

BRING YOUR BINOCULARS!

You'll be able to spot animals and petroglyphs better if you.....

- Find the subject with unaided eyes.
- Bring binoculars just under your eyes.
- Sight the subject over the tops of the eyepieces.
- Slowly bring the binoculars up to your eyes.



For a Safe Visit:

- Bring plenty of water - no matter the temperature.
- Wear sunglasses and a hat in warm weather.
- Wear sturdy footwear, preferably some with ankle support (hiking boots recommended).
- Always stay with your tour guide!

WHILE YOU'RE HERE, PLAY SOME GOLF!



The Hidden Cove 9-Hole Golf Course is right next to the Park!

For more information call

928-524-6225

GUIDED TOURS

The City of Holbrook offers 90 minute guided tours of Hidden Cove Park.

For tour scheduling information, call

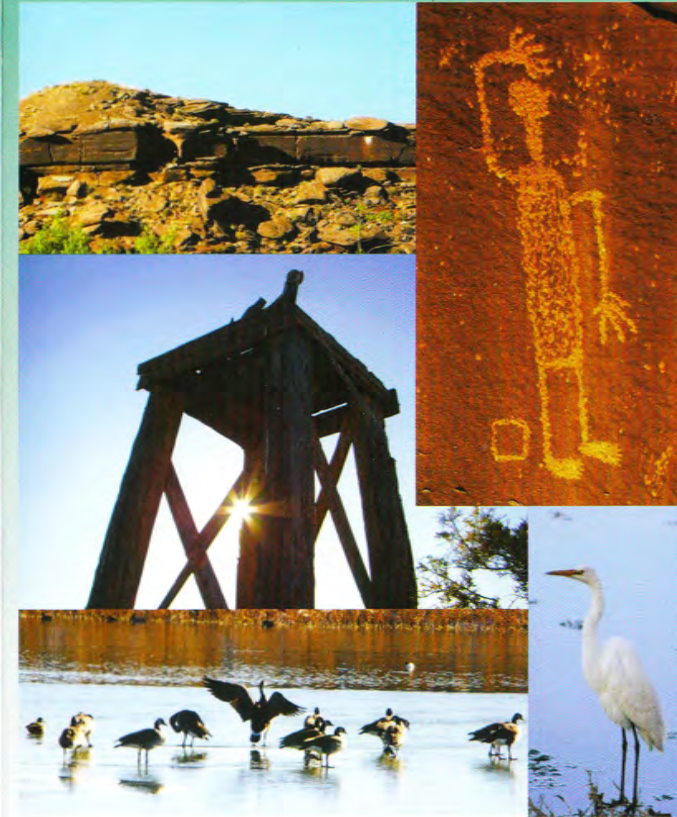
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HIDDEN COVE PARK

Holbrook, AZ



- OVER **300** PETROGLYPHS
- NEARLY **200** BIRD SPECIES
- A **100**-YEAR OLD HISTORIC RANCH

ALL IN ONE SPECTACULAR PLACE

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ZUCK HISTORIC RANCH

On the south-east side of Hidden Cove Park lies the ranch that belonged to the Zuck family. Here, the Zucks and their predecessors raised cattle, farmed and channeled the water that flowed from the nearby cliffs. The ranch is thought by archaeologists to be more than a century old. During your visit stop and see the ruins of the cabins, fences and old windmill.



WILDLIFE VIEWING

Hidden Cove Park has an outstanding abundance of wildlife. In addition to the resident deer, lizards, bats, squirrels, and invertebrates, there are over 200 species of birds! The pond and the picnic area are excellent places to view these animals. This isn't a surprise, because over half of the animal species in Arizona depend on riparian habitat (like ponds, rivers, and streams) to survive. Since riparian habitat has been disappearing, Hidden Cove Park is becoming an even more important home for wildlife.



PETROGLYPHS AND ROCK ART

For thousands of years, the inhabitants of what is now Hidden Cove Park have documented their lives through rock art. The Ancient Americans chiseled shapes into the rock, creating what are called Petroglyphs.



Centuries later, the Zuck family wrote its name in the rock as well; since this happened in modern history, their writing is simply called "rock art". Petroglyphs and rock art are **extremely fragile**, and once they are ruined, they can never be recovered. Even touching the rock will taint the pictures with the oil from your fingers. Please respect the artists of our past by **looking** at the petroglyphs instead of touching them.

