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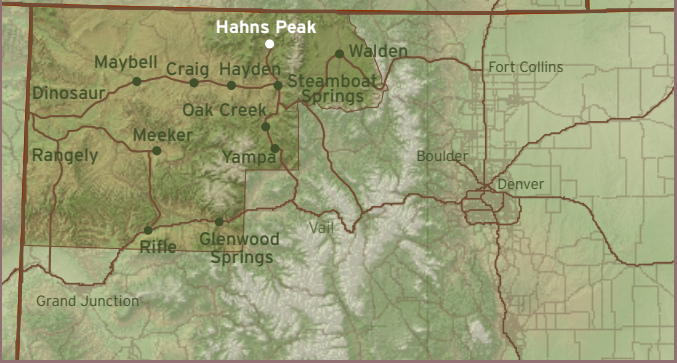
HAHNS PEAK

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Did you know that the historic village of Hahns Peak began as a gold mining camp around 1865, boomed in 1876, was once the county seat and housed the first post office in Routt County?

Nestled below Hahns Peak (an extinct volcano), across from Steamboat Lake State Park, the village includes fifteen historic buildings and a museum. Our schoolhouse is on the National Historic Registry and the Wither Cabin—the oldest building in the village—is authentically furnished. Visit the museum to view the many artifacts that trace the development of a thriving gold mining camp to a ghost town. Then, take the self-guided tour of our community!



Did you know that Hahns Peak is an elevated year-round recreation area?

Routt National Forest and two State Parks include campgrounds, which offer numerous activities. Sail or water ski at Steamboat Lake or enjoy fly, bait, or ice fishing! There are miles of groomed cross country and snowmobile trails in the winter; and hiking, horseback riding, and ATV trails after the snow melts. Fall offers great hunting! And, for bird watchers there are golden eagles, sandhill cranes, blue heron, osprey, and pelicans—just to name a few.

Join us for our signature events:

- November: **Pre-Thanksgiving Community Dinner** – Sunday prior to Thanksgiving holiday
- February: **Wooden Ski Rendezvous**
- March: **Coureur des Bois Cross Country Ski Marathon**
- May: **North Routt Chili Cook Off**
- July: **4th of July Ice Cream Social & Summer Arts & Crafts Fair**

• *Trip Planning:*

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www.nwcoloradoheritagetravel.org

Directions:

From Denver: Travel west on I-70 to Exit 205 Dillon/Silverthorne. Proceed north on Route 9 to Kremmling and then take Route 40 northwest to Steamboat Springs. From Steamboat Springs proceed north through town and take Route 129 north (Elk River Road) for approximately 33 miles.

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