

Mammoth – Summer Cruise

Thursday, June 9 through Sunday June 12th 2016

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Day 1 - Thursday, June 9th to Alpenhof Lodge, Mammoth Lakes, CA -328 miles

Departs Jerome's promptly at 7:00 a.m. Lunch/Gas (1 ½ hours) will be in Lone Pine at approximately noon and depart from the Mobil gas station on the right at the north end of town. We should be arriving at Alpenhof Lodge about 3:30.

Day 2 - Friday, June 10th Free day and not a chapter ride. – 209 miles

I have a suggested ride to Yosemite NP. Depart at your leisure and do the whole route or a portion but enjoy and be adventurous! Share your stories with your fellow HOG members Friday night.

"Only by going alone in silence, without baggage, can one truly get into the heart of the wilderness. All other travel is mere dust and hotels and baggage and chatter." –John Muir in a letter to his wife Louie in July 1888

Day 3 – Saturday, June 11th to Ancient Bristlecone Forest (This is a destination ride ending in Big Pine) – 201 miles

Departs at 8:00 am from the Alpenhof Lodge and is a beautiful ride around the Owens River Valley with breathtaking views of the Sierra Nevada Mountain range to the west and the White Mountains to the east. We will ride to the Ancient Bristlecone Pine Forest ending the ride in Big Pine where there are many choices for lunch. Bishop is 15 miles north on Us-395 and has more restaurant options.

The Methuselah Grove in the Ancient Bristlecone Pine Forest is the location of the "Methuselah", a Great Basin Bristlecone Pine that is 4,847 years old. For many years, it was the world's oldest known living non-clonal organism, until superseded by the discovery in 2013 of another bristlecone pine in the same area with an age of 5,065 years (germination in 3051 BC). "Methuselah" is not marked in the forest, to ensure added protection from vandals.

Day 4 – Sunday, June 12th

Departing at 8:30 am from the Alpenhof Lodge, arriving Orange County 4:00. - 350 miles

Lunch (and gas) will be at the Shell/Subway in Pearsonville arriving about 11:30 am. We'll plan on being there about 1 hour or until everyone's ready to roll.

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Keep Left	onto 60 to Pomona/Riverside	15.4
Right	onto 15 North to Barstow	30.6
Keep Left	on 15 North	48.1
Exit	onto 395 North to Bishop	64.0
Right	onto Joshua St.	65.2
Arrive at	Outpost – Gas	(D 8:45 am) 65.2

Continue	on 395 North	
Exit Right	onto Pearson Rd.	170
Arrive at	Pearsonville Shell – Gas (D 11:15)	170

