

2026 Spring Training Class Schedule

Date	Subject Material	Text Units	Speakers
3/3/26	Introductions Intro to TMN Good Water Chapter Historical Naturalists Citizen Science Intro to iNaturalist	Unit 3- pp 77-123 Unit 24 - pp 723-735	Mary Ann Melton Flo Ulrich Mike Farley
3/10/26	Archaeology Trees	Unit 2 - pp 37-75 Unit 17 - pp 545-569	Clark Wernecke Amanda Wyrick
3/17/26	Ecoregions Urban Ecosystems	Unit 4 - pp 125-181 Unit 21 - pp 663-701	Jose Mata Natasia Moore
3/24/26	Paleontology Mammalogy	Unit 16 - pp 517-543	Dr. Pamela Owen
3/27/26 6:00 pm	Austn Bat Refuge		Diane Odegard Lee Mackenzie
3/31/26	Geology Soils	Unit 7 - pp 235-283	Keith Winfree Jacob Elkstead
4/7/26	Riparian Systems Ichthyology	Unit 9 pp 309-349 Unit 18 - pp 571-599 Unit 19 - pp 601-631 Unit 14 pp 455-469	Gabby Tamez Stephen Curtis
4/11/26 10:10 am	Inner Space Caverns		
4/14/26	Entomology	Unit 13 - pp 407-463	Wizzie Brown
4/18/26 10:00-12:00 pm	Wildflower Walk Gary Bowers' House		Gary Bowers
4/21/26	Ornithology Botany	Unit 12 - pp 387-405 Unit 11 - pp 365-385	Dr. Tania Homayoun Karen Clary
4/24/26	Mothing 6:30-10:00 pm		Jack Cochran Mike Farley
4/28/26	Herpetology	Unit 15 - pp 471-515	Dr. Travis LaDuc
5/2/26 4:00-6:00 pm	Tree Walk Booty's Road Park		Gary Bowers
5/5/26	Weather Aquifers	Unit 8 - pp 285-307	?????
5/9/2026 8:00 am	Ornithology Field Trip Tejas Park		Jack Cochran
5/12/26	Ethics	Unit 22 - pp 703-721	Mike Mitchell
5/16/26 11:00 am	Native Grasses Seed Bank at Lake Granger		Collum Simpson
5/19/26	Heritage Interpretation Project Fair Graduation	Unit 23 - pp 713-721	Clark Hancock Project Leaders