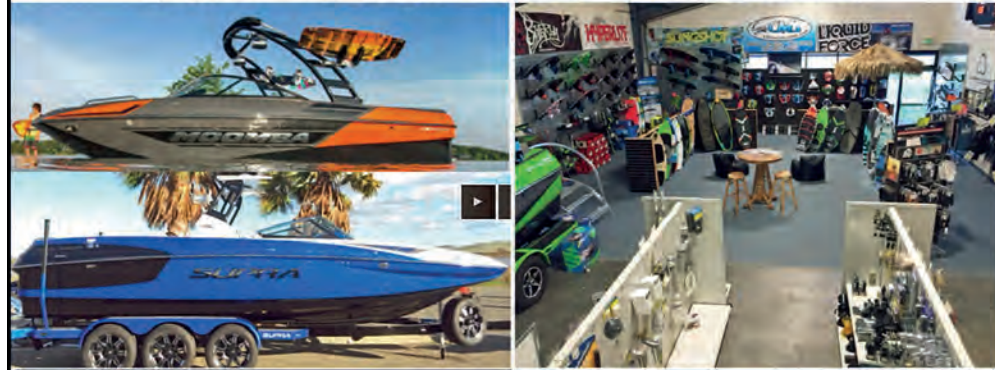




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California Marine Sports Makes Glory Hole History!

California Marine Sports gained fame this Spring when their wakeboard boats helped the Lake Berryessa News splash lake water into the Glory Hole. Lake Berryessa water washed over and into the Glory Hole on Feb. 12, 2017 at about 1:45 PM for the first time in 11 years!

Granted it was helped by California Marine Sports wakeboard boats on a beautiful, clear sunny Sunday, but before anyone objects that this doesn't count, we were MAKING history. It is REAL Lake Berryessa water flowing over the lip of Glory Hole. And it was really a bit of good fun we should all enjoy. See the Lake Berryessa News drone video of this historic moment at:

<https://youtu.be/8pIPsgLFggk>

Officially, Glory Hole stopped spilling on Thursday, May 11, 2017 at 8:30 PM. The lake level was above Glory Hole for 84 continuous days. Although the lake level measurement is accurate to a tenth of an inch using the instrument inside the dam, it is not calibrated precisely to the actual physical spill level of the Glory Hole rim itself - off by about 1.25 inches.

05/08/17: 440.01 ft., Spill = 18 cfs
05/09/17: 440.02 ft., Spill = 15 cfs
05/10/17: 440.00ft., Spill = 12 cfs
05/11/17: 439.97ft., Spill = 7 cfs
05/12/17: 439.95ft., Spill = 1 cfs
05/13/17: 439.89ft., Spill = 0 cfs

There are no accurate historical records of the number of days Glory Hole spilled that I could find before 1998. Here are few from the last 20 years:

2006 - 140 days; 2005 - 79 days; 2004 - 50 days; 2003 - 71 days; 1998 - 90 days



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Glory Hole: 439.8'
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June 2017



1967 - 2017: 50 Years Since The Summer of Love. This Year Is The Love of Summer at Lake Berryessa!

Winter rains brought Lake Berryessa to its maximum water storage capacity for the first time since 2006. With the rise in water level, and people's spirits, it is expected to be a busy summer at the lake.

Markley Cove Resort, Pleasure Cove Marina, Steele Canyon Recreation Area, Putah Canyon Recreation Area, and Spanish Flat Recreation Area offer a variety of recreation services including camping and boat launching. Oak Shores

Day Use Area, will be open from 5 p.m. to 8 p.m. Capell Cove Free Boat Launch is open for launching from 4 a.m.-10 p.m.

Love of Summer 2017 is building up to be one of the best in 10 years. The lake is full and warm. The weather on Memorial Day was perfect – the best of the summer so far - with many more like it ahead.

