

Bottomless Lakes State Park  
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## Skidmarks

### *Bike it or Hike it*

The trail spans for 3.13 miles. It follows the contour of the land, dips through hills alongside bluffs, and through open fields of cacti.

Careful of leaving a minimum impact on the environment, the trail adheres to International Mountain Biking Association (IMBA) guidelines, aimed at preserving the land and minimizing the effects of trail development to plants and animals.

There are several spots where you will find yourself traveling over rock bridges and across wooden bridges.

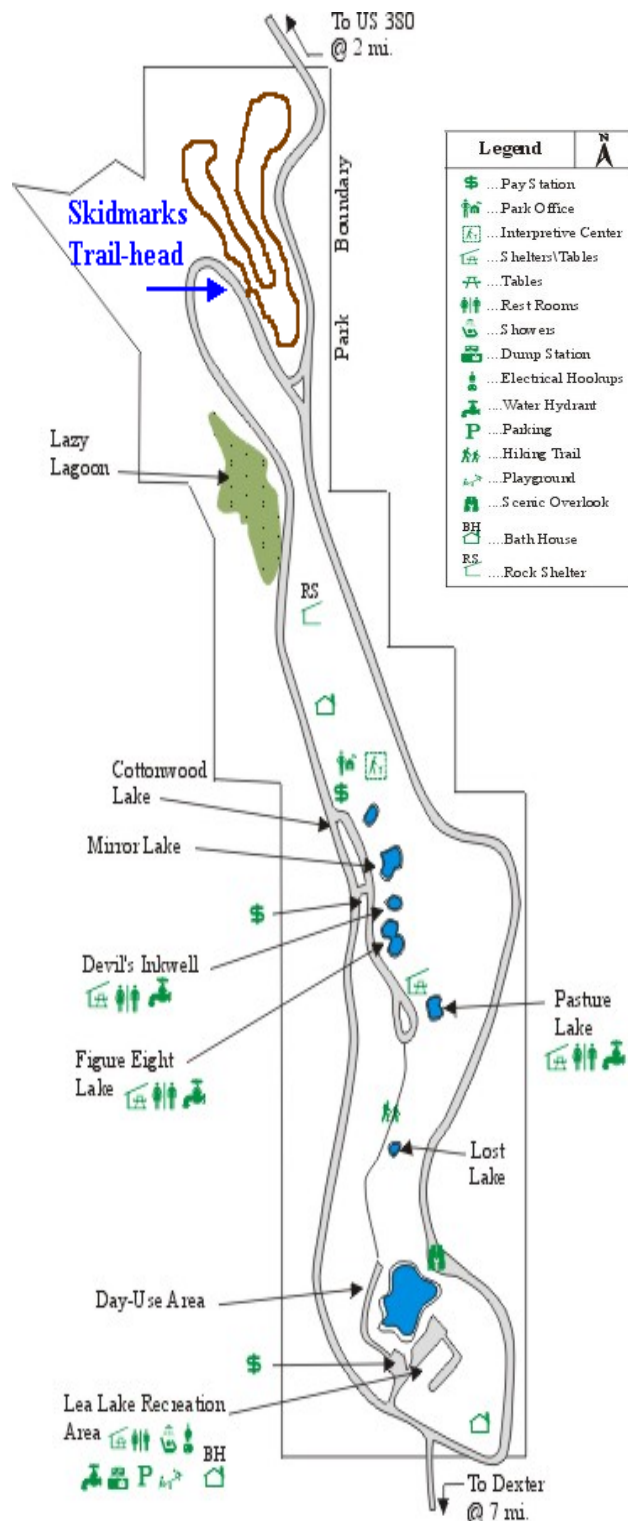
In the Spring and Summer you may find several varieties of wildflowers including: larkspur, blue flax, thistle, pucoon, and blue bowls.

During the fall and winter months, a rider or walker may spot several types of ducks, geese, and crane flying overhead.

Local wildlife that may be seen are rabbits, road runners, small rodents, snakes, lizards, and hawks. Mule deer, bobcats, coyotes, raccoons, badgers, and skunks can also be seen.

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The trail was constructed by local organizations including: New Mexico Military Institute, New Mexico Youth Challenge Academy, and Boy Scout Troop 19 under the direction of Park Ranger Travis Reardon.



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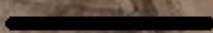
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#### Legend

State Road 409



Skidmarks Trail



Points of Interest:

1. Trail Head/Parking
2. One Rock Hop
3. Three Rock Hop
4. Mule Deer Run
5. Devil's Drop
6. Bobcat Bridge
7. Comanche Draw Vista
8. Capitan Mountain Vista

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Eye alt 8186 ft

33°21'31.91" N 104°20'35.39" W