

D LEVEL HIKING GROUP – Tuesday
Meet at the Eagles Nest clubhouse at 6:30 AM, depart at 6:45 AM

April 4

Leader: Kay Thomas
ESTRELLA MOUNTAINS
Rainbow, Dysart, Toothtaker
Rating D
Miles 4
Elevation Gain 400 Ft.

Beginning on the west side of the rodeo. The Rainbow Valley trail is wide and relative flat. It intersects the Dysart Trail. Turn left onto the Dysart Trail to the Toothhaker Trail. Turn left on the Toothtaker Trail and head back to the rodeo. Trail condition – good hiking trail. A restroom is at the trailhead. Park entrance fee is \$7.00 per car. Driving distance is 20 miles RT.

April 11, 2019

Leader: Wayne Wills
HASSAPAMPA
Rating D
Miles 3.8
Elevation Gain 500 ft.

Hassayampa River flows only underground. But within the preserve its crystal clear waters emerge, flowing about ground throughout the year. This lush streamside habitat is home to some of the desert's most spectacular wildlife. This hike you see water, wildlife and the spring colors along the river. Join Us for Lunch in Wickenburg at a great Mexican Restaurant after the hike Anita's Cocoina – Mexican Restaurant – Family run servicing Mexican food in a western-inspired setting. Park entrance fee is \$7.00 per car. Driving distance is 80 miles RT. Eating at restaurant is optional.

April 18

Leader: Dennis Zigmunt
FINS SOUTH
Rating D
Miles 3.7
Elevation Gain 400 Ft.

The trails meander through several desert hills with many rock formations. This is an interesting area – a bone yard of dozens of cow bones. Trail condition – this is a very good biking trail. No park fee. No restrooms at the trailhead. Driving distance is 27 miles RT.

April 25

Leader: Joe Clarkson
WHITE TANKS – Ford Canyon
Rating D
Miles 4
Elevation Gain 500 Ft.

This is a 4 mi out & back on the same trail with an elevation gain of about 500 ft. This is a scenic hike to a point with views of the white rocks in Ford Canyon. There are restrooms at trailhead. Park fee is \$7.00 per vehicle. Driving distance is 30 miles RT. [SCG=6.7/1300/3.6].

<http://pchikingclub.smugmug.com/WhiteTankMountainRegionalPark/Ford-Canyon-Mesquite>

May 3

Leader: Art Solorio

ESTRELLA MOUNTAIN - Rainbow/Baseline/Quail Loop

Rating: D

Miles 4.1

Elevation Gain 400 Ft.

This is a loop hike in Estrella Regional Park that incorporates Baseline, Quail and Rainbow Trail for a total of approximately 4.1 miles and less than 400 ft. of elevation with typical desert scenery. There is a restroom at the trailhead. Park entrance fee is \$6.00 per car. Driving distance is 20 miles RT.