PHOENIX SUMMIT CHALLENGE

2026

HIKER PASSPORT

THANK YOU!

PARTNERS

ARIZONA HIKING SHACK

City of Phoenix
PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT

Take a Do it
HIKE. RIGHT.

NORTH MOUNTAIN
NMT Brewing
Phoenix, Arizona

ARIZONA
PARKS & RECREATION ASSOCIATION

Just Roughin' It
Adventure Company

Thank to all the participants, City of Phoenix Park Rangers, staff, volunteers, sponsors, and community members who help to conserve, protect, and maintain trails and outdoor recreation areas. To become a donor, sponsor, or volunteer email PSC@PHOENIX.GOV

KNOW BEFORE YOU GO

INFORMATION SESSION:

Monday, October 19th
4:30 pm – 6:00 pm
Arizona Hiking Shack
3244 E. Thomas Rd
Phoenix AZ 85018

BAG PICK-UP:

Saturday, November 14
10 am – 2 pm
Arizona Hiking Shack
3244 E. Thomas Rd
Phoenix, AZ 85018

Wednesday, November 18
4 pm – 8 pm
Just Roughin' It
10880 N. 32nd Street,
Suite 17
Phoenix, AZ 85028



- Participants must attend
- Event wristband
- Noncompetitive event
- Meet PSC Sponsors and Park Rangers
- Pick up hiker swag
- Additional food, dessert and drink tokens can be purchased

PLANNING AHEAD:

- **Hike summit trails in the designated order**
  The starting trailhead and summit trail order is designated at registration for hiker safety, and to manage the availability of parking and number of hikers on the trail.
- **Restrooms and Water**
  Restrooms and water will be provided at each trailhead. Please bring refillable water bottles or hydration bladders.
- **Leave pets at home**
  Dogs or pets are NOT allowed to hike with PSC participants. The increased number of hikers may create an unsafe or stressful environment for pets. Thanks for keeping pets safe at home!

HITTING THE ROAD

Transportation between summit trails is not provided.

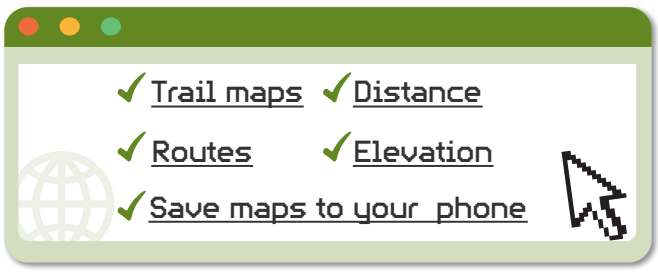
- Parking is limited. Please carpool when possible.
- Find a designated driver. Drivers are encouraged to wait away from trailhead parking. PSC hikers may call or text the driver as hikers finish the trail. Designated drivers may pick up a parking pass for their window at the PSC 2026 Bag Pick-Up & Expo.
- There is no trail parking for PSC trails at South Mountain Park. Transportation will be provided to PSC related trails from the Activity Complex. For more information on the transportation routes, please see page 9.
- Plan your driving route. Check ADOT 511 for road closures.

There will be no illegal or off-road parking. Illegal parking may result in a parking citation.

RAIN OR SHINE

Check the forecast, prepare for all potential weather conditions and seek shelter when dangerous conditions arise.

CHECK US OUT ONLINE!



Share your Success! Take photos with the PSC flag to capture your summits then post your pics to social media! #PSC2026

TRAILHEAD LOCATIONS

PSC ALL ABILITIES | **PSC 4** | **PSC 5** | **PSC 7**

Deem Hills Recreation Area

5050 W Andrea Lane,
Phoenix, AZ 85085

- **PSC All Abilities** - HOA Trail
- **PSC 7** - Deem Hills Ridgeline Trail

Desert Vista Trailhead

1901 W Desert Vista Trail,
Phoenix, AZ 85085

- **PSC 5** - Dixie Summit
- **PSC 7** - Dixie Summit



Papago Park

626 N. Galvin Pkwy.
Phoenix, AZ 85008

- **PSC All Abilities** - Papago Park 5K Fitness Loop

Piestewa Peak Trailhead

2700 E Piestewa Peak Dr,
Phoenix, AZ 85016

- **PSC 4** - Piestewa Peak Summit Trail
- **PSC 5** - Piestewa Peak Summit Trail
- **PSC 7** - Piestewa Peak Summit Trail

CARPOOL OR RECRUIT A DESIGNATED DRIVER

Parking is limited, please carpool when possible. Designated drivers are encourage to wait away from the trailhead parking lot. PSC hikers may call or text the driver as they finish the trail to alert the driver to return to the trailhead. Hikers with wristbands will be allowed to enter the parking lots. Designated drivers may pick up a parking pass at the Bag Pick-Up & Expo to access the parking lots on the day of the event.



Piestewa Peak Trailhead

2700 E Piestewa Peak Dr,
Phoenix, AZ 85016

- **PSC 4** - Mohave Trail
- **PSC 5** - Mohave Trail
- **PSC 7** - Mohave Trail

TRAILHEAD LOCATIONS

PSC ALL ABILITIES | **PSC 4** | **PSC 5** | **PSC 7**

PLAN YOUR DRIVING ROUTE!

Mapping tools recognize trailheads by different names and addresses. Test your favorite mapping tool using the information below in advance of the event. Scan the QR codes with your mobile phone camera then select the link that appears to open the map.



Apache Wash Trailhead

1600 E Sonoran Desert Dr
Phoenix, AZ 85085

- **PSC All Abilities** - Apache Wash Vista Loop
- **PSC 7** - Apache Wash Vista Summit Loop

Apache Wash Trailhead

1600 E Sonoran Desert Dr,
Phoenix, AZ 85085

- **PSC 4** - Ridgeback Overlook Summit
- **PSC 5** - Ridgeback Overlook Summit
- **PSC 7** - Ridgeback Overlook Summit

Dreamy Draw Recreation Area

2421 E Northern Ave,
Phoenix, AZ 85020

- **PSC 4** - VOAZ Summit
- **PSC 5** - VOAZ Summit
- **PSC 7** - VOAZ Summit

Activity Complex

10919 S Central Ave,
Phoenix, AZ 85042

- **PSC All Abilities** -Judith Tunell Trails Loop
- **PSC 4** - Dobbins Lookout Summit (Holbert)
- **PSC 4** - Ranger Summit
- **PSC 5** - Dobbins Lookout Summit (Holbert)
- **PSC 7** - Ranger Summit
- **PSC 7** - Dobbins Lookout Summit (Holbert)

Activity Complex - Shuttle

10409 S Central Ave,
Phoenix, AZ 85042

- **PSC 7** - Alta Trail

QUESTIONS?

Email us at PSC@PHOENIX.GOV

U ROCK FESTIVAL

JOIN HIKERS, FAMILY, AND FRIENDS AT THE UROCK FESTIVAL TO CELEBRATE ACCOMPLISHMENTS AND SHARE SUMMIT TRAIL STORIES.

EVERYONE IS WELCOME TO ATTEND

Beer and food tokens will be available for purchase at the URock Festival (based on availability). Additional food, dessert and drink tokens can be purchased at the bag pick-up.

Vegetarian meals will be available.

All individuals must present a valid driver license at the wristband tent as proof they are of legal drinking age **(21+)** before visiting the beer vendors.



PARTICIPANT REGISTRATION FEES INCLUDE ONE DINNER AND DESSERT TOKEN.





PHOENIX SUMMIT CHALLENGE



GO DIGITAL!

Capture your summit success
Take a photo with the flag at each summit!

#PSC2026
@PHXPARKS

CITY OF PHOENIX PARKS AND RECREATION

UROCK FESTIVAL

PHOENIX SUMMIT CHALLENGE 2026

DJ SURPLUS

1:00PM-5:00PM



THE BLINDSIDERS

5:00PM-7:00PM



SARAH STYLES AND THE BROTHERHOOD OF BLUES

7:00PM-9:00PM



ARIZONA HIKING SHACK AND JUST ROUGHIN' IT

UROCK DRAWING

PHOENIX SUMMIT CHALLENGE 2026

OVER $2000 WORTH OF OUTDOOR GEAR!
FOOTWEAR, PACKS, HEADLAMPS, ETC...







EVERY CHALLENGER RECEIVES A FREE TICKET AT THE FINISH

ARIZONA HIKING SHACK

WINNERS WILL BE CALLED EVERY 30 MINUTES STARTING AROUND 4PM.



THANK YOU PARK STEWARDS!

Park Stewards care for more than 200 miles of trails in the PHX Mountain Preserves. Additionally, they are an extension of the Park Rangers whether on Hike Patrol or Mtn. Bike Patrol!

Take a HIKE. Do it RIGHT.

More than **200** hikers annually are rescued from City of Phoenix desert and mountain parks and preserves. This simple checklist can help keep you from becoming a statistic.

Watch the Weather:
Yes, "it's a dry heat" – but Arizona's temperature can be deceiving and deadly. Hike when it's cool outside, try early mornings and evenings when there's more shade.

Dress Appropriately:
Wear proper shoes, clothing, hat and sunscreen.

Bring Water:
Hydrate before you go. Have plenty of water, more than you think you need. Turn around and head back to the trailhead before you drink half of your water.

Keep in Contact:
Carry a mobile phone.

Team Up:
Hike with others. If hiking solo, tell someone your start and end times, and location.

Be Honest:
Do you have a medical condition? Asthma, heart problems, diabetes, knee or back problems? Don't push yourself! (Even trained athletes have been caught off guard by getting dehydrated on Arizona trails.)