Memorial Day was officially the first weekend of the summer recreation season, so start planning your future trips

to the lake. There's a lot to do besides boating - with our local wineries, beautiful roads for bicycles and auto touring, a large shorefront public picnic area, quiet coves and inlets for kayakers, and miles of hiking trails.

The Lake Berryessa region has so much to see and enjoy, nothing is really that far away. There are many day trips that you can plan. Check the pull-out centerfold map on Page 6 of this issue for ideas.



Lake Berryessa Pullout Centerfold Map - Page 6



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Just 55 miles from the San Francisco Bay Area and less than 50 miles from Sacramento, Lake Berryessa, one of California's largest lakes, offers abundant recreational facilities to those who want to build a second home. Its closeness to urban centers also appeals to permanent home seekers and to retired persons as well.

The ground-breaking marked the culmination of nearly three years of planning in which the developers and Napa County officials worked together on this planned community which may well serve as a model for resort community development for years to come.

Electric and telephone systems will be underground to eliminate unsightly poles and wiring and preserve the natural beauty. Wide paved roads will keep dust to a minimum and broad greenbelt areas will provide residents with room for recreation.

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Developed by the same team that developed the famous Pebble Beach. The development is in the heart of the Lake Berryessa area, one of the most desirable areas in the Bay Area.

June Horoscopes
Aquarius (1/20-2/18): Avoid making any important decisions this week. And, come to think of it, next week as well. In fact, assume this is always the case unless the stars tell you otherwise.

Pisces (2/19-3/20): Sometimes in life you just have to roll the dice, move your wheelbarrow to St. James Place, and pay the \$70 dollars in total rent.

Aries (3/21-4/19): Possessed by satanic forces, your dog will soon order you to murder all those squirrels.

Taurus (4/20 - 5/20): You'll feel like a kid again this week, thanks to an unexpected visit from your Uncle Joe.

Gemini (5/21 - 6/21): You never thought you'd end up a billionaire, living in a palatial mansion, and jet-setting around the world. So it's no real disappointment, when you don't.

Cancer (6/22-7/22): Your belief that all life's problems can be solved with a heart-to-heart talk and a good night's sleep will be severely tested this week when you're introduced to mathematics.

Leo (7/23-8/22): When all's said and done, you should probably have just let those pandas succeed or fail on their own merits.

Virgo (8/23-9/22): You'll finally come to understand your own heart and mind, and by extension, exactly what everyone has been laughing at all these years.

Libra (9/23-10/22): You thought you had finally had done something strikingly new and original, but it turns out that thousands of people already in the afterlife got there the exact same way you did.

Scorpio (10/23-11/21): You will definitely be remembered by all people for all time, a fact that should make you feel much more shame and disappointment than it may seem.

Sagittarius (11/22-12/21): Just when you thought it couldn't possibly get any worse, the stars confirm that you are correct and it is pretty much as bad as possible.

Capricorn (12/22-1/19): Ultimately there will be nothing your friends can do for you, putting you in the position of having to find more competent friends.

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Political Economics Reality Intelligence Test
If you actually believe any of these CEOs are worth what they are being paid, you are a moron!

Here are the 10 highest-paid CEOs for 2016, as calculated by AP and Equilar, with change from last year:

Tom Rutledge, Charter Communications, \$98 million, Up 499%
Les Moonves, CBS Corp., \$68.6 million, Up 22%
Bob Iger, Walt Disney Co., \$41 million, Down 6%
David Zaslav, Discovery Communications, \$37.2 million, Up 15%
Robert Kotick, Activision Blizzard Inc., \$33.1 million, Up 358%
Brian Roberts, Comcast Corp., \$33 million, Down 9%
Jeff Bewkes, Time Warner Inc., \$32.6 million, Up 3%
Ginni Rometty, IBM, \$32.3 million, Up 63%
Leonard Schleifer, Regeneron Pharma, \$28.3 million, Down 40%
Steve Wynn, Wynn Resorts, \$28.2 million, Up 36%

The 10 highest-paid women CEOs for 2016, as calculated by AP and Equilar, an executive data firm (with change from last year):

