

Ok MundsPark.com followers, let's go to Flagstaff! The city is named after a ponderosa pine flagpole made by a scouting party from Boston to celebrate the United States Centennial on July 4, 1876.

Flagstaff is located adjacent to Mount Elden, just south of the San Francisco Peaks, the highest mountain range in the state of Arizona. Humphreys Peak is the highest point in Arizona at 12,633 feet.

Flagstaff Serves as the cultural hub of Northern Arizona. Throughout the year, there are art shows, festivals, live theater and Native American arts & crafts. There are many great breweries and restaurants as well!

Here are some great places to visit in Flagstaff:

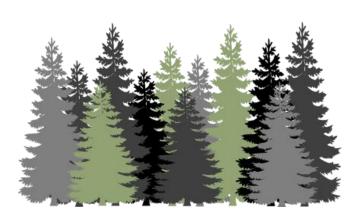
<u>Lowell Observatory</u> Look through telescopes at night and see the instrument that gathered the first evidence of the expanding Universe. Multimedia shows, exhibits, live presentations, guided tours and SlipherVision the space theater are some of the fun activities at Lowell Observatory! https://lowell.edu

Museum of Northern Arizona (MNA). A 200 acre campus includes an exhibit building, research labs, and state of the art collections facilities for more than five million Native American artifacts, natural science specimens, and fine art pieces. http://musnaz.org

Riordan Mansion. The duplex-style Riordan Mansion remains one of the finest examples of American Arts and Crafts-style architecture open to the public today. Designed by the architect of the impressive El Tovar Hotel at the Grand Canyon, Charles Whittlesey, the homes were built in 1904 with indoor plumbing, hot and cold running water, central heat, and electric lights, reflecting the most modern technology and design of the time. https://azstateparks.com/riordan-mansion

<u>Meteor Crater.</u> The world's best preserved meteorite impact site on Earth. Located just minutes from Interstate 40 in Northern Arizona near Winslow, Meteor Crater is the breath-taking result of a collision between an asteroid traveling 26,000 miles per hour and planet Earth approximately 50,000 years ago. http://meteorcrater.com

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<u>Snowbowl.</u> Located on the majestic San Francisco Peaks at 9,500 feet above sea level, Arizona Snowbowl is your year-round high elevation destination, whether you're skiing in the sun in the winter or escaping the desert heat in the summer. Take in the stunning scenery of northern Arizona from a bird's eye view by spending your summer afternoon on Arizona Snowbowl's ScenicChairlift ride.

https://www.arizonasnowbowl.com

Alpine Pedaler. Flagstaff's original and premier pedal trolley. They started running tours in fall of 2011 and have shared the fun cruising through downtown Flagstaff. The pub crawl tour is 2 hours and usually makes 3 stops. www.alpinepedaler.com

Arboretum. Flower Walks, Bird Walks and Butterfly House. Tour the Arboretum grounds and gardens with a trained guide. See the beautiful native plants, birds and butterflies of Northern Arizona. http://www.thearb.org

Enjoy your Flagstaff visit!

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