Don't Trailblaze:
Enjoy the Sonoran Desert's beautiful and undeveloped landscape, but please stay on designated trails.

Take Responsibility:
Don't be "that person" – the one who wasn't prepared, shouldn't have been there for health reasons or ignored safety guidelines. Be the responsible hiker, who takes a hike and does it right!



A public service message from the
City of Phoenix Parks & Recreation Department
and Fire Department

City of Phoenix

www.phoenix.gov

PSC 4
SUMMIT ROUTE ORDER

EVENT STARTS PROMPTLY AT 7:00 AM

	PHX4 START - **APACHE WASH-RIDGEBACK START**		Hiking Distance (Miles)	Elevation Gain (feet)
1	Ridgeback Overlook Summit	Apache Wash Trailhead	2.88	414.00
2	VOAZ Summit	Dreamy Draw Recreation Area	3.19	511.00
3	Piestewa Peak Summit Trail	Piestewa Peak Trailhead	2.40	1148.00
4	Dobbins Lookout Summit (Holbert)	Activity Complex	4.50	996.00
		TOTAL	**12.97**	**3121.00**

	PHX4 START - **PIESTEWA PEAK START (150 HIKERS)**		Hiking Distance (Miles)	Elevation Gain (feet)
1	Piestewa Peak Summit Trail	Piestewa Peak Trailhead	2.40	1148.00
2	Mohave Trail	Piestewa Peak Trailhead	1.70	456.00
3	Ranger Summit	Shuttle to Three Tables	3.54	889.00
4	Dobbins Lookout Summit (Holbert)	Activity Complex	4.50	996.00
		TOTAL	**12.14**	**3645.00**

DURATION: 6 HOURS

Mileage & Elevation Gain May Vary by GPS Tracking Tools

PSC 5
SUMMIT ROUTE ORDER

EVENT STARTS PROMPTLY AT 6:00 AM

PHX5 START -**DREAMY DRAW START**			Hiking Distance (Miles)	Elevation Gain (feet)
1	VOAZ Summit	Dreamy Draw Recreation Area	3.19	511.00
2	Piestewa Peak Summit Trail	Piestewa Peak Trailhead	2.40	1148.00
3	Ridgeback Overlook Summit	Apache Wash Trailhead	2.88	414.00
4	Dixie Summit	Desert Vista Trailhead	3.10	675.00
5	Dobbins Lookout Summit (Holbert)	Activity Complex	4.50	996.00
		TOTAL	**16.07**	**3744.00**

PHX5 START - **APACHE WASH VISTA START**			Hiking Distance (Miles)	Elevation Gain (feet)
1	Apache Wash Vista Summit Loop	Apache Wash Trailhead	2.49	391.00
2	VOAZ Summit	Dreamy Draw Recreation Area	3.19	511.00
3	Piestewa Peak Summit Trail	Piestewa Peak Trailhead	2.4	1148.00
4	Mohave Trail	Piestewa Peak Trailhead	1.70	456.00
5	Dobbins Lookout Summit (Holbert)	Activity Complex	4.50	996.00
		0TOTAL	**16.07**	**2506.00**

PHX5 START - **PIESTEWA PEAK START**			Hiking Distance (Miles)	Elevation Gain (feet)
1	Piestewa Peak Summit Trail	Piestewa Peak Trailhead	2.40	1148.00
2	Mohave Trail	Piestewa Peak Trailhead	1.70	456.00
3	Dixie Summit	Desert Vista Trailhead	3.10	675.00
4	Ridgeback Overlook Summit	Apache Wash Trailhead	2.88	414.00
5	Dobbins Lookout Summit (Holbert)	Activity Complex	4.50	996.00
		TOTAL	**15.02**	**3903.00**

DURATION: 7.5 HOURS

Mileage & Elevation Gain May Vary by GPS Tracking Tools

PSC 7
SUMMIT ROUTE ORDER

EVENT STARTS PROMPTLY AT 5:00 AM

	PHX5 START - **PIESTEWA PEAK START**		Hiking Distance (Miles)	Elevation Gain (feet)
1	Piestewa Peak Summit Trail	Piestewa Peak Trailhead	2.40	1148.00
2	Mohave Trail	Piestewa Peak Trailhead	1.70	456.00
3	Deem Hills Ridgeline Trail	Deem Hills Recreation Area	3.10	550.00
4	Ridgeback Overlook Summit	Apache Wash Trailhead	2.88	414.00
5	Apache Wash Vista Summit Loop	Apache Wash Trailhead	2.49	391.00
6	Ranger Summit	Shuttle to Three Tables	3.54	889.00
7	Dobbins Lookout Summit (Holbert)	Activity Complex	4.50	996.00
		TOTAL	**20.61**	**4844.00**

	PHX5 START - **DEEM HILLS START**		Hiking Distance (Miles)	Elevation Gain (feet)
1	Deem Hills Ridgeline Trail	Deem Hills Recreation Area	3.10	550.00
2	Dixie Summit	Desert Vista Trailhead	3.54	889.00
3	VOAZ Summit	Dreamy Draw Recreation Area	3.19	511.00
4	Mohave Trail	Piestewa Peak Trailhead	1.70	456.00
5	Ranger Summit	Shuttle to Three Tables	3.54	889.00
6	Alta Trail	AC Complex / Shuttle	3.06	1023.00
7	Dobbins Lookout Summit (Holbert)	Activity Complex	4.50	996.00
		TOTAL	**22.63**	**5314.00**

	PHX5 START - **DESERT VISTA START**		Hiking Distance (Miles)	Elevation Gain (feet)
1	Dixie Summit	Desert Vista Trailhead	3.54	889.00
2	Ridgeback Overlook Summit	Apache Wash Trailhead	2.88	414.00
3	Apache Wash Vista Summit Loop	Apache Wash Trailhead	2.49	391.00
4	Piestewa Peak Summit Trail	Piestewa Peak Trailhead	2.40	1148.00
5	Alta Trail	AC Complex / Shuttle	3.06	1023.00
6	Ranger Summit	Shuttle to Three Tables	3.54	889.00
7	Dobbins Lookout Summit (Holbert)	Activity Complex	4.50	996.00
		TOTAL	**22.41**	**5750.00**

DURATION: 10 HOURS

Mileage & Elevation Gain May Vary by GPS Tracking Tools

PSC ALL ABILITIES

SUMMIT ROUTE ORDER

EVENT STARTS PROMPTLY AT 7:00 AM

	PHX4 START - **ABILITIES**		Hiking Distance (Miles)	Elevation Gain (feet)
1	HOA Trail	Deem Hills Recreation Area	1.50	75.00
2	Apache Wash Vista Loop	Apache Wash Trailhead	2.53	200.00
3	Papago Park 5K Fitness Loop	Papago West Park	3.10	75.00
4	Judith Tunell Trails Loop	Activity Complex	1.03	88.00
		TOTAL	**8.16**	**438.00**

DURATION: 6 HOURS

Mileage & Elevation Gain May Vary by GPS Tracking Tools

ALL ABILITIES

HOA TRAIL

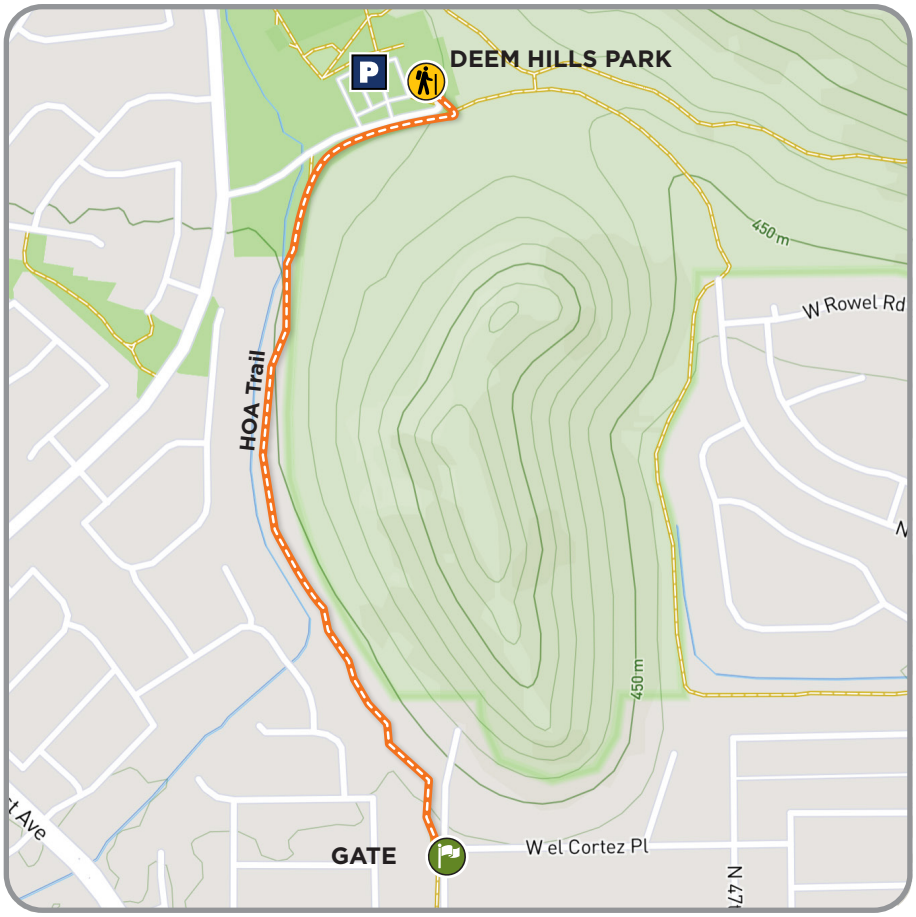
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Deem Hills Recreation Area

DEEM HILLS RECREATION AREA

5050 W Andrea Lane,
Phoenix, AZ 85085

TOTAL TRAIL DISTANCE: 1.5 MILES
ELEVATION GAIN: 75 FEET



From the southeast corner of the Deem Hills parking lot, hike west then south on the HOA trail.

