

SIERRA CLUB, ANGELES CHAPTER

# SCHEDULE OF ACTIVITIES

*Great Outdoor Adventures in Los Angeles and Orange Counties*

## May 2018 Web Update



PHOTO BY TOM POLITEO

Hiking in Carrizo Plains in April 2017,  
a year with ample rain.



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## Activities and Outings Skill Level Rating Codes

The Angeles Chapter Safety Committee has established the following classifications for all chapter-sponsored outings to differentiate the levels of skill required of participants and event leaders. Classifications do not relate to outing strenuousness.

**C** Events conducted by a non-Sierra Club entity (e.g., concessionaire).

**0** Uncomplicated outings such as city walks, bike rides, trail hikes, backpacking. May involve simple off-trail hiking not requiring navigation skills. Climbing level: *Class 1 terrain*.

**0-2** An “0” backpack.

**I** Outings that involve cross-country travel where navigation is necessary. Rougher ground than **0** outings may be traversed, and the use of hands for balance may be necessary. Includes outings that have snow travel or skiing on easy terrain. Climbing level: *Class 2 terrain*.

**M** Moderate-level climbing: *Class 3 terrain*. On rock, the hands are used for climbing. Some participants may want a safety belay. On snow, safety dictates the use of ice axes and the ability to self-arrest. **MR**: “M” + Restricted.

**E** More exposed than **M** outings. Climbing on *Class 4 terrain*. Rock climbs will use a rope for all in the party. On snow, steeper terrain than **M** outings is permissible, and safety dictates the use of crampons. **ER**: “E” + restricted.

**T** Technical outings requiring specialized skills as identified in the sponsoring group’s safety policy.

cost, \$675, includes an assigned bunk and all meals, snacks, and beverages. A ranger/naturalist assigned by the national park will travel with us to help lead hikes, point out items of interest and give evening programs. Kayaking will be overseen by our concessionaire; all hikes will be on trails, class 1 terrain. This trip is a fundraiser to support the Sierra Club political program in California. To reserve space send a \$100 deposit, written to California Sierra Club PAC to Joan Jones Holtz, 11826 The Wye St., El Monte, CA 91732. For more information contact leaders: Joan Jones Holtz: jholtzhln@aol.com; 626-443-0706. Wayne Vollaie: avollaie1@gmail.com; 909-327-6825

**Dates:** May 6, 2018; Jul 15, 2018; Aug 19, 2018; Sep 23, 2018; Oct 21, 2018

**Leaders:** Joan Holtz, jholtzhln@aol.com, 626-443-0706; Wayne Vollaie, avollaie1@gmail.com, 909-327-6825

## 1:00 pm - Angeles Chapter Executive Committee meeting

### Angeles Chapter Club Support Event

Monthly meeting of the Angeles Chapter Executive Committee at Chapter Office, 3250 Wilshire Blvd., Suite 1103, Los Angeles CA 90010.

**Dates:** May 20, 2018; Jun 24, 2018

**Leader:** Sharon Koch, slkoch@ix.netcom.com, 949-717-7745

## 7:00 am - Navigation: Mt. Pinos Navigation Noodle

### Angeles Ch Leadership Training Outing

I: Navigation: Mt. Pinos Navigation Noodle: Navigation Noodle in Los Padres National Forest for either checkout or practice to satisfy Basic (I/M) or Advanced (E) level navigation requirements. Saturday is a practice day; Sunday is for checkoff or additional practice. Send email with contact info, navigation experience/training, any WTC, leader rating, rideshare, to leader.

**Dates:** Jun 17, 2018

**Leaders:** Robert M Myers, rmmymers@ix.netcom.com; Ann Shields, apedre-schi@sbcglobal.net

## 7:00 am - Navigation: Warren Point Navigation Noodle

### Angeles Ch Leadership Training Outing

I: Navigation: Warren Point Navigation Noodle: Navigation noodle at Warren Point to satisfy the basic (I/M) level navigation requirements. Saturday for practice, skills refresher, altimeter, homework, campfire. Sunday checkout. Send email/sase, contact info, navigation experience/training, any WTC, leader rating, rideshare to leader.

**Dates:** Nov 18, 2018

**Leaders:** Robert M Myers, rmmymers@ix.netcom.com; Ann Shields, apedre-schi@sbcglobal.net

## Monday Repeating Events

### 6:30 pm - Conditioning Hike in Rancho Palos Verdes

#### Palos Verdes Group Outing

O: Slow moderate 2 hr. 4-6 mile hike: Some streets, some trails overlooking the ocean, and city lights. Some steep trails. Only one group, not for beginners. Arrive early, leave at 6:30 P.M. every Monday from Rancho Del Mar School (NEW LOCATION) off Crest Rd east of Crenshaw: at the top of the hill on Crenshaw, go east on Crest Rd (left if you came up Crenshaw). Just before the Rolling Hills entrance gate, bear right and continue to the second parking lot at the very end (behind the school). (click on “Get Directions” for more info). Wear sturdy shoes or lug sole boots and bring a red lens flash light for winter times. Rain cancels.