Continue	on 395 North	
Arrive at	**Lone Pine – Lunch (A 12:00)	228

Stage at Mobil at North end of town on Right

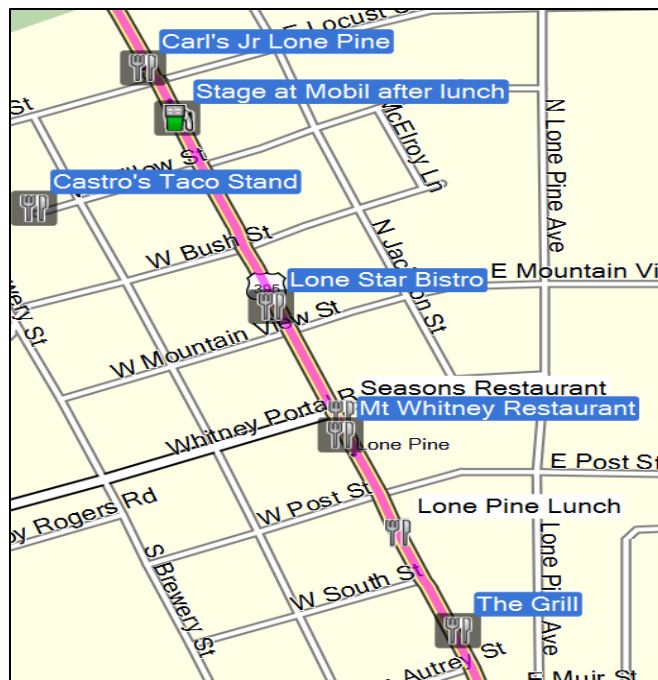
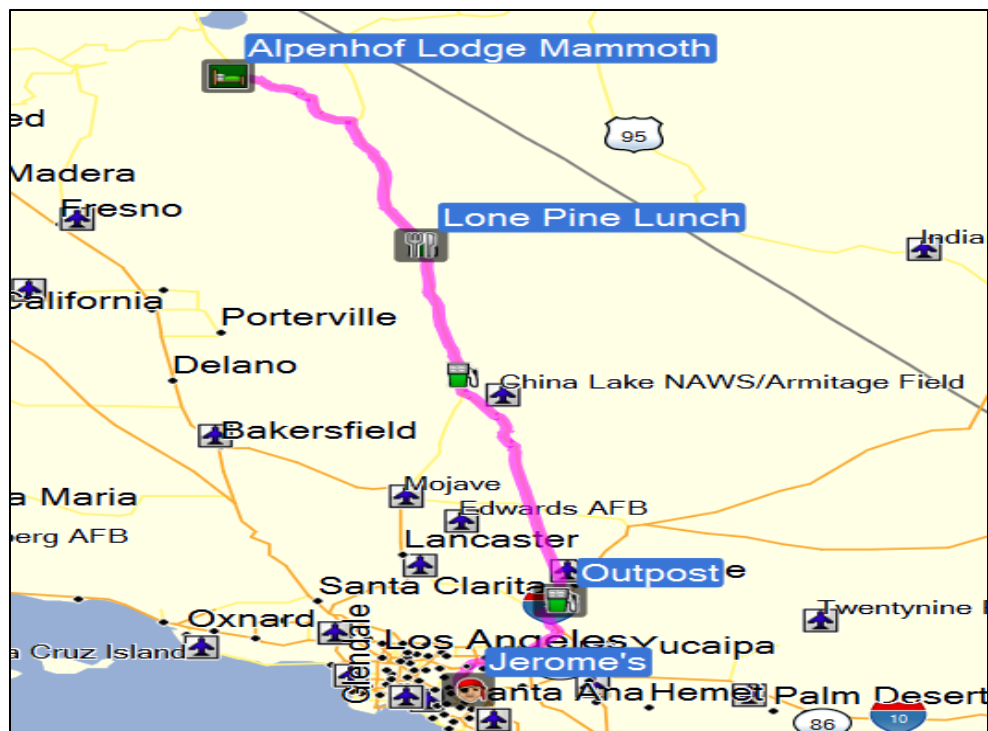
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Arrive	at Park Entrance (Pass or Fee)	38.6
Left	onto Big Oak Flat Rd.	85.2
Right	onto Road	96.6
Right	onto Wawona Rd.	96.6
Arrive	Tunnel View Overlook (Picture Spot)	98.2
Return back on Wawona Rd. (Not through tunnel)		
Arrive	Yosemite Falls view (Picture Spot)	103
Left	onto Sentinel Dr.	104
Right	onto Northside Dr	104
Left	onto Village Dr.	104
Right	onto Ahwahnee Dr.	104