Continue to hike until you reach the gate at the paved road in the housing community.

From the summit return to the start, out and back hike.

LEGEND

- SUMMIT
- START
- TRAIL
- PARKING

ALL ABILITIES

PAPAGO PARK 5K FITNESS LOOP

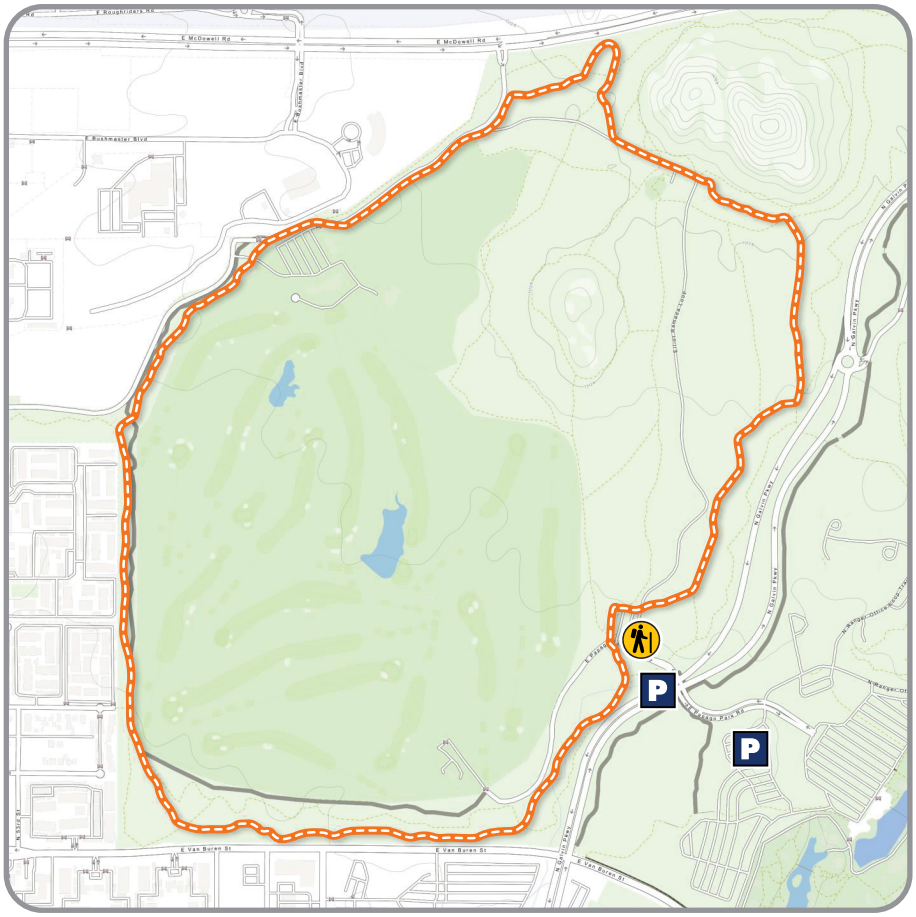
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Papago
West Park

PAPAGO WEST PARK

626 N Galvin Pkwy
Phoenix, AZ 85008

TOTAL TRAIL DISTANCE: 3.1 MILES
ELEVATION GAIN: 75 FEET



Start in the West Park parking lot at the ramada and hike counterclockwise following the trail posts for the Fitness Loop

LEGEND

SUMMIT
START
TRAIL
PARKING

ALL ABILITIES

JUDITH TUNELL TRAILS LOOP

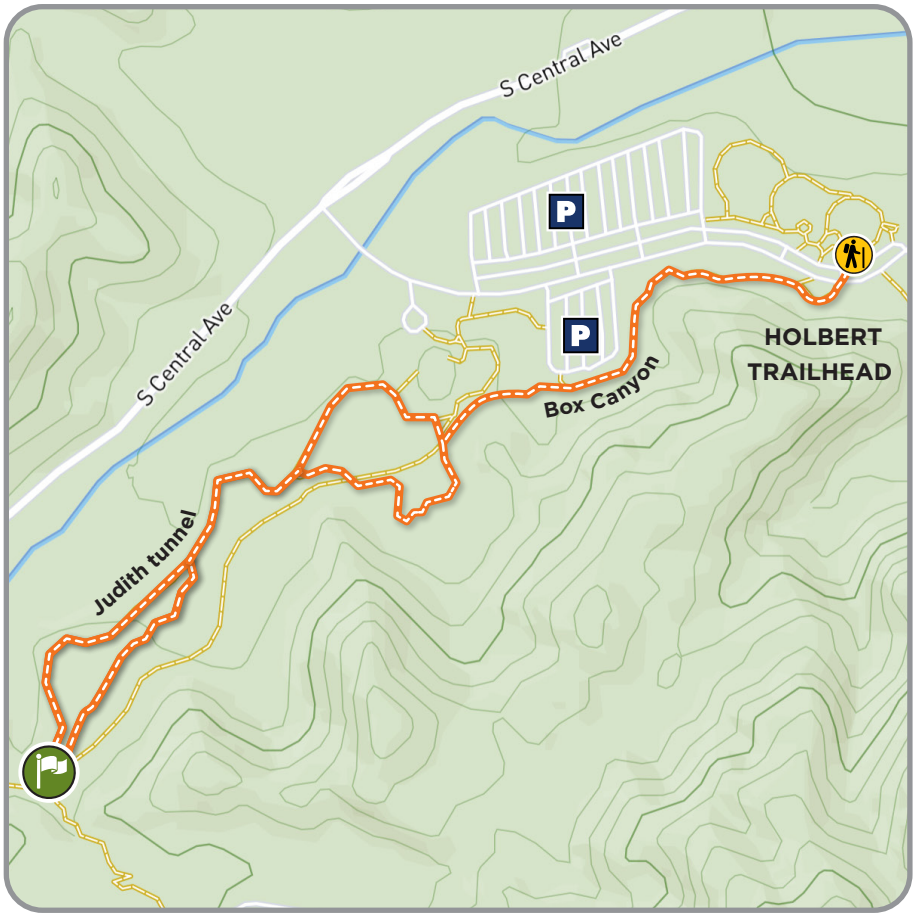
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Desert Vista Trailhead

ACTIVITY COMPLEX

10409 S Central Ave,
Phoenix, AZ 85042

TOTAL TRAIL DISTANCE: 1.03 MILES
ELEVATION GAIN: 88 FEET



Start by the South Mountain Visitor Center located west of the Activity Complex.

After passing the second ramada and the bridge you will be at the Challenge loop.

Complete the Challenge loop counterclockwise.

LEGEND

SUMMIT
START
TRAIL
PARKING

ALL ABILITIES

APACHE WASH TRAILHEAD

Google Maps

Apache WashVista Trailhead

APACHE WASH VISTA

1600 E Sonoran Desert Dr
Phoenix, AZ 85085

The trailhead is west of E Sonoran Desert Drive as it turns into E Dove Valley Road.

TOTAL TRAIL DISTANCE: 2.53 Miles
ELEVATION GAIN: 200 FEET



Hike clockwise from the trailhead on Ocotillo trail west.

At the junction with Apache Wash trail hike north on Apache Wash trail to the intersection with Sidewinder trail.

At the Sidewinder/Apache Vista Trail junction, summit at the Apache Vista Overlook, then loop back down to Sidewinder trail.

Hike Sidewinder trail east then south back to the trailhead to finish the loop.

LEGEND

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PCS 4

RIDGEBACK OVERLOOK SUMMIT

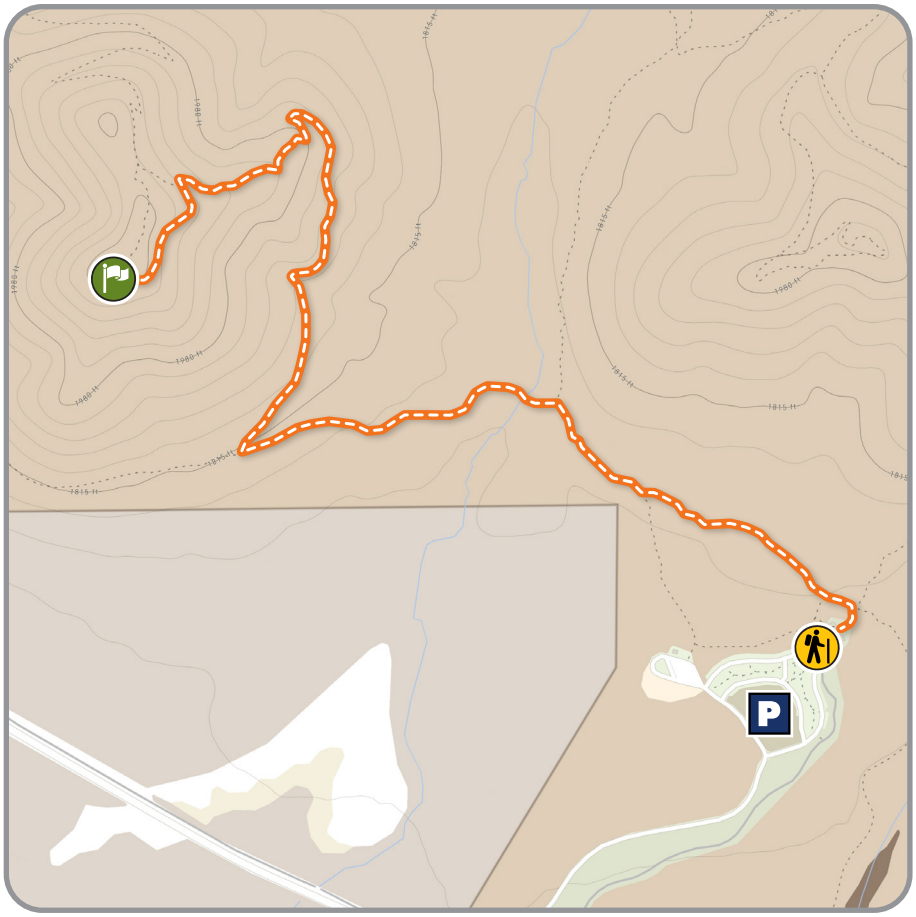
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Apache Wash Trailhead

APACHE WASH TRAILHEAD

1600 E Sonoran Desert Dr,
Phoenix, AZ 85085,

TOTAL TRAIL DISTANCE: 2.88 MILES
ELEVATION GAIN: 414 FEET



Start at the Apache Wash trailhead west on Ocotillo to the junction point with Ridgeback.