Ginni Rometty, IBM, \$32.3 million, up 63%
Marissa Mayer, Yahoo. \$27.4 million, down 24%
Indra Nooyi, Pepsico, \$25.2 million, up 13%
Mary Barra, GM, \$22.4 million, down 22%
Phebe Novakovic, General Dynamics, \$21.2 million, up 4%
Marilyn Hewson, Lockheed Martin, \$19.4 million, down 4%
Irene Rosenfeld, Mondelez International, \$15.8 million, down 13%
Lynn Good, Duke Energy, \$13.5 million, up 26%
Heather Bresch, Mylan, \$13.3 million, down 27%
Susan Cameron, Reynolds American, \$13.1 million, down 3%

Parents Don't Want to Name Their Kids Mike Anymore

The number of baby boys named Michael fell last year to the lowest level since 1940 per the Social Security Administration. Michael had been one of the most popular male names in American history, having held the No. 1 spot on the federal list of top baby names for 43 out of 44 years, the longest boys reign of the 20th century. New federal figures show Michael losing fashion, with fewer than 14,000 U.S. baby boys getting the name last year, the lowest level on record since 1940.

Top Baby Names For 2016

Rank	Top Boy Names	2015 Rank	Top Girl Names	2015 Rank
1	Noah	1	Emma	1
2	Liam	2	Olivia	2
3	William	5	Ava	4
4	Mason	3	Sophia	3
5	James	7	Isabella	5
6	Benjamin	10	Mia	6
7	Jacob	4	Charlotte	9
8	Michael	9	Abigail	7
9	Elijah	11	Emily	8
10	Ethan	6	Harper	10

Onion Headlines

GOP Promises Americans Will Be Able To Keep Current Medical Conditions If Obamacare Repealed

Man Who's Only Halfway Through Life Can Already Guess How It's Going To End

Chemicals That Pushed Man's Ancestors To Run Down Wild Boar Flare At Sight Of White Cheddar Popcorn Bag

Report: Uttering Phrase 'Easy Does It' Prevents 78% Of Drywall Damage While Moving Furniture

Constitution Rapidly Ages Another 100 Years From Stress Of Repeated Crises

Area Man Excited To Hear Girlfriend Has Been Doing A Lot Of Thinking

Kindergartener's Account Of Day At School Passionate, Incomprehensible

Vegetarian Option Just Iceberg Lettuce On Bread

Boss Thinks Female Employee Might Be Ready To Handle Job She's Been Doing For Past 2 Years

Nation Allows Itself 5 Minutes To Believe This All Going To Be Over Soon

Facebook Clarifies Site Not Intended To Be Users' Primary Information Source: 'No One Should Really Be On Here More Than 15 Minutes A Day,' Say Executives

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Tri'ing For Scholarships Winner

The Community Church and Pastor Bob would like to thank the community for their support in our Scholarships effort this year. Pastor Bob instead of the usual Triathlon ran the Napa Marathon and completed it in a time of 4 hours and 15 minutes. It was a beautiful first 20 miles but the last 6.2 got a little wet with rain and hail (and sore legs) but it was conquered!

Our efforts raised a little over \$500 so a big thanks to all who sponsored. A special thanks to Spanish Flat Country Store and a few past recipients families who also donated to give back into the community.

Our Berryessa area had only one graduate headed to college and she received a \$500 scholarship in May at the Vintage High Scholarship Assembly. She is headed to Monterey to study Marine Biology and was very appreciative of the

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Capell Valley Fire Department Is Recruiting!

The Capell Valley Fire Department is recruiting volunteers! Having an open house on Sunday June 4th from 2 – 5pm. Come on down and visit us. Volunteering is a great way to give back to your community and we need more help.

As a volunteer you respond as you have time to a wide range of calls: everything from public assists for people falling out of bed to vehicle accidents to a house on fire.

