

5,000 lively native trout are ready for a new home!



RIO GRANDE GORGE 10:00 a.m.

- These trails are strenuous! Most trails are well maintained but can be rocky and steep. Hikers will use established trails near Questa, NM. Trail lengths vary from ½ to 1 mile and can be challenging.
- We'll be packing 2 to 4 gallons of water with trout in a sturdy bag.
- It will take 3 to 5 hours to hike down, stock and hike out.

LOCATION

Wild Rivers Visitor Center,
Rio Grande del Norte National
Monument.

WHAT TO BRING

- Good hiking boots, cold weather clothes, sunscreen, hat, drinking water and lunch.
- Good day pack or frame pack. We'll provide bags, water and fish.
- Your fishing gear and fishing license if you plan to stay and fish.

EAGLE ROCK LAKE 11:00 a.m.

- Family friendly event, minimal hiking required.
- We'll be stocking fish with cups of water containing trout into Eagle Rock Lake and the Red River.
- Great opportunity for folks with mobility impairments and families with small children.

LOCATION

Eagle Rock Lake,
Carson National Forest.

WHAT TO BRING

- Sunscreen, hat, drinking water and lunch.
- We'll provide cups, water and fish.
- Your fishing gear and fishing license if you plan to stay and fish.

CUTTHROAT TROUT STOCKING EVENT

Join us April 25, 2025,
to pack Rio Grande
Cutthroat Trout
fingerlings into the
Rio Grande Gorge
& Eagle Rock Lake

This event would
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DIRECTIONS TO THE WILD RIVERS VISITOR CENTER (GORGE STOCKING):

- From Questa, NM drive north on Highway 522.
- After about 2.5 miles, turn west (left) onto Highway 378.
- Continue on Highway 378 through Cerro, NM and into the Wild Rivers area.
- Highway 378 will eventually head south and along the gorge rim.
- Continue on Highway 378, the Wild Rivers Visitor Center will be on the left.

Map available at: <https://www.blm.gov/visit/wild-rivers-recreation-area>

DIRECTIONS TO EAGLE ROCK LAKE:

- From Questa, NM drive east on Highway 38.
- After about 1.3 miles, turn south (right) into the Eagle Rock Lake Day Use Area.

More information at: <https://www.fs.usda.gov/recarea/carson/recarea/?recid=44184>

Let us know you're coming
(and at which location you want to participate)
by filling out the online questionnaire:

<https://nmdeptgameandfish.snapsurvey.net/s/vdap43>



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