



**OUTERAM 2023**

**INFOMAG**

**The Official Commemorative Program**



The occurrence of this event has a unique, and yet to be fully told, origin. The Reader's Digest version begins with Inter-Americas Hash 2019 (INTERAM 2019). An exuberant and probably slightly intoxicated hoard of hashers vote to take INTERAM 2021 to South America for the first time, as the Medellin H3 in Colombia is voted in to host.



<\*note . . . at some future date, insert the story that has yet to unfold.>



Fast forward to the spring of 2023, INTERAM 2021/22/23 is cancelled due to overwhelming circumstances (see \*note above).

After the dust settles a bit, an offer is made to host a pay-as-you-go event in Guatapé, Colombia for those hashers who have non-refundable travel arrangements, or just still want to go to Colombia anyway. It was dubbed OUTERAM 2023.

[OUTER hashing](#) was born in the aftermath of the cancelled INTERHASH that was scheduled to take place in Trinidad & Tobago.

## OUTERHASH 2022 – Going Anyway

In conjunction with the announcement for OUTERAM, an alternative event (*Smutt Butts Full Moon H3 “Won’t Get Screwed Again!” Labor Day Campout*) is planned for the same weekend in Maryland, and 89 hashers choose to go to this event. By all accounts, it was a fine success.

Initially, about 25 hashers signed up for OUTERAM, but in the end, due to various other concerns, and a US State Department warning, many cancelled.

Travel Advisory  
May 11, 2023

Colombia - Level 3: Reconsider  
Travel

**Reissued with updates to high-risk areas.**

Reconsider travel due to **crime** and **terrorism**. Exercise increased caution due to civil **unrest** and **kidnapping**. Some areas have increased risk. Read the entire Travel Advisory.

**Country Summary:** Violent crime, such as homicide, assault, and armed robbery, is widespread. Organized criminal activities, such as extortion, robbery, and kidnapping, are common in some areas.

Big whoop, there are parts of Chicago, Los Angeles, and New York City (to name a few) that are worse than this on a regular basis.





## SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

31 AUG: *OKINAWA PRELUBE*

## OUTERAM 23

1 SEP: *HASH SOCIAL*

2 SEP: *MAIN EVENT*

3 SEP: *SUNDAY TRAIL*

4 SEP: *HASH SOCIAL*

The Okinawa Prelube has been a traditional precursor to InterAmericas Hash for many years now, and seemed fitting that this continued.

Mu-sick organized this trail for Thursday evening. We met at the Santori Hotel on the hilltop at the back of the town for this 5 km trail down through Guatape, ending at a boat bar on the lake.

It was an excellent trail beginning at dusk, and turning dark as we scampered around the back alleys of town. The circle included various adult beverages, and hot Pizza. Thusly, the tradition continues.

## *Who Came:*

*B-Flat*

*Candyass*

*Candyman*

*Dutch Oven*

*Hazukashii*

*Hot Pussy Popper*

*Mu-sick*

*Puke of Shame*

*Thanks for the Mammaries*

*Victoria*





OKINAWA  
PRELUBE



# OUTERAM 2023 - Opening Night Social

We met in the center of town, and had a nice wander, a few drinks, and dinner.  
Another beautiful night in Guatape.



