



MISSION SAN JUAN TO MISSION ESPADA Y1615

San Antonio Pathfinders



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Walk Registration:

Please use the Online Start Box (OSB) to register and complete the event.

Walk Completion and Walk Credit:

Be sure to log back into the OSB system to finish and complete your online registration after doing the event. The OSB system does not deduct any event fee from a participant's Event Bank until they have submitted event completion information indicating the date of the event, the distance, and the selection of applicable special programs that person is participating in. (Nevertheless, a fee of \$2 for a downloaded PDF is deducted from the user's Event Bank when the PDF is downloaded. Later, any PDF fees are credited back to a user's Event Bank when he/she submits the event completion information as a paying for credit participant. Note, however, the \$2 coupon for the downloaded PDF will expire in 60 days.) Also note that an event registration expires after 30 days, but if your registrations lapses, you may re-register without cost.

Driving Directions to Start Point:

The start point for the event is 9101 Graf Rd, San Antonio, TX 78214.

From downtown San Antonio drive south on I-37 S/US-281 S to exit 138B for New Braunfels Ave. Slight right onto S New Braunfels Ave. Turn RIGHT onto Hot Wells Blvd. Turn LEFT onto S Presa St. Continue on S Presa St to Graf Rd and turn RIGHT to the Mission San Juan parking lot. Parking is allowed between 9am and 5pm only.

There are restrooms located at both missions.

IN EMERGENCY: DIAL 911

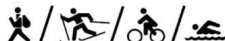
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1. Enter the Mission San Juan compound. Circle **Left** around the grounds, passing historic buildings.
2. After passing the restroom, go **Straight** under two stone archways to the Nature Trail.
3. **Left** at the first left onto the Yanaguana Trail.
4. **Left** exiting the Yanaguana Trail to the River Walk Trail.
5. **Cross** the San Antonio River at the first pedestrian bridge.
6. **Left** on the main Hike and Bike Trail.
7. **Continue** under the 410 bridges to Mission Espada.
8. Turn **Right** and walk up the trail toward Mission Espada. Continue **Straight** through the garden area, where the path briefly changes to gravel.
9. When the trail ends, turn **Left** and enter the Mission Espada Compound near the Mission Church.
10. **Retrace** your steps, leaving the compound and walking back down to the Hike and Bike Trail.
11. Turn **Left** on the Hike and Bike Trail and walk under the 410 bridges. The river is on your right.
12. **Cross** the pedestrian bridge on your right.
13. **Left** on the River Walk trail.
14. **Right** on the Yanaguana Trail.
15. **Right** to pass through the two stone archways.
16. **Left** and pass the Ranger Office and the Mission Church on your left.
17. **Exit** to the parking lot.

