

Alamogordo is
NEW MEXICO True

...Alamogordo Adventures

Just beyond the iconic sparkling dunes and filming locations of the White Sands National Monument awaits a whole new world of adventure and discovery in the city of Alamogordo. A railroad town founded at the turn of the 19th Century, this natural basin was formed when an underwater geological dome collapsed and ancient seas receded. Fast forward to present day Alamogordo, this southern NM gem with a population of just under 32,000 is now surrounded by both military and aerospace installations while still providing many windows to honor its historic past. Alamogordo welcomes travelers and offers breathtaking sunrises and sunsets within a warm and mild desert climate.

The town of Alamogordo invites you to the Tularosa Basin Museum of History housed in the town's historic 100-years-plus "Plaza Pub" Location on the corner of 10th Street and White Sands Blvd. There you are sure to flashback to the Old West heritage days of "Billy the Kid" and the "Badlands of New Mexico". When you are almost finished wandering amongst the old western cowboy relics, ask about "Atari" and get a surprising update on Alamogordo's modern Gaming-Culture history. You can now mosey directly west across White Sands Boulevard to the entrance of the Alameda Park Zoo right beside the city railway where it was founded in 1898 for rail passengers as the oldest zoo in the southwest.

For nature enthusiasts, there is much to see and much more to do in Alamogordo. Soaring to 9,000 feet, the surrounding Sacramento Mountains offer a majestic backdrop where you can savor wine under clear skies and indigenous pines. Fulfill your sense of adventure and ski or hike the trails of the Lincoln National Forest, experience camping in the basin below at the Oliver Lee Memorial State Park, and to the north discover 21,000 rock writings at Three Rivers Petroglyphs. Visitors also have access to nearby Native American lands and casinos as well as Alamogordo's local wineries and lush pistachio groves.

If science and space history is more your thing, we invite you to visit a few "out of this world" attractions. America's race to space of the late 50s and early 60s paved the way for White Sands Proving Ground (now White Sands Missile Range) to become "the" testing facility for this era in history. The NM Museum of Space History's John P. Stapp Air and Space Park proudly houses many artifacts tracing the history of American space exploration. The NM Museum of Space History and its New Horizons theater are also sure to stimulate the scientific mind with space artifacts and 'state of the art digital projection' science films.

When booking reservations check for military discounts. "New Mexico True" adventures await the active and curious traveler in Alamogordo. To discover more download the city's new mobile app at either **ITunes for iPhone/iPad** or **Google Play for Android devices**. Be sure to visit the website at WWW.Alamogordo.com or call **800-826-0294** for more information.

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