



## DAY ONE South of Aztec

### Breakfast at Aztec Restaurant (107 N.E. Aztec Blvd.; 505-334-9586)

American and Southwest comfort food, including skillet and omelet breakfasts, and sandwiches, burgers, steaks and breaded fish for lunch and dinner. Open 6 a.m.-8 p.m.

### Aztec Ruins National Monument Ruins Road (505) 334-6174

UNESCO World Heritage site was active from 900-1300 A.D.; ranger-led tours; 500-room pueblo; America's largest reconstructed Great Kiva; museum; bookstore; picnic area.

### Salmon Ruins

US 64 (505) 632-2013

Ancestral Puebloan community of 300 rooms, elevated tower kiva and a Great Kiva. Site occupied until the 1280s then destroyed by fire and abandoned. Located just west of Bloomfield.

### Chaco Culture National Historic Park 80 mi. south of Aztec (505) 786-7014

UNESCO World Heritage site offers the largest excavated ancestral Puebloan ruins in the Southwest. Major ruins, petroglyphs, and camping.

### Dinner at Wonderful House

115 W. Aztec Blvd. (505) 334-1832

Chinese food with Szechuan-style favorites, including sweet and sour pork, chow mein dishes, and kung pao chicken. Open 11 a.m.-9 p.m. Closed Monday.

## DAY TWO Northwest of Aztec

### Habanero Grill

910 N.E. Aztec Blvd.  
(505) 334-4174

Mexican food breakfast through lunch includes breakfast burritos. Take Out or Drive Thru

### Mesa Verde National Park

US 160 east of Cortez, CO;  
(888) 656-9694

UNESCO World Heritage site is America's largest archaeological preserve. Created in 1906, it features 4,000 known ancestral Puebloan sites. Full day experience.

### Dinner at Pat Thai Café

104 S. Main Ave. (505) 334-1234

Highly rated curry dishes, pad Thai, vegetarian selections, egg rolls, and soups. Open 11 a.m.-9 p.m. Closed Sunday.



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## **DAY ONE** **Quality Waters Experience**

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### **Navajo Lake State Park**

**(25 miles east of Aztec on NM State 173; 505-632-2278)**

Nourished by the Pine and San Juan rivers, Navajo Lake is 25 miles long with over 200 camping and picnic sites, two improved boat ramps, and a marina. Boating, sailing and water skiing, plus fishing for trophy trout, bass, crappie, bluegill, catfish and kokanee salmon. Boat and water craft rentals available.

### **Fly Fishing**

#### **at San Juan River Quality Waters**

Stop at Abe's Fly Shop (505-632-2194) for fishing equipment, license, personal fishing guide, tips and transport. Quality Waters of the lower San Juan is ranked a U.S. Top-10 Fly Fishing Destination. Located downstream from dam's spillway.



### **Wine Tasting at Wines of the San Juan (233 NM State 511; 505-632-0879)**

Located 12 miles from Navajo Dam. Drive less than a mile northeast on NM 539, turn left and drive 11 miles south on NM 511. Celebrated for cabernets, blancs, and chardonnays. Open 10 a.m.-6 p.m. Closed Tuesday.

### **Beer Belly's Burgers & BBQ**

**(1547 Aztec Blvd.; (505) 333-7154)**

Southwest Flavors: Appetizers, Burgers and Sandwiches, Soups and Salads and more.

## **DAY TWO** **Arches & Mountain Biking**

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### **Aztec Arches Self Tour**

Immediate area offers over 300 sandstone arches and windows, including popular Arch Rock in Hart Canyon and Anasazi Arch in Cox Canyon. Directions and turn-by-turn guides available at Aztec Visitor Center. Easy/moderate hiking. (505) 334-9551  
[www.aztecnm.com](http://www.aztecnm.com)



### **Alien Run Mountain Biking**

Alien Run Trail is regarded among the best single tracks in the Southwest and is celebrated for annual mountain bike competition. Map available at Aztec Visitor Center. (505) 334-9551  
[www.aztecnm.com](http://www.aztecnm.com)

### **Downtown Aztec**

Main Avenue and surrounds are a National Historic District with an eclectic shops for art, recreation, music, dining, specialty goods and services. Visit Aztec Visitor Center for a walking tour guide. (505) 334-9551

### **Dinner at Rubia's**

**(116 S. Main Ave.; 505-334-0599)**

Mexican food including tacos, tamales, and enchilada plates to combine favorite sides of beans, rice and fries. Bar serves a New Mexican wine list, flavored margaritas, and microbrews. Patio seating. Open 11 a.m.-9 p.m. Closed Sunday.