

## **Kerrville, Texas 2020 Feast Activities**

**Location of Services:** Inn of the Hills Hotel & Conference Center, 1001 Junction Highway, Kerrville, TX 78028.

We are looking forward to having you at the Kerrville Festival site, nestled in the Texas Hill Country! Due to the COVID-19 virus, this year we are going to minimize large group activities and encourage everyone to make his or her own plans for activities. We have two planned activities and a few suggestions for things to do.

Planned:

- Teen Activity.
- Festival Fun Show.

Suggestions:

- The Museum of Western Art.
- Day Trip to San Antonio.
- Day Trip to Fredericksburg.
- Hike Enchanted Rock State Natural Area.
- Kerrville Restaurants.

**Teen Activity: Enchanted Rock Hike – Monday, Oct. 5, at 2 p.m. This event requires an advance reservation.** Join us for an afternoon hike of renowned [Enchanted Rock State Natural Area](#), one of Texas' premier parks that offers incredible vistas and peculiar rock formations in the rugged Texas Hill Country. We'll gather at the gate entry of the park at 2 p.m. The park entry is a 52-minute drive from Inn of the Hills and is located 18 miles north of Fredericksburg on Ranch Road 965. The park address is 16710 Ranch Road 965, Fredericksburg, TX 78624.

This activity is open to teens and their families. We plan to hike the [Loop Trail](#), a 4.6-mile trek around the perimeter of the park. The granite pathway provides "incredible views of the natural area" and takes approximately 2½ hours to complete. If parents wish to take their teen(s) on a less challenging hike, there are shorter hikes they can take separate of the group.

**How to register:** Contact Andy Burnett by Sept. 2 letting him know how many teens and family members plan to participate. He will obtain the day passes needed to ensure we will have access to the park on Oct. 5. **If you do not reserve your slot by Sept. 2 we cannot guarantee you will be able to enter the park.** The cost is \$8 for those aged 13 and older, and is free for those aged 12 and under. Mr. Burnett will collect payments in cash from you at the Feast. Additional details will be provided for those who register.

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**Festival Fun Show – Wednesday, Oct. 7, at 7 p.m.** Knowing that Feast goers always enjoy some wholesome entertainment, we are planning to host a fun show presented by attendees in the

Festival meeting hall on Wednesday evening, Oct. 7, beginning at 7 p.m. Since this will not be a talent show or contest, we hope many of you will consider participating. We welcome musical acts, skits, humorous monologues and other entertaining performances. We are not planning for an audition unless we are overwhelmed with participants, but there will be a short organizational meeting, material review and microphone check scheduled prior to the event.

Historically, these shows have been very popular at the Texas Feast site and we expect that tradition to continue. But success depends on your participation as an audience member or as a sparkling addition to the show bill.

If you would like to be part of the show, please contact the Fun Show coordinator, Kenneth Giese, via email at [ken.giese@cogwa.org](mailto:ken.giese@cogwa.org) no later than **Wednesday, Sept. 15**. With your help and participation, we can make this event one of the highlights of our 2020 Feast!

**The Museum of Western Art (Optional Activity):** Located in Kerrville, this museum is open Tuesday through Saturday from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Check the [website](#) for entrance fees and additional information.

**Day Trip to San Antonio (Optional Activity):** San Antonio, about an hour's drive from Kerrville, has many points of interest including the Alamo, the River Walk, Sea World and many highly-rated restaurants. You and your small group of friends could spend an afternoon and evening in San Antonio.

**Day Trip to Fredericksburg (Optional Activity):** Fredericksburg is about a 30-minute drive northeast of Kerrville. This community has a rich German heritage and offers shopping, wineries, breweries, restaurants and the National Museum of the Pacific War.

**Enchanted Rock State Natural Area (Optional Activity):** Festival attendees may wish to visit [Enchanted Rock State Natural Area](#), which features amazing rock formations and scenic views. (This is the same location where teens and their families will have their group hike.) If you wish to visit or hike this park, you may do so on whatever day best fits your schedule. Because October is considered a peak time, slots often sell out two weeks in advance. It is thus recommended that visitors make reservations well in advance on the park's website or via phone.

The entrance fee is \$8 per adult aged 13 and older, and free for children aged 12 and under. All Texas Parks & Wildlife passes are valid. Entrance time reservations are required. Once you are in the park you can stay until 10 p.m. Reservations by date and time slot are made available beginning one month before one's visit. For additional information, see the park's website at <https://tpwd.texas.gov/state-parks/enchanted-rock>.

**Restaurants in Kerrville:** For information regarding the top-rated restaurants in Kerrville, see the listings on [Trip Advisor](#).