



## El Paso Desert Activities 2018

### MARCH

<b>Daily: 5 PM</b> 02/17/2018 to 03/10/2018	Sunset Strolls - - White Sands National Monument (one hour before sunset) <a href="https://www.nps.gov/whsa/planyourvisit/calendar.htm">https://www.nps.gov/whsa/planyourvisit/calendar.htm</a>
<b>Sun, Mar 4, 8:00 am</b>	Women Only Hike - Wyler Aerial Tramway <a href="https://tpwd.texas.gov/calendar/wyler-aerial-tramway/">https://tpwd.texas.gov/calendar/wyler-aerial-tramway/</a>
<b>Tue, Mar 6, 8:30 AM</b>	Mckelligon Canyon Walk - El Paso Hiking Group <a href="https://www.meetup.com/El-Paso-Hiking/events/248314516/">https://www.meetup.com/El-Paso-Hiking/events/248314516/</a>
<b>Tue, Mar 6, noon- 1:30</b>	<b>Webinar:</b> Partnering with state and local agencies on conservation projects. Please RSVP: <a href="mailto:janae@FronteraLandAlliance.org">janae@FronteraLandAlliance.org</a> or call 915-351-8352
<b>Tue, Mar 6, 6:15 PM</b>	La Llorona trail stroll along the Rio Grande - Jornada Hiking & Outdoors Club <a href="https://www.meetup.com/jornadahikers/events/gismhpyxfbjb/">https://www.meetup.com/jornadahikers/events/gismhpyxfbjb/</a>
<b>Wed. Mar 7, 7:30 AM</b>	Early Bird Two Hour Hike - Jornada Hiking & Outdoors Club <a href="https://www.meetup.com/jornadahikers/events/gsqxcpyxfbkb/">https://www.meetup.com/jornadahikers/events/gsqxcpyxfbkb/</a>
<b>Wed. Mar 7, 10:00 AM</b>	Onate the Spanish Conquerer-Neither; Leasburg Dam State Park <a href="https://wwwapps.emnrd.state.nm.us/spd/parksevent/calendar/Default.aspx">https://wwwapps.emnrd.state.nm.us/spd/parksevent/calendar/Default.aspx</a>
<b>Wed. Mar 7, noon- 1:30</b>	<b>Webinar:</b> Farmland Conservation 2.0: Tools and tips for keeping farmers on the land. Please RSVP: <a href="mailto:janae@FronteraLandAlliance.org">janae@FronteraLandAlliance.org</a> or call 915-351-8352
<b>Thu, Mar 8, noon- 1:30</b>	<b>Webinar:</b> What you need to know about a title review. Please RSVP: <a href="mailto:janae@FronteraLandAlliance.org">janae@FronteraLandAlliance.org</a> or call 915-351-8352
<b>Thu, Mar 8, 7:00 pm</b>	Native Plant Society/El Paso Chapter meeting at St Albans Church, 1810 Elm Street. "Chihuahuan Desert Native Pollinators," presented by: Bashira Chowdhury, Auburn University Bee Biodiversity Initiative.
<b>Fri, Mar 9</b>	Evening Ranger Program - Time: Call Visitor Center at 915.828.3251 ext. 2124 GUADALUPE MOUNTAINS NATIONAL PARK
<b>Fri, Mar 9 8:30 AM</b>	Mckelligon Canyon Hike to the heart rock - El Paso Hiking Group <a href="https://www.meetup.com/El-Paso-Hiking/events/248314359/">https://www.meetup.com/El-Paso-Hiking/events/248314359/</a>
<b>Sat, Mar 10 8:00 AM</b>	15th Annual Camp Furlong Day - 102nd anniversary of Villa's raid on Columbus - Pancho Villa State Park. <a href="https://wwwapps.emnrd.state.nm.us/spd/parksevent/calendar/Default.aspx">https://wwwapps.emnrd.state.nm.us/spd/parksevent/calendar/Default.aspx</a>