Arrive	Majestic Lodge (lunch option, Dress nice)	105
Return to Ahwahnee Dr.		
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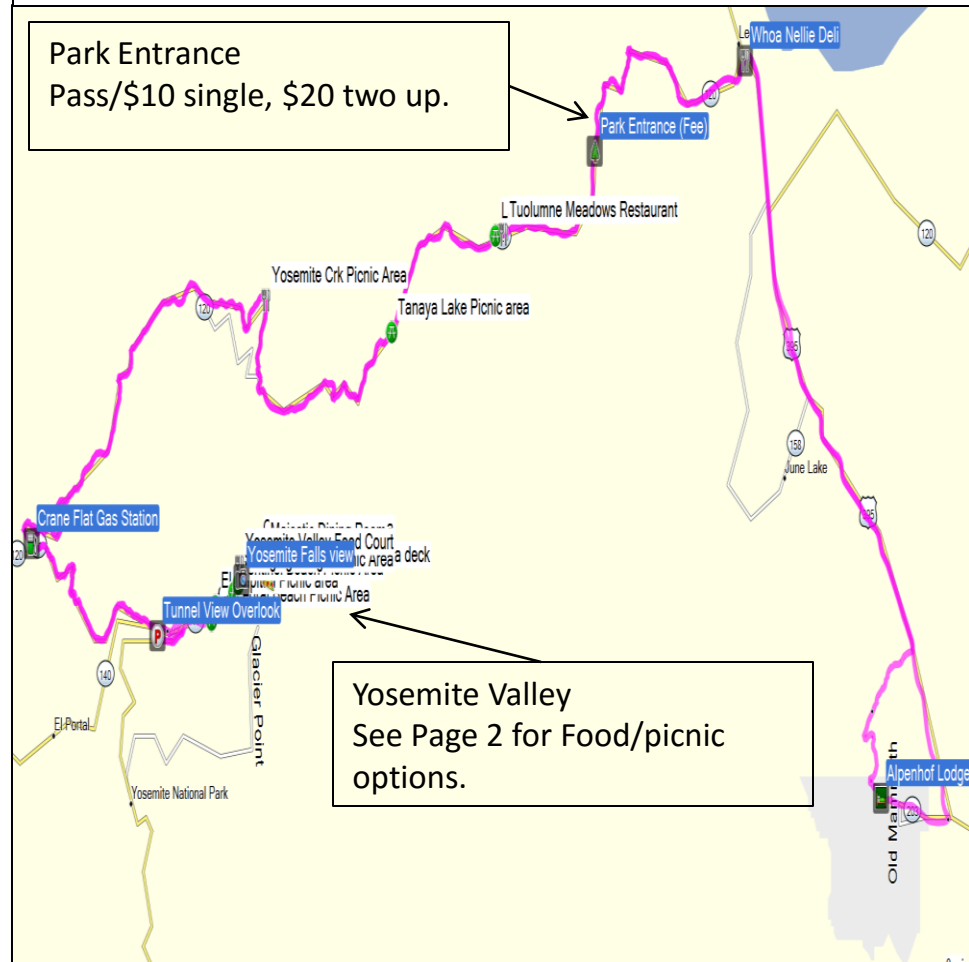
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This route/map is an optional free day. You choose your depart time and where and when you spend your time. If it's a picnic lunch you decide then I recommend Whoa Nellie Deli to pick up a gourmet lunch. I've added picnic areas to choose from. If you want lunch in Yosemite I've also highlighted a few options for restaurants. Majestic Dining room is pricier and requires dressier attire.

