

Quarterly Meeting

Wed Jan 25th PV-SB Sierra Club Quarterly Meeting: Restoration for Species at Risk in the Palos Verdes Nature Preserve. Danielle LeFer, Conservation Director for the Palos Verdes Peninsula Land Conservancy will tell us about restoration projects on the lands managed by PVPLC, including the Palos Verdes Nature Preserve. Her talk will focus on the latest strategies, successes, lessons learned and recent research, covering past and ongoing restoration projects for the California gnatcatcher, coastal cactus wren, Palos Verdes blue butterfly and El Segundo blue butterfly. Join us from 7-9 p.m. in the Community Room of the Palos Verdes Peninsula Library, 701 Silver Spur Road, Rolling Hills Estates, across from Deep Valley Drive. Refreshments will be served. Contact Program Chair Joyce White 310-383-5247 if you'd like more information.

Weekly Activities

Conditioning Hikes: Wear lug sole boots. Arrive early. Rain cancels. Bring red lens flashlight.



Monday Nights O: Rancho Palos Verdes: Slow mod. 2 hr, 4-6 mi hike. Not for beginners. Leave 6:30 PM at Del Cerro Park. Rain cancels. Ldrs: Bill Lavoie, Jacques Monier, Zoltan Stroll.



Tuesday Nights O: San Pedro/PV: Strenuous 2 hr, 5-8 mi hike. Not for beginners. Leave 6:30 PM from 8th and Averill. Ldrs: Brooks Chadwick, Barry Bonnicksen, Joyce White, Dorie Chadwick, Jacques Monier.



Tuesday Nights O: Hermosa/Manhattan Beach: Mod. 1½ hr, 4 mi hike on greenbelt and hilly streets. Good for beginners. Leave 7:00 PM from far end of parking lot of Hermosa Valley School (1645 Valley Dr). Ldrs: Sharon Brossier, Alix Benson, Susan Johnson.



Thursday Nights O: Palos Verdes Peninsula: Strenuous 2 hr, 5-8 mi hike, flat/hilly streets/trails. Up to 5 hiking groups: slow, slow mod, mod, fast mod, fast. Not for beginners. Leave 6:30 PM from parking lot near Rite Aid Drugs at Hawthorne & Silver Spur. Ldrs: Linda Werk, Michael Coble, Brooks Chadwick, Joyce White, Dave Hixson, Jacques Monier, Bill Lavoie, Judy Shane, Dorie Chadwick, Jerry Trager, Lois Vile.

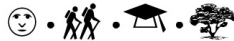


Saturday Hikes: Details in Activities listing.

Monthly Activities



Management Committee Meeting. First Wednesday of every month at 6:30 PM. Meeting open to all Sierra Club members. Call secretary for meeting location.



Moonlit Hikes in Palos Verdes O. Friday before or on full moon. Meet 7:30 PM Easy to moderate 1.5-2 hr hike in Palos Verdes hills. Go for pizza afterwards. Coordinator: Hugh Pendleton. See website for details.



Manhattan Beach Hike & Brunch O. First Sunday of every month at 9 AM. Easy 4-5 mi, 300' gain, 2 hr hike on streets, trails, ocean strand. Restrooms available. Optional brunch at local restaurant after hike. Meet by police memorial (1901 N Valley Dr, Manhattan Beach, under giant oak tree by tennis courts). Bring water, walking shoes, sun hat. Rain cancels. Ldrs: Lois Vile, Jerry Trager.



Palos Verdes Hike & Brunch O. Third Sunday of every month at 9 AM. Moderate 4-5 mi, 1000' gain, 2 hr hike on some streets, trails overlooking ocean, canyons, always hills, some steep. Optional brunch after at Marmalade Cafe. Meet at dead-end of Crenshaw Blvd, Rancho Palos Verdes (#2 Park Place). Bring water, lug sole boots, sun hat. Rain cancels. Coordinator: Greg Hitchings. Ldrs: Dave Hixson, Mary Beth Oubre, Bill Lavoie, Jerry Trager, Lois Vile.