Hike up Ridgeback to the Ridgeback Overlook Trail.

Follow the signs to summit from the north heading south for the majestic view with the PSC flag.

Out and back.

LEGEND

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VOAZ SUMMIT

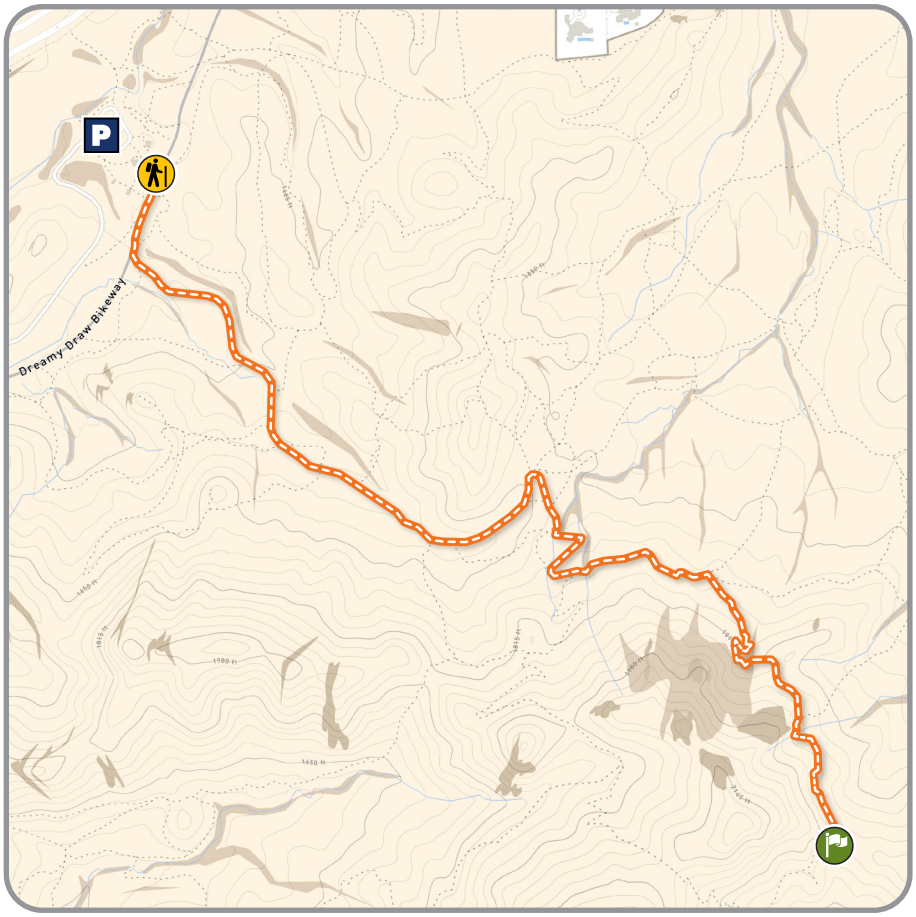
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Dreamy Draw Recreation Area

DREAMY DRAW RECREATION AREA

2421 E Northern Ave,
Phoenix, AZ 85020

TOTAL TRAIL DISTANCE: 3.19 MILES
ELEVATION GAIN: 511 FEET



Start near the restrooms/aid station.

Follow the signs to the start of the 1A.

Start on the 1A trail.

Follow the 1A trail and at the first junction continue on the 1A uphill southeast (slight left).

At the next junction continue on the 1A uphill southeast (right).

Continue on the 1A trail until the VOAZ junction.

Continue on the VOAZ trail to the monument rock designated summit with the PSC flag.

Out and back.

LEGEND

SUMMIT START
TRAIL PARKING

PSC 4

PIESTEWA PEAK SUMMIT TRAIL

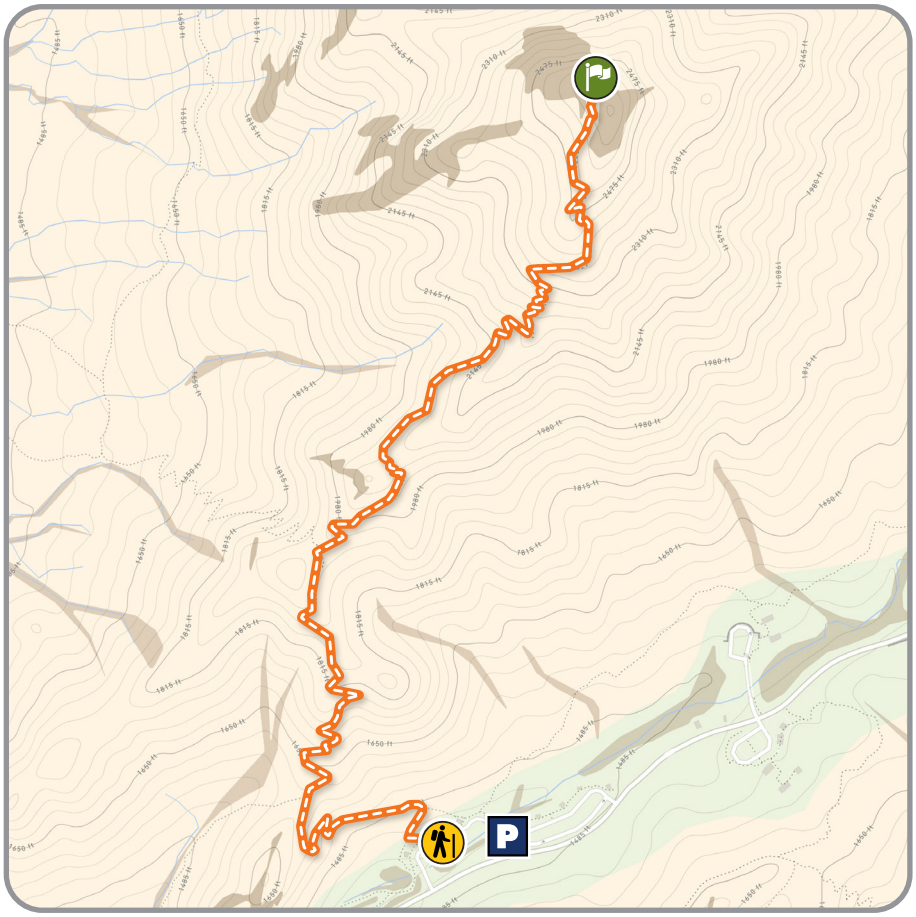
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Piestewa Peak Trailhead

PIESTEWA PEAK TRAILHEAD

2700 Piestewa Peak Dr,
Phoenix, AZ 85016

TOTAL TRAIL DISTANCE: 2.4 MILES
ELEVATION GAIN: 1148 FEET



Follow signs to trailhead.

LEGEND

SUMMIT
START
TRAIL
PARKING

PSC 4

DOBBINS LOOKOUT SUMMIT (HOLBERT)

Google Maps

Activity Complex

ACTIVITY COMPLEX

10409 S Central Ave,
Phoenix, AZ 85042

Upon entering the park, take an immediate left to enter the Activity Complex parking lot.

TOTAL TRAIL DISTANCE: 4.5 MILES
ELEVATION GAIN: 996 FEET



Start at designated Holbert trailhead in the Activity Complex.

Follow the signs through the construction area until you get onto Holbert trail.

Stay on the Holbert trail until the junction with the Dobbins extension.

Hike up the extension to Dobbins Lookout and your FINAL summit!

Out and back.

LEGEND

SUMMIT
START
TRAIL
PARKING

PSC 4

MOHAVE TRAIL

Google Maps

Piestewa Peak Trailhead

PIESTEWA PEAK TRAILHEAD

2700 Piestewa Peak Dr,
Phoenix, AZ 85016

TOTAL TRAIL DISTANCE: 1.7 MILES
ELEVATION GAIN: 456 FEET



Trailhead starts at Cholla ramada.

