

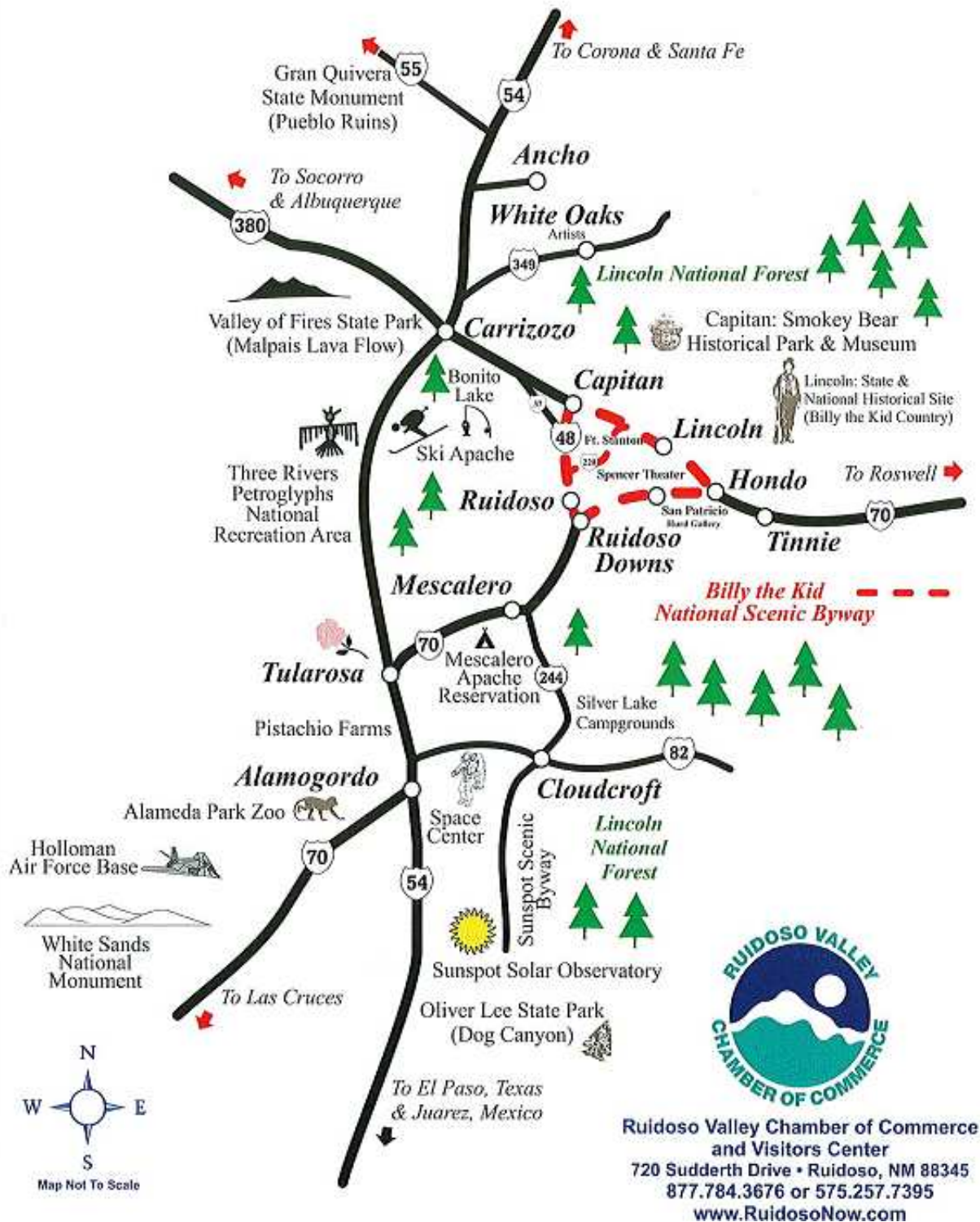
**The Carrizozo Chamber of Commerce
Invites YOU to Celebrate
New Mexico's Centennial**



*With a guided Tour of
Lincoln County*

Coming in July 2012





New Mexico's Centennial Tour of Lincoln County

The above map shows locales to visit in addition to those on the tour.

Friday, January 6, 2012, Carrizozo, Capitan and Alto's Spencer Theater
Saturday, January 7, Ruidoso Downs' Coe Ranch, Lincoln and Fort Stanton
Thursday and Sunday spend time touring Ruidoso sites and general area.

