

Foraging Plant Walk with Dr. Mark “Merriwether” Vorderbruggen

Join us in welcoming one of the leading experts on foraging in Texas!

Join Dr. Mark “Merriwether” Vorderbruggen for a foraging plant walk at Brackenridge Recreation Complex. Dr. Vorderbruggen will teach the basics of foraging including foraging ethics and techniques and will lead us on a hike on the trails of Texana Park to learn about the culinary and medicinal uses of the wild plants growing in this region. Learn to live with the land and not “off” the land.

We will limit the class to 24 participants, so please sign up early.

Contact the Texana Community Education Center at (361) 782-2070 to reserve your spot today.

Class Information:

- The class will be held on Wednesday, February 22, 2023 at 11 am and will be a 4-hour plant walk on the nearby hiking trails.
- Class is \$75 per person and payment is due at registration. A partial refund is allowed if canceled by 2/10/2023.
- This class is available for those ages 16 years and older.
- Meet at the Texana Community Education Center located in the day-use area inside Texana Park and Campground: 344 Park Road 2, Edna, TX 77957

What to Bring:

- Wear appropriate clothes for weather
- Walking/hiking shoes
- Bring your own water
- Bring a sack lunch to eat during the hike
- Mosquito repellent and sunscreen

If you have any questions, please contact the Texana Community Education Center at (361) 782-2070.

Foraging Plant Walk Registration Form

Participant Information (must be at least 16 years of age):

Name:	Cell #:
Address:	City/State:
Emergency Contact:	Cell #:
Email:	

Release of Liability, Hold Harmless Agreement and Acceptance of Risks

In consideration to participate in any way in the Brackenridge Recreation Complex Programs I represent that I am the participant, and that I understand the nature of the activities, and I believe that I am qualified to participate in the registered activities.

I understand that there are inherent risks associated with the registered activities and conditions that might be considered dangerous to myself at the complex which may include hazardous snakes and insects, unpaved walking paths with hazardous plant life, and unpredictable weather conditions.

In consideration for myself being allowed to participate in Brackenridge Recreation Complex Programs, I, for myself and on behalf of my heirs, assigns and personal representatives, and next of kin, hereby release Brackenridge Recreation Complex, Lavaca-Navidad River Authority and any partnering organizations or individuals from all liability, claims, demands, losses or damages (whether to person or property), whether caused in whole or in part by the negligence of the indemnified party. I further release Brackenridge Recreation Complex, Lavaca-Navidad River Authority and any of the partnering organizations or individuals from any liability regarding myself in these programs.

By signing this agreement, I acknowledge that I have read and fully understand the terms of this agreement and have signed it freely and without any inducement and assurance of any nature and intend the release and indemnity contained herein to be a complete and unconditional release of and indemnification against all liability to the greatest extent allowed by law. I agree that if any portion of the agreement is held to be invalid the balance, notwithstanding, shall continue in full force and effect.

Participant Signature: _____ Date: _____

Photo Release

I give permission and consent for _____ (insert participant name) to allow photographs to be taken during the Brackenridge Recreation Complex Program activities. I further give permission and consent that any such photography may be published and used by Brackenridge Recreation Complex and its agents, to illustrate and promote the program experience at the Brackenridge Recreation Complex.

Participant Signature: _____ Date: _____