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Recreational Shooting Sports Sites

Phoenix District Office • Hassayampa Field Office

The BLM's Phoenix District has built four new recreational shooting sports sites around the metro Phoenix area. We designed these sites with safety in mind. Each site includes features like berms, backstops, and installed targets. Three sites in the Hassayampa Field Office are along State Route 74 (Carefree Highway) north of Phoenix. There is an established recreation area around the shooting sports sites. Within the recreation area, target shooting is only allowed at the recreational shooting sports facilities. All other target shooting is prohibited.

Baldy Mountain

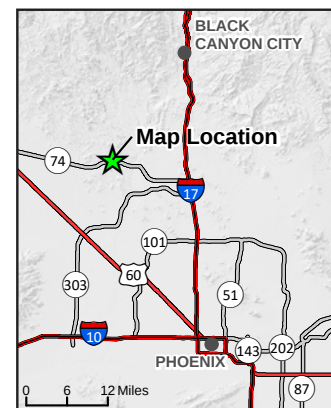
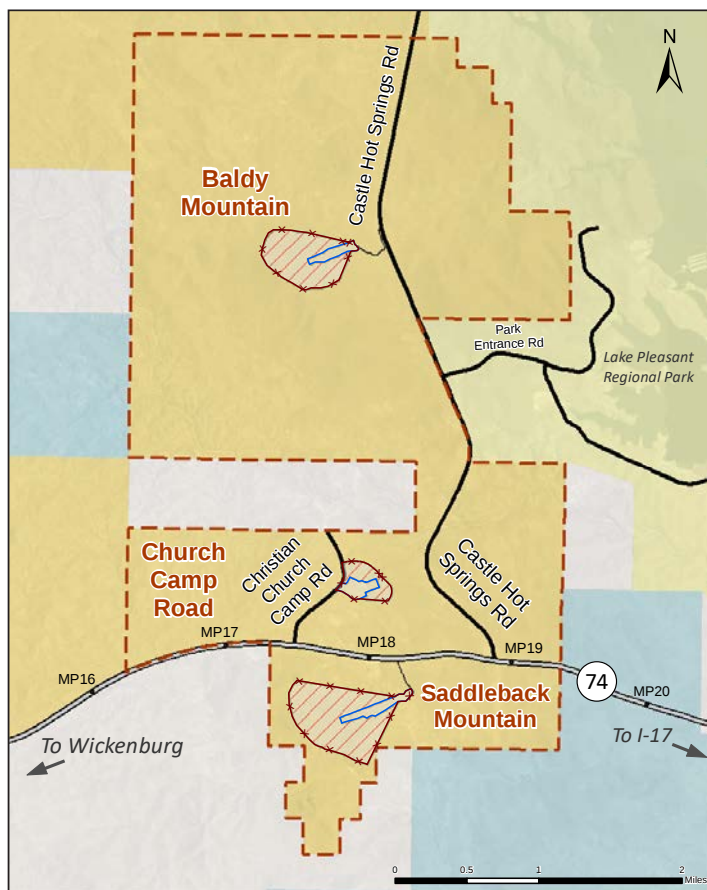
The site is designed for long-range rifle shooting. No pistols, shotguns, or other types of firearms are permitted. There are 100-, 200-, 300-, 400- and 500-yard shooting lanes with fixed targets. **You may not use your own targets at the site.**

Church Camp

The site is designed for rifle and pistol shooting. Shotguns are not permitted. There are 50-, 100-, and 200-yard shooting lanes with fixed targets. **You may not use your own targets at the site.**

Saddleback Mountain

The site is designed for long-range rifle shooting. No pistols, shotguns, or other types of firearms are permitted. There are 200-, 300-, 400-, 500- and 700-yard shooting lanes with fixed targets. **You may not use your own targets at the site.**



HOURS

Open 7 am to Sunset

Sites are open for day use only. Sites are closed on Wednesdays for cleaning and maintenance.

Sites may close during seasonal fire restrictions.

Contact Us

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Emergencies Call 911

Report Resource Crimes

Resource Destruction, Archaeological Looting,
Vandalism, Dumping

BLM - Federal Law Enforcement Communications Center

623-434-4580 or 1-800-637-9152

Rules

- You may only use a site during designated operating hours as posted at each site, listed on the BLM's website, and consistent with State law.
- You may not enter a site for any purpose other than activities associated with recreational shooting.
- Do not enter the hazardous exclusion area.
- Inside the designated recreation area, you may only discharge a firearm from a designated firing platform towards an authorized target with a developed or designated backstop. Hunting within the recreation area is permitted under State regulations.
- Never discharge a firearm or any other projectile device when someone is beyond the firing line.
- Do not exceed the maximum occupancy posted at each site.
- Keep off all buildings and structures, whether they are occupied or unoccupied.
- Do not engage in disorderly conduct.
- Do not leave any personal property unattended.
- Children under 16 must be accompanied by a responsible adult while in a site.
- You may not use, possess, consume, or be under the influence of alcohol or controlled substances as defined by State law, Federal law, or both.
- Do not shoot at wildlife, livestock, or vegetation.
- Clean up after yourself and your pets.

Safety Tips

- Treat every gun as if it were loaded.
- Keep your trigger finger free until ready.
- Always point your gun in a safe direction.
- Be sure of your target and what's beyond it.
- Wear eye and ear protection on the firing line.
- Use the correct ammunition for your firearm.
- Shoot only from a designated firing line toward a permitted target and backdrop.
- Some things are not meant to be shot. Trees, cactus, and other living objects are not back drops or targets. Neither are signs, kiosks, gates, and buildings.
- Never shoot historical, archaeological, or paleontological sites.
- Call your local dispatch or land management agency to report vandalism.
- If you demonstrate unsafe practices, you may be removed from the site.



Targets and Ammunition

- Each site has fixed steel targets installed. You may not use your own targets at the sites.
- Rifles and handguns are restricted to ammunition that is .50 caliber or less. Steel core, armor-piercing, incendiary, and tracer ammunition and paintball equipment is prohibited.
- Fireworks, exploding targets such as Tannerite, and other incendiary devices are prohibited on all BLM Arizona-managed public lands.