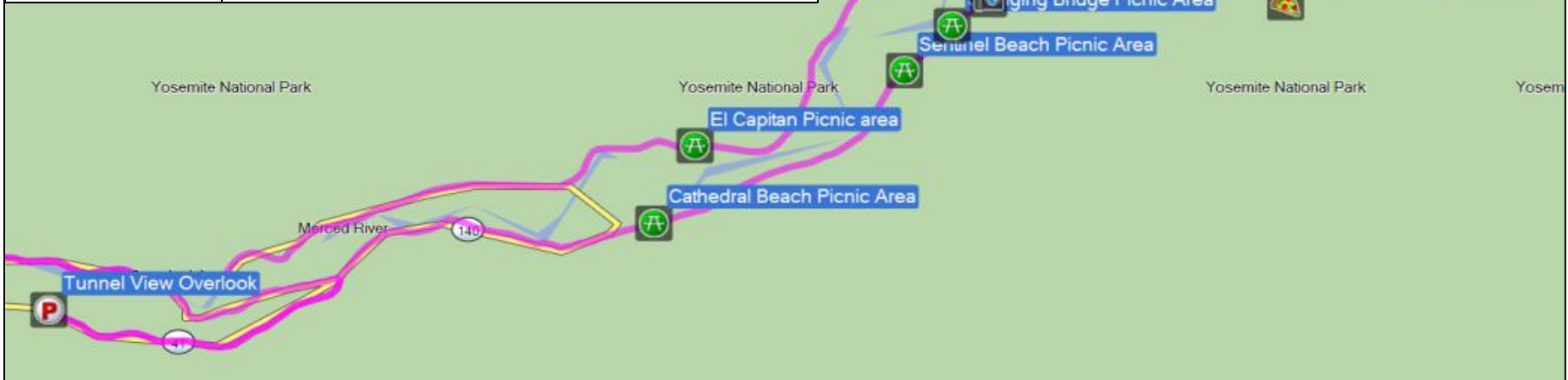


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Yosemite Valley Map
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Whoa Nellie Deli at mile 26.8

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Tanaya Lake picnic area at 53.0

5 picnic areas in Yosemite Valley in order en route.

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A few dining options in Yosemite

Yosemite Valley Food Court. (Watch for signs as it is not a waypoint on gps.)

Majestic Dining room at Majestic Lodge, **nice attire**. (Old Ahwahnee)

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Right	on Hwy 120	39.6
Arrive	Benton Station – on Left (D 9:30)	46.7

Right	onto US 6	
Left	onto N. Main St.	80.7
Arrive	Chevron Big Pine – on Left (D 10:45)	96.5

Return Northbound on 395		
Right	onto Hwy 168	96.8
Left	onto White Mtn. Rd.	110
Arrive	*Ancient Bristlecone Forest (D 12:00)	120

Return back to White Mtn. Rd.		
Right	onto Hwy 168	130
Left	onto Hwy 395	105
Arrive	at Big Pine for Lunch (A 12:30)	143

Lunch options: Big Pine Tacos, Copper Top BBQ, Country Kitchen, Rossi's Place.

Ride ends here in Big Pine, continue at your leisure.

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Mammoth – Summer Cruise - Day 3

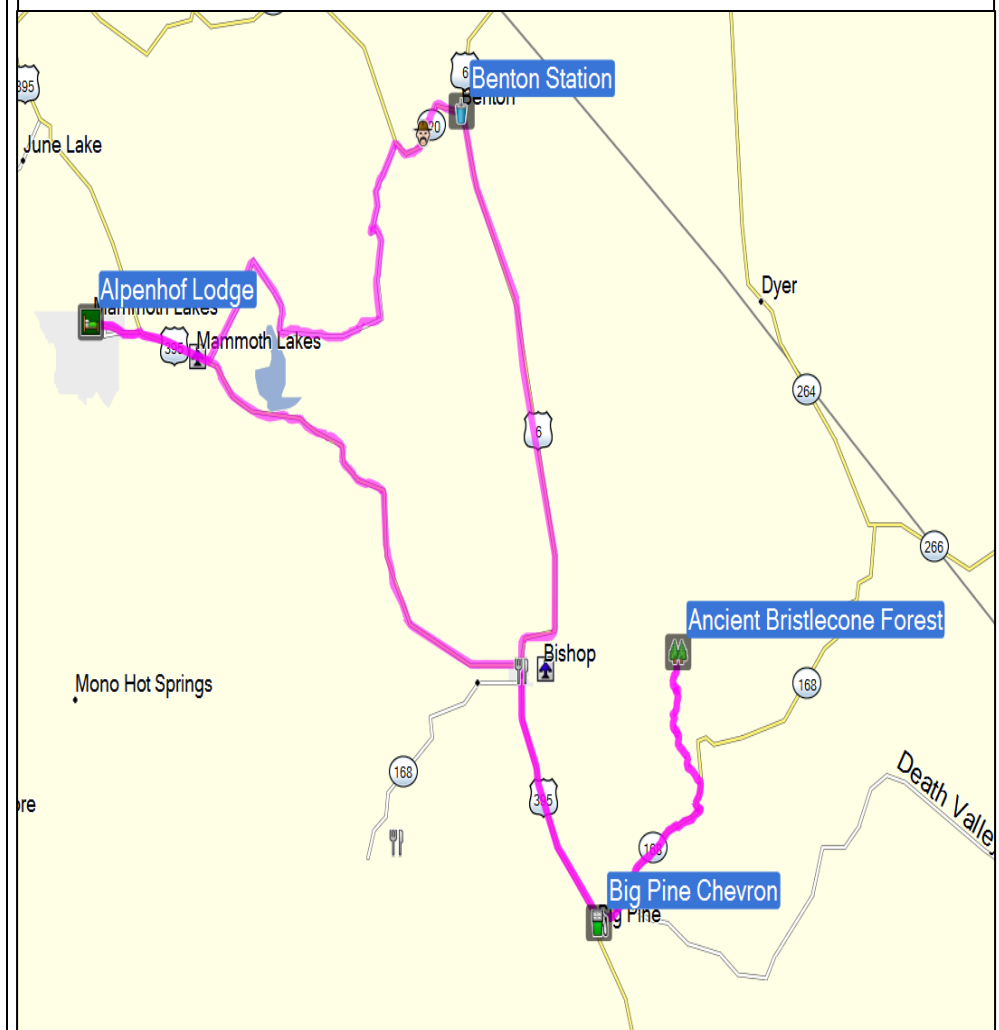
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- Destination ride -