<b>Sat, Mar 10, 8:30am - 12:00pm</b>	Back by Noon: Reptiles of the Chihuahuan Desert; Baylor Pass Trail in the Organ Mountains Desert Peaks National Monument; <a href="http://www.wildmesquite.org/events">http://www.wildmesquite.org/events</a>
<b>Sat, Mar 10, 9:00</b>	Aden Crater & Kilbourne Hole Volcanics - A Geo-Ventures Event. <a href="http://www.celebmtns.org/calendar/">http://www.celebmtns.org/calendar/</a>
<b>Sat, Mar 10, 9:00- 11:30a</b>	A women-only hike at Hueco Tanks. - Hueco Tanks State Park & Historic Site <a href="https://tpwd.texas.gov/calendar/hueco-tanks/">https://tpwd.texas.gov/calendar/hueco-tanks/</a>
<b>Sat, Mar 10, 2:00 pm</b>	The Artisans of Mata Ortiz: A Complex Origin Story by Fabiola E. Silva - El Paso Museum of Archaeology 2018 Lecture Series. <a href="https://archaeology.elpasotexas.gov/">https://archaeology.elpasotexas.gov/</a>
<b>Sat, Mar 10, 6:00 pm</b>	Magical March Skies at Leasburg Dam - Leasburg Dam State Park <a href="https://wwwapps.emnrd.state.nm.us/spd/parksevent/calendar/Default.aspx">https://wwwapps.emnrd.state.nm.us/spd/parksevent/calendar/Default.aspx</a>
<b>Daily: 6:15 P</b> 03/11/2018 to 03/30/2018	Sunset Strolls - - White Sands National Monument (one hour before sunset) <a href="https://www.nps.gov/whsa/planyourvisit/calendar.htm">https://www.nps.gov/whsa/planyourvisit/calendar.htm</a>
<b>Sun, Mar 11 6:30 AM</b>	Road-trip to Carlsbad Caverns N.P. - El Paso Hiking Group <a href="https://www.meetup.com/El-Paso-Hiking/events/248287948/">https://www.meetup.com/El-Paso-Hiking/events/248287948/</a>
<b>Tue, Mar 13 7:00pm - 8:30pm</b>	Tuesday Talk: Living with Snakes; Cottonwood Gallery: 275 N. Main St. Las Cruces, NM 88001. <a href="http://www.wildmesquite.org/events">http://www.wildmesquite.org/events</a>
<b>Thu, Mar 15 7:30p-9:30p</b>	Hueco Tanks Constellation Tour - Hueco Tanks State Park & Historic Site <a href="https://tpwd.texas.gov/calendar/hueco-tanks/hueco-tanks-constellation-tour-1">https://tpwd.texas.gov/calendar/hueco-tanks/hueco-tanks-constellation-tour-1</a>
<b>Fri, Mar 16, 24 hrs event</b>	BioBlitz through Franklin Mountains State Park.
<b>Sat, Mar. 17 8 AM</b>	Hueco Tanks Birding Hike - Hueco Tanks State Park & Historic Site <a href="https://tpwd.texas.gov/calendar/hueco-tanks/hueco-tanks-birding-hike/2018-03-17">https://tpwd.texas.gov/calendar/hueco-tanks/hueco-tanks-birding-hike/2018-03-17</a>
<b>Sat, Mar. 17 8 AM</b>	Back by Noon: Otero Mesa - <a href="http://www.wildmesquite.org/events">http://www.wildmesquite.org/events</a>
<b>Sat, Mar. 17 8 AM</b>	Women-Only Hike - Franklin Mountains State Park <a href="https://tpwd.texas.gov/calendar/franklin-mountains/women-only-hike/2018-03-17">https://tpwd.texas.gov/calendar/franklin-mountains/women-only-hike/2018-03-17</a>
<b>Sat, Mar. 17 9 AM</b>	Workday - Rio Bosque Wetlands Park; Meet at bridge over Riverside Canal. <a href="https://research.utep.edu/Default.aspx?tabid=65792">https://research.utep.edu/Default.aspx?tabid=65792</a>
<b>Sat, Mar 17, 12-4PM</b>	Wyler Aerial Tramway Anniversary Celebration <a href="https://tpwd.texas.gov/calendar/wyler-aerial-tramway/">https://tpwd.texas.gov/calendar/wyler-aerial-tramway/</a>
<b>Sun, Mar 18 8AM -12PM</b>	Tin Mine Hike - Franklin Mountains State Park <a href="https://tpwd.texas.gov/calendar/franklin-mountains/tin-mine-hike-1">https://tpwd.texas.gov/calendar/franklin-mountains/tin-mine-hike-1</a>
<b>Thu, Mar 22 6:30 PM</b>	Friends of the Rio Bosque monthly meeting. 206 Kelly Hall, UTEP campus. <a href="https://research.utep.edu/Default.aspx?tabid=65792">https://research.utep.edu/Default.aspx?tabid=65792</a>
<b>Sat, Mar 24 7:00am - 12:00pm</b>	Back by Noon: Spring Raptor Migration. - Location: Rio Grande <a href="http://www.wildmesquite.org/events">http://www.wildmesquite.org/events</a>
<b>Sat, Mar 24 8:00 AM</b>	Monthly Bird ID Walking Tour - Leasburg Dam State Park <a href="https://wwwapps.emnrd.state.nm.us/spd/parksevent/calendar/Default.aspx">https://wwwapps.emnrd.state.nm.us/spd/parksevent/calendar/Default.aspx</a>

