

Opportunities to Participate in a Social Outing to Discover San Antonio with other NextGen'rs and Judges

These activities are only open to NextGen Class of 2018 and Their Guests, plus Judges and Attorneys on the NextGen Committee

Group Hike at Friedrich Wilderness Park!

The NextGen Committee has arranged a Sunday morning hike at the Friedrich Wilderness Park. The Park is home to rare birds, terrestrial orchids, steep hills and deep canyons. It is internationally known for bird watching. Perched on the edge of the Balcones Escarpment, Friedrich is a nesting site for two federally listed endangered species of birds: the Black-capped Vireo and the Golden-cheeked Warbler. The guided hike will start at the park at 8:00 a.m. and return to the hotel by 11:00, in time to make the dine-around-lunches that immediately precede the Judicial Roundtable. The cost is a minimum donation of \$3.00 to the Park plus contribution to the group cost of travel from hotel to the Park and back.

Bike or Hike the World Heritage Historic San Antonio Missions!

The NextGen Committee also has arranged a casual bike ride or hike at the UNESCO World Heritage sites, just a few minutes from downtown San Antonio, on Monday, October 29, at 9:00 a.m. The tours will have local guides, and bicycles and helmets will be included for cyclists. The tours will conclude by 1:30 p.m.

The cost will be approximately \$59 for hikers and \$75 for cyclists, plus a small charge for transportation to and from the Missions. The Alamo, located in downtown San Antonio and established in 1718, is the best known of the five San Antonio Missions, but there are four other outlying Missions which were founded near the San Antonio River in the 1720s and 1730s. With local guides, we will visit three of the four outlying historic Missions -- San Jose, Concepcion, and Espada -- as well as the Espada Dam and Aqueduct. Join us for a fun and healthy outing and see the historic side of San Antonio, which celebrates its 300th anniversary this year.

When the Class of 2018 has been selected NextGen will provide additional information about these activities and other social events and the sign up details.