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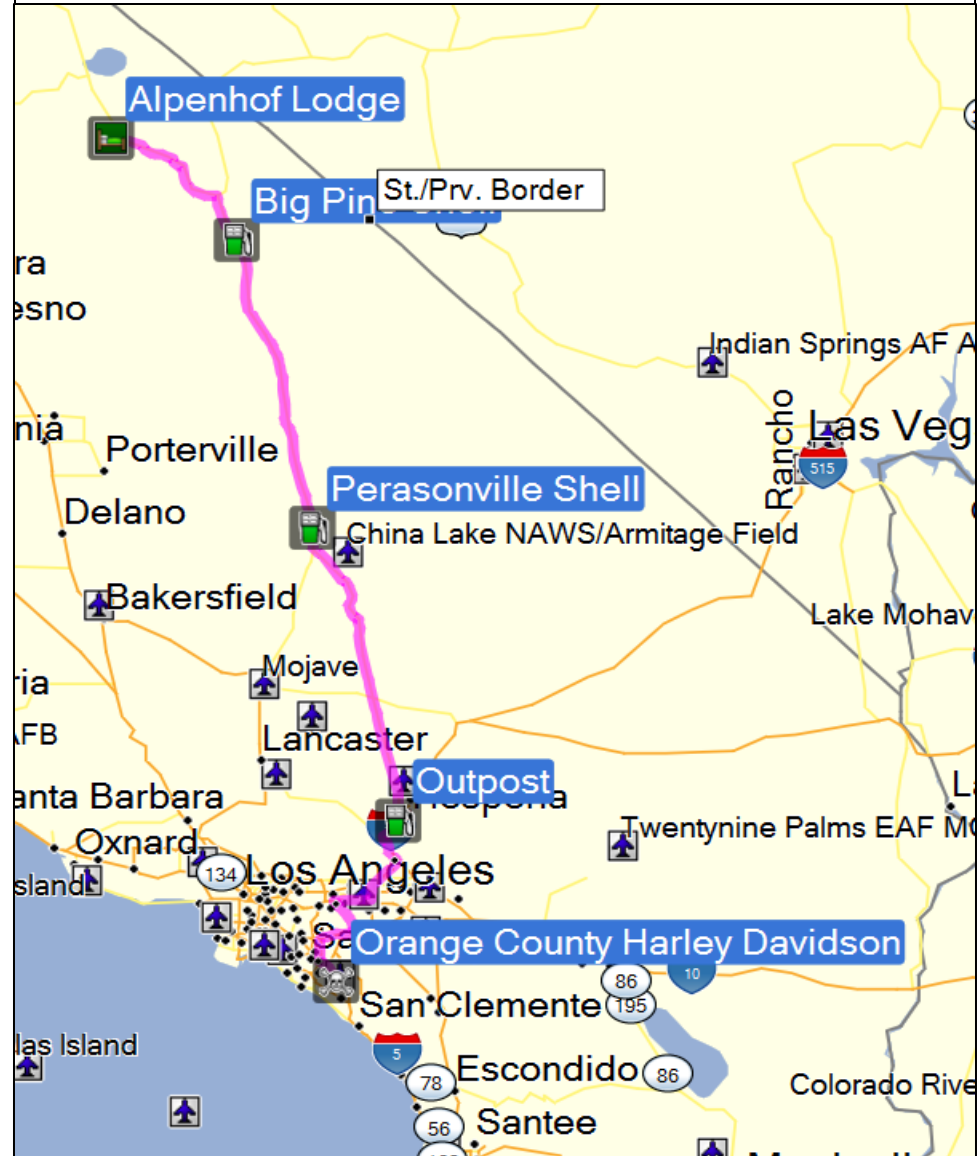
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