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**Points of Interest**

**Academy Riding Stables**
Experience the wild side of horsemanship riding in the spectator arena of the Great. Academy Stables’ wranglers are real cowboys with the knowledge and skills to help you get the most enjoyment out of your visit. (719) 540-0423

**Cave of the Winds**
A couple of miles west of Cheyenne Mountain Park, Cave of the Winds is a subterranean world of millions of years of adventure, right here to see and touch. Two distinctive tours allow visitors of all ages and abilities to explore the cave’s world and see a subterranean world in a dazzling new light. Learn about geological history and stories of creepy adventure. See your kids beam with excitement as they learn to explore the unknown through the knowledge and skills to help you get the most enjoyment out of your visit. (888) 700-0410 www.caveofthewinds.com

**Cheyenne Mountain State Park**
Located south of Colorado Springs on Highway 115, the park is a haven for wildlife. Mule deer and elk are plentiful in the park. Other residents include wild turkeys, peregrine falcons, golden eagles, American kestrels and many migrating birds. (719) 685-5444

**Colorado Springs Fine Arts Center**
Founded in 1936, the Fine Arts Center is a privately owned venue known for its world-class exhibitions of contemporary and American art. Located in the Plaza of the Rockies. (719) 635-7925

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Colorado Springs is the highest city in elevation in the nation. Our renowned Springs are world-famous. From spectacular dinosaurs, marine reptiles, flying squirrels, and bats, to our unique geology, there is a lot to love about Colorado Springs. (719) 535-7925

**Cripple Creek Fire Dept.**
Cripple Creek is a beautiful mountain town located just north of Colorado Springs. Cripple Creek Fire Dept. (719) 689-0240

**Cripple Creek Police Dept.**
Great place to live, work and play. Cripple Creek Police Dept. (719) 689-2655

**McAllister House Museum**
Located in historic Manitou Springs. The 46-room McAllister House Museum is a privately owned home furnished with turn-of-the-century pieces. Call for hours. (719) 635-7925

**Ghost Town Wild West Museum**
A fun and historic look back at the kind of old west town that first used to dot this region during the 1800’s. Located downtown in the Plaza of the Rockies. (719) 685-5444

**Great Sand Dunes National Park and Preserve**
The Great Sand Dunes National Park and Preserve is a truly unique and pristine destination located less than an hour’s drive from Colorado Springs. The park is a World Heritage Site and is known for its towering 750-foot sand dunes that are home to a wide variety of wildlife. (719) 748-3253

**HooDoos and Hot Springs**
Take a fun and historic look back at the kind of old west town that first used to dot this region during the 1800’s. Located downtown in the Plaza of the Rockies. (719) 685-5444

**International Space Center**
Located at 5865 N. Nevada Avenue, exit 148 off I-25 on Hwy 24, then right on Cliff Dwellings Road. (719) 866-4618

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1-800-798-5954 719-633-6399

**Hampton Inn & Suites-North**
(719) 543-6500

**Pikes Peak Summit**
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**Riding Stables**
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**Saratoga Cave**
Located in the town of Waterton Lakes National Park, nestled in the scenic Waterton Valley. (403) 545-6013

**Stay & Experience the Flavor!**
May 18-20, 2012 ~ Wild Wild West Festival
November 26, 2011 ~ Parade of Lights
August 26 - September 5, 2011 ~ Colorado State Fair
July 25-30, 2011 ~ National Little Britches Finals Rodeo
June 24-26, 2011 ~ NSBA Rocky Mountain Regional Rodeo National Finals Rodeo
July 4, 2011 ~ Balloon Festiva with the Pueblo Symphony
July 30, 2011 ~ National Little Britches Finals Rodeo
August 27, 2011 ~ Colorado State Fair
September 23-25, 2011 ~ Lose N Jug Chile & Frijoles Festival
November 5, 2011 ~ Veterans Day Parade
November 26, 2011 ~ Parade of Lights
February 21, 2012 ~ Big Rod’s & Fat Tuesday Celebration
May 18-30, 2012 ~ Wild Wild West Festival
June 13-3, 2012 ~ Bluegrass on the River
June 8-9, 2012 ~ Boats, Bands & BBQ on the River