

**Sun City Festival Hiking Club**  
**HIKE DESCRIPTION FORM**

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**Hike Name:** Grand Canyon

**Location:** Grand Canyon, Arizona

**Hike Description:** These five-day trips are for people who desire to hike down to the bottom of the Canyon. The Club normally sponsors one trip each March. These hikes are for Club members only. The number who can participate on each trip is limited due to availability of overnight accommodations at the bottom of the Canyon.

There is usually a 1-2 year waiting period due to the popularity of these trips. If you desire to get onto the list, contact the Club's Hike Coordinator to be added to the list. You can send the Hike Coordinator a message by using Group Works

The typical itinerary is as follows:

- Day 1 – drive up to Grand Canyon and stay at lodge on South Rim
- Day 2 – hike down to bottom of Canyon staying at Phantom Ranch
- Day 3 – rest day at Phantom Ranch
- Day 4 – hike up to South Rim staying at lodge on South Rim
- Day 5 – drive back to Festival

**Rating:** Difficult

**Type:** In/Out

**Trail Names:** Kaibab and Bright Angle trails

**Length – Miles and Time:** ~8 miles down from the South Rim to Phantom Ranch on the Kaibab Trail, and ~10 miles back up to the South Rim on the Bright Angle Trail.

**Elevation Change:** ~4,900 ft.