LEGEND

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PARKING

PSC 4

RANGER SUMMIT

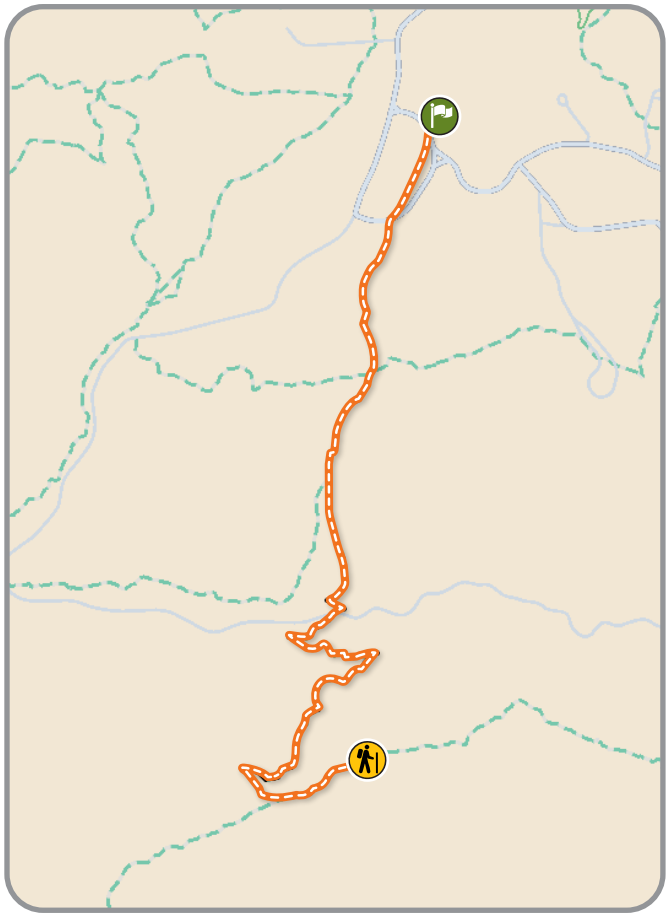
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Activity Complex - Shuttle

ACTIVITY COMPLEX - SHUTTLE

10409 S Central Ave,
Phoenix, AZ 85042

TOTAL TRAIL DISTANCE: 3.54 MILES
ELEVATION GAIN: 889 FEET



Hike west from the Three Tables shuttle stop on Ranger Trail.

At the junction of Las Lomitas and Ranger Trail continue southwest on Ranger Trail.

Continue along Ranger Trail across the road until you come to the junction of National and Ranger Trail.

Continue south on National Trail until you reach the trail post at the saddle with the PSC flag.

Out and back.

LEGEND

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PSC 5

VOAZ SUMMIT

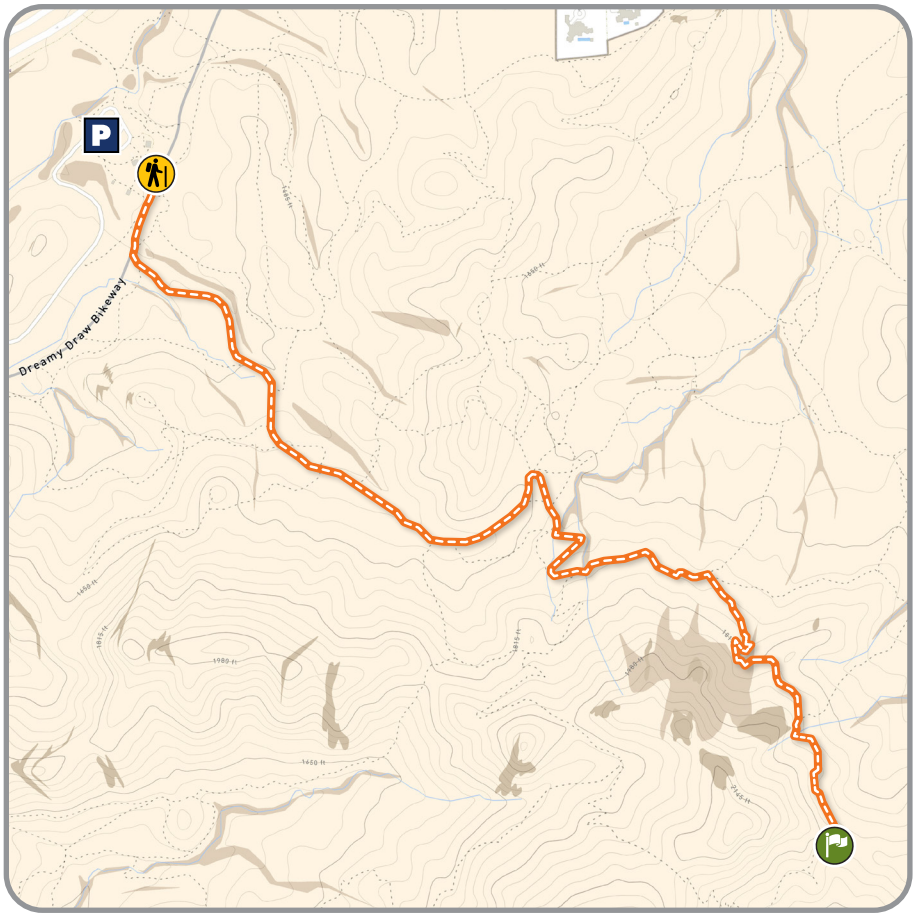
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Dreamy Draw Recreation Area

DREAMY DRAW RECREATION AREA

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TOTAL TRAIL DISTANCE: 3.19 MILES
ELEVATION GAIN: 511 FEET



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Follow the signs to the start of the 1A.

Start on the 1A trail.

Follow the 1A trail and at the first junction continue on the 1A uphill southeast (slight left).

At the next junction continue on the 1A uphill southeast (right).

Continue on the 1A trail until the VOAZ junction.

Continue on the VOAZ trail to the monument rock designated summit with the PSC flag.

Out and back.

LEGEND

SUMMIT START
TRAIL PARKING

PSC 5

PIESTEWA PEAK SUMMIT TRAIL

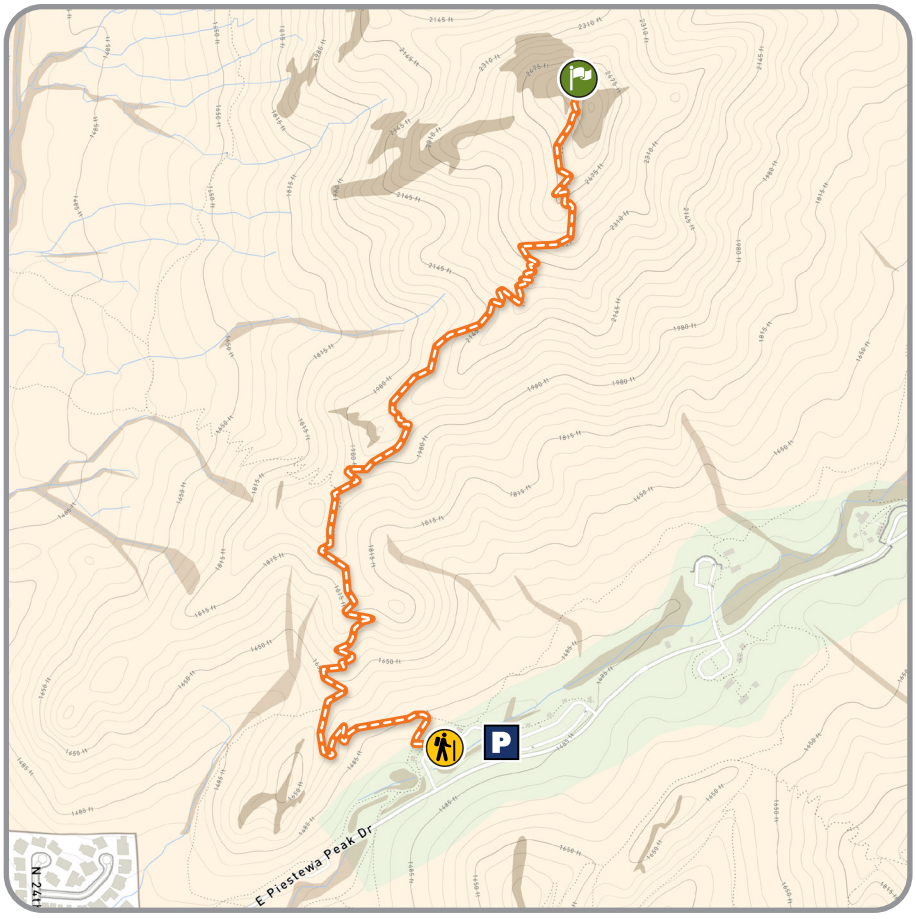
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RIDGEBACK OVERLOOK SUMMIT

