

The Order of the Daughters of the King®

TRIENNIAL 2018

June 20 -24, 2018

Renaissance at the Arboretum in Austin, Texas

LOCAL ADVENTURES



Walking, Hiking or Other Activity

- Walk, jog or bike the Hike and Bike Trail along Town Lake. 499-6700
- Stroll through Zilker Rose Gardens and Taniguchi Oriental Garden 477-8672; ride the train or fly a kite in Zilker Park 477-7273; play Frisbee Golf at Zilker Park or Pease Park. 477-7273
- "Take a hike" on Barton Creek Nature Preserve, 478-0098 or swim in the constant 68 degrees, spring-fed Barton Springs 476-9044 or the heated Stacy pool. 477-7273
- Take a friend to Hamilton's Pool and experience the miracle of Nature. 264-2740
- Take a Historic Walking Tour of downtown Austin. 478-0098/442-1004

Museums or Notable Places

- Spend an afternoon at Austin History Center. 499-7840
- Visit the George Washington Carver Museum and Library. 472-4809
- Visit the Elisabeth Ney Museum, studio and home to this German sculptor. 458-2255
- Take a tour of the Governor's Mansion, weekday mornings. 463-5518
- Take a tour of the University of Texas campus. 471-1420
- Tour the historic State Capitol Building. 463-0063
- Visit the museum and library of the 36th President, Lyndon Baines Johnson. 482-5137
- Browse around the Huntington Art Gallery. 471-7324
- Explore the grounds of the national Wildflower Research Center. 929-3600
- Visit the Umlauf Sculpture Gardens and Museum. 455-5582

Historical Sites

- Explore Austin's historic cemeteries where Texas Legends have been laid to rest. 478-8930
- View the unique, late 19th-century Moonlight Tower. 478-0098
- Visit the oldest Protestant church west of the Mississippi (St. David's Episcopal Church). 472-1196
- Visit the 1840's French Legation, a foreign embassy. 472-8180
- Spend a few hours experiencing rural central Texas as it was in the 1880's at the Jordan-Bachman Pioneer Farm. 837-1215
- Tour a historic home, the 1850's Neill-Cochran House. 478-2335
- Visit the Old Bakery & Emporium - a registered national landmark, now a shop filled with arts & crafts made by local senior citizen. 477-5961
- Walk the historic Bremond Block and view several historical homes. 478-0098
- Visit the 126-year old authentic German Bier Garten-Scholtz's. 477-4171

Other things to do in and around Austin and the Hill Country

- In the summer, at dusk, sit on the banks of Town Lake and watch the nightly debut of thousands of bats coming out from under the congress Ave. Bridge. 327-9721
- Drive across the award-winning Pennybacker Bridge. 478-0098
- Enjoy live music 7 nights a week in one of the many local clubs. 478-0098
- Shop at the downtown Bluebonnet Market Place. 476-3484
- Tour Austin's local wineries and sample award-winning wines. 478-0098
- Take a scenic drive through the Hill Country. 478-0098