



PICTURE YOUR WORLD

YOUTH PHOTOGRAPHY PROGRAM

2017-2018



Join us for the 2017-2018 season of Picture Your World hosted by **Green Spaces Alliance of South Texas**. Open to youth ages 8-18, the Picture Your World weekend workshops teach photographic composition and technique through hands-on demonstration, and constructive critique. Participants will produce a visual memory of their day and begin a creative portfolio while experiencing the wonders of the natural environment. Each workshop is led by the Picture Your World Program Manager, Carra Garza, along with a professional photographer, and a Master Naturalist. Participants may bring their own digital camera, or we will provide one for you. The cost per workshop is \$20.00 per student. Fees may be waived for students demonstrating financial need. Registration is also available online at www.greensatx.org/events.

All workshops are from 1:00 pm - 4:30 pm on the dates listed.

Sun., September 10, 2017: Mitchell Lake Audubon Center — Just south of downtown San Antonio, the Mitchell Lake Audubon Center is located on a 1200-acre natural area. This unique and beautiful bird haven consists of the 600-acre Mitchell Lake, 215 acres of wetlands and ponds and 385 acres of upland habitat.

Mitchell Lake Audubon Center, 10750 Pleasanton Rd, San Antonio, TX 78221. mitchelllake.audubon.org

Sun., October 22, 2017: Warbler Woods Bird Sanctuary — Warbler Woods is a private property, which is managed as a bird and wildlife refuge and preserve. It covers 126 acres of varied habitat and is near the convergence of three Ecological Regions: South Texas Plains, Blackland Prairie, and Edwards Plateau.

Warbler Woods Bird Sanctuary, 19349 Old Wiederstein Rd., Cibolo, TX 78108. warblerwoods.org

Sun., November 12, 2017: Bulverde Oaks Nature Preserve — Nestled between a major highway and limestone and concrete industries lies an unlikely peaceful oasis. This property, gifted in 2010, is owned and managed by Green Spaces Alliance. Bulverde Oaks Nature Preserve, a 31-acre patchwork of nature, is a sanctuary for local wildlife and native plants.

Bulverde Oaks Nature Preserve, NW Corner of NE 1604 and Judson Rd., San Antonio, TX 78259. greensatx.org

Sun., January 21, 2018: Land Heritage Institute — The Land Heritage Institute is a living land museum on 1200 acres of open space along the banks of the Medina River. Located on the far south side of San Antonio, the institutes' mission is one of preserving, maintaining and interpreting 10,000 years of continual human habitation.

The Land Heritage Institute, 1349 Neal Road, San Antonio, TX 78204. landheritageinstitute.org

Sun., February 11, 2018: Confluence Park — Located near the convergence of the San Antonio River and San Pedro Creek, Confluence Park is a destination for learning and recreation, inspiring visitors while teaching environmental science and sustainability. Come explore where art and science meet. Confluence Park is a living example of the promise of our river and what the future will be if we act as stewards of our river and all of our water sources. *Confluence Park, 310 Mitchell Street, San Antonio, TX 78204. sariverfoundation.org/river-initiatives/confluence-park/*

Sun., March 4, 2018: The Headwaters at Incarnate Word — The Headwaters is a 53-acre Sanctuary which is home to the Blue Hole, the source spring of the San Antonio River. A nonprofit Earth care ministry of the Sisters of Charity of the Incarnate Word, the Headwaters provides a sanctuary where people are encouraged to reflect and find meaning in their connection with the Earth, themselves, and each other.

The Headwaters at Incarnate Word, 4503 Broadway, San Antonio, TX 78209. headwaters-iw.org

Sun., April 15, 2018: Bracken Cave Preserve — Bracken Cave, on the northern outskirts of San Antonio, is home to the world's largest bat colony, with more than 15 million Mexican free-tailed bats. It is a key maternity site for this species, and females congregate there each year to give birth and rear their young.

Bracken Cave Preserve, 26101 FM 3009, Gardenridge, TX 78266. batcon.org



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To register online, please visit our website: greensatx.org/events

Or, mail this form with a check to: Green Spaces Alliance P.O. Box 6250, San Antonio, TX 78209.

Pre-registration is highly preferred, to ensure enough space and equipment for all students.

Student Name: _____ Parent/Guardian Name: _____

Student's Age: _____ School: _____

Would the student like to borrow a camera? Yes _____ No _____

Does the student identify as Hispanic / Latino? Yes _____ No _____

Student's gender identity: Female _____ Male _____ Other _____

Home Address: _____

City: _____ ZIP: _____

E-mail: _____ Emergency Phone: _____

Amount enclosed: \$ _____

I acknowledge that I am responsible for my child. Neither the photographer, naturalist, instructor, Green Spaces Alliance, nor landowner is responsible in the event of accident that injures him/her. By participating in this event, the volunteer also acknowledges that their photo may be taken and used for future publicity without identification or release of any personal contact information. We will not share your information with any entity, except anonymously for grant applications and reporting.

Signature of Parent/Guardian: _____

Date: _____

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