

NOVEMBER 2018 THURSDAY D HIKES

Meet at the Eagles Nest Clubhouse 7:00 a.m. Leave at 7:15 a.m.

November 1, 2018 (NEW HIKE)

Leader: *Wayne Wills & Roger Sanders*

ESTRELLA FOOTHILLS Option 2

Rating: D

Miles 4.1

Elevation Gain 450 Ft.

Shiver me timbers thru Pirate Cove trail, and then we will Giddy Up thru Giddy Up Trail only to find What's Up Trail and then onto Coyote Trail. Beautiful views of Estrella lakes. Driving distance is 20 miles RT.

November 8, 2018 (NEW HIKE)

Leader: *Wayne Wills & Roger Sanders*

HASSAYAMPA RIVER PRESERVE

Rating D

Miles 3.6

Elevation Gain 250 Ft.

Hassayampa River flows only underground. But within the preserve its crystal clear waters emerge, flowing above ground throughout the year. This lush streamside habitat is home to some of the desert's most spectacular wildlife.

This hike you will see water, wildlife and hopefully great fall colors. Join us for lunch in Wickenburg at a great Mexican Restaurant after the hike Anita's Cocina – Mexican Restaurant – Family Run serving Mexican food in a western inspired setting. Driving distance is 80 miles RT.

November 15, 2018

Leader: *Doug J.*

ESTRELLA MOUNTAINS

Rainbow, Dysart, Toothaker

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 Toothaker Trail. Turn left on the Toothaker Trail and head back to the rodeo. Trail condition – good hiking trail. A restroom is at the trailhead. Park entrance fee is \$6.00 per car. Driving distance 20 miles RT.

November 22, 2018
NO HIKE THANKSGIVING

November 29, 2018
Leader: *Jeanette Wellman/Ron Hoffman*
DEEMS HILL
Rating D
Miles 4.1
Elevation Gain 560 Ft.

This is a 4.1 mile loop hike around the Deem Hills Recreation area with an elevation change of 560 ft. There are distinct vegetation areas on the different sides of the hills. There would be good wildflowers after a wet winter. Good views from the top showing the area north of 101 and west I 17. Restrooms are at the trailhead. No Park Fee. Driving Distance is 65 miles RT.