



2020 Springtime Activities

Animas River Trail (ART)

Walk, run or bike this paved multi-use trail that stretches nearly 7 miles through Durango's Animas River Greenway. The centerpiece of the city's trail system, ART provides easy access to a variety of parks, open spaces and natural surface trails.

Arts and Cultural Establishments

Downtown Durango is on the National Register of Historic Districts and Durango's thriving art scene touts both local and internationally renowned artists. While the museums and art galleries are currently closed, you can take a walk down historic Main Avenue or along the Animas River Trail to explore Durango's Botanic Gardens, public art and murals. durangobotanicgardens.org

Bureau of Land Management (BLM)

Hiking, mountain biking and abound in and around Durango. Explore BLM lands at Animas City Mountain, Skyline, Grandview and Turtle Lake, as well as Perins Peak Wildlife Management area. Visit Durangotrails.org for trail maps and conditions.

City of Durango Parks & Open Space

Explore numerous world-class trails within a few miles of downtown Durango area for hiking, mountain biking, trail running, and more. Visitors can explore Overend Mountain Park, Chapman Hill and the College Mesa, Animas City Mountain, Dalla Mountain Park, Gardella, Horse Gulch, Mercy Open Space in Three Springs, Off Leash Area, Oxbow Preserve, and Twin Buttes. Visit Durangotrails.org for trail maps and conditions.

Durango Dining

Many restaurants are offering curbside, pick-up, and delivery options to your hotel. Visit downtowndurango.org/supportlocal for a list of restaurants offering this option.

Durango Farmer's Market

Open-air market every Saturday from 8am – 12pm, May 9, 2020 through October. Featuring organic fruits, veggies, meats, dairy and groceries, artisan goods, hot and

cold drinks, ready-to-eat meals, and music. Located in the parking lot of TBK Bank, 259 W. 9th Street.

Fishing

Flowing right through Durango, the Animas River is one of the best Gold Medal Water fly fishing destinations in Colorado, home to both rainbow and brown trout. With many spots that are easy to access right from town, the Animas River is one of the easiest and best places to get some fishing in with minimal effort.

Golf

Tee off at one of Durango's premier golf courses, from Dalton Ranch Golf Club in the Animas Valley to Hillcrest Golf Club overlooking the town of Durango. Tee times only, no walk-ins at this time. Visit Daltonranch.com or golfhillcrest.com to learn more about tee times, COVID restrictions, and extra safety precautions.

Lakes

Visit nearby Vallecito Lake or Lemon Reservoir for swimming, fishing, and boating.

Retail

Many businesses in the district offer online shopping, shopping by phone with curbside pickup and delivery. Many businesses are offering private tours, showings or shopping options by calling ahead and making a reservation for this service. Also, many shops that don't offer online shopping are taking phone orders and delivering.

San Juan Skyway

The San Juan Skyway Scenic and Historic Byway travels from Durango and Telluride, to Mesa Verde National Park and back to Durango. Note: Town of Silverton is currently closed to visitors, but Hwy 550 is open to thru traffic.

Virtual Experiences

With Durango and Colorado's "Safer at Home" advisories, visitors can enjoy Durango from a distance. Visit Durango has compiled a list of things you can experience from the comfort of your hotel room or couch: durango.org/covid/durangos-virtual-experiences/.

Discover all that the Durango has to offer at Durango.org.