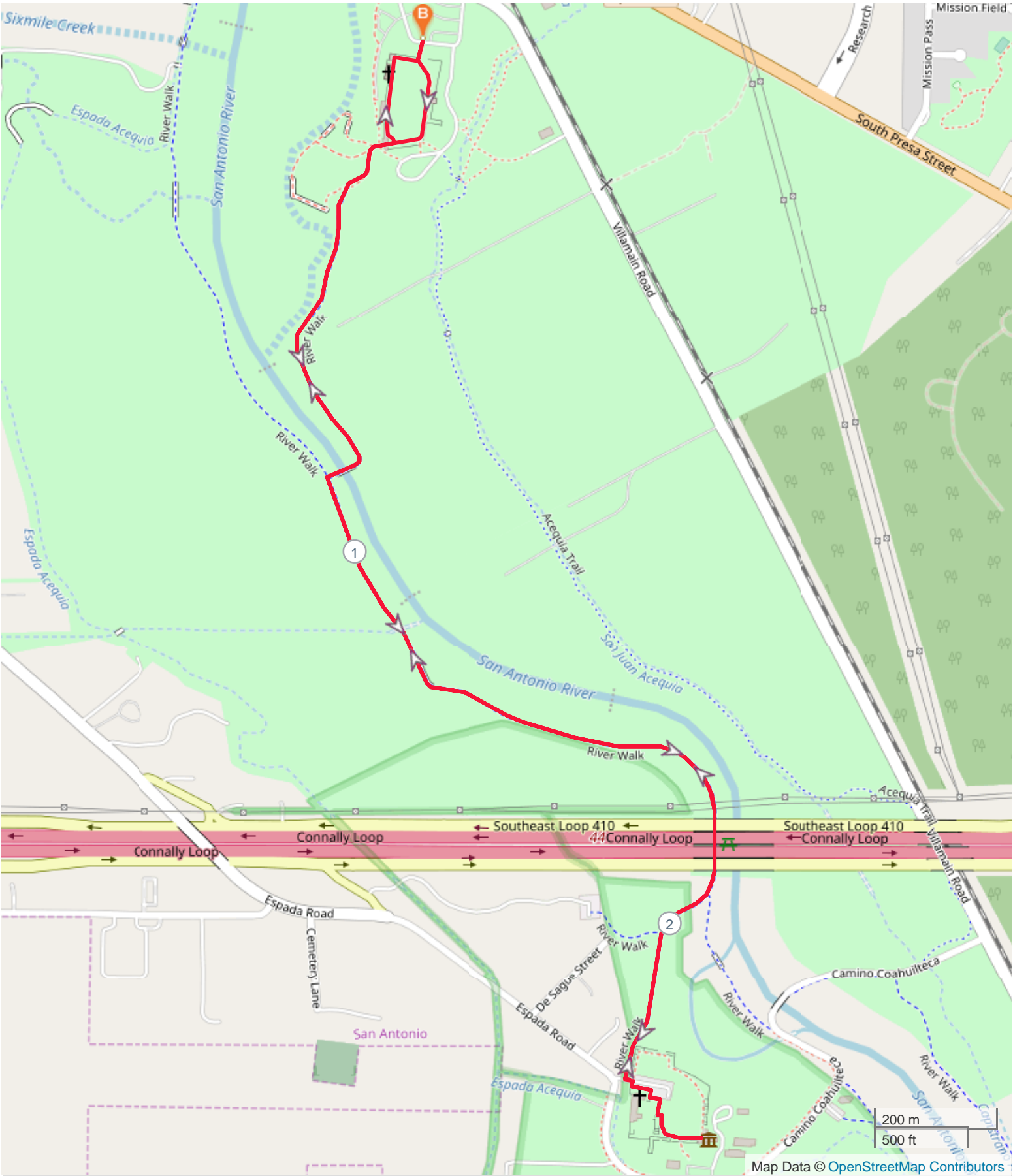
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MISSION SAN JUAN TO MISSION ESPADA 10K WALK – Y1615 San Antonio Pathfinders



1. Enter the Mission San Juan compound. Circle **Left** around the grounds, passing historic buildings and the bathroom.
2. After passing the bathroom, go **Straight** under two stone archways to the Nature Trail. Walk the outer perimeter of the Nature Trail.
3. Go back to the compound through the two stone arches and turn **Left**.
4. Walk past the Ranger Office and the church on your left. Exit the compound.
5. Stay to the **Left** and go through the parking lot, passing another bathroom and the rental bikes.
6. Turn **Left** onto the sidewalk and walk over two bridges (Berg's Mill ruins are on your right).
7. **Cross** the Hike and Bike Trail and continue up Mission Road. Pass Independence Square on your Right.
8. Turn **Left** on Acequia. Keep Stinson Municipal Airport on your right.
9. Turn **Left** onto Ashley Road.
10. Turn **Left** into Aqueduct Park.
11. Walk **Straight** through the parking lot, noting the aqueduct on the right.
12. **Cross** over the footbridge onto the Hike and Bike Trail.
13. At the T-intersection, turn **Right** onto the main Hike and Bike Trail.
14. **Cross** two Pedestrian bridges and **continue** under the 410 bridges to Mission Espada.
15. Turn **Right** and walk up the trail toward Mission Espada. Continue **Straight** through the garden area, where the path briefly changes to gravel.
16. When the trail ends, turn **Left** and enter the Mission Espada Compound near the Church.
17. **Checkpoint:** The Ranger Station is located diagonally across from the Church. The Ranger will stamp your Start Card. If the Ranger Station is closed, go into the parking lot and find the Historic Marker near the water fountain. Write the date the Mission was established on your Start Card.
18. **Retrace** your steps, leaving the compound and walking back down to the Hike and Bike Trail.
19. Turn **Left** and walk under the 410 bridges. Cross two Pedestrian bridges. The river is on your right.
20. Just after passing a large tree on your right, and park benches on your left; turn **Left** onto the path to Aqueduct Park.
21. **Continue** across the footbridge and through the parking lot.
22. Turn **Right** on Ashley Road and continue straight to the stop sign.
23. Turn **Right** onto Acequia Road.
24. At the next intersection turn **Right** on Mission Road.
25. Walk past Independence Square on your left. Cross the Hike and Bike trail and the two bridges over the San Antonio River.
26. Turn **Right** into the Mission San Juan parking lot.

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