

**Charlotte Mitchell**  
**Board Member**

**Article:** Charlotte is a 1980 graduate of Baylor University and has a bachelor of Business Administration degree. She retired from Slimp Oil Company Inc. in 2004 and has since been involved in numerous civic and charitable organizations, including the Battle of Flowers Association, Rotary Club of San Antonio, Daughters of the Republic of Texas, Military-Civilian Club, Fiesta Commission, and Goodwill of San Antonio. Her board memberships have included Goodwill of San Antonio, Rotary Club, Daughters of the Republic of Texas Library, and the Alamo.

Charlotte enjoys continuing to learn about San Antonio and Texas history, reading, photography, volunteering, outdoor activities, and travel. As a seventh-generation Texan and third-generation San Antonian, she has a keen interest in Brackenridge Park because of its significant role in her own life and family history. Charlotte joined the Brackenridge Park Conservancy Advisory Board in 2016 and was Co-Chair of the annual fundraising event, Spirit of Brackenridge Park, in 2018.

**Share Your Walk:**

1. **What do you love about the park?** I love the long history of the Park, how it dates back to over 10,000 years ago and how it has been a gathering place for the community for so long.
2. **What is your goal with supporting BPC on behalf of the park?** To support the Conservancy is pursuing the restoration and preservation efforts in the Park.
3. **Do you have a childhood memory in the park?** I do—driving through the low water crossing in my father's Model T automobile and leaning out the side to drag my hand through the water. Also, hearing stories from my father about the Park—specifically how he was baptized in the river at Lambert Beach during a church picnic around 1930.