Training is supplied, no experience is required, and a small stipend is paid quarterly. There is no age limit although a physical must be passed to be accepted.

Many of our volunteers become full time firefighters so volunteering is a great way to find a new career! We hope to see you on the 4th at the Capell Valley Station, 1193 Capell Valley Road (Highway 128 next to the old school). Like us on Facebook.



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"The water was so calm I could hear the air breathing. The trees were motionless; the wind unnoticeable. Surrounded by crystalline water and low rolling foothills, it's nearly impossible not to be drawn to Lake Berryessa's stunning views, diverse nature, and wildlife that make the lake an extraordinary paddling get-a-way." Cheryl Wood.

Kayaking is becoming one of Lake Berryessa's most enjoyable diversions, providing an opportunity to view the lake from its best vantage point, all the while enjoying the option to spontaneously swim or picnic wherever you choose. As you paddle your way around the lake, keep on the lookout for the migrating or nesting birds, present almost year round.



Outstanding paddling opportunities can be found throughout this gigantic lake in beautiful wine country. The lake's size need not prevent you from having a pleasurable paddling experience, thanks to the numerous boat launch locations. The arms located on the southwestern shore provide an abundance of secluded inlets to explore, which offer protection from the wind and fast-moving powerboats. Paddling a few miles up Putah Creek at the north end of the lake is sheer kayaking pleasure.

For those whose perfect kayak getaway includes dropping a line and hook, a variety of fish can be found here. Lake Berryessa's warm summertime water temperatures and gusty winds attract many jet and waterskiing, windsurfing and sailing enthusiasts, but the lake is so large you scarcely notice them.

With pleasant air temperatures throughout the year, Lake Berryessa offers superb year-round kayaking, canoeing, kayak angling, and SUP paddling prospects. The lake has comfortable weather through all four seasons, and is open year-round, 24 hours a day, with running lights at night.



The Spanish Flat Village Center Has It All!

If Lake Berryessa was a town, the Spanish Flat Village would be its town center. Camping, boat launching, boat repair, great food, day use picnic area, Bureau of Reclamation Visitor Center, and even a history exhibit about the Berryessa Valley before Monticello Dam! All within a few minutes of each other. This is where you can stock up on food and drink at the Spanish Flat Country Store and Deli before you drive another few feet to rent your boat or jet ski at Lake Berryessa Boat and Jet Ski Rentals.

Meet your watercraft rentals or launch your own boat at the Spanish Flat Recreation Area which has the lowest launching fee at the lake. Cucina Italiana and its bocce court is also in the Village Center with light lunches or elegant dinners for vacationers. Check out available lake property at CeCe Shorts California Outdoor Properties office right next to the Handmade Store.

Spanish Flat Country Store and Deli !

The best stocked little country store at Lake Berryessa is in the best location for your west shore fun. Minutes from the Spanish Flat Recreation Area and Oak Shores Day Use Area, owner Marcia Ritz wants your vacation days to be memorable. She wants to see you again and again. Marcia is a superb cook and her deli selections prove it.



The Handmade Store

A fascinating place to poke around for gifts and mementos, stocked with handcrafted jewelry, soap, candles, dragons, wooden toys and whirlygigs, as well as handmade jellies and oriental sauce. Collectors can also find many gently-used items including a selection of vinyl opera records, original Calistoga Water bottles, historical photographs, and a couple of walls of Willie Nelson memorabilia.





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After touring around the lake and stopping at local wineries like Rustridge and Nichelini, a wide variety of food and drink is available at Cucina Italiana, Spanish Flat Country Store & Deli, and Turtle Rock. Delve into the fascinating past of the Town of Monticello, now at the bottom of the lake, by visiting the Berryessa Valley History Exhibit at the Spanish Flat Village Center.



Winery Renovations Uncover History and Bees – Literally!

