

Itinerary 12-15

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Camping & Hiking Highlights

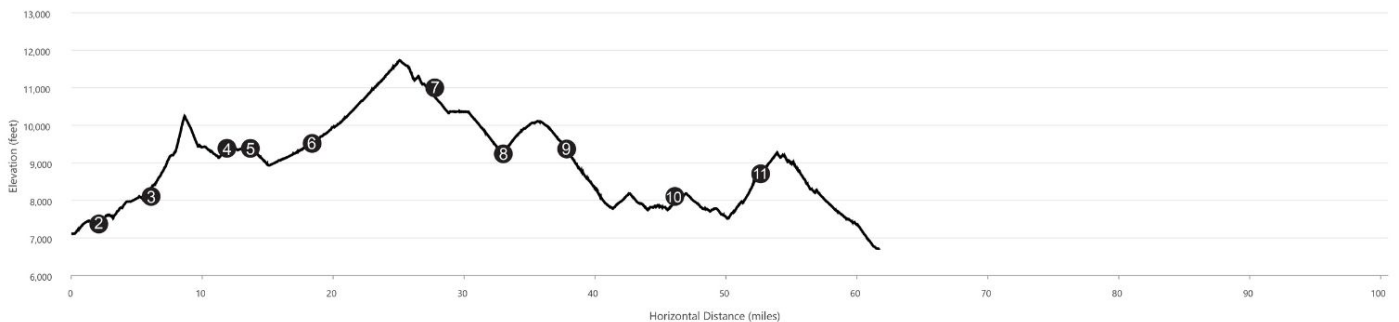
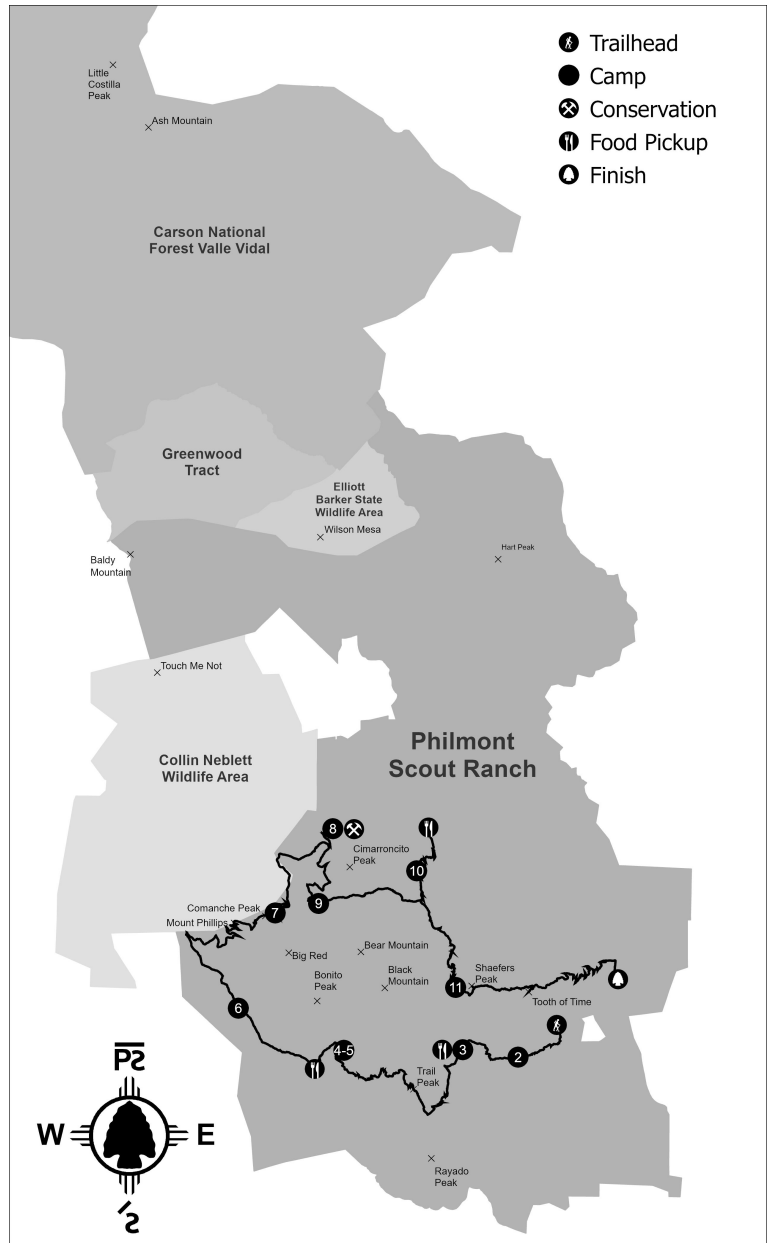
- Mount Phillips - 11,736 ft.
- Tooth of Time - 9,003 ft.
- Comanche Peak - 11,303 ft.
- Trail Peak - 10,250 ft.