Next Schedule Deadlines

Foggy View December 5, 2011

















Angeles Chapter Schedule Nov 1, 2011

Please submit all outings to Outings Chair Keith Martin before these dates.

PV-SB GROUP ACTIVITIES

IMPORTANT NOTICES

In order to participate on one of the Sierra Club's outings, you will need to sign a liability waiver. If you would like to read a copy of the waiver prior to the outing, please see <http://sierraclub.org/outings/chapter/forms> or call 415-977-5528. In the interest of facilitating the logistics of some outings, it is customary that participants make carpooling arrangements. The Sierra Club does not have insurance for carpooling arrangements and assumes no liability for them. Carpooling ride sharing or anything similar is strictly a private arrangement among the participants. Participants assume the risks associated with this travel. CST 2087766-40. Registration as a seller of travel does not constitute approval by the State of California.

Symbols used for outings:  walk,  hiking,  flight,  backpack,  educational,  conservation,  canine,  bird watching,  slides,  moonlit hike,  bus trip,  flowers,  skiing,  lodge,  trail work,  snow shoeing.

Bus/Air Trips. See details in listings that follow.

[Nov4-6 Fri-Sun: Idyllwild Wonders Bus Trip](#)
[Jan 14-16 Sat-Mon: Death Valley Bus Trip](#)
[Feb 3-5 Fri-Sun: Joshua Tree Nat'l Park Bus Trip](#)
[May 26-29 Sat-Tue: Zion Nat'l Park & Bryce Cyn Bus Trip](#)
[Jul 14-20 2012 Sat-Fri: Victoria, BC and Olympic Nat'l Park, WA Fly & Bus Trip](#)
[Jul 26-29 Thu-Sun: Mammoth Eastern Sierra Bus Trip](#)



Nov 4 Fri O: Moonlite Hike in Palos Verdes Estates: Leave from Neptune's Fountain in center of plaza, 7:30 PM Malaga Cove Plaza, Via Almar and Palos Verdes Dr West. Marvelous vistas across whole Santa Monica Bay. Rain cancels. Go for pizza afterwards. Ldr: Bill Lavoie; Asst: Steve Bradford.



Nov. 4-6 Fri-Sun O: Idyllwild Wonders Bus Trip: Join us in the San Jacinto and Santa Rosa Wilderness for three days of glorious hiking. Our adventures will include a varied range of hikes in these two wilderness areas with easier/harder hiking options daily. The Cactus Springs Trail in the Santa Rosas will expose us to fall colors and a blend of high and low desert environments. We will pass by oases of fan palms climbing to crests of pinyon pine and juniper. In Idyllwild, we will hike the Deer Springs Trail to Suicide Rock, rewarded by views of Strawberry Valley and a forest wonderland of fir and pine. On the final day, we will meander up switchbacks through a dense forest on Devil's Slide Trail to a lookout at Tahquitz Peak. We stay two

nights in the Motel 8 in Hemet. Price includes bus, shared motel room, breakfasts, snacks, and driver gratuity. Participants should be fit enough to hike 7 miles in hilly terrain. Depart early Fri. from Redondo Beach and return Sun night. Cancellation penalty is \$35, with balance refundable until Oct 4 and then only if trip is full. Send 2 business-size SASE, H&W photos, email address, and check payable to PVSB Sierra Club for \$165 to Linda Werk, 15218 Cranbrook Ave, El Camino Village, CA 90260. Ldrs: Linda Werk & Judy Shane.



