Romero Ruins Interpretive Trail

0.75 mile, loop — no bikes, no horses. Easy loop which begins south of the main road across from the second pull-out. The trail crosses a seasonal wash (feet may get wet) before climbing about 80 steps to the hilltop. The Romero Ruins archaeological site includes the surface features of the remains from a Hohokam village dating back to about 500 A.D. Trailside signs address the archaeology of the site, the Hohokam culture, and the Romero homestead. Plan on 30 minutes of walking time. **For the protection of cultural resources no collecting is allowed.**

Our book tour may take longer than 30 minutes as we stop to discuss events and characters in The Clay Series, but probably less than an hour depending on the size of the group.

Water and picnic fare will be available at the ramada.

Wear sturdy shoes (hiking boots/sneakers). Even if the wash is not running, you will walk through the sandy wash. Wear a hat; use sunscreen (even in November); the steps are not steep, but they wind upward to the top of the hill. There’s a bench at the top to rest a moment.