Program Highlights

- Horse Rides
- Rock Climbing
- Rifle Shooting
- Mining History

Conservation

- Day 2 - Cito Creek @7:30am: Stream Restoration
- Day 8 - Sawmill @2:00pm: New Trail Construction



2025 PHILMONT ADVENTURE ITINERARY

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While strenuous due to elevation gain, this itinerary is a Philmont South Country classic. Starting at Lover's Leap and hiking into base over the Tooth of Time, it includes multiple iconic peaks and opportunities for rock climbing, western lore, living history, and shooting sports along the way. If your crew is prepared for a physical challenge, this itinerary will provide opportunities for much of what Philmont has to offer.

Day	Camp	Miles	Gain	Loss	Program Features	Food Pickup
1	Camping HQ				Opening Campfire	
2	Lovers Leap	2.1	874'	511'	Ranger Training; Trail Camp	Camping Headquarters
3	MINERS PARK ^s	2.5	768'	253'	Climbing & Rappelling Program	Miners Park
4	BEAUBIEN ^s	8.7	2,407'	1,088'	Passthrough Continental Tie & Lumber Company Program @ Crater Lake; Trail Peak (optional); Western Lore Program; Campfire Show	
5	BEAUBIEN ^s	0.0	0'	0'	Horse Ride; Western Lore Program (continued); Chuckwagon Dinner & Campfire Show	
6	Comanche Creek	4.8	1,253'	913'	Passthrough Pioneer Homestead Program @ Crooked Creek; Trail Camp	Phillips Junction
7	Comanche Peak ^d	8.8	2,432'	1,020'	Passthrough Rocky Mountain Fur Company Program @ Clear Creek; Mount Phillips; Comanche Peak; Dry Camp; Water @ Red Hills	
8	SAWMILL	6.1	327'	2,208'	Trail Building Project @ Sawmill; Rifle Shooting & Reloading Program	
9	CYPHERS MINE	5.2	1,077'	936'	Cimarroncito Peak (optional); Mining History Program; Campfire Show	
10	CIMARRONCITO ^s	10.9	1,189'	2,378'	Climbing & Rappelling Program	Ute Gulch
11	Shaefers Pass ^d	5.8	1,639'	1,061'	Passthrough Western Lore Program @ Clarks Fork; Dry Camp; Water @ Clarks Fork	
12	Camping HQ	9.7	1,443'	3,461'	Shaefers Peak; Tooth of Time; Hike Into Base; Closing Campfire	

(d) = Dry Camp (s) = Showers may be available

Departs from Camping Headquarters on Day 2 for Lovers Leap Trailhead to go to Lovers Leap Camp

Hike back to Camping Headquarters via Tooth Ridge Trail

Itinerary may provide opportunities for fishing with personal equipment. New Mexico Fishing License is required.

Horse rides have stricter height/weight requirements. Horses are limited and require reservation in Logistics.

Campsite Elevations: 7,313' Minimum, 11,038' Maximum

Camps: 5 Staffed, 4 Trail, 1 Layover, 2 Dry Camps

Conservation: Cito Creek
Sawmill

Sectional Maps: South

Crews passing through staff camps may have an opportunity to participate in some, but not all, program opportunities in the camp, based on availability.

NO CHANGES ARE POSSIBLE FOR CAMPS, FOOD PICKUPS, OR BUS TRANSPORTATION AFTER ITINERARY SELECTION.