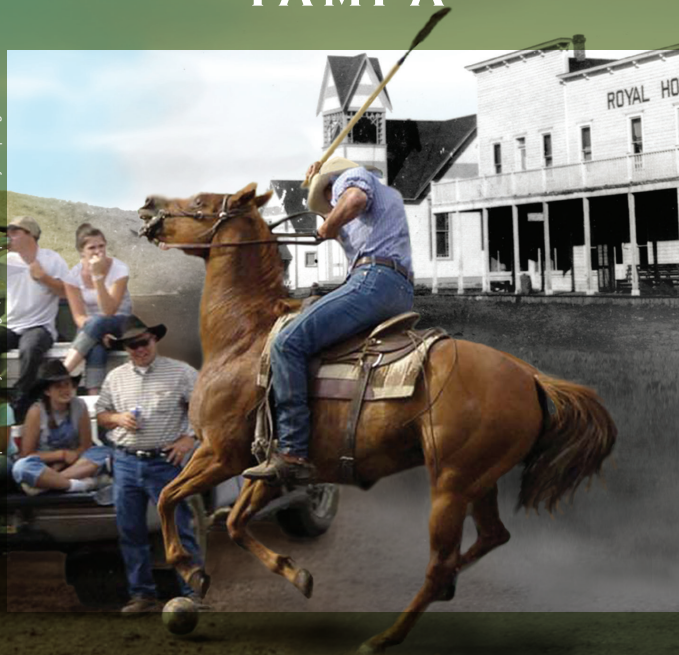


BOUNDLESS LANDSCAPES & SPIRITED PEOPLE

YAMPA

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Did you know that you can watch cowboy polo played on a historic downtown street?

In Yampa, our Fourth of July is a hard riding celebration featuring cowboy horse polo—where riders and horses pursue the ball down historic Moffat Avenue.

The Egeria Park region encompasses the town of Yampa, and the community of Toponas to the south. A visit here will take you back in time to a slower paced way of life that endures today as ranching and agriculture continue to be our mainstays.

If you enjoy scenic drives, Yampa is the east portal to the *Flat Tops Trail Scenic and Historic Byway*, a one-of-a kind “working” byway, where you might find yourself in a herd of cattle or horses, or a flock of sheep as they are moved from pasture to pasture by ranchers and sheepherders.



Did you know that Yampa is the gateway to the Flat Tops Scenic and Historic Byway?

In Yampa there is plenty of opportunity to do your “own thing”—whether that’s quiet walks around the historic town or hiking, biking, horseback riding, cross country skiing, or snowshoeing on the trails in the surrounding forests.

Join us for our “very local” signature event:

- Fourth of July: **Cowboy Horse Polo** on Moffat Avenue!

Visit our “very local” places:

- **Montgomery’s General Merchandise**, established in 1890, it’s one of the oldest continually-operating general stores in Colorado.
- **Antler’s Café**, a local gathering place for almost 100 years and it’s on the Register of Historic places.
- **The Royal Hotel**, built after Teddy Roosevelt, Jr. came to Egeria Park on a hunting trip in 1900 because he wanted to stay in a hunting lodge.
- **Yampa-Egeria Museum**, originally a bank, it looks much the same today as when it opened for business in 1904.
- **Penny’s Diner** and **The Oak Tree Inn**—Open 24 hours a day seven days a week. (Access this modern diner on your schedule—not someone else’s!) 970.638.1000

Trip Planning:

- Town of Yampa Town Hall – 970-638-4511
- South Routt EDC – www.southrouttedc.com
- U.S. Forest Service – Yampa Ranger District – 970.638.4516
- Van Camp Cabins – 970.638.4254
- Northwest Colorado Cultural Heritage Tourism – www.nwcoloradoheritagetravel.org

Directions:

Take I-70 west through the Eisenhower Tunnel to Silverthorne, exit 205. Take CO 9 North to Kremmling. Head west on US 40 to the intersection with CO 134. Turn left and go over Gore Pass (CO 134). At Toponas, take Colorado 131 north to Yampa. Or, take I-70 west (through Vail) to Exit 157. Then take CO 131 North to Yampa.