Friday, January 6, 2012

The tour bus will pick up participants at their Ruidoso hotel starting at 8:30 for the drive to **Carrizozo**. Lincoln County resident Dennis Dunnum will be your host as he explains some of the history of the area on our drive.



Our first stop will be at The Carrizozo Woman's Club as the members host you with a 10 am brunch* in their registered state and national historic site building. At the brunch 93-year-old Carrizozo historian Johnson Stearns will share with you some stories of the early times here from his own personal experiences.



Next will be a visit to the Carrizozo Heritage Museum to see exhibits of old-time ranch life

and browse the unique gift store full of items of all kinds for all ages. Formerly this building housed an old ice plant, so this structure is really considered to be



From the Museum we will drive down historic 12th Street with a stop at the 408 Gallery, home of the Burros of the Southwest, and enjoy original art available from folks in Town as well as the surrounding area.



Then it will be on to Roy's Gift Gallery and Olde Time Ice Cream Parlour -- the other registered state and national historic site in Town. Enjoy a sample of Roy's goods from the original fountain built in 1908 and !



As we leave Town on Highway 54/ Central Avenue, on your right is McDonald Park named in honor of the first Governor of New Mexico, William C. McDonald. The monument honoring him is to the lower left in the picture. The fountain behind, to the right, looks like a spider; hence, local folks sometimes call this 'Spider Park.' Although the Gov is honored here, his resting place is in White Oaks at the Cedarvale Cemetery.



Capitan's visit will feature a stop at the Smokey Bear Museum and Park where you can see a short film about the bear's life-saving experience and growth into a national fire fighter.

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As we leave Capitan, we will drive by the planned renovation of the old Capitan train depot.



The final stop on our way back to Ruidoso will be a guided tour of the Spencer Theater.

The Spencer family has been long-time ranchers in the Carrizozo area, and there are several structures in and around Town that are attributed directly to their generosity and desire to help the community as they lived and worked here.

***Your return to your hotel will be around 5 p.m.
when you can relax and enjoy dinner on your own.***

Saturday, January 7, 2012

The tour bus will pick you up again from your hotel at 8:30.



After a short drive to the **Coe Ranch** on Highway 70 east, we will stop at this landmark and hear Lincoln Historian Drew Gomber explain the history of the Lincoln County area starting with this large ranch which is an important part of this history.



From there, we will go to the historic Town of **Lincoln** for Drew's tour of various places, including the Tunstall Store and Court House. This is really Billy the Kid Country, as you will hear.

You should enjoy Drew as he has 'a million' tales about these former locale wild westerners he will share.



Then we will proceed to **Fort Stanton** for a true Mexican lunch, a presentation about the Fort and a guided tour of their sites.

Anticipated return to Ruidoso will be around 5:30 p.m. as you enjoy the rest of your time in Ruidoso

and Ruidoso Downs with Chambers of Commerce details on sights to enjoy.



REGISTRATION for the *Guided Tour of Lincoln County*

Friday, January 6, and Saturday, January 7, 2012

In Celebration of

New Mexico's Centennial

	Per Person	Covering:
Bus Transportation	\$48	To and from hotel both days
Tour Guide	\$10	Local Carrizozoan Dennis Dunnum
Woman's Club brunch	\$22	Full and tasty food at historic site
Carrizozo Museum	\$10	Historical presentation of ranch life
Roy's Ice Cream Parlour	\$10	Tasty treat at second historic site
Smokey Bear Museum	\$12	Historical movie of Smokey's life
Snack before Spencer	\$ 5	Munch on bus; sodas at Theater
Coe Ranch	\$12	Old ranch with lots of area's history
Tour of Lincoln	\$19	Lincoln County War and Billy the Kid
Fort Stanton	\$22	Tour and lunch
Total Cost	\$170	Per Person (less hotels)

is offering a special room rate of

\$69.00 + tax Suites \$79.00 + tax

Web site: <http://www.lodgeatsierrablanca.com>

More information re this Chamber Tour? Call 575-973-1607

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88301**

Name(s) of Guest(s) _____

Number of Guests _____

Check \$ _____

Address _____

Mailing Address

City

State

Zip Code

Phone _____

Home Phone

Work Phone

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