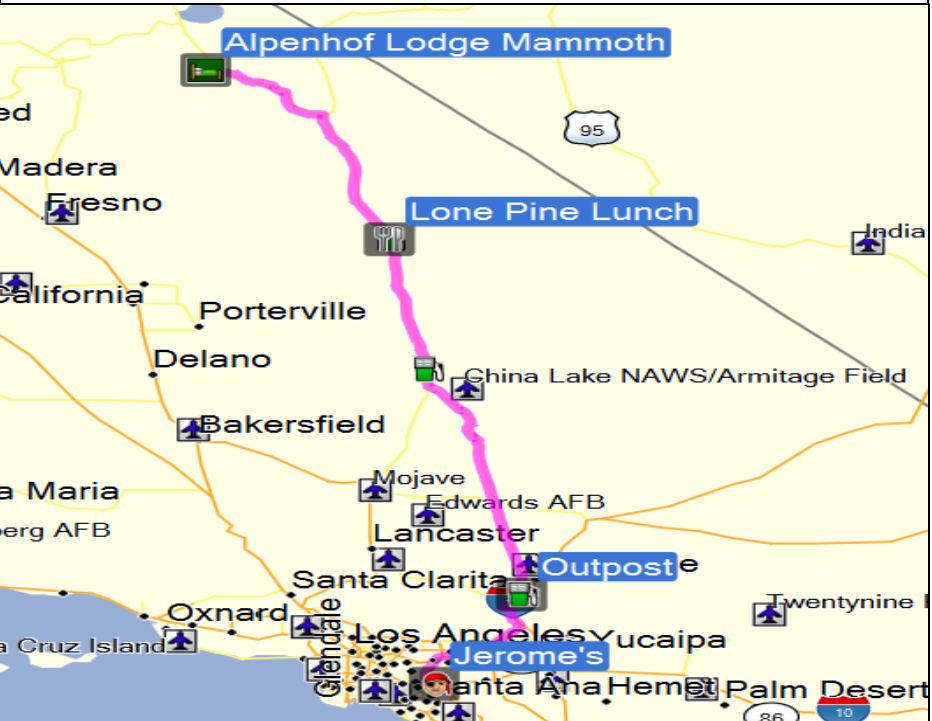
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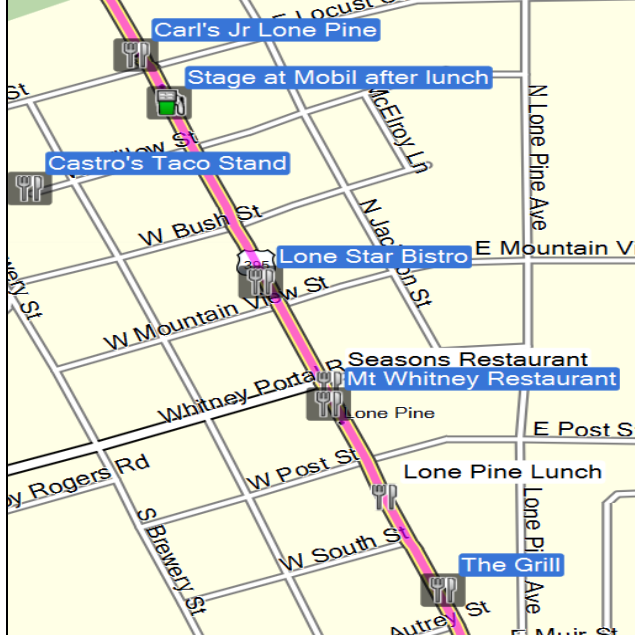
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