

June 2026 Hiking Schedule

Updates & changes in RED

NEW HIKES in GREEN

All hikes meet at the Welcome Center unless otherwise specified in the hike description.
Carpools can be arranged when the group meets at Welcome Center

Monday, June 1, 2026, Meadow and Mount Lemmon Loop [D/2mi/344'/\$12/7:30am] This will be a half-day escape from the Summer heat. The trail is fairly level and easy near the top of Mt. Lemmon, but remember the 9,000 feet elevation. Meet at Welcome Center to carpool. We will picnic at one of the available locations on the Mt. Lemmon road before our return. Byron Wolffing, wolffing5@gmail.com

Thursday, June 4, 2026, C/D Early Bird golf course hike [D/3mi or C/5mi/300' total/\$0/5:15AM]. Meet at the SCOV clubhouse. Walk holes 1 through 9 for 3 miles and 7 holes on the back 9 for 5 miles. Starting at 5:15 AM. This is a fast pace hike due to time constraints. Jane Budden. janeannabudden@gmail.com

Saturday, June 6, 2026, Big Wash Scenic Trail /Honey Bee Canyon Access Loop [C/6mi/<400'/\$0/6:15am] at a B Hike pace! From Desert Oasis enter the trail at Summerstar. Hike out to the Scenic Trail, heading down to appreciate the quiet wilderness in our own backyard, take a cookie break in The Grove and return up Honey Bee Canyon Access Trail. Deb Wehrung, debwehrung@gmail.com

Monday, June 8, 2026, Sweetwater Preserve: Saguaro vista, Sun Circle & Blackrock Loop [C/5miles/300'/\$3/6am] We will meet behind the Welcome Center at 6am and carpool to the Sweetwater Preserve Trailhead. This is a nice trail in the Tucson Mountains with many Saguaros (which will probably be in full bloom). There are some rocky areas along with some gentle rolling hills. John Terp, jaterp@comcast.net

Thursday, June 11, 2026, C/D Early Bird golf course hike [D/3mi or C/5mi/300' total/\$0/5:15AM] Meet at the SCOV clubhouse. Walk holes 1 through 9 for 3 miles and 7 holes on the back 9 for 5 miles. Starting at 5:15 AM. This is a fast pace hike due to time constraints. Jane Budden. janeannabudden@gmail.com

Thursday, June 11, 2026, Golf Course Evening Hike [D/3mi/300' total/\$0/6:30 pm] Meet at golf clubhouse. Walk holes 1 through 9 for (2.6) 3 miles. gvporter@live.com

Saturday, June 13, 2026, Tortolita Flats [C/6mi/300'/\$0/6:15am] at a B Hike pace! Meet at Desert Oasis. Enter the trail at Summerstar. Walk north on Sun City Blvd. Take bike trails to the Rail X Ranch - Honey Bee Canyon Loop. Hike the loop, crossing the Powerline, completing the loop, crossing the Powerline again, and return on the bike trails. Deb Wehrung, debwehrung@gmail.com

Tuesday, June 16, 2026, Golf Course Evening Hike [D/3mi/300' total/\$0/6:30 pm] Meet at golf clubhouse. Walk holes 10 through 18 for 3 miles. gvporter@live.com

Wednesday, June 17, 2026, Tortolita Flats including a new trail [C/6miles/ 200'/\$0/6:15am] We will meet at Desert Oasis a little before 6:15am and enter the trail at Summerstar. We'll hike some familiar trails to start but will quickly veer onto a new trail which will take us to a stock tank and eventually to the junction with the Scenic trail. Leading us back to the Honeybee East trail and the DO. John Terp, jaterp@comcast.net

Thursday, June 18, 2026, C/D Early Bird golf course hike [D/3mi or C/5mi/300' total/\$0/5:15AM] Meet at the SCOV clubhouse. Walk holes 1 through 9 for 3 miles and 7 holes on the back 9 for 5 miles. Starting at 5:15 AM. This is a fast-paced hike due to time constraints. Jane Budden. janeannabudden@gmail.com

HIKE LEADER CHANGE. Thursday, June 18, 2026, Golf Course Evening Hike [D/3mi/300' total/\$0/6:30 pm] Meet at golf clubhouse. Walk holes 1 through 9 for (2.6) 3 miles. Dave Flatness, sigrid.daveflatness@gmail.com gvporter@live.com

Saturday, June 20, 2026, Big Wash Scenic Trail/ Honey Bee Canyon Access Loop [C/6mi/<400'/\$0/6:15am] at a B Hike pace! From Desert Oasis enter the trail at Summerstar. Hike out to the Scenic Trail, heading down to appreciate the quiet wilderness in our own backyard, take a cookie break in The Grove and return up Honey Bee Canyon Access Trail. Deb Wehrung, debwehrung@gmail.com

Saturday, June 20, 2026, Vistoso Trails Nature Preserve [D/3mi/100'/\$0/7:30 am] Short, close-in hike; easy, paved, minimal elevation, three-mile loop trail at Vistoso Trails Nature Preserve. A concrete trail winds through the former Vistoso Golf course. Social pace. Beautiful mountain views and opportunities to view wildlife. Carpool from BEHIND SCOV Welcome Center. Debbie Hansen, 425.931.3334 djhansolo@comcast.net

CANCELLED. Tuesday, June 23, 2026, Golf Course Evening Hike [D/3mi/300' total/\$0/6:30 pm] Meet at golf clubhouse. Walk holes 10 through 18 for 3 miles. gvporter@live.com

CANCELLED. Thursday, June 25, 2026, Golf Course Evening Hike [D/3mi/300' total/\$0/6:30 pm] Meet at golf clubhouse. Walk holes 1 through 9 for (2.6) 3 miles. gvporter@live.com

Friday, June 26, 2026, 50 Year, CDO Ridge, Powerline, CDO Trail [D/4mi/390'/\$4/6:30am]

Meet at the Equestrian Center in Catalina State Park or arrange carpools among yourselves. Take the 50 Year Trail a short distance until it branches off into the CDO Ridge Trail. This trail connects to the Powerline Trail which descends to the CDO Wash (with shade), then return to the Equestrian Center. Byron Wolffing, wolffing5@gmail.com

Saturday, June 27, 2026, Tortolita Flats [C/6mi/300'/\$0/6:15am] at a B Hike pace! Meet at Desert Oasis. Enter the trail at Summerstar. Walk north on Sun City Blvd. Take bike trails to the Rail X Ranch - Honey Bee Canyon Loop. Hike the loop, crossing the Powerline, completing the loop, crossing the Powerline again, and return on the bike trails. Deb Wehrung, debwehrung@gmail.com.

Monday, June 29, 2026, Full Moon Golf Course Hike [D/3mi/100'/7pm] This evening hike will start from the Welcome Center and cover half of the golf course. Moonrise is scheduled at 7:50pm. Byron Wolffing, wolffing5@gmail.com