

DESCRIPTION:
<p><b>HIKE: C Challenge Hike - Tucson Area - Madera Creek Trail from Proctor Parking to Dutch John Spring and Amphitheatre and return in Madera Canyon.</b></p> <p><b>REASON FOR CHALLENGE:</b> C hike rating exceeded: Elevation.</p> <p><b>DESCRIPTION:</b> This hike is a 6.7 mile in and out hike with an elevation gain of 1740 feet. Go to the first parking area and begin hiking up the canyon on a tarmac trail that parallels the creek. Be on the lookout for deer, wild turkeys, and numerous birds as well as bird watchers. This is a gentle ascent, easy walk and beautiful, peaceful place of oak and sycamores. At the Madera Picnic Area, parking area C, cross the highway and find the 0.4 mile trail toward Dutch John Spring. This leads to the Bog Springs Campground and look for the continuation of the trail at the sign. From here, the trail follows steeply uphill for approximately 1.2 miles through a small canyon with a dry creek. Look carefully for the sign showing the tank and spring, which is easy to miss on the way up and the trail digresses to a game trail past this point. Numerous deer use this area and are easy to spot if you are quiet. At the turnaround, come back to the campground and then backtrack to a trail on the left which leads 0.6 miles to the B parking area and Amphitheatre. Walk along the creek downhill to the Proctor parking lot. This is a very peaceful and enjoyable hike.</p> <p><b>TRAILHEAD NAME:</b> Proctor Parking and Trailhead <b>TRAILS:</b> Dutch John Spring, Madera Canyon Trails</p> <p><b>FEES AND FACILITIES:</b> Interagency Pass or Coronado NF Pass accepted. If not \$8 per day per vehicle (\$10 for a week).</p> <p><b>DRIVING DIRECTIONS:</b> to Dutch John Spring Trail in Madera Canyon Drive south on PebbleCreek Parkway to I 10. Take I10 East (left) past Tucson to Green Valley. From Green Valley, turn left onto East Continental Road and proceed under the freeway. Go 0.8 miles. Turn right onto Madera Canyon Road and proceed 12 miles to the entrance. Drive to the first parking area Proctor Parking and Trailhead. <b>DRIVING DISTANCE:</b> 300 miles</p> <p><b>PCHC TRAIL ID:</b> 668</p>
<p><b>HIKE: C Challenge Hike - Tucson Area - Wassan Peak.</b></p> <p><b>REASON FOR CHALLENGE:</b> C hike rating exceeded: Elevation.</p> <p><b>DESCRIPTION:</b> This hike is an 8 mile in and out hike with an elevation gain of 1800 feet. Wasson Peak is at an elevation of 4,687 feet. and is the highest summit in the Tucson Mountains. (the range west of the city). This is an 8 mile hike with an elevation change of 1,700 to 1,800 feet.</p> <p><b>IMPORTANT INFORMATION:</b> To Be Provided</p> <p><b>TRAILHEAD NAME:</b> King Canyon Trailhead <b>TRAILS:</b> No Named Trails</p> <p><b>FEES AND FACILITIES:</b> No Facilities and n Park Fees.</p> <p><b>DRIVING DIRECTIONS:</b> Directions to Kings Canyon Trail (Wasson Peak) Head south on PebbleCreek Parkway to I10. Take I10 East (left) and continue to Tucson. Turn west (right) on Speedway (exit 257). This turns into Gates Pass Road. Turn right on Kinney Road and head past the ArizonaSonora Desert Museum. The King Canyon trailhead is located a short distance north of the museum. <b>DRIVING DISTANCE:</b> 300 miles</p> <p><b>PCHC TRAIL ID:</b> 667</p>
<p><b>HIKE: C Hike - Tucson Area - 2023 Spring Tucson C Placeholder Hike.</b></p> <p><b>DESCRIPTION:</b> This hike is an 8 mile in and out hike with an elevation gain of 1000 feet. Placeholder for 2023 C Spring trip to Tucson</p> <p><b>TRAILHEAD NAME: TRAILS:</b> TBD</p> <p><b>FEES AND FACILITIES:</b> TBD</p> <p><b>DRIVING DIRECTIONS:</b> TBD <b>DRIVING DISTANCE:</b> 300 miles</p> <p><b>PCHC TRAIL ID:</b> 10013</p>

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**HIKE: C Hike - Tucson Area - Sabino Canyon - Phone Line Trail.**

**DESCRIPTION:** This hike is a 5 mile point to point hike with an elevation gain of 900 feet. The hike begins in the Sabino Canyon parking lot at a starting altitude is 2700 feet. After crossing Sabino Creek there is a moderate climb to the Phoneline Trail. The trail is above and generally parallel to the tram road and offers outstanding views of the canyon. The return route will be back along the tram road or ride the tram back down for a C hike. There is a \$6.00 (have the exact change) tram fee which can be paid to the driver at the embarkation point, stop 9. Hike 10 miles for a B hike or 5 for a C hike.

**IMPORTANT INFORMATION:** Check in advance that the Sabino Canyon Tram is operative. Bring \$6 for for tram ride back to parking lot.

**TRAILHEAD NAME:** Sabino Canyon Parking Area **TRAILS:** Phone Line

**FEES AND FACILITIES:** Interagency Pass or Coronado NF Pass accepted. If not \$8 per day per vehicle (\$10 for a week). Extra charge for tram ride back to parking lot (\$6).

**DRIVING DIRECTIONS:** to Sabino Canyo. Drive south on PebbleCreek Parkway to I10. Take I10 East (left) to Tucson. Exit onto Ina Road going east about 6.2 miles where it peters out at Skyline Drive. Turn right on Skyline which turns into Sunrise. Follow Sunrise to the end and follow the signs into Sabino Canyon Recreation area. **DRIVING DISTANCE:** 300 miles

**PCHC TRAIL ID:** 669

**HIKE: C Hike - Tucson Area - Sabino Canyon - Seven Falls.**

**DESCRIPTION:** This hike is a 4.8 mile point to point hike with an elevation gain of 500 feet. From the Sabino Canyon Visitor Center, take shuttle (1.7 miles, 10 minutes, small fee) to the Seven Falls Trailhead. The trail is 4.8 miles round trip, with a 500 feet elevation change starting at 3800 feet, and takes approximately 3 hours. There are several stream crossings with the stream being dry to a trickle. There is water in the pool below the falls

**IMPORTANT INFORMATION:** Check in advance that the Sabino Canyon Tram is operative. Bring \$6 for for tram ride to start of hike.

**TRAILHEAD NAME:** Sabino Canyon Parking Area **TRAILS:** Seven Falls Trail

**FEES AND FACILITIES:** Interagency Pass or Coronado NF Pass accepted. If not \$8 per day per vehicle (\$10 for a week). Extra charge for tram ride back to parking lot (\$6).

**DRIVING DIRECTIONS:** to Sabino Canyo. Drive south on PebbleCreek Parkway to I10. Take I10 East (left) to Tucson. Exit onto Ina Road going east about 6.2 miles where it peters out at Skyline Drive. Turn right on Skyline which turns into Sunrise. Follow Sunrise to the end and follow the signs into Sabino Canyon Recreation area. **DRIVING DISTANCE:** 300 miles

**PCHC TRAIL ID:** 723