May 4, 1939. Fred Nichelini was in the process of removing a floorboard in the old Nichelini house in Chiles Valley built by his father in 1895. After 44 years it was time to lay down some modern linoleum on top of the well-worn wood floor

The floor had to be flat with no bumps or depressions when the linoleum was laid. In order to get it that way he had to use a shim under the board. So he went out to his car to get a newspaper he had brought with him, tightly folded it up and tucked it neatly under the board. It worked.

Fast forward to 2011. Family members were doing some repair work on that same floor. They removed the floor board and there was Fred’s newspaper. It had not seen the light of day in 72 years. Yet it was as good as new. The Oakland Tribune, May 4, 1939. Three big headlines stood out.

History was to prove that all three were to ring hollow as predictions. “Japan Split with German Axis Hinted”, read one. The second read, “Germany Offers Guarantees to Balkan Nations”. And the last one was,



“Poland Will Say ‘No’ To Hitler In Danzig. Warsaw is Calm Over New Crises”. Four months later, on September 1, 1939, Germany invaded Poland and a new term in warfare was created, the blitzkrieg.

Another renovation required some bee keeping knowledge. After 50 years the time had come to remove bee hives from the walls of the Nichelini Family Winery fermenting building. The technique was to remove the queen bee and place her in a wooden box beehive. The bees, hopefully, would then follow her into the box. In fact, as the temperature cooled off at night, the bees cooperated perfectly and did go inside their new hives.

The boxes were then relocated to the Rustridge Ranch and Winery nearby on Lower Chiles Valley Road. Susan Meyer of Rustridge had graciously agreed to accept the Nichelini hives to join the hives she already had on her own property.

Visit Nichelini’s picturesque site for great wines and fascinating Napa history.

Rustridge Ranch and Winery Shows Off Its History Too

As with other interesting people who ended up in Napa County, Jim Fresquez of RustRidge Ranch & Winery has had a varied career. Many of us he grew up with Hannah-Barbera cartoons, but he did it from the inside.



In 1957, when Hannah-Barbera opened its doors, they hired Jim as a 16 year old jack-of-all-trades who worked his way up to Assistant Director of Photography.

Jim became Michael Landon’s personal horse trainer for years. When Michael Landon decided to race horses, he asked Jim to train them - Jim’s thoroughbred horse training career began.



During his 20 years as a trainer, Jim met

Petaluma native "Buster" Millerick who was part of the team that trained Seabiscuit, the 1930's racing legend. Due to his relationship with Millerick, Jim now owns Seabiscuit’s saddle and other historical items.

Jim escaped to Northern California where he met Susan Meyer. Susan’s family owned Rustridge Ranch which has been a breeding and training facility for thoroughbred racehorses since the 1950's. In 1990, when Jim and Susan took over RustRidge Ranch and Winery, they decide to display Seabiscuit’s saddle and other items in their B&B.

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3.5 million people visited the Napa Valley in 2016 and spent nearly \$2 billion! The trick will be to get more of them to visit Lake Berryessa in the future.

These impressive numbers were released by Visit Napa Valley in its 2016 Napa Valley Visitor Industry Economic Impact report as well as its 2016 Visitor Profile report. In 2016, the Napa Valley visitor industry generated \$1.92 billion in total visitor spending within the county, which represents a 17.5 percent increase since 2014 when visitors spent \$1.63 billion.

That large a jump can be attributed to new hotels opening, rising hotel rates, and the growth in visitors from outside the U.S. International visitors tend to spend more money than people who come from inside the U.S. Most of this income was generated from local hotel guests who were responsible for \$1.3 billion, or 69.9 percent of the total.

There is also a continuing rise in visitors from China which overtook Canada last year as the top international market. In 2016, 79.2 percent of visitors surveyed were from the United States, compared with 86.4 percent in 2014.

California residents made up the bulk of domestic visitors — 58.6 percent. Napa Valley also drew large numbers from Texas, Florida, Illinois, New York, Washington, Ohio, Arizona, Georgia, Virginia, New Jersey and Pennsylvania.