Nov 5 Sat O: Central Peninsula Hike: Moderate 5.4 mi, 1300' gain, 2.5 hr. Meet at Rolling Hills Estates City Hall, NW corner of Crenshaw & Palos Verdes Dr North, at 8:00 AM. Palomino, Pinto, Morgan, Thoroughbred, Radiance's Run, Storm's Ridge, Crest, Upper & Lower Si's Cyn, Middle Ridge, & Hammerschma trails. Wear lug sole boots, bring snack & water. If you anticipate rain, wear rain gear. Ldrs: Barry Bonnicksen & Jacques Monier. Contact: Barry at bonnicks@pacbell.net.



Nov 6 Sun O: Manhattan Beach Hike/Brunch
[See Monthly Activities](#)



Nov 12 Sat O: George F Cyn Hike: Moderate 6 mi, 1200' gain. Meet 8:00 AM. Palos Verdes Dr East 1/8 mi south of Palos Verdes Dr North at trailhead. Georgette, Roadrunner, Cork Tree, Parnelli's, Bent Spr, Water Tank, Black Water, Jean Mann, Georgeff, Lower Willow Spring., Martingale trails. Wear lug sole boots, bring snack & water. If you anticipate rain, wear rain gear. Ldrs: Jacques Monier & Steve Bradford. Contact: Jacques at jmonier@pacbell.net.



Nov 19 Sat O: Portuguese Cyn Hike: Moderate 6 mi, 1400' gain. Take Palos Verdes Dr South to Forrestal Dr, north to gate. Meet at gate at 8:00 AM. Forestall Quarry, Klondike Cyn, and trails across Portuguese Cyn, Kelvin Cyn, Tori's, Jack's Hat, Cinnamon, Narcissa, Peppertree trails. Wear lug sole boots, bring snack & water. If you anticipate rain, wear rain gear. Ldrs: Barry Bonnicksen & Emile Fiesler. Contact: Barry at bonnicks@pacbell.net.



Nov 20 Sun O: Palos Verdes Hike/Brunch
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Nov 26 Sat O: Central Peninsula Hike: Moderate 7 mi, 600' gain, 2.5 hr. Meet at Rolling Hills Estates City Hall, NW corner of Crenshaw & Palos Verdes Dr North at 8:00 AM. Trails: Moccasin, Howlett, Valmonte Cyn, Via Palomino. Wear lug sole boots, bring snack & water. If you anticipate rain, wear rain gear. Ldrs: Barry Bonnicksen & Alix Benson. Contact: Barry at bonnicks@pacbell.net.



Dec 3 Sat O: Miraleste Trails Hike: Moderate 6 mi, 1000' gain. Meet at 8:00 AM in the parking lot of Peck Park in San Pedro. The entrance to the park is at the South East corner of Western Ave and West Crestwood St. We will meet about 100 yards into the first parking lot. Wear lug sole boots, bring snack & water. If you anticipate rain, wear rain gear. Ldrs: Barry Bonnicksen & Linda Werk. Contact: Barry at bonnicks@pacbell.net.



Dec 4 Sun O: Manhattan Beach Hike/Brunch
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Dec 9 Fri O: Moonlite Hike in Rolling Hills Estates: Meet 7:30 PM at parking lot of Rolling Hills Estates City Hall, NE corner of Palos Verdes Dr N and Crenshaw Blvd. Hike bridal trails and tunnels. Wear sturdy shoes for dusty or damp trails. Rain cancels. Go for pizza afterwards. Ldrs: Jerry Trager & Lois Vile.



Dec 18 Sun O: Palos Verdes Hike/Brunch
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Dec 10 Sat O: Del Cerro to Forrestal Hike: Moderate 7 mi, 1600' gain. Meet at the south end of Crenshaw Blvd, at entrance to Del Cerro Park, in Ranchos Palos Verdes, at 8:00 AM. Trails include: Rattlesnake, Vanderlip, Peppertree, Ishibashi Farm, Klondike Cyn, Dauntless, Cyn view, Flying Mane, Mariposa, Pirate, Purple Sage, Conqueror, Panorama, Landslide Scarp, Toyon, Ishibashi, and finishing with Burma Road. Duration is approximately 3.5 hours. Wear lug sole boots, bring snack & water. If you anticipate rain, wear rain gear. Ldrs: Jacques Monier & Emile Fiesler. Contact: Jacques at jmonier@pacbell.net.