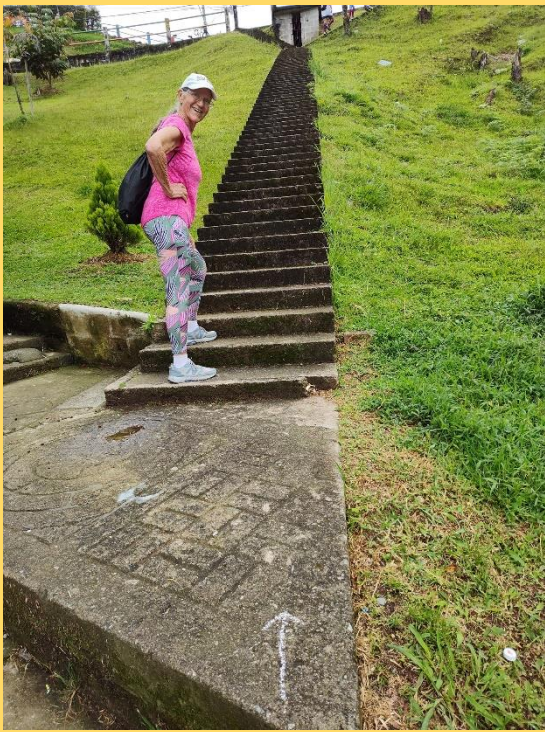


## OUTERAM 2023 – Main Event

We had a lot of rain in the morning, and considering the thunder and lighting, there was potential for a postponement to the next day . . . but the weather cleared up enough that we stayed on schedule. We gathered in the central park of Guatape at 1300 for hares away. After a quick chalk talk, Hazukashii took off to set what was considered the ball buster trail (10+ Kms with the climb). Now there were several options; 1. One hasher took a tuktuk to the Rock and just started climbing, 2. Two hashers got an assist on one uphill on horseback, 3. Five hashers were whipped after climbing the Rock and caught a tuktuk to the finish, 4. And of course two stalwart hashers followed the hare on the way back.



