

LVSC Hike Report
Rio Grande Nature Center To Tingley Beach - Albuquerque
Friday, 01/10/20

Rating B
Hike Miles 8.1
Elevation Gain 15
Hike Time 4:15

Report This is just an addendum to include the great photos provided by Linda. As you can see we had sun and fun.

The report below is a duplicate of what was sent yesterday.

Despite the forecast, it turned out to be an absolutely lovely day on the trail. We met at the Nature Center, which turned out to be convenient for everyone. A few had cancelled, so we took off with five curious and strong female hikers. While everyone had hiked in the bosque at some point, non had done that exact route until today. Right from the start we tweaked the route a bit by heading down to the trail closest to the river. We enjoyed the views that the river had to offer.

We spotted five porcupines, ducks, cranes, geese, two very large nests high in the trees. Pam found and later identified a Towhee thrashing about in the dry leaves looking for food.

It was a luxury to arrive at Tingley Beach and be able to go inside, sit at a real table, and enjoy lunch. And by the way, they have bathrooms.

We experienced some wind towards the end of the hike, but gravitated to the center trail where it was much more protected.

Hike Leader Janis Powell

Photo Album [Linda](#)