



Programs in May!



Bastrop State Park

5/6

Lost Pines Through the Ages (Guided Hike)

When: 10am – 11:30am

Meet: Playground

Distance/Difficulty: 1 mile/moderate

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When: 2pm – 3:30pm

Meet: Lake Mina

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Lost Pines Trail Crew

When: 8:30am – noon

Where: Refectory Parking Lot

Difficulty: Challenging/Volunteer Project

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Minors must be with an adult.



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Finding the Silver Lining (Guided Hike)

When: 10am – 11:30am

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Hike Difficulty Levels



Easy: Mostly paved trail, easy walking, strollers welcome!



Moderate: Uneven terrain, some elevation changes, strollers not recommended



Challenging: Very uneven terrain, loose rocks, large elevation changes, strollers not recommended

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Volunteer Opportunities!

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What: Trail maintenance service project

Meet: Refectory Parking Lot

When: 8:30am – Noon

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Age Restrictions: *All participants must be at least 15 years old. All minors must be accompanied by a parent or guardian.*

June

6/3 → **National Trails Day! Lost Pines Trail Crew**

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*Want to stay in the loop? Email our Volunteer Coordinator!
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