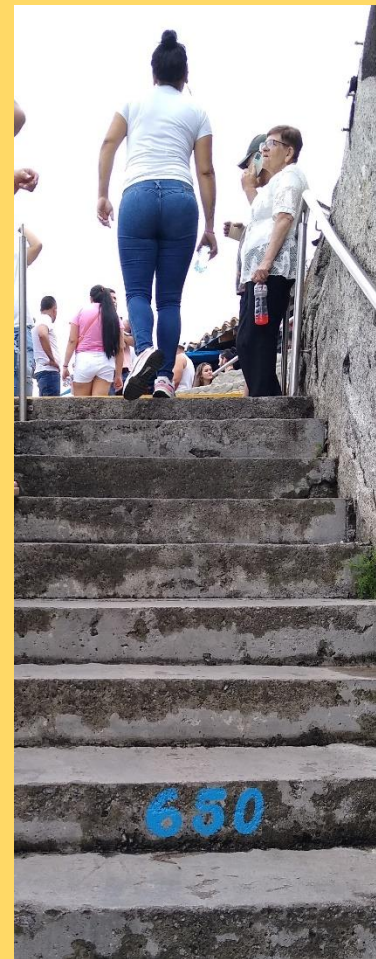
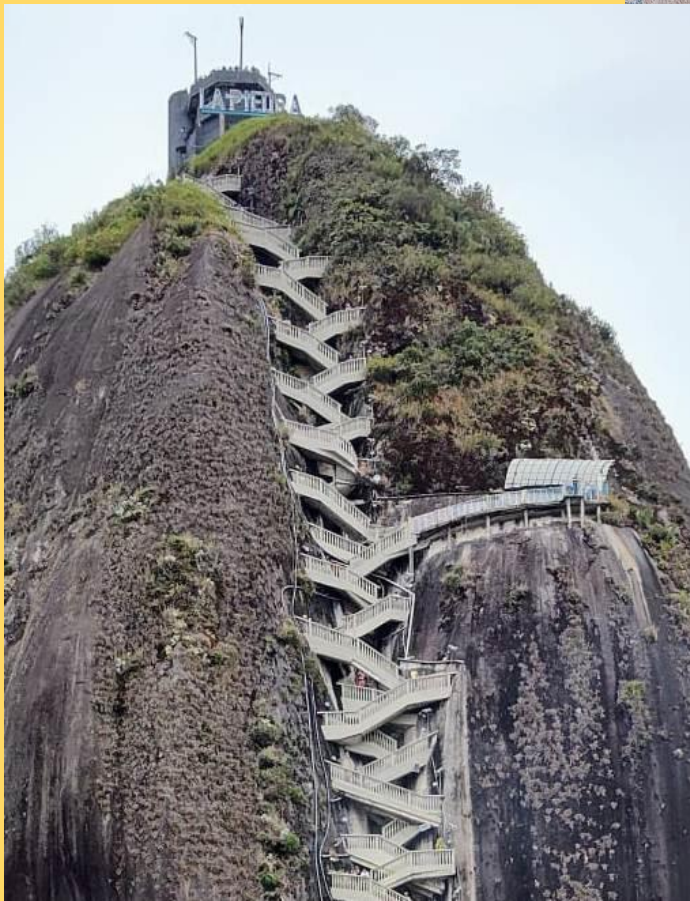
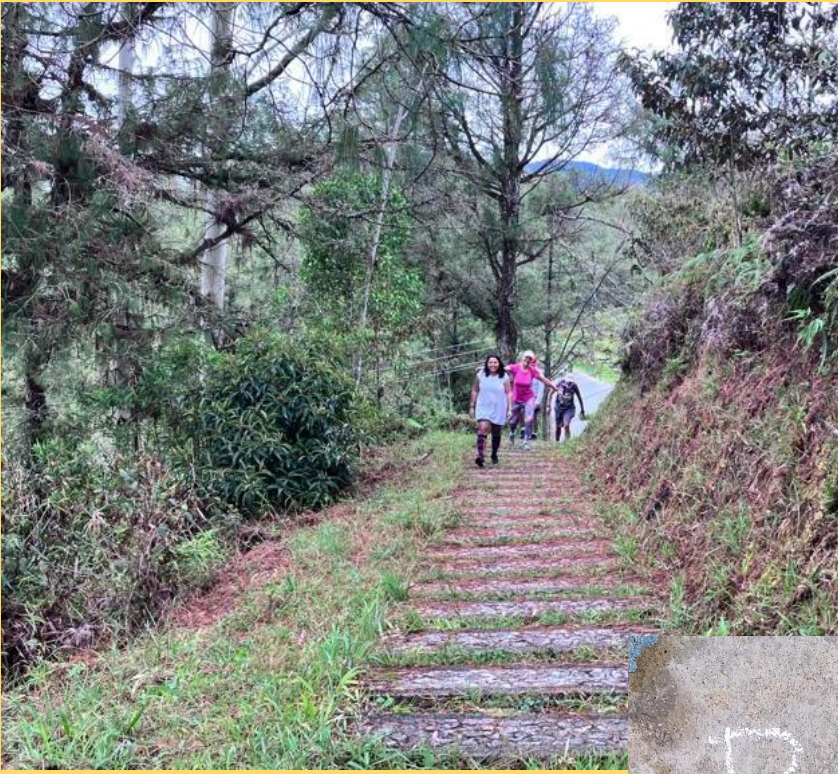




TRAIL: There were plenty of steps just getting to the Rock on the 5 km track to the Rock, and once there it was over 650 more to the top. After making it to the top, and a couple beers, some views, it was time to head back down. Everyone was claiming they were going to follow trail going back, but the tuktuk option prevailed for 5 slackers, but two did follow after the hare and ran back to town.













Then it was time to go back down, and make our way back to town. We reassembled in central park to make sure we were all accounted for, then wandered down to the lake for circle. We were also finally joined by our two Bogota hashers who were delayed when their plane could not land at the airport, turned around and flew back to Bogota, only to turn around and come right back. We then began celebrating the first ever running of the Guatape H3 with a lively 45-minute circle, and then proceeded to dinner. All in all, a pretty good day on the hash.