Dec 17 Sat O: Ocean Trails Hike: Slow Moderate 4 mi, 1000' gain. Take Palos Verdes Dr South to La Rotonda, then south to the trail parking lot (inside the gate). Meet at 8:00 AM. Take four trails that lead down to the ocean and a loop around Shoreline Park. Wear lug soles, bring snack, water. If anticipate rain, wear rain gear. Ldrs: Barry Bonnicksen (bonnicks@pacbell.net) & Steve Bradford.



Dec 17 SAT I: Pinto Mtn Hike (3983'): Join us for a nice stroll across desert flats and the ascent of Pinto in Joshua Tree NP (9 mi, 2400' gain). Great views of other peaks. Send email with conditioning to Provisional Ldr Kevin Gray (kevin-mediate@live.com); Co-Ldr: Jack Kieffer (jockorock42@yahoo.com).



Dec 24 Sat O: San Pedro Hill Hike: Moderate 7.3 mi, 1550' gain. Meet near the intersection of Crest Rd and Ganado Dr. Take Palos Verdes East to Crest Rd (across from Marymount Palos Verdes College). Go up the hill on

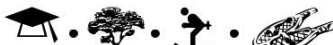
Crest Rd. Just past the intersection with Ganado Dr, make a U-turn and park on Crest Rd. Meet at 8:00 AM. Trails include: Nike, Seaview, Upper and Lower Willow Springs, Water Tank, Appaloosa, Hix, Upper Si's, Crest, Georgeff, Dizzy's, Purple Cyn, Caballeros, & Crest. Duration is approximately 3.0 hours. Wear lug sole boots, bring snack & water. If you anticipate rain, wear rain gear. Ldrs: Jacques Monier (jmonier@pacbell.net) & TBD.



Dec 31 Sat O: Portuguese Point Hike: Moderate 6 mi, 1000' gain, 3 hours. Take Palos Verdes Dr South to Forrestal Dr, north to gate. Meet at gate at 8:00 AM. Klondike Cyn, across Portuguese Cyn, Portuguese Pt., Sea Cave, Inspiration Pt. Wear lug sole boots, bring snack & water. If you anticipate rain, wear rain gear. Ldrs: Barry Bonnicksen (bonnicks@pacbell.net) & Steve Bradford.



Jan 6 Fri O: Moonlite Hike in Palos Verdes Estates: Meet 7:30 PM at historic Malaga Cove Plaza at Neptune's Fountain, Via Almar and Palos Verdes Dr West. Hike fire trails overlooking Santa Monica Bay. Wear sturdy shoes. Rain cancels. Go for pizza afterwards. Ldr. Steve Bradford, Asst Alix Benson.



Jan 13-16 Fri-Mon (with Wilderness Adventures Section, Long Beach Group, Orange County Sierra Singles) I: MLK Weekend in Wawona: Rideshare Fri to stay in a cabin in the Wawona area near Yosemite's south entrance. Join leaders for low intermediate x-cntry ski and snowshoe each day at Badger Pass and other areas. On your own you can downhill or track ski, ice skate or simply explore Yosemite Valley in the winter. Cost includes 3 nights lodging in modern cabin with all amenities (2-4 per bedroom with shared bathrooms and kitchen), 3 continental breakfasts, 3 lunch fixings, Sat and Sun group dinner. Send \$290 payable to Wilderness Adventures (\$40 cancellation penalty, no refund of balance after 12/12 unless trip is full and suitable replacement found), 2 SASE (or 1 SASE and email), H&W phones, recent ski experience (if joining x-cntry skiing) to Ldr: Keith Martin, P. O. Box 864, Palos Verdes Estates, CA 90274; Asst: Beth Powis Martin. Snow shoe ldrs: Sharon Moore and Sherry Ross.