The top 10 international markets for Napa visitors are China, Canada, Australia/New Zealand, Germany, South Korea, Mexico, Brazil and Scandinavian countries.

In 2016, Napa Valley’s visitor industry generated \$80.4 million in tax revenues for government entities in Napa County, an increase of 25.2 percent from 2014 when revenues totaled \$64.2 million, the report states. Taxes directly generated by the visitor industry include revenues from the transient occupancy tax (hotel tax), sales taxes and property and transfer taxes paid on lodging facilities.

Tourism is one of the largest industries in the Napa Valley, and supports an estimated 13,437 jobs, with a combined payroll of \$387 million. This represents an employment increase of 14.1 percent — 11,776 jobs — from 2014, and a 16.4 percent increase in combined payroll, which generated \$332 million in 2014, the report states. The majority of hospitality jobs occur in restaurants (5,331), hotels (3,752), and retail (2,388).

One-third, or 35.5 percent, of visitors surveyed in 2016 stayed overnight in the Napa Valley, while the remaining 64.5 percent were on day trips. The largest proportion of day-trip visitors made their visit from San Francisco, followed by Oakland and Berkeley.

Hotel guests in 2016 spent an average of \$401.59 per person per day, compared to an average of \$146 per person per day spent by day-trippers. This represents a 3.34 percent increase from 2014, with an average daily spending of \$389 per person per day, the report states.

The second largest component of visitor spending was on restaurants, at \$438 million, which accounted for 23 percent of all 2016 visitor spending. Group meetings and events, including weddings, generated \$196 million in spending.

According to the 2016 Napa Valley Visitor profile study, the average Napa Valley visitor in 2016 was 42.7 years of age, with 40 percent surveyed categorized as “Gen Xers,” and 30 percent as “Millennials.” Lodging guests were typically older (49.9 years) than day-trip visitors (40.3 years).

Napa Valley visitors are an affluent group with an average annual household income of \$161,229. Napa Valley visitors are also highly educated, with 74.8 percent having a bachelor’s degree and 29.4 percent who completed graduate school. The average travel party consisted of four people (52.5 percent female and 47.5 percent male).

Memorial Day weekend was special - the weather was good, being with family and friends was great, and the fishing was fabulous!!!

My son's friend, Dan, was on fire! He was catching bass left and right - some nice size ones. Another of my son's friends, Kevin, went out with me for the day and caught 22 bass. Whatever bait he tried worked. He was so thrilled. His favorite was drop shotting.


My son and I went out for about an hour. He beat me by catching four fish to my three with the largest bass weighing over 3.5 pounds. I went out with Bob when I first got up to the lake and I caught a bass right off the bat on a top water lure (chugger). It was exciting. Bob caught three bass in about twenty minutes drop shotting.

The last day I went out with Albert. We only used plastics, caught a limit of fish, and came in by noon. As I said the fishing was hot, hot, hot!!!!

Then my son came back in with Dan. Dan had done it again. He landed a large mouth bass weighing in at a little over five pounds. That ended a great fishing weekend.

til next time.....good fishing!!! www.fishingconnection.net, bestguide@hotmail.com, 650-583-3333