**Dates:** May 7, 2018; May 14, 2018; May 21, 2018; May 28, 2018; Jun 4, 2018; Jun 11, 2018; Jun 18, 2018; Jun 25, 2018

**Leader:** William Lavoie, mrmnpoly@aol.com, 310-378-8723

## 7:00 pm - Angeles/OC ICO Monthly Meeting

### Non Club Sponsor Club Support Event

Sierra Club Inspiring Connections Outdoors is a community outreach program that provides opportunities for urban youth and adults to explore, enjoy and protect the natural world. Angeles ICO currently serves low-

## Repeating Events

These repeating events include an ample selection of conditioning hikes, many of meet weekly throughout Los Angeles and Orange counties.

## Sunday Repeating Events

### 0:00 pm - Island Hopping in Channel Islands National Park, 2018

#### Angeles Chapter Outing

Join us for a 3-day, 3-island, live-aboard tour of the enchanting Channel Islands. Hike wild, windswept trails bordered with blazing wildflowers. Kayak rugged coastlines, Marvel at pristine waters teeming with frolicking seals and sea lions. Train your binoculars on unusual sea and land birds—and an occasional whale. Watch for the highly endangered island fox. Look for reminders of the Chumash people who lived on these islands for thousands of years. Or, just relax at sea. All cruises depart from Santa Barbara. The

income schools in Los Angeles and Orange County. We welcome new school agencies, volunteers, and leaders. This is a monthly meeting held on the third Monday of every month (except Jan. and Feb.). Volunteers and school agencies must attend an orientation at 7:05 pm, and the general meeting begins at 7:30pm. We meet at the Sierra Club Angeles Chapter headquarters in the One Park Plaza building, 3250 Wilshire Blvd. #1103 (conference room), located on the southeast corner of Wilshire Blvd. and New Hampshire Ave. Parking is a flat rate of \$5 on evenings and weekends with Sierra Club validation (enter from New Hampshire); however, there is free street parking on Wilshire Blvd. beginning at 7:00pm. angelesico.org

**Dates:** May 21, 2018; Jun 18, 2018; Jul 16, 2018; Aug 20, 2018; Sep 17, 2018; Oct 15, 2018; Nov 19, 2018; Dec 17, 2018; Mar 18, 2019; Apr 15, 2019; May 20, 2019; Jun 17, 2019; Jul 15, 2019; Aug 19, 2019; Sep 16, 2019; Oct 21, 2019; Nov 18, 2019; Dec 16, 2019

**Leader:** Ann Majchrzak, amajchrz@marshall.usc.edu, 310-519-0060

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## Tuesday Repeating Events

### 6:30 pm - Fullerton Evening Hike

#### Angeles Chp Orange Cty Singles Outing

O: E 6:30 pm OCSS, RIO HONDO O: Fullerton Evening Hike: Hike with our social group on this regular weekly easy conditioning hike of 4-5 miles in the gentle hills of Fullerton. Slow to medium pace is great for beginners. Each week we rotate through numerous trails in the area to provide new experiences. Last Tue. of each month we have a Potluck dinner. Hike scheduled during daylight savings time, i.e. March through Oct. Meet at the east end of Laguna Lake in Fullerton (from Harbor Blvd, W on Hermosa Dr, L on Lakeside Dr for block and park on the street). Look for hikers on east side of Lakeside Dr. Wear sturdy boots, bring water, flashlight. Rain cancels. Leaders: MARTIN KLUCK, JOEL ORTMANN, MARGEE HILLS, ALAN DANIELS.

**Dates:** May 1, 2018; May 8, 2018; May 15, 2018; May 22, 2018; May 29, 2018; Jun 5, 2018; Jun 12, 2018; Jun 19, 2018; Jun 26, 2018; Jul 3, 2018; Jul 10, 2018; Jul 17, 2018; Jul 24, 2018; Jul 31, 2018; Aug 7, 2018; Aug 14, 2018; Aug 21, 2018; Aug 28, 2018

**Leader:** Margee Hills, margeehills@gmail.com, 714-356-4031

### 6:30 pm - Tuesday Night Conditioning Hike, San Pedro

#### Palos Verdes Group Outing

O: San Pedro Conditioning Hike O: 2 hr, 5-8 mi hike on flat/hilly streets/trails. Slow-moderate (suitable for newcomers/beginners). Leave 6:30 pm from 8th and Averill. Kevin Schlunegger.