<b>Sat, Mar 24 9AM - 12PM</b>	Lake Lucero Tour - White Sands National Monument <a href="https://www.nps.gov/whsa/planyourvisit/calendar.htm">https://www.nps.gov/whsa/planyourvisit/calendar.htm</a>
<b>Sat, Mar 24 9 AM</b>	Introductory tour - Rio Bosque Wetlands Park; Meet at bridge over Riverside Canal. <a href="https://research.utep.edu/Default.aspx?tabid=65792">https://research.utep.edu/Default.aspx?tabid=65792</a>
<b>Sun, Mar 25, 8:00 AM</b>	Hueco Tanks Birding Hike - Hueco Tanks State Park & Historic Site <a href="https://tpwd.texas.gov/calendar/hueco-tanks/">https://tpwd.texas.gov/calendar/hueco-tanks/</a>
<b>Sat, Mar 17, 9-10:30 AM</b>	"Focus on Nature": A guided hike - El Paso Museum of Archaeology <a href="https://research.utep.edu/Default.aspx?tabid=65792">https://research.utep.edu/Default.aspx?tabid=65792</a>
<b>Sun, Mar 25, 8:00 AM</b>	Last Sunday Hike - Wyler Aerial Tramway <a href="https://tpwd.texas.gov/calendar/wyler-aerial-tramway/">https://tpwd.texas.gov/calendar/wyler-aerial-tramway/</a>
<b>Tue, Mar. 27 7 AM</b>	Bird survey - Rio Bosque Wetlands Park; Meet at Rio Bosque visitor center <a href="https://research.utep.edu/Default.aspx?tabid=65792">https://research.utep.edu/Default.aspx?tabid=65792</a>
<b>Fri, Mar 30 10:00 AM</b>	Tom Mays Tin Mine and West Franklin Mountains: a Geo-Venuters Event - <a href="http://www.celebmtns.org/calendar/">http://www.celebmtns.org/calendar/</a>
<b>Sat, Mar 31 8:00am - 12:00pm</b>	Back by Noon: Anthony Gap Cave - Franklin Mountains State Park <a href="http://www.wildmesquite.org/events">http://www.wildmesquite.org/events</a>
<b>Sat, Mar 31 9:30a- 12:30p</b>	From the Roots to the Fruits! - Hueco Tanks State Park & Historic Site <a href="https://tpwd.texas.gov/calendar/hueco-tanks/from-the-roots-to-the-fruits-1">https://tpwd.texas.gov/calendar/hueco-tanks/from-the-roots-to-the-fruits-1</a>
<b>Sat, Mar31, 10 am to 4:00 pm</b>	Poppies Fest - El Paso Museum of Archaeology 2018 Lecture Series. <a href="https://archaeology.elpasotexas.gov/">https://archaeology.elpasotexas.gov/</a> Free Public Parking at Cohen Stadium