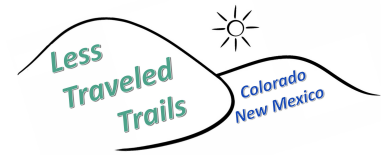


# LESS TRAVELED TRAILS

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Last yurt trip  
of the season!!!



...I took the road less traveled by,  
and that has made all the difference.  
Robert Frost



Winter 2025-2026

## Eternal Winter at Neff Mountain Yurt

Cumbres Pass, Colorado  
Friday-Sunday, March 6-8, 2026  
\$295 / person



We look forward to planning, preparing for the outing, and providing for a wonderful experience. [Less Traveled Trails](#) is a registered business, insured, authorized for public lands; a member of [Santa Fe Professional Tour Guides Association](#); a trail adopter of [Continental Divide Trail Coalition](#); and a certified Wilderness First Responder, Leave No Trace practitioner, and food handler.

### The Trip

The Southern Rocky Mountains offer a great yurt system as a base for exploring the [Rio Grande National Forest](#) in Winter. Snowshoeing/skiing at 10,000-11,000 feet, we will experience the inspiration and challenges that nature brings to us. From the CO-17 highway trailhead near [Cumbres Pass](#), we'll travel up FS-116 to the [yurt](#), 2.5 miles in and 600 feet elevation gain. We will be prepared for the cold, snowstorms, and changing snow conditions, traveling to the yurt and during our time there. Snowshoe gear can be rented from Less Traveled Trails.

### The Yurt

The yurt itself is quite comfortable, with bunk beds, wood stove, group table, and solar lighting; kitchen stocked with pots, pans, utensils, plates, bowls, mugs, glasses, and gas stovetop; and tools for chopping wood and clearing snow. The neighboring outhouse comes with a cushioned seat

and a great view! We will be responsible for keeping the yurt and kitchen clean. Additional recommendations, amenities, and expectations are in the [yurt guidelines](#).

### Logistics

We will meet in Santa Fe on Friday March 6<sup>th</sup>, [travel up US-84](#) to Chama, take a break, then continue on CO-17 to Cumbres Pass. The Chama stop is also a meet-up option. Less Traveled Trails can provide comfortable transportation for up to a full party of three. The morning drive, with a break or two, will get us to the FS-116 trailhead past Cumbres Pass by noon. We hope to be on-trail soon after. Trail time to the yurt is about 3 hours. Return to Santa Fe will be by 5pm on Sunday March 8<sup>th</sup>.

### Cost & Payment

The total fee is \$295 per person, inclusive of taxes, fees, permitting, and all food. There are **3 openings**. Payment is by Venmo, PayPal, or Zelle.

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