Jan 14-16 Sat-Mon O: Death Valley Bus Trip: L. A. and Orange County pickups. Visit Death Valley National Park at the best time of the year for hiking. Our 19th annual trip will offer a choice of hikes all three days into canyons, up buttes, and across sand dunes. Or bring a book and read next to the large warm spring-fed swimming pool and look over the majestic Panamint Mountains or visit Scotty's Castle, or take a horseback ride or play golf. You saw the Valley on Huell Howser's and other PBS programs, now come and see it for yourself. We stay at Furnace Creek Ranch in the heart of the valley, 2 people/2 beds per room. Leave Sat AM from Redondo Beach, then from Orange County, return Mon eve. Cost includes bus, driver gratuity, lodging, daily social hours, bus drinks/snacks. \$40 cancellation penalty, balance refundable until Dec 10th, then only if trip is full. Send 2 large

SASE, H&W phones. \$269 (payable to Sierra Club) to the reservation ldr, Richard Pardi, 23326 Mariano Street, Woodland Hills, Ca. 91367. 818-346-6257. Co-Ldrs Donna Lauck, Dave Hixson.



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Feb 3-5 Fri-Sun O: Joshua Tree National Park Bus Trip: Join us for varied and spectacular hikes in a national park that overlaps the Mojave and Colorado deserts. Sand dunes, dry lakes, flat valleys, extraordinarily rugged mountains, granite monoliths, palm oases, and interesting critters are all found within its 800,000 acres. In three days, we will experience a wide and varied range of the park with hiking options ranging from 6-12 miles daily. We've chosen trails that are different from our last trip, which will lead us to scenic vistas, high ridge tops, sheltered ravines, wide desert washes, forests of Joshua Trees, and striking red rock formations. We stay two nights in the Super 8 in Yucca Valley. Price includes bus, shared motel room, continental breakfast, all admissions, and driver gratuity. Depart early Fri from Redondo Beach and return Sun night. Cancellation penalty is \$35, with balance refundable until Jan 1, and then only if trip is full. Send 2 business-size SASE, H&W phones, email, and check payable to PVS SB Sierra Club for \$196 to Linda Werk, 15218 Cranbrook Ave, El Camino Village, CA 90260. Ldrs: Judy Shane & Linda Werk.



May 26-29 Sat-Tues O: Zion National Park & Bryce Cyn Bus Trip: Two pick up points, Redondo Beach & Orange County. Hike in Utah's most popular parks. No overnight bus ride. Hike the many trails including the Virgin River narrows, Angels Landing and East Rim Trail. Choice of hikes available each day. Leave Sat morning, return Tues evening. Stay all three nights in Springdale next to Zion. Fee includes bus, driver gratuity, motel, 3 happy hours (wine, beer, & soda), snacks & all admissions. \$40 cancellation penalty, balance refundable until April 15, 2012, then only if trip is full. Send 2 business size SASE, H & W phone #'s, check for \$384 (only 1% higher than last year's trip), w/SC # or \$424 non member, payable to Sierra Club, to trip reservationist Richard Pardi 23326 Mariano Street, Woodland Hills, CA. 91367. Ldr Dave Hixson, co-ldrs Richard Pardi, Donna Lauck.



Jul 14- Jul 20 Sat-Fri O: Victoria, BC and Olympic National Park, WA: 7 days/ 6 nights, with optional add-on, Seattle, WA (3 days/ 2 nights). Our trip begins in (*Activities*, page 2)

See PV-SB Website for All Activities

The PV-SB website is updated with all Sierra Club PV-SB activities far in advance of the distribution and delivery of the *Foggy View*, so we recommend utilizing this resource for the most up-to-date information on activities .
(<http://angeles.sierraclub.org/pvsb>)



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