton may be the greatest controversy in the history of American mountaineering. The classic climb following the route first pioneered by Owen, known as the Owen-Spalding route , is rated at 5. In the late s, gymnast John Gill came to the park and started climbing large boulders near Jenny Lake. Gill approached climbing from a gymnastics perspective and while in the Tetons became the first known climber in history to use gymnastic chalk to improve handholds and to keep hands dry while climbing. Grand Teton National Park has an average of permanent and seasonal employees. The park also manages 27 concession

contracts that provide services such as lodging, restaurants, mountaineering guides, dude ranching, fishing and a boat shuttle on Jenny Lake. Forest Service, the U. Initial construction of the airstrip north of the town of Jackson was completed in the s. After the monument and park were combined, the Jackson Hole Airport became the only commercial airport within an American national park. Jackson Hole Airport has some of the strictest noise abatement regulations of any airport in the U. Efforts to exchange federal land from other areas for inholdings were still in the negotiation phase in . Privately owned land borders the park to the south and southwest. The Greater Yellowstone Ecosystem spans across portions of three states and is one of the largest intact mid-latitude ecosystems remaining on Earth. Carved by a combination of glacier activity as well as by numerous streams, the canyons are at their lowest point along the eastern margin of the range at Jackson Hole. Jackson Hole The Teton Fault near the base of Rockchuck Peak creates a nearly horizontal line above the trees in the foreground. Southeast of Jackson Lake, glacial depressions known as kettles are numerous. The kettles were formed when ice situated under gravel outwash from ice sheets melted as the glaciers retreated. Snake River Oxbow Bend on the Snake River Most of the lakes in the park were formed by glaciers and the largest of these lakes are located at the base of the Teton Range. Within the Teton Range, small alpine lakes in cirques are common, and there are more than scattered throughout the high country. Through the comparatively level Jackson Hole valley, the Snake River descends an average of 19 feet per mile ³. The major peaks of the Teton Range were carved into their current shapes by long vanished glaciers. During the Pinedale glaciation, the landscape visible today was created as glaciers from the Yellowstone Plateau flowed south and formed Jackson Lake, while smaller glaciers descending from the Teton Range pushed rock moraines out from the canyons and left behind lakes near the base of the mountains. Geology of the Grand Teton area The geologic feature known as the Black Dike is a diabase intrusion into older gneiss and is visible on the east face of Middle Teton as a dark line bisecting the peak. Grand Teton National Park has some of the most ancient rocks found in any American national park. During the late Cretaceous, a volcanic arc west of the region deposited fine grained ash that later formed into bentonite, an important mineral resource. These deposits also have trace quantities of gold and mercury. Grand Teton National Park and the surrounding region host over 1, species of vascular plants.

Chapter 3 : Interesting Decor - Review of Mangy Moose Restaurant and Saloon, Teton Village, WY - TripA

Rising above a scene rich with extraordinary wildlife, pristine lakes, and alpine terrain, the Teton Range stands monument to the people who fought to protect it. These are mountains of the imagination. Mountains that led to the creation of Grand Teton National Park where you can explore over two.

It was an amazing, life-changing experience. Led by the outstanding expedition biologists from the Teton Science Schools TSS , I found myself surrounded by breathtaking beauty and an abundance of wildlife. I learned so much about the different animal species, their habits and the environment, as well as the balance of nature and park conservation. Weather made that trip a challenging one. It was cold, cloudy and snowing most of the time. Several entrances in and out of Yellowstone had to be temporarily closed, resulting in changes to our itinerary and travel routes. Our experienced TSS guides provided alternatives and our adventure never missed a beat. At the end of the week, it was hard to come home. Together, the two organizations give participants the chance to enjoy the region in different seasons and to see how wildlife adapts to seasonal changes. Bears, for example, are hibernating in February, but not in May. Springtime means much of the wildlife will now be with their young. It also means sunshine, green grass and blue skies. What was I waiting for? The Zoo still had openings for its May trip and I had to go. Snow in the middle of May? But again, our wonderful TSS guides provided a detour that got us there via Idaho. The May trip is three days in the wild. Snow fell the first day as we traveled from Jackson Hole, Wyoming south of Yellowstone to Cooke City, Montana northeast corner outside the park. Along the way we saw bison with their calves, elk, deer, pronghorn antelope, and a few grizzly bears with year old cubs. To see these animals in a few inches of snow vs. Snow began to melt and color started to emerge everywhere. It was incredibly beautiful and truly magical! The sky was blue with streaks of sunlight and scattered with clouds. Tall pine trees released snow from their boughs, adding more depth and color everywhere you looked. Wildflowers peeked through a remaining thin blanket of snow. I was in photography heaven! Will I return again next year?

Chapter 4 : The Grand Tetons :: Mountain Mike Photography

Grand Teton National Park. The Tetons happened to be my favorite. Beautiful with very tall peaks in the mountains. And talk about the wildlife!

