

DATE	EST RT DRIVE MILES	PARK FEE	LOCATION/ AREA	TRAIL	ESTIMATED LENGTH & TOTAL ASCENT	DESCRIPTION	ESTIMATED RATING
7/31/17 M	112	free	Carefree	Maricopa Trail Segment 22	8+M/1400	EXPLORATORY - We will check out a new section of the Maricopa trail just east of Carefree.	B
8/02/17-8/05/17	TBD	TBD	New Mexico overnight scouting trip	Various trails in Gila National Forest	4-10 miles/500-1500 ft	SCOUTING TRIP - We will check out the area around Silver City & Gila National Forest as a possible destination for the Spring 2018 overnight hiking trip	D+/C & B levels
8/03/17 Th	30	free	West valley	Hiker's choice	TBD	Since several B hikers are going on the overnight to New Mexico, those who show up can decide which hike they want to do or simply join the D+ group.	B
8/07/17 M	100	\$6/car	I-17 exit #236	Canyons near north end of Lake Pleasant	8+M/1000+ft	EXPLORATORY - We will check out a tight canyon near the parking lot for Lake Pleasant Regional Park North - plus a canyon across the river. No real trail. (Pete Adventure).	C+
8/10/17 Th	180 est	free	"Nothing" Arizona	Bushwhack in the area	8+M/1000+ ft	EXPLORATORY - Because nothing is there! Just kidding - it looks like an interesting area of large boulders - up to house sized.	B
8/14/17 M	260	F w/ Senior pass	Sedona	Long Canyon	8+M/1400+ ft	EXPLORATORY - An interesting canyon is red rock country.	B
8/17/17 Th	90	free	Morristown	A trail going south from Old Red Picacho trail	8+M/1000+ ft	EXPLORATORY - We will check out a trail that goes from the old mine that heads towards White Picacho.	B
8/21/17 M	150	free	BCT off Hwy 69	BCT south from Big Bug Trailhead	8+M/1000+ ft	EXPLORATORY - We will hike a section of the Black Canyon Trail that we have not hiked yet.	B

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UPDATED HIKING SCHEDULE FOR SUMMER C/B HIKES 2017

8/24/17 Th - 8/29/17 Tu	TBD	TBD	Grand Canyon	Rim to Rim backpack trip		Check with Bill Halte	B
8/24/17 Th	120	free	McDowell Sonoran Preserve	Gooseneck trail from Fraesfield trailhead	8+M/1000+ ft	EXPLORATORY - We will hike from the Fraesfield trailhead across Dynamite road towards Tom's Thumb.	C+
8/28/17 M	18	free	Verrado	Mapping hike 3	8+M/800 ft	Mapping hike 2 was rain shortened, so there are a couple of miles of unmapped trails we need to do to complete the Verrado map.	C+
8/31/17 Th	205	Free	Prescott	New trails in Thumb Butte area	8+M/1000+ ft	EXPLORATORY - We will check out a section of the Prescott Circle Trail as well as a couple of new trails near Thumb Butte	B

This is a tentative schedule. See the weekly email on the “hikes for the week” for the trails that will actually be hiked that week.

Caveat: Exploratory hikes are new (for the club) trails we will be checking, so we cannot guarantee the accuracy of drive miles, length, total ascent, or estimated rating. They are our best guesses based on the info we have at this time. [sounds like Pete, right?]