

2018E – Boat Camping on Lake Powell

Friday, June 29 – Drive to Barstow, CA (457 miles; 9 hours)

Drive to Barstow
Have Mexican food at Lola's Kitchen
Stay at Super 8

Saturday, June 30 – Boulder City / St. George (271 miles; 5.5 hours)

Drive to Boulder City
Prep boat for trailering
Trailer boat to St. George
Get take-out food from Ahi's Taste of Asia
Stay at Comfort Inn

Sunday, July 1 – Page (151 miles; 3 hours)

Trailer boat to Page
Leave boat at the Wahweap Resort
Hike to and photograph Horseshoe Bend
Have dinner at Stromboli's
Stay at Page Boy

Monday, July 2 – Gunsight Canyon (17 miles; 1 hour)

Launch boat at Stateline Ramp
Cruise over to Gunsight Canyon (Mile 17)
Spend the afternoon swimming / floating
Camp in tent on beach

Tuesday, July 3 – Chuckwalla Springs (45 miles; 3 hours)

Cruise south on the lake to Chuckwalla Springs (Mile 62)
Spend the afternoon swimming / floating
Evening hike up the wash across the cove through the rock formations
Camp in back of boat

Wednesday, July 4 – Halls Creek Bay (63 miles; 3.5 hours)

Morning hike up the wash across the cove at Chuckwalla Springs
Cruise north on lake stopping at
 Hole-in-the-Wall Rock
 Lagorce Arch
Gas up at Halls Crossing Marina
Find camping spot in Halls Creek Bay
Spend the afternoon swimming / floating
Evening hike amongst the rock formations
Camp in back of boat in cove on Halls Creek Bay

Thursday, July 5 – Halls Creek Bay (50 miles; 3.5 hours)

Morning hike up the wash across the cove at Chuckwalla Springs

Cruise north on lake to Forgotten Canyon
Anchor at end of canyon and hike to Defiance House Anasazi Ruins
Head south trying to find good spot to camp for the night – too many houseboats
return to previous night's spot in Hall's Creek Bay
Spend rest of the afternoon swimming / floating
Evening hike amongst the rock formations
Camp in back of boat in cove on Halls Creek Bay

Friday, July 6 – San Juan Arm (50 miles; 2.5 hours)

Cruise south on lake and find camping in the San Juan Arm
Spend day swimming / floating
Evening hike up to the ridge overlooking the San Juan Arm and the main Colorado River
channel
Camp in back of boat

**Saturday, July 7 – Rainbow Bridge National Monument and pull boat - Lake: (56 miles;
3.3 hours), Drive: (298 miles; 6 hours)**

Cruise south on lake to Forbidding Canyon
Hike to Rainbow Natural Arch
Continue cruising south on lake to Stateline boat ramp
Pull boat and start driving towards home
Drive 300 miles to Jean, NV
Stay at Gold Strike Hotel and Gambling Hall

Sunday, July 8 - Home (581 miles; 12 hours)

Drive Home

Total Trip Mileage (land): 1,758 miles
Total Trip Mileage (lake): 281 miles