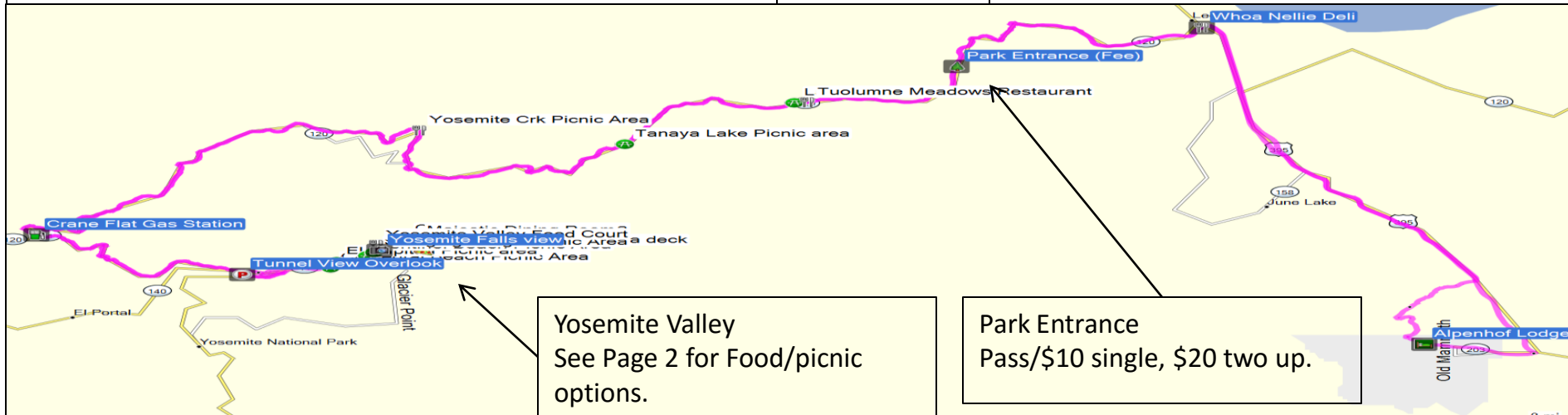
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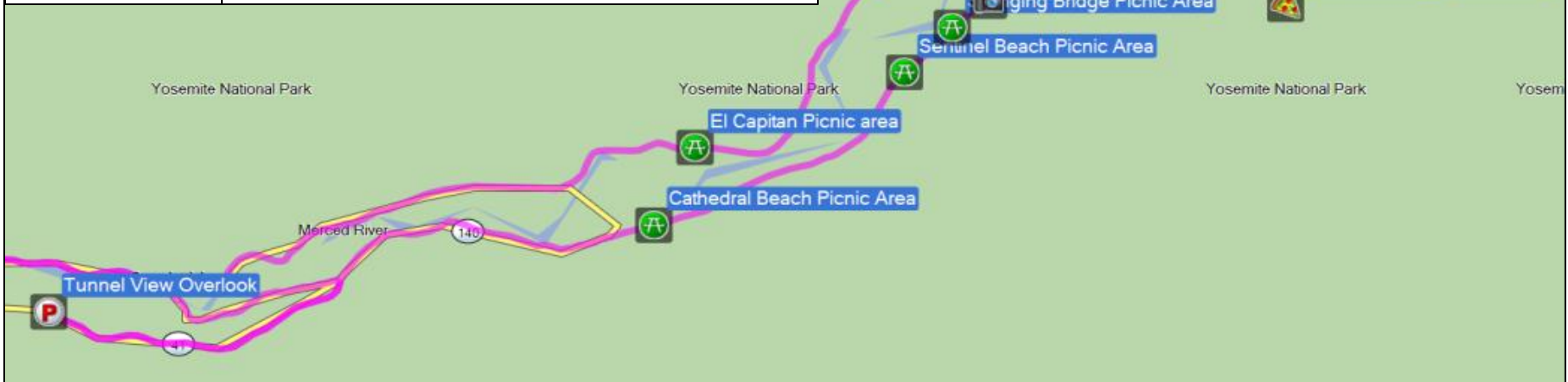


