



## TREKABOUT WALKING CLUB –APRIL 2016

Tuesday walks **8:00am – 9:00am** ● Thursday walks **8:00am – 10:00am**

Walks are graded on a scale of 1-4 (with 4 being the most difficult)

**HIKING BOOTS RECOMENDED ● CARRY WATER ● DOGS MUST BE ON LEASH**

To join The Trekabout Walking club you may stop by Parks and Recreation to pick up the registration form or the form is also available online at:

<http://www.cityofprescott.net/services/parks/programs/>

The annual fee for Trekabout is \$18.

### **Tuesday, April 5**

**“NEW Thumb Butte North”** – Hike loop counter clockwise. Enjoy the many views of Thumb Butte to the south. The trail is undulating, with only parts of the trail being shaded.

Level: 2.5

Directions: 3.5 miles on Gurley from the Plaza to the Thumb Butte **FEE** parking area on the right. Drive through the first part of the parking area and go left across the bridge. Park on the left, opposite #315 TH.

Sponsoring Organization: *City of Prescott*

Leader: *Chris*

### **Thursday, April 7**

**"Woodchute Mt. Trail"** - Gradual incline and beautiful views to the east of the Verde Valley and to the west of Lonesome Valley and the Bradshaw's.

Level: 3

Directions: Meet at the North Peavine Trailhead (take overpass exit “Granite Dells Parkway” to “Centerpointe East) at least 30 minutes before the hike. We will carpool to the trailhead.

Trailhead is near Potato Patch campground on Mingus Mountain.

Sponsoring Organization: *YCCHS*

Leader: *Leslie*

### **Tuesday, April 12**

**“Highland Trail #442 from Lynx Creek Ruin”** – New trail off of #305 that goes into the new Highland Center and back. Rolling trail with some steep areas.

Level: 2

Directions: Turn on Walker Road towards Lynx Lake. Turn left at the Lynx Creek Ruins sign. Park in Lynx Creek Ruins parking lot (trailhead is across the road). **FEE AREA**: To carpool, meet on the east side of Petsmart parking lot.

Sponsoring Organization: *Highlands Center*

Leader: *Mara*

### **Thursday, April 14**

**"NEW Granite Dells Estates"** – Peavine heading south to old Hwy 89A overpass, then head east to Granite Dells Estates. Single track that has great views of the Dells and surrounding areas.

Level: 1

Directions: From Highway 89, turn east on Pioneer Parkway/ 89A, and then get off highway at Granite Dells Parkway. Turn onto Centerpointe East then right onto Side rd to parking area next to Tri-City prep School.

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Leader: *Chris*

**Tuesday, April 19**

**“Goldwater West”** – Pretty 3.2 mile trail winding through the pines with many ups and downs on decent terrain. Great views.

Level: Easy to Moderate.

Directions: South 2.8 miles from the courthouse on US89/Montezuma St that turns into White Spar Rd. Turn left into the White Spar Campground and park there.

*Sponsoring Organization: Highlands Center*

*Leader: Mara*

**Thursday, April 21**

**“Peavine Lakeshore Trail”**– Trail goes through and over rocks in the area west of the Peavine Trail.

Level: 3-4

Directions: From Highway 89, turn east on Prescott Parkway, then north on Sundog Ranch Road. Turn left into a marked parking area just before the transfer station. Use Trekabout parking code at Kiosk.

*Sponsoring Organization: YCCHS*

*Leader: Leslie*

**Tuesday, April 26**

**“Goldwater Lake”**

Level: 2

Directions: From Gurley Street, take South Mt. Vernon (turns into Senator Highway) about 3 miles toward Groom Creek. Sign for lake and parking area is on the right. Use Trekabout parking code at Kiosk.

*Sponsoring Organization: Highlands Center*

*Leader: Sharon*

**Thursday, April 28**

**“Salida Gulch and #95 Loop”** – Mostly flat but one very steep and rocky hill. Beautiful views on top.

Level: 3.5

Directions: Turn on Walker Road towards Lynx Lake. Turn left at Lynx Ruins sign, but continue past the Lynx Creek Ruins parking lot and park at the end of the road by the gate. (Approximately 1 mile.) To carpool, meet on the east side of Petsmart parking lot.

*Sponsoring Organization: Highlands Center*

*Leader: Pat*

***If weather is questionable please call Recreation Services at 928-777-1122***