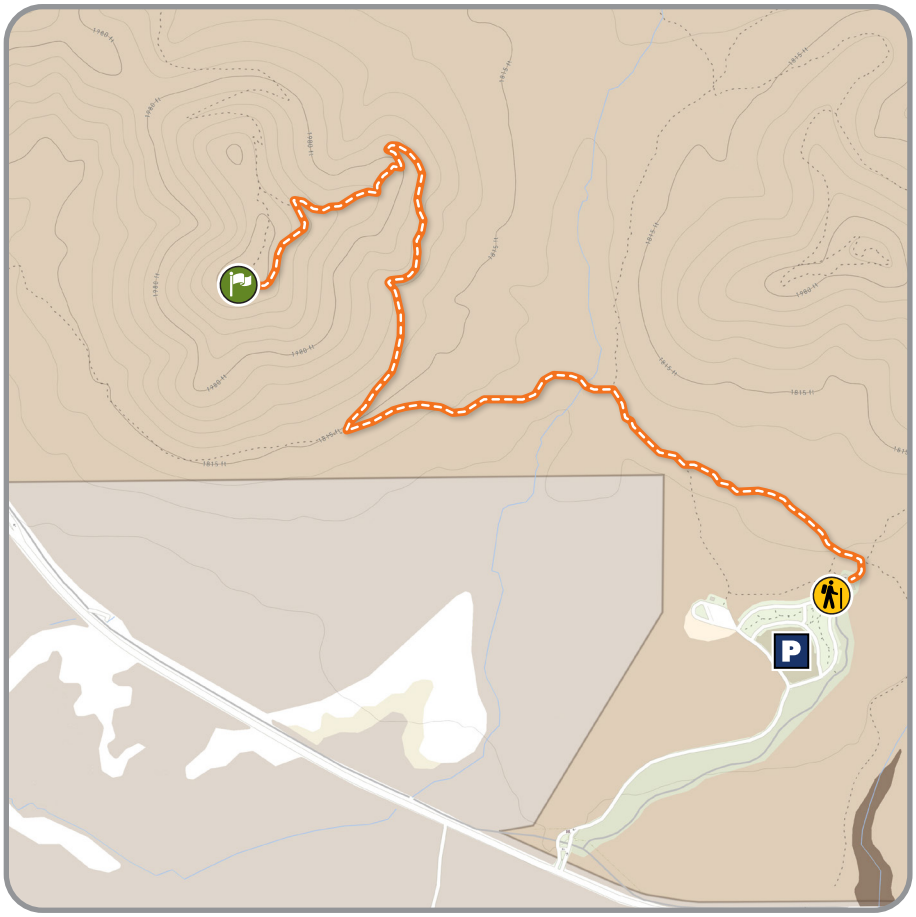
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Apache Wash Trailhead

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Phoenix, AZ 85085

TOTAL TRAIL DISTANCE: 2.88 MILES
ELEVATION GAIN: 414 FEET



Start at the Apache Wash trailhead west on Ocotillo to the junction point with Ridgeback.

Hike up Ridgeback to the Ridgeback Overlook Trail.

Follow the signs to summit from the north heading south for the majestic view with the PSC flag.

Out and back.

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DIXIE SUMMIT

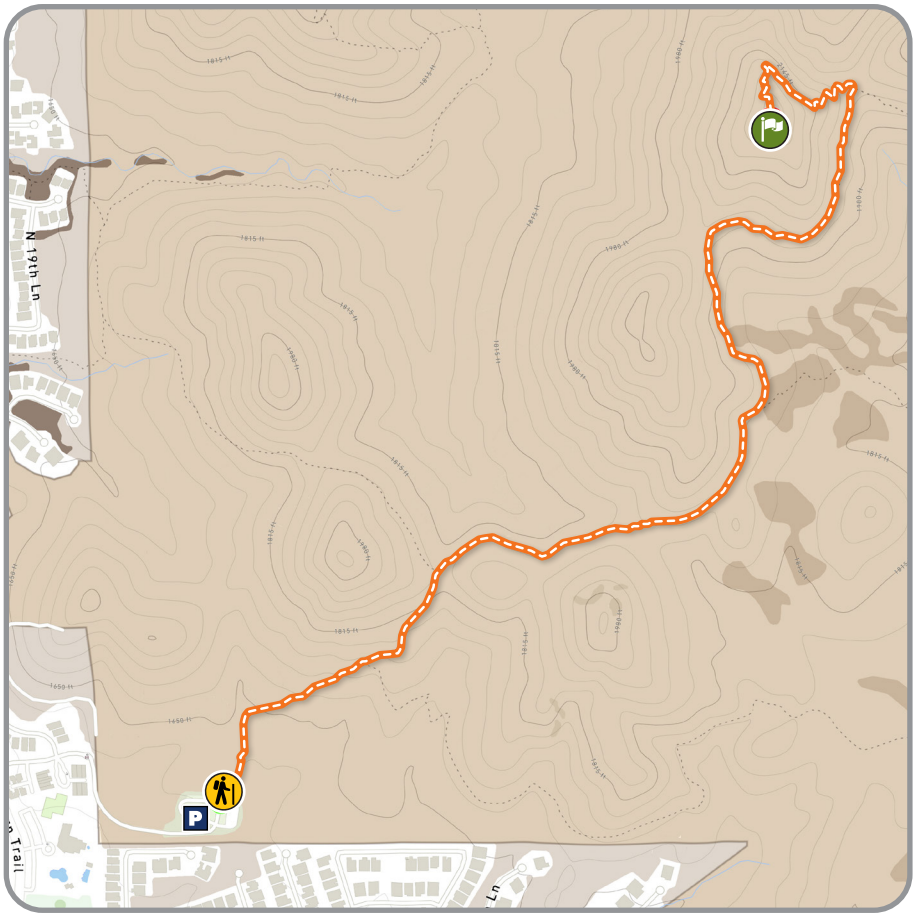
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Desert Vista Trailhead

DESERT VISTA TRAILHEAD

1901 W Desert Vista Trail,
Phoenix, AZ 85085

TOTAL TRAIL DISTANCE: 3.1 MILES
ELEVATION GAIN: 675 FEET



Hike on Hawks Nest trail to the intersection with Dixie Mountain Loop, continue northeast on Dixie Mountain Loop to the Dixie Summit trail.

Out and back hike.

LEGEND

SUMMIT
START
TRAIL
PARKING

PSC 5

DOBBINS LOOKOUT SUMMIT (HOLBERT)

Google Maps

Activity Complex

ACTIVITY COMPLEX

10409 S Central Ave,
Phoenix, AZ 85042

Upon entering the park, take an immediate left to enter the Activity Complex parking lot.

TOTAL TRAIL DISTANCE: 4.5 MILES
ELEVATION GAIN: 996 FEET



Start at designated Holbert trailhead in the Activity Complex.

Follow the signs through the construction area until you get onto Holbert trail.

Stay on the Holbert trail until the junction with the Dobbins extension.

Hike up the extension to Dobbins Lookout and your FINAL summit!

Out and back.

LEGEND

SUMMIT
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TRAIL
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PSC 5

APACHE WASH VISTA SUMMIT LOOP

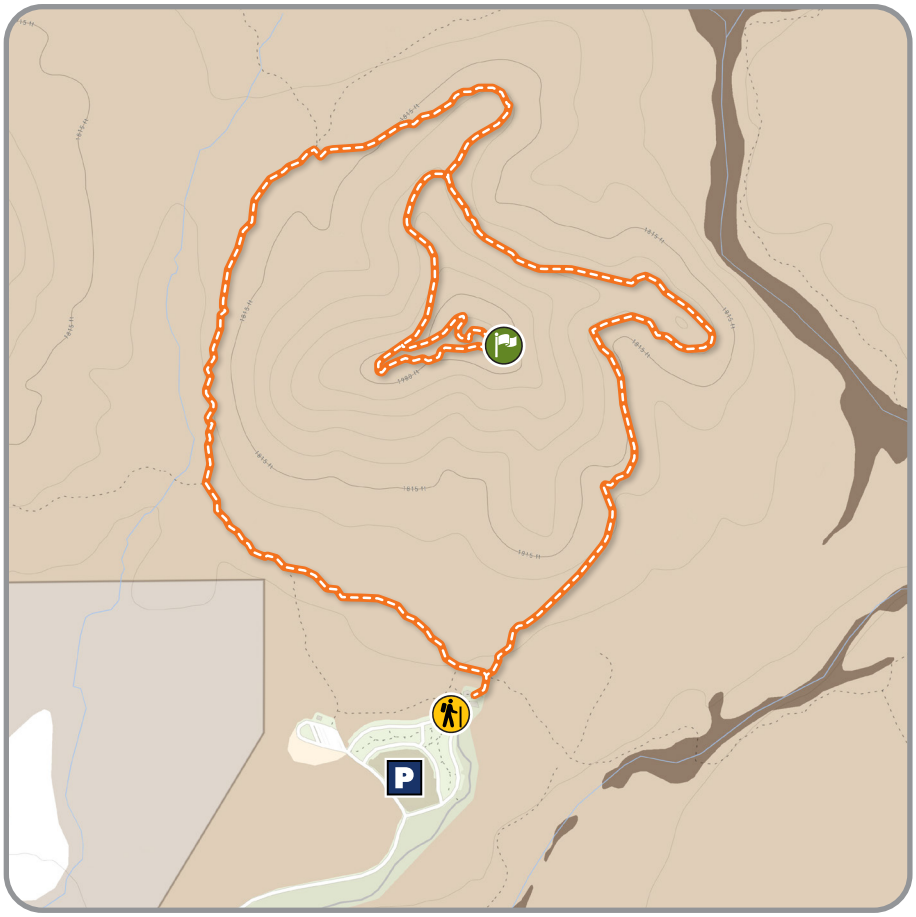
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Apache Wash Trailhead

APACHE WASH TRAILHEAD

1600 E Sonoran Desert Dr,
Phoenix, AZ 85085

TOTAL TRAIL DISTANCE: 2.49 MILES
ELEVATION GAIN: 391 FEET



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MOHAVE TRAIL

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Piestewa Peak Trailhead

PIESTEWA PEAK TRAILHEAD

2700 Piestewa Peak Dr,
Phoenix, AZ 85016

TOTAL TRAIL DISTANCE: 1.7 MILES
ELEVATION GAIN: 456 FEET



Trailhead starts at Cholla ramada.