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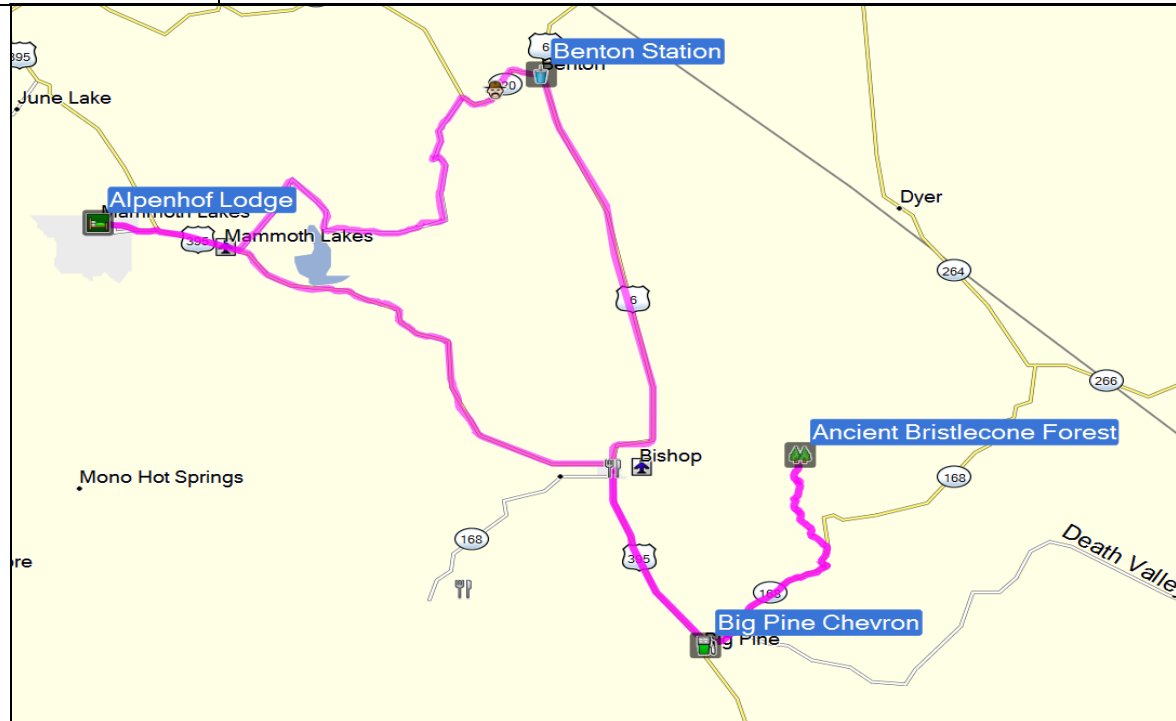
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