



TREKABOUT WALKING CLUB –January 2018

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 Recreation Services 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, January 2

“Embry Riddle Trail” - Out and back. Views of Granite Mountain, Thumb Butte and Willow Lake.
Level 1.5

Directions: Turn onto Commerce Drive from Willow Creek Road next to Tim’s dealership. Meet at the Ramada overlooking the ball fields at Pioneer Park.

Sponsoring Organization: YCCHS

Leader: Sharmel

Thursday, January 4

“Thumb Butte Bypass 326> 367” – Begins in well-shaded pine forest and briefly meanders along the southern bank of Miller Creek.

Level: 2.5

Directions: Go west on Gurley Street (turns into Thumb Butte Road) until you enter Thumb Butte Park. Parking on the right. **FEE AREA**. To carpool, park at the bowling alley.

Sponsoring Organization: COP

Leader: Kelly

Tuesday, January 9

“Garden Party Trail” – Beautiful forest trail parallel to the Miller Creek. Fresh air and refreshing, wooded scenery. Trails 324, 332, and 318 which loops back to the Painted Rock parking area.

Level: 3

Directions: Go west on Gurley Street approximately 1 mile past Thumb Butte Recreation area. Park at the Painted Rock parking area.

Sponsoring Organization: Highlands Center

Leader: Sharon

Thursday, January 11

“Spruce Mountain West” – Pretty trail with a mix of single track and a little used Forest Road, undulating through the pines and crossing Wolf Creek twice. Follows trail #307 north up to the power lines then cuts off on FR78 back to #307 on the south side.

Level: EASY to Moderate

Directions: Head south on Mt Vernon for about 6.7 miles to a crossroads. On the left hand side is the #307 trailhead and Groom Creek Loop is on the left. Turn on to dirt road and park by building.

Sponsoring Organization: YCCHS

Leader: Sharmel

Tuesday, January 16

Feldmeier Trail" – Newer trail near Goldwater Lake that follows parallel with Senator Hwy intersecting Bannon Creek Trail. Out and back.

Level: 2

Directions: Meet at parking area for trail #396 and watershed #299 off Senator Hwy.

Sponsoring Organization: Highlands Center

Leader: Sharon

Thursday, January 18

" Iron Springs Railroad Trail"- Out and back trail, up the old railroad bed to Iron Springs. Similar to the Peavine but more primitive.

Level: 1.5

Directions: Take Iron Springs Rd out of town approximately 4 miles (half way to Skull Valley). Past Granite Basin turn-off and all the way to Doce Pit Road on the left hand side. If you get to Contreas Rd on the right you have gone too far. Carpool from the Goodwill on Iron Springs Rd. Meet by Big 5.

Sponsoring Organization: Highlands Center

Leader: Sharon

Tuesday, January 23

"Peavine South and Sundog Trail" - New portion of the circle trail starts on the old railroad grade and climbs over the top of the old landfill unique views of Prescott the Dells and the Lakes. 4 miles out and back.

Level: 2

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.

Sponsoring Organization: Highlands Center

Leader: Jo

Thursday, January 25

"Iron King Trail" – The old railroad bed that connects with the Peavine Trail from the east (Prescott Valley). We will go out and back.

Level: 1

Directions: From Highway 69, turn north on Glassford Hill Road. Just past Spouse Road (new light) turn right into the large parking lot on Santa Fe Loop Rd. There are "Iron King Trail" signs going both directions on Glassford Hill telling you where to turn for the trailhead.

Sponsoring Organization: Highlands Center

Leader: Sharon

Tuesday, January 30

" RanchTrail #62" – Gradual incline and beautiful views on dirt trail.

Level: 3

Directions: Go south on Walker Road at Lynx Lake turn-off. Go ½ mile to Prescott National Forest sign (not as far as Lynx Creek Ruin) and turn right on dirt road to Trail 62 sign. Veer left to parking area.

Sponsoring Organization: COP

Leader: Kelly

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