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PIESTEWA PEAK SUMMIT TRAIL

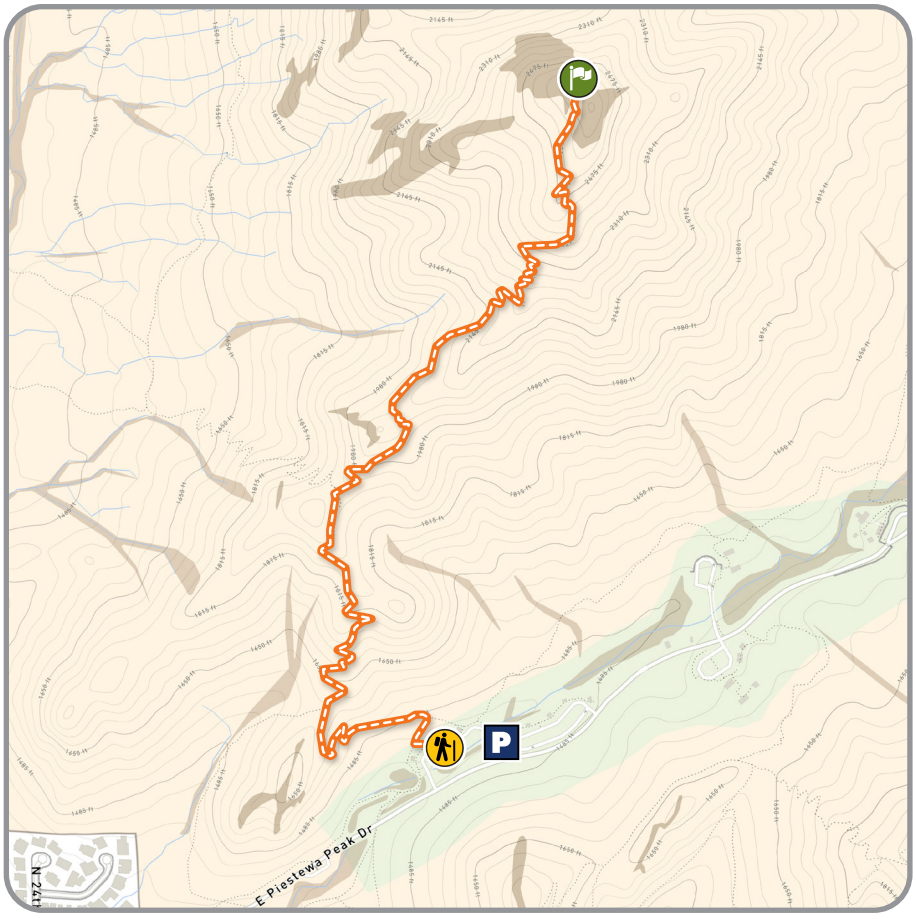
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Piestewa Peak Trailhead

PIESTEWA PEAK TRAILHEAD

2700 Piestewa Peak Dr,
Phoenix, AZ 85016

TOTAL TRAIL DISTANCE: 2.4 MILES
ELEVATION GAIN: 1148 FEET



Follow signs to trailhead.

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2700 Piestewa Peak Dr,
Phoenix, AZ 85016

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DEEM HILLS RIDGELINE TRAIL

Google Maps

Deem Hills Recreation Area

DEEMS HILLS RECREATION AREA

5050 W Andrea Ln,
Phoenix, AZ 85083

TOTAL TRAIL DISTANCE: 3.1 MILES
ELEVATION GAIN: 550 FEET



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RIDGEBACK OVERLOOK SUMMIT

Google Maps

Apache Wash Trailhead

APACHE WASH TRAILHEAD

1600 E Sonoran Desert Dr,
Phoenix, AZ 85085

TOTAL TRAIL DISTANCE: 2.88 MILES
ELEVATION GAIN: 414 FEET



Start at the Apache Wash trailhead west on Ocotillo to the junction point with Ridgeback.

Hike up Ridgeback to the Ridgeback Overlook Trail.

Follow the signs to summit from the north heading south for the majestic view with the PSC flag.

Out and back.

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APACHE WASH VISTA SUMMIT LOOP

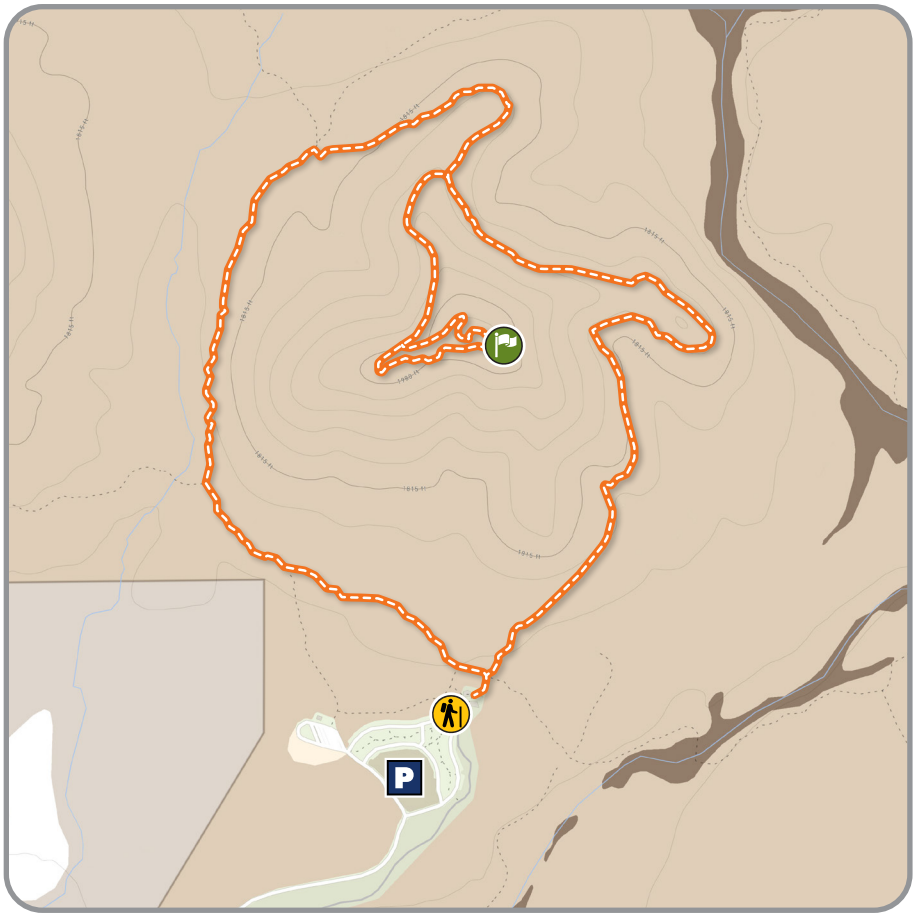
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APACHE WASH TRAILHEAD

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Phoenix, AZ 85085

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ELEVATION GAIN: 391 FEET



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RANGER SUMMIT

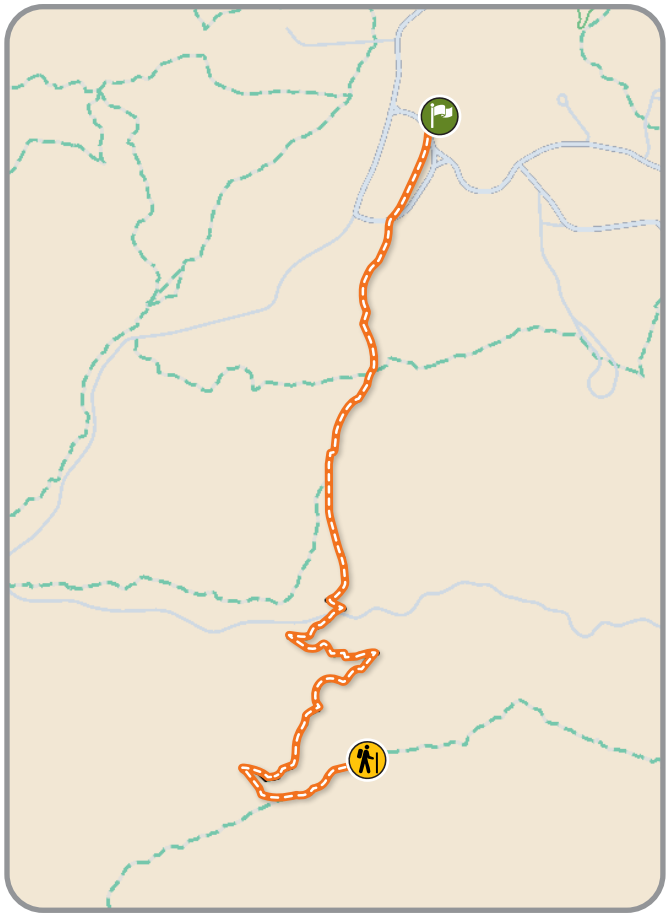
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Activity Complex - Shuttle

ACTIVITY COMPLEX - SHUTTLE

10409 S Central Ave,
Phoenix, AZ 85042

TOTAL TRAIL DISTANCE: 3.54 MILES
ELEVATION GAIN: 889 FEET



Hike west from the Three Tables shuttle stop on Ranger Trail.

At the junction of Las Lomitas and Ranger Trail continue southwest on Ranger Trail.

Continue along Ranger Trail across the road until you come to the junction of National and Ranger Trail.

Continue south on National Trail until you reach the trail post at the saddle with the PSC flag.

Out and back.