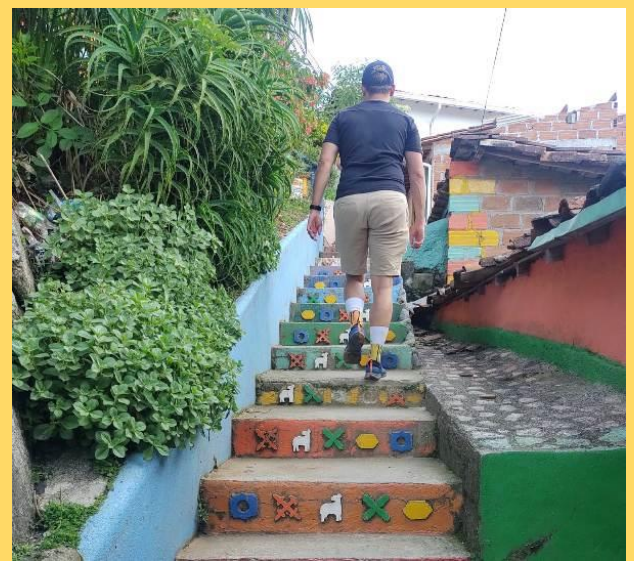
## OUTERAM 2023 – Sunday Trail

Guatape H3 trail #2. Our robust pack of 10 gathered for another excursion into trail hashery. It was a bright sunny day (despite the rain forecast), and the park was full of people enjoying a little bit of vacation. What better way to enjoy ourselves than to immediately follow trail out of this mess and towards the outskirts of town. And so it was, with Hazukashii as the hare, trail headed decidedly uphill right from the start. Snaking its way through the streets of Guatape, trail eventually made its way to the outskirts of town to a nature park and a beer check.

Then on back into town, skirting the East side of town, trail used the only escape path to the east by crossing the bridge for yet another beer check. With a keen view of the town, the pack also enjoyed the local police force that was conducting river drills in the inlet. Soon enough, the hare was off again, and headed back over that same bridge to skitter down the malacon.

This 5 km trail would soon end as the ON-IN was found on the waterfront and onto an awaiting boat bar, where we all enjoyed many adult beverages that led into circle. Not wanting to waste any time with superfluous down downs, circle was turned right over to the pack for accusations. The pack wasted little time, and soon the charges were flying, between numerous songs and laughs. We even conducted two renamings . . . PeePeePies will now be known as Puke of Shame, and C\*m Dumpster (ugh, I hate that name) told us a story of hot peppers and consensual adult relations, and gratefully embraced her new name of Hot Pussy Popper (well, it's a little bit better). After one more round of brews and accusations, with huge smiles on our faces, we concluded circle and headed into town for dinner.

Thanks for the Mammaries led us to her favorite place in town, and we all rejoiced in safety, as shortly after we sat down and ordered . . . about a dozen of Guatape's finest strolled in and joined us. After dinner, as we made our way back out onto the street, we realized that the rain that was predicted for the day had finally arrived, and we dashed as best we could to our hotels. Another great day on the hash.









## OUTERAM 2023 – Monday Hash Social

We finished up the event with a hash social. Our newly named Hot Pussy Popper organized a day on the lake, where we were treated to a historical review of the environment, a most excellent selection of charcuterie, and a relaxing ride on the water. Two bottles of fizzy and one white wine, a bottle of Scotch, a bottle of Aguardiente, and several cans of beer and seltzer later, we returned to the landing none the worse for wear, with a smile on everyone's faces. All that is left is get a good night's sleep, and then proceed back to the airport in the morning. It was a very nice weekend hash event with a bunch of fun hashers.





# How Was The Big Rock Of Guatape Formed?

This feature is a formation of the Cordillera Occidental Mountain Range near the Colombian Andes Mountains.

Similar to other Inselbergs like [Uluru](#), these large rock formations are the result of an eroding landscape. This is often caused by flooding over a long period of time. In this case, this natural wonder is made of granite.

This is a type of igneous rock that forms when magma (molten rock) cools and solidifies deep underground. Since granite is very hard and durable, the massive rock has withstood the test of time and erosion.

The stone is estimated to be 65 million years old, according to geologists.

And that's the way it was. Everyone is safely returned home, or moved on to their next adventure. Hope everyone enjoyed the ride. Thanks for coming out. On – On.







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