

WEEKEND WONDERS

4TH ANNUAL
SPRING NATURE
FESTIVAL
MARCH 11 & 12, 2017

FREE
PROGRAMS



BLACKOUT NIGHT HIKE

FEBRUARY 11TH 5:30-7:30PM
MARCH 25TH 7:15-9:15PM

BIRDING HIKE

JANUARY 28TH 9-11AM
MARCH 18TH 8-10AM

ECOKIDZ

JANUARY 21ST 10AM-12PM

SUNSET WALK

FEBRUARY 10TH 4:30-6PM
MARCH 17TH 6-7:30PM

BACKCOUNTRY ADVENTURES

JANUARY 15TH 10-1:30PM
FEBRUARY 5TH 10-1:30PM
MARCH 19TH 10-1:30PM

OUTDOOR SURVIVAL PREPAREDNESS

FEBRUARY 12TH 10AM-12PM

EL CAMINO VIEJO WILDERNESS HIKE

JANUARY 14TH 8AM-2PM
FEBRUARY 19TH 8AM-2PM

VOLUNTEER DAYS

JANUARY 7TH 9AM-12PM
JANUARY 14TH 9AM-12PM
JANUARY 15TH 10AM-1PM
JANUARY 29TH 9AM-12PM

FEBRUARY 11TH 9AM-12PM
FEBRUARY 12TH 10AM-1PM
FEBRUARY 26TH 9AM-12PM

MARCH 5TH 9AM-12PM
MARCH 18TH 9AM-12PM
MARCH 25TH 9AM-12PM
MARCH 30TH 9AM-12PM

*Reservations
Required*

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SAN EMIGDIO EXPRESS

SATURDAYS AND SUNDAYS
8:30AM, 12:30PM, 3:30PM

Reservations not required

**Reservations open 2 weeks
before each event.**

Weekend events are made free for visitors because of generous donations from people like you. If you would like to contribute to Wind Wolves and enhance the experience for children in the outdoors, please leave a donation in any of our donation bins on the preserve.

Wind Wolves Preserve is open from 8am-5pm everyday until March 11th, 2017. Starting March 11th, Wind Wolves Preserve will be open from 8am-6pm everyday.

EcoKidz

Parents come out and enjoy a free outdoor activity with your kids. Activities vary from bird watching and bird nest building, painting or using oil pastels to create masterpieces in nature, and reading children-friendly books outdoors. Fun for all ages!

Birding Hike

Come hike through riparian, saltbush, and oak woodland habitats to discover the birds that live in these areas. We will drive to different habitats so you can see more of the preserve! All ages and experience levels welcome. No strollers.

Black Out Night Hike

This two-hour hike during the new moon offers a very dark environment, and is ideal for star gazing. Naturalists will discuss nighttime wonders such as nocturnal animals and sensory awareness activities. Black-lights may be provided to discover glow in the dark critters, and to see how we stand out compared to our dark environment. Ages 6 and up (no strollers). Please note that the starting times for this hike vary according to sunset time. Please bring flashlights!

Sunset Walk

The Sunset Walk is a great opportunity for photographers, and anyone who enjoys the beautiful golden light that the last hour of the day brings! We will casually stroll through our campground and up to the Crossing pond. Enjoy the cool air of the evening and a chance to see wildlife! Ages 6 and up (no strollers).

El Camino Viejo Wilderness Hike

Naturalists will lead a 4-6 mile hike through wilderness that once was the route of the wagons traveling between El Pueblo de Los Angeles and early San Francisco. The hike will begin at the El Camino Viejo Wilderness trailhead within San Emigdio Canyon, heading south into the lush wilderness with chances to see bears, mule deer, bird life, unique geological features, and more. This hike is appropriate for hikers aged 7 and up. Bring water and lunch.

Outdoor Survival Preparedness

Kids and their parents learn how to stay safe and sound in nature. Your naturalist will lead activities and demonstrations. Kids will receive a safety whistle, lanyard and certificate. Ages 7 and up (no strollers).

Backcountry Adventures

Backcountry Adventures is a vehicle tour that will allow you to visit our "Authorized Access Only" areas. Some of our Adventure themes are: Birds of Wind Wolves Preserve, Animal Sightings, Natural History, Native American History, Wildflowers (seasonal) and much more! The tour vehicle has an air conditioning and heater system, for the comfort of our riders. Some mild hiking involved. Bring water and a lunch.

Volunteer Days

We need your help! Our volunteer events are fun and rewarding allowing you to: meet new people, learn and share knowledge, and make a positive difference for the plants and animals that live on the preserve. Working alongside rangers, you have the opportunity to save endangered species, remove invasive plants, work in our native nursery, monitor species populations, and more. All ages welcome!

San Emigdio Express

This is a weekend shuttle service to catch a ride along the historic El Camino Viejo (The Old Road) to trailheads within San Emigdio Canyon. Express runs start at 8:30am, 12:30pm, and 3:30pm. Catch a ride with us for more hiking opportunities! *The 3:30pm shuttle run is mainly a pick up service for hikers up canyon.* Please note: this is not a tour, and this shuttle service is first come, first serve. Pick up an express map at any of our kiosks to see all of the drop off and pick up locations!

Please note that programs and hikes may be canceled in unsafe weather conditions or if no reservations are made. Wind Wolves staff will always inform participants of a cancellation.