LEGEND

SUMMIT
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DIXIE SUMMIT

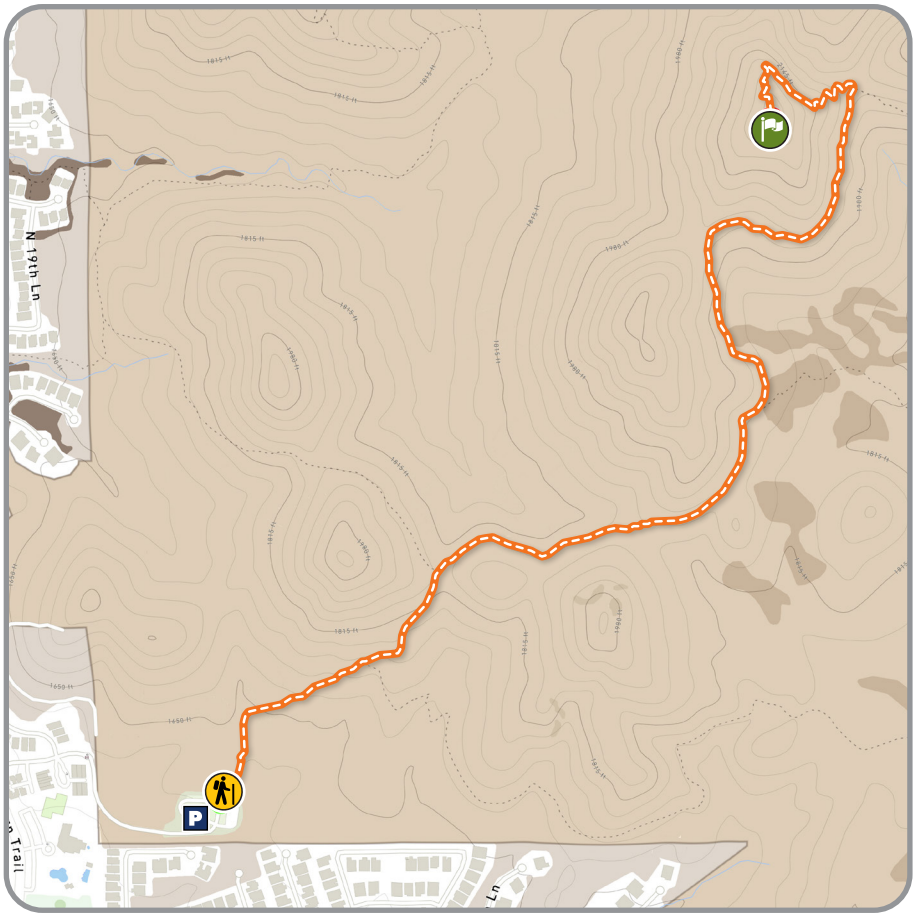
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Desert Vista Trailhead

DESERT VISTA TRAILHEAD

1901 W Desert Vista Trail,
Phoenix, AZ 850850

TOTAL TRAIL DISTANCE: 3.1 MILES
ELEVATION GAIN: 675 FEET



Hike on Hawks Nest trail to the intersection with Dixie Mountain Loop, continue northeast on Dixie Mountain Loop to the Dixie Summit trail.

Out and back hike.

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SUMMIT
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VOAZ SUMMIT

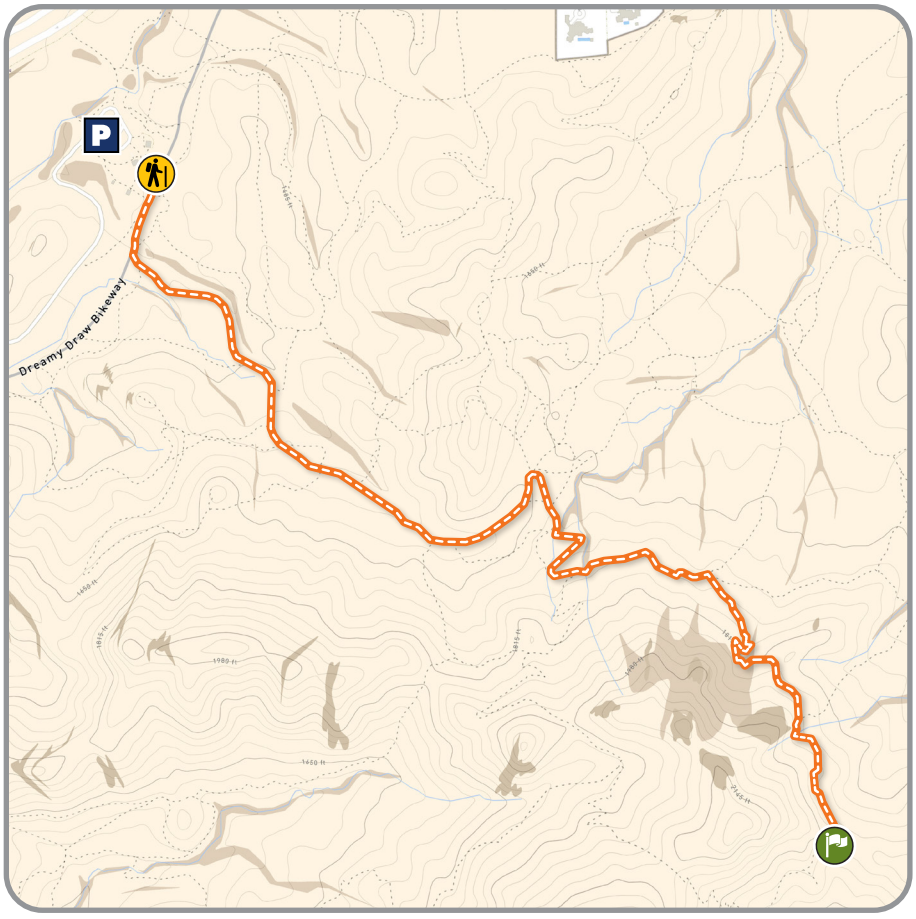
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Dreamy Draw Recreation Area

DREAMY DRAW RECREATION AREA

2421 E Northern Ave,
Phoenix, AZ 85020

TOTAL TRAIL DISTANCE: 3.19 MILES
ELEVATION GAIN: 511 FEET



Start near the restrooms/aid station.

Follow the signs to the start of the 1A.

Start on the 1A trail.

Follow the 1A trail and at the first junction continue on the 1A uphill southeast (slight left).

At the next junction continue on the 1A uphill southeast (right).

Continue on the 1A trail until the VOAZ junction.

Continue on the VOAZ trail to the monument rock designated summit with the PSC flag.

Out and back.

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TRAIL PARKING

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ALTA TRAIL

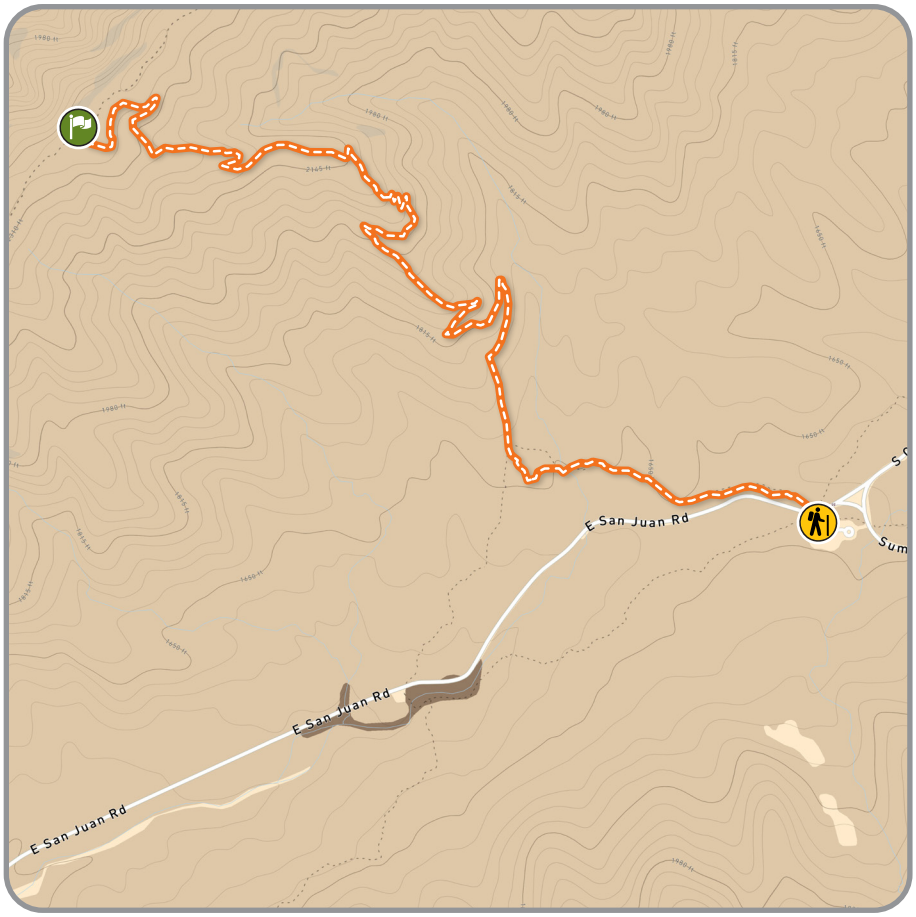
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Desert Vista Trailhead

AC COMPLEX/SHUTTLE

10409 S Central Ave,
Phoenix, AZ 85042

TOTAL TRAIL DISTANCE: 3.54 MILES
ELEVATION GAIN: 1023 FEET



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Nº 1 | PLAN AHEAD & PREPARE



LEAVE NO TRACE

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APPRECIATE AZ
LEAVE NO TRACE PRINCIPLES

Nº 2 | STICK TO TRAILS



Nº 3 | TRASH YOUR TRASH



Nº 4 | LEAVE WHAT YOU FIND



Nº 5 | BE CAREFUL WITH FIRE



Nº 6 | RESPECT WILDLIFE



Nº 7 | SHARE THE OUTDOORS



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