

Exploring the Thrills: Spring Break Adventure from Lake Havasu City to the Glamis Sand Dunes

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Spring break marks a progression milestone for students nationwide, inspiring traveling and exploration during a much-needed time off from studies. From Lake Havasu City, there are several desirable destinations within driving distance. One of these locations is the Glamis Sand Dunes, a vast 40-square-mile landscape located in Southern California. I, along with several other ASU at Lake Havasu students, drove the nearly 3-hour trek to this other-worldly destination. We spent a night camping in tents and kept ourselves occupied with many activities.

Being the desert that it is, the weather varied frequently. In the daytime, the temperature would be relatively comfortable at a high of 75 degrees Fahrenheit. As the sun lowered from the sky, the temperature also began to decrease. It reached a low of 45 degrees Fahrenheit, encouraging us to bundle up in blankets and sleeping bags. One of my tips for this venture is to pack according to the weather because of its shifting consistency.

Our group collectively played games such as uno, telephone, and charades to maintain a lively atmosphere. For food, we brought several dishes that we later heated over campfires, again encapsulating the camping experience. As the sun set, the beautiful scenery encouraged many photo opportunities,

which we took advantage of. Another tip I would share from my experience is to bring sunglasses and headgear to overcome the heat and windy conditions. My fantastic experience visiting the Glamis Sand Dunes during spring break is an abundant reason to recommend this venture to anyone interested.

