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Native Plant Society of Texas
Williamson County Chapter

Chapter Meeting for Feb 08, 2018
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Welcome to our guests, new members, and current members

The following members joined since 11-Jan-2018.

- John Hutchinson
- Keena Shelmire
- Ann Yakimovicz
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Guest Speaker
Tanya Sommer
Williamson County Conservation Foundation, Williamson County Habitat Conservation Plan, Adaptive Management Committee

https://www.wilco.org/Departments/Conservation-Foundation
Spring symposium scheduled February 24

Registration is open for our spring symposium at the Lady Bird Johnson Wildflower Center on Saturday, February 24.

Visit www.npsot.org for more details!
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The following activities were completed since last NPSOT meeting

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Our next field trip will be the Beginners Spring Walk at Old Settlers Park. The date will be announced based on when plants break dormancy.
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Kathy Henderson

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Facebook
fb.com/npsotwilco

21 followers

Instagram
@npsotwilco

181 followers
+7 in the last 7 days

23 posts
+0 in the last 7 days

Total Page Followers as of Today: 96

Graph showing the number of total page followers from January to February.
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Penny Villanueva

No updates at this time.
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Peggy Bailey

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<th><strong>What</strong></th>
<th>Winter Maintenance at the Landfill Pollinator Garden</th>
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<td>President’s Day: Monday, February 19, 9:00 AM – 12:00 PM</td>
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<td><strong>Where</strong></td>
<td>Williamson County Landfill, 600 Co Rd 128, Hutto, TX 78634</td>
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Robert Kamper

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<td>Apr 12</td>
<td>Land &amp; Habitat Restoration – Selah / Bamberger Ranch Staff</td>
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<td>Jun 14</td>
<td>Michael Eason, “Wildflowers of Texas”</td>
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<td>Jul 12</td>
<td>Annual Programs Projects &amp; Field Trips Brainstorming &amp; Elections</td>
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<td>Sep 13</td>
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<td>Annual Members’ Pot Luck Social &amp; Silent Auction</td>
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Native Landscape Certification Program
Randy Pensabene

Register for spring classes [npsot.org/wp/nlcp/](npsot.org/wp/nlcp/)

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<td>Mar 24</td>
<td>Level 1, Introduction to Native Landscapes</td>
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<td>Apr 07</td>
<td>Level 2, Design &amp; Development w/Native Plants (FULL)</td>
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<td>Apr 28</td>
<td>Level 3, Installation &amp; Maintenance of Native Landscapes</td>
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Randy Pensabene

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| **When**   | Friday, April 13\(^{th}\) (WFC Members) 
Saturday, April 14\(^{th}\) |
| **Where**  | Ladybird Johnson Wildflower Center |
Scooter Cheatum

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