

Run Announcement

Black Canyon Run (E)

Run Date: Saturday – March 28, 2026

Trail Leader: Ray & Karen Kleinhuizen (Cell 714-300-9656) raykaayy@gmail.com RSVP to trail leader.

Meeting Location: T/A Travel Center at the Lenwood exit off the 15 Fwy. From LA/OC, take the 15 Fwy North to Barstow. Take the Lenwood exit and turn left over the freeway. Make a left turn into the T/A Travel Center. Back row in front of the Black Bear Diner.

Meeting Time: 8:30 am, plan is to leave for the trail at 9:00 am

Black Canyon is a sandy wash that skirts the edge of the Black Canyon Wilderness area northwest of Barstow, home to desert sheep. The trail types in the Black Canyon area include sandy washes, some moderate rocky sections and steep hill climbs.

This is an easy trail with some mildly moderate sections. There are several points of interest in this area. This area has many Indian petroglyphs with the most at one of our stops at Inscription Canyon. We will also stop at Scouts Cove, a small shelter cut into the side of a hill by miners in the Fire Opal Mining Camp. We will stop at a new point of interest: The Husky Motorcycle Memorial (goggle it).

Special Equipment Required: None. Any stock 4 wheel drive vehicle with good low range gears can run this trail.

Reminder to Bring: Chair, Lunch, Water, etc. (check weather forecast for Barstow)

Lunch: We will stop for lunch along the trail.