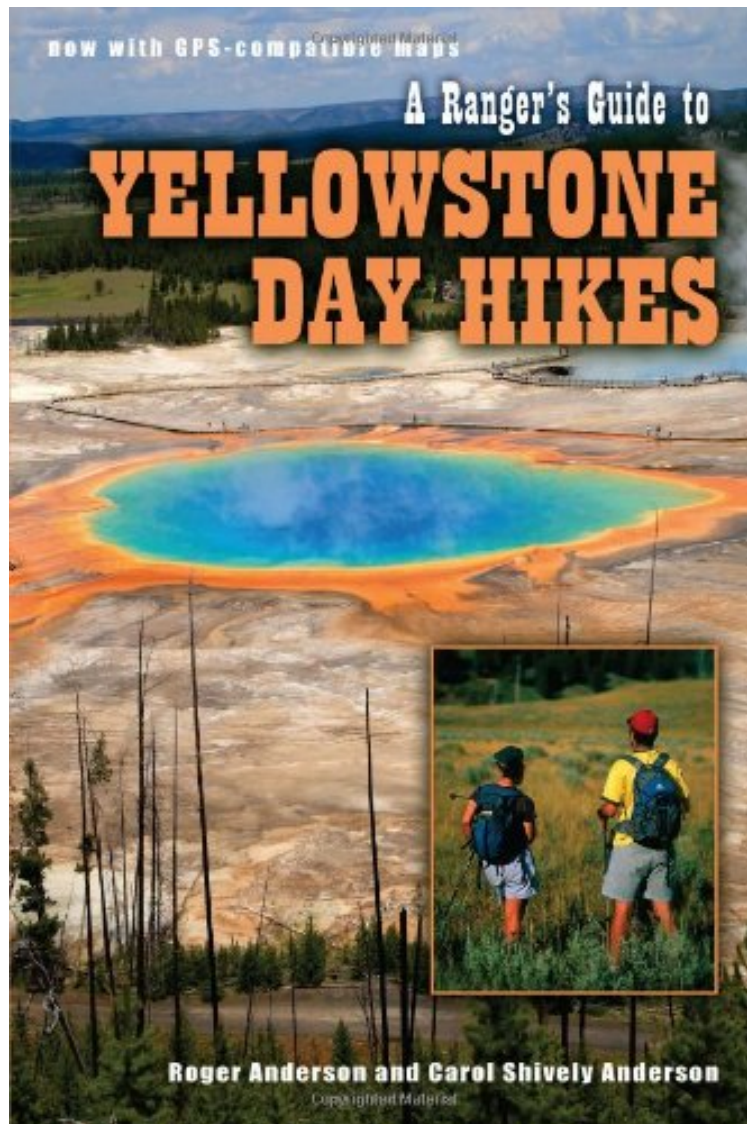


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9 of 9 people found the following review helpful. Go off the beaten path!By kps89I took a cross-country road trip this summer, and armed myself with this book to go to Yellowstone. My boyfriend and I wanted to see Yellowstone in a medium-difficulty level -- that is, not just from the car and basic walks, but also not in significant multi-day backpacking trips, and this book was perfect."A Ranger's Guide to Yellowstone Day Hikes" has many excellent options for half-day and full-day hikes that offer the Yellowstone visitor the option to go off the beaten path enough to

experience the backcountry in all of its magnificence and solitude. The authors are right - as soon as you walk five minutes off the main trail, you barely see anyone! We went in July (very busy time) and this was still the case. After a day of fighting mobs at the geysers, there is nothing you want more in the world. The "naturalist notes" are lovely. I really enjoyed reading these, as they are well-written and offer a different view into the history and surroundings on the different hikes. They aren't just for pleasure, however, as you can get a real sense of what type of hike you are going to go on before you embark, and offer a really pleasant addition to the normal hiking information. The maps and practical information is all pretty much up to date and very helpful. One of the hikes, the Imperial Geyser with a backcountry loop, had a new thermal feature that basically made the normal trail impassible, but the map in the book with elevation and other information helped us find our way back to the correct place. I would definitely recommend this book for people who want a unique experience of Yellowstone and not just the small, overly-crowded stops that most people take. Yellowstone is an amazing National Park, and this book helped us navigate it well! 5 of 5 people found the following review helpful. Summary of Yellowstone NP Trails (Also Available for Free on Yellowstone NP Website) By KJC Nice trail book, but just be aware that all the trails discussed are also on the Yellowstone National Park website. I was a little disappointed to see that the trails I was reading about on the parks website were the same ones in the book. I guess I was hoping for more secret gems with the authors being former park rangers. That being said the book provides a typical discussion of each trail, with a map and a color photo (though one look and you will see the photos are pretty dated). It's nice to have everything in one place, but you can get the majority of the information from the park website with some research. 2 of 2 people found the following review helpful. Good book. Suggested reading as a good general book. By tree Some may not be especially attracted to this book, since it has a more specific audience in mind (e.g. actual park employees). I definitely enjoyed this one though, esp. since my "dream job" ever since I was a kid was to be a forestry worker in the forests /or mountains of the American West ... and Yellowstone NP would have definitely been my 1st choice of location, besides Hawaii. Grin.

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