



PICTURE YOUR WORLD YOUTH PHOTOGRAPHY PROGRAM 2016-2017



Join us for the 2016-2017 season of Picture Your World hosted by Green Spaces Alliance of South Texas. Open to all 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 \$10.00 per student for Green Spaces members and \$20.00 per student for non-members. Fees may be waived for students demonstrating financial need. Registration is also available online at www.greensatx.org. All workshops are from 1:00pm - 4:30pm on the dates listed.

___ Sun., Sept., 18, 2016: Government Canyon State Natural Area

Government Canyon has 12,085 acres including more than 40 miles of hiking and biking trails that range from remote rugged canyon lands to gently rolling grasslands. Most of the natural area overlays the Edwards Aquifer recharge zone and is home to 110 million-year-old dinosaur footprints. *12861 Galm Rd., San Antonio, TX 78254;* www.tpwd.texas.gov/state-parks/government-canyon

___ Sun., Oct. 16, 2016: Phil Hardberger Park Homestead and Salado Creek

History is a big part of Phil Hardberger Park. The land that now makes up the park was once the Voelcker family's dairy farm. Hardberger Park Conservancy is working with many organizations to preserve the old Voelcker homestead as a place for learning about San Antonio's agrarian heritage. Join us as we explore the Homestead and Salado Creek area around Hardberger Park East. *PHP East, 13203 Blanco Rd., San Antonio, TX 78216;* www.philhardbergerpark.org

___ Sun., Nov. 13, 2016: Japanese Tea Garden

Established on a former limestone quarry, the Japanese Tea Garden is a unique, educational and cultural complex that includes a rock pavilion, waterfall, lily pond and Japanese garden. This workshop is made possible through the generosity of the San Antonio Parks Foundation. *3853 N. St. Mary's St., San Antonio, TX 78212;* www.junguhouse.sa.com

___ Sun., Jan. 22, 2017: Cibolo Nature Center

With its abundant trails, the Cibolo Nature Center in Boerne offers a variety of new experiences and opportunities to connect with nature in all seasons. *Cibolo Nature Center, 140 City Park Road, Boerne, TX 78006;* www.cibolo.org

___ Sun., Feb. 12, 2017: Medina River Natural Area

The Medina River Natural Area is a 511-acre oasis with riverfront paved and dirt hiking and biking trails. A picturesque landscape rich with pecan and bald cypress trees near the river and with cactus and honey mesquite dotting the upland trails. *15890 Highway 16 South, San Antonio, TX 78264;* www.sanantonio.gov

___ Sun., March 5, 2017: Friedrich Wilderness Park

Friedrich Wilderness Park offers 5.5 miles of trails. It is home for rare birds, terrestrial orchids, steep hills and deep canyons. Friedrich is a nesting site for two federally listed endangered species of birds: the Black-capped Vireo and the Golden-cheeked warbler. *21395 Milsa Drive, San Antonio, TX 78256;* <http://bit.ly/2bR39B0>

___ Sun., April 2, 2017: 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. *1349 Neal Road, San Antonio, TX 78204;* www.landheritageinstitute.org

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To register online visit our website at: <http://www.greensatx.org/upcoming-events/register-for-a-workshop>, or, mail this form and check/cash to: Green Spaces Alliance P.O. Box 6250, San Antonio, TX 78209.

___ **YES!** I would like to become a member of Green Spaces Alliance. Each workshop is only \$10 for members' children. Your membership contribution is fully tax-deductible. *Membership is optional.*

- ___ \$50 Family
- ___ \$100 Advocate
- ___ \$500 Patron
- ___ \$1,000 Conservator

Student's Name: _____

Parent/Guardian's Name: _____

Student's Age: _____

School: _____

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.

Signature of Parent/Guardian: _____

Date: _____

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