As a town of approximately 53, residents estimate , it is one of the larger cities in Idaho. Idaho Falls prides itself on being the perfect mix of big city amenities and small town charm. Idaho Falls enjoys a climate that is ideal for outdoor activities year-round. The city sees more than days of sun each year. With 82 days of measurable precipitation, Idaho Falls can expect to get around 12 inches of rain and 29 inches of snow per calendar year. Summers are mild, with highs in the 80s and lows in the 50s. Winters are cold but not severe, with lows ranging from 10 to 20 degrees Fahrenheit. The NRTS was the main economic booster in the city until federal cutbacks were made in the s. In order to remain economically stable, the city actively sought to develop other industries, such as customer-service, retail, and health care. This shift in industry has kept the economy of Idaho Falls bustling. This is a quiet, remote area of Idaho Falls that is home to mostly farmers and their children. This urban area is home to mostly young singles. Its small, historic homes were primarily built before Elm Street Park is located in this neighborhood. A walkable, urban area with mostly families and their children. The houses here are primarily medium-size, single-family homes. A major area shopping area, Grand Teton Mall, is located here. This is a suburban area with a number of farms. The midsize homes are occupied mostly by families with children. A suburban area populated with mostly families with children. These medium-size homes are in a quiet part of town. The Tautphaus Park and Zoo, including several sports fields and facilities, can be found in this family-friendly part of town. The single-family homes in this area were mostly built from through This quiet, artsy area is home to people of several different age groups. The museum offers year-round events and speakers. It also hosts a number of visiting exhibits each year in addition to special events and educational programs. Combined, they offer performing arts, visual arts, a summer youth program, and a community arts promotion. More than animals from six continents reside at the Tautphaus Park Zoo. Popular exhibits include wallaby, African penguins, lemurs, tamarins, and snow leopards, and amur tigers. This zoo participates in the Species Survival Plan that helps to preserve the futures of 14 different endangered species through a captive breeding program. The Idaho Falls Chukars, a minor-league affiliate of the Kansas City Royals, plays at this 3,seat field, built in The venue is also used for American Legion and some high school games. Held the first Saturday in June, this festival features more than 80 breweries as well as live music, food, and a silent auction. Sponsored by the Eastern Idaho Regional Medical Center from June through August, this popular weekly series draws a large crowd each year. Liberty Festival on the Falls: Idaho Falls Sidewalk Art Show: Snake River Roaring Youth Jam: Held on the second weekend in August, this family-friendly event draws a large crowd every year. EITC provides 42 technical programs that are rooted in industry training, skills instruction, and workforce and community education. Idaho Falls is also home to University Place, which offers a unique opportunity for students to enroll in either Idaho State College or the University of Idaho all on one campus. The schools have been in collaboration for more than a decade.

Chapter 5 : 50+ Of The Best Photos Of Announced By National Geographic

Idaho Falls Idaho is a pleasant little city along the Snake River with many outdoor adventures to offer its guests. The proximity of the Snake River, the Grand Tetons, forests, fields and streams is enough to keep any outdoorsman/woman busy for days.

Grand Teton has a lot to offer whatever your interests. Mountains, valleys, lakes, rivers and skies are home to diverse and abundant forests, wildflowers and wildlife. The park also has a rich cultural history with old homesteads and cattle ranches to explore and photograph. Walk on a trail built by the Civilian Conservation Corps or one that American Indians or fur trappers might have used in the s. Ride a bike or paddle a canoe. There is something for everyone. Whatever your interests Grand Teton has something for you. Let this page be the beginning of your adventure! Basic Information on visiting the park along with numerous useful links. This page provides the essential information that you need to plan any trip to Grand Teton. For more information on things to do check out the Grand Teton App. Visit our calendar of events page. Directions on how to get to Grand Teton. Route suggestions are given from Salt Lake City and Denver, along with shuttle service information and a list of nearby airports. Find directions to the park. Seasonal road closures may limit auto access to some areas in the park during the winter. Operating hours of visitor centers and other facilities vary depending on the season. In winter services are limited. Learn more about operating hours and seasons. Yellowstone National Park has a separate entrance fee. Remember to keep your admission receipt in order to re-enter during the week. There is a variety of Annual or Lifetime Passes as possible alternatives to the above fees. Learn more about Fees and Passes. Lodging choices in Grand Teton National Park are varied, providing a range of accommodations. Choose from a modern hotel or motel type room, lodging in a historic cabin or even tent cabin. Learn more about lodging choices in the park. There are also a variety of choices for places to find something to eat in the park. Choose from a number of restaurants, grocery stores and picnic areas. Learn more about places to eat in the park. Camping - Six campgrounds operate within the park and parkway during the summer. Learn more about campgrounds in the park. Learn more about backcountry camping in the park. Weather - This page provides links to weather forecasts and climate information. Find out what to expect in the way of weather during your trip. This page lists high, low and average temperatures for the park and the amount of precipitation that may be likely during your trip. Learn more about weather in the park. Pets are allowed in the park in the front country in areas accessible to cars and some other limited areas. Pets are not allowed on trails, in the backcountry, in visitor centers, or on the Multi-use Pathway and must be leashed at all time. These regulations are in place to keep your pet safe and to protect wildlife, other visitors and the unique wilderness environment of the park. Learn more about pets in the park. Accessibility - Information on accessible trails, lodging and facilities can be found here. The park seeks to provide memorable opportunities for people of all abilities and interests. Find more about accessibility options in the park. Road Information - Contains road construction updates and contact information for current road status in and around the park. Also contains links for road information for Yellowstone National Park and the state of Wyoming. Learn more about road conditions and possible road construction in the park and surrounding region. Your Safety is important to us. Find helpful tips and guidelines for enjoying a safe visit to the park. Find information on viewing wildlife safely ; on hiking , camping , and recreating in bear country ; how to minimize your chance of being struck by lightning and other safety concerns. Find out more about ways to stay safe in the park. The following trip planners may also be helpful: A list of current and future events can be found on our calendar page. A provision from the park legislation allows a limited elk reduction program in the fall. Learn more about Autumn in the Tetons. Winter Trip Planner provides information useful when visiting the park during the longest season - winter. Find out about winter activities, seasonal road closures, and safety information. Learn more about winter in the Tetons. There are many brochures available for your trip planning and to help you learn about park resources. Some brochures are also available in Spanish and other languages. Visit our online store for books, maps, and guides to the park.