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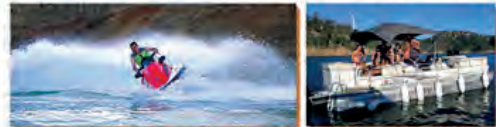
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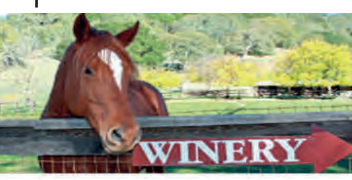
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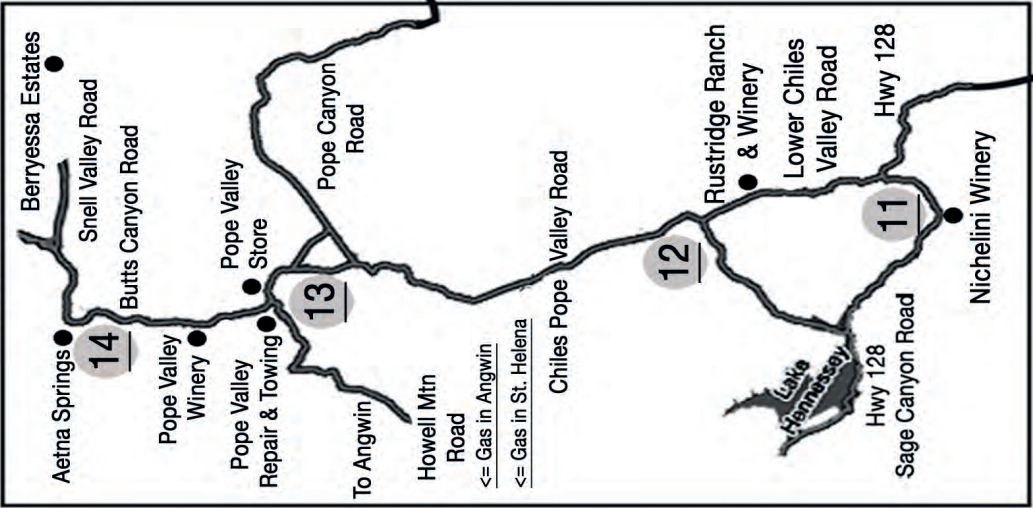
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10 Miles to Pope Valley

West Lake Area



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≤ Gas in St. Helena

Lake Berryessa Area Travel Distances

- 1 Monticello Dam
- 2 Markley Cove Resort
- 3 Wragg Canyon Road
- 4 Moskowite Corners
- 5 Steele Canyon Recreation Area
- 6 Turtle Rock
- 7 Spanish Flat Village Center
- 8 Oak Shores/Smittle Creek/Visitors Center
- 9 Monticello Shores/Berryessa Point RAs
- 10 Pope Canyon Road/ Putah Canyon RA
- 11 Hwy 128 @ Lower Chiles Valley Road
- 12 Pope Valley Road
- 13 Pope Valley
- 14 Aetna Springs

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| 1=>2 | 3.0 miles | 9 =>10 | 2.8 miles |
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| 3=>4 | 3.0 miles | 6 => 11 | 3.0 miles |
| 4=>5 | 5.0 miles | 11=>12 | 3.2 miles |
| 4=>6 | 4.7 miles | 12=>13 | 8.5 miles |
| 6=>7 | 5.0 miles | 13=>14 | 3.7 miles |
| 7=>8 | 2.4 miles | | |
| 8=>9 | 2.4 miles | | |

≤ Gas in Napa

Circle Oaks

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The Lake Berryessa Chamber of Commerce wants you to know that Beautiful Lake Berryessa is OPEN!

Winter rains have brought Lake Berryessa to its maximum water storage capacity for the first time since 2006. With the rise in water level, it is expected to be a busy summer at the lake. Markley Cove Resort, Pleasure Cove Marina, Steele Canyon Recreation Area, Putah Canyon Recreation Area, and Spanish Flat Recreation Area continue to offer a variety of recreation services including camping and boat launching. Oak Shores Day Use Area, will be open from 5 p.m. to 8 p.m.. Capell Cove Boat Launch is open for launching from 4 a.m.-10 p.m. and is free of charge.

Dufer Point Visitor Center is open Through September 11: Weekends and holidays 10 a.m.-5 p.m., Weekdays 12-3 p.m. Stop in with your questions or to view the Wild about Wetlands exhibit on loan through September from the Effie Yeaw Nature Center. Brochures, maps, trail guides and other educational information are available free of charge. Contact the park rangers at 707-966-2111 ext. 113 for information about park events, hikes, kayak tours and educational programs.

Meet a Park Ranger at Monticello Dam!

Saturdays and Sundays 12-2 p.m., May 1 through Labor Day
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