**Dates:** May 1, 2018; May 8, 2018; May 15, 2018

**Leader:** Joyce White, joyceborzoo@yahoo.com, 310-383-5247

### 6:30 pm - Irvine Conditioning Hikes

#### Angeles Chp Orange Cty Singles Outing

O: Easy/Moderate/Tiger paced hikes, 4-7 mi rt on hilly trails. Bring water, light hiking boots. 405 Fwy, exit S at University/Jeffrey, L on Ridgeline, L on Turtle Rock, pass Sunnyhill, L into parking lot of Turtle Rock Community Park. Arrive about 15 minutes early to get a parking spot and sign in. Regular Tues/Thur Night conditioning Hikes

**Dates:** May 1, 2018; May 8, 2018

**Leader:** John LaRuE, jclarue@cox.net, 949-854-7919

### 6:30 pm - Tue Tiger Hikers

#### Angeles Chp SMMTF Subcom Outing

O: 2 hr, 5-8 mi fast-paced strenuous hikes in Santa Monica Mountains with some bushwhacking.

**Dates:** May 1, 2018; May 8, 2018; May 15, 2018; May 22, 2018; May 29, 2018; Jun 5, 2018; Jun 12, 2018

**Leader:** William Crane, 818-773-4601

### 7:00 pm - Tuesday Night Beginner's Hike

#### Palos Verdes Group Outing

O: We walk on the greenbelt wood chip path, sidewalks and roads in Hermosa and Manhattan Beach. There are some minor hills (about 130 feet of total elevation gain) The route is 4.1 miles long. We finish by 8:30pm. This is a beginner's hike so we WILL accommodate a slower pace. Leashed dogs are allowed if they well behaved.

**Dates:** May 1, 2018; May 8, 2018; May 15, 2018; May 22, 2018; May 29, 2018

**Leader:** Chris Albertson, albertson.chris@gmail.com, 310-376-1029

### 7:00 pm - Conditioning Hikes on Signal Hill (every Tue and Thur)

#### Long Beach Group Outing

O: 3 hikes. Fast group, 5 mi, 800 gain; Fast-intermediate group, 4 mi, 700 gain; Moderate group, 3 mi, 600 gain. Well behaved K9s welcome. Meet every Tue & Thu 7 pm at Industry Drive & Redondo Ave. Bring water, lugsoles, flashlight with red lens optional.

**Dates:** May 1, 2018; May 8, 2018; May 15, 2018; May 22, 2018

**Leader:** Todd Williams, twilliams2729@gmail.com, 562-425-4748

### 7:00 pm - Griffith Park Night Conditioning Hikes

#### Angeles Chp Griffith Park Scn Outing

O: Evening conditioning hikes range from moderate to very strenuous over hilly, sometimes steep terrain with uneven footing. Hikes are intended only for hikers capable of maintaining the pace as set by leaders. Leashed, well-behaved dogs welcome at the discretion of each leader. Hikes last from 1-1/2 to 2-1/2 hours. Meet at the Griffith Park upper merry-go-round parking lot #2. The hikes start at 7pm sharp. Come early to complete waiver form. (Participants must sign the waiver and must have waiver card with them on hikes.) Sturdy hiking shoes or boots strongly encouraged. Flashlights are optional; a colored filter is recommended to avoid blinding other participants. The Tuesday/Thursday hikes typically have a wider range of levels than the Wednesday hikes, which are not recommended for newcomers. Tuesday/Thursday coordinators Sue Schohan and Emmy Goldknopf; Wednesday coordinator Sue Schohan.

**Dates:** May 1, 2018; May 8, 2018; May 15, 2018; May 29, 2018; Jun 5, 2018; Jun 12, 2018; Jun 19, 2018

**Leader:** Sue Schohan, s\_schohan@yahoo.com, 818-648-9170

### 6:30 pm - HPS Management Committee Meeting

#### Angeles Chp Hundred Peaks Club Support Event

telephone conference starting at 6:30 pm. Contact HPS Chair, Coby King, for call in details.

**Dates:** May 8, 2018; Jul 10, 2018; Nov 13, 2018

**Leader:** Coby King, cobyk@hpstrat.com, 818-313-8533

### 6:30 pm - Irvine Conditioning Hikes

#### Angeles Chp Orange Cty Singles Outing

O: Easy/Moderate/Tiger paced hikes, 4-7 miles, round trip on hilly trails. Bring water, light hiking boots. 405 Fwy, exit S at University/Jeffrey, L on Ridgeline, L on Turtle Rock, pass Sunnyhill, L into parking lot of Turtle Rock Community Park. Arrive about 15 minutes early to get a parking spot and sign in. Regular Tues/Thur Night conditioning Hikes

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**Leader:** John LaRuE, jclarue@cox.net, 949-854-7919

### 7:00 pm - Griffith Park Night Conditioning Hikes & Potluck!

#### Angeles Chp Griffith Park