Chapter 6 : Sara Underwood on Instagram: "GRAND Tetons", by @jacobwitzling

Lemurs-Bush Babies- Marmosets-Tamarins. Lesser bushbaby - Galago senegalensis. Pied Tamarin - Saguinus bicolor Grand Tetons. Jenny Lake - Grand Tetons. Mount.

By providing them training, tools, and the ability to develop their skills-they can then protect the animals that are native to their area. The Houston Zoo partners with Ecology Project International EPI in Galapagos -a conservation education program that takes youth from the Galapagos Islands out into nature to conduct field research, and learn about the incredible species that call the Galapagos Islands home. Read below to hear in his own words, about his experience in his first field course in Belize. At the Tropical Education Center the Savanna Forest was a new world to me and I was excited for all the wildlife nearby, lots of birds, iguanas, snakes and even small mammals like agoutis were wandering around. Among many of the activities we did in this site we had the opportunity to be a part of a research activity about Yellow headed Parrots and learn about the conservation challenges that these birds face. JuanSe visiting the Belize Zoo! The baboon sanctuary was another place I had the opportunity to explore. It was very interesting to see how this community manages itself to live in harmony with Howler Monkeys and at the same time do many economical activities that involved the conservation of this species, no doubt a great example of community-based conservation. This community gave me and the rest of my partners the opportunity of a local home stay experience; we all were located with different families and spent one night together. This shared time with a host family provided a great cultural immersion to learn more about Belize and its inhabitants and their culture. The field course participants at the baboon sanctuary-a location dedicated to conserving howler monkeys. Afterwards we went to Tobacco Key, a little island on the coast; part of the Great Caribbean barrier reef. At this place we explored the coral reef, what an extraordinary biodiversity; I was totally overwhelmed every time I got my head into the water. During the time on the Key we did research on different topics, my group studied the change of behavior that fish species have with human presence, very interesting and funny. We had the opportunity to visit the Smithsonian Research Station nearby, it was great to see their facilities and learn the research they do. Tobacco Caye, Belize Juan Sebastian conducting marine transects to find out more about fish behavior in Belize. Many inquiry activities were part of this experience, the ones that were already mentioned above and others I was able to be part of; for example a very curious study about Spider Monkey behavior at Belize Zoo and Epiphytes abundance on palm trees at the Tropical Education Center. We went with Jamal to look for manatees near the coastal zone of Belize City, it was a unique experience to observe this incredible animal and even more rewarding to know how Jamal is struggling for their conservation. A similar example was another man called Celso, who showed us the work he is doing for the conservation of tapirs, the iconic animal of Belize. Jamal-a Belizean committed to saving local manatees! Signs in the waters of Belize telling boaters to slow down to protect this species. All these inquiry activities came with the guidance of our incredible instructors Jill Korach and Joshua Meyer who did a terrific job surfing through all of our doubts and questions and providing vital knowledge and guidance with the topics assigned to study on this course. After this experience I only have a lot of gratitude with all the people that supported me to be part of such life experience.

Chapter 7 : 20 stunning locations for wildlife watching

The Grand Tetons are a gorgeous mountain range with a myriad of majestic landscapes that will literally take your breath away. We want to share our experiences driving through this part of Wyoming and hopefully inspire you to explore the Grand Tetons for yourselves.

Chapter 8 : Around the World: The Ultimate Journey | Days | Land Tour

Cotton-top tamarins are a one-pound monkey found only in the tropical forests of northern Colombia. Dr. Savage will

share on "Proyecto TitÃ-", a very successful conservation program that engages local people in learning about Cotton-top tamarins and how they can help protect them.

Chapter 9 : Mary Kate Kunzinger, Author at Houston Zoo - Page 2 of 4

After 2 weeks of traveling around Yellowstone and Tetons we did one more hike, toured Jackson Hole and decided to check out Teton Village. Wish I had been here when I was younger. We wandered around the village, had a beer on the deck at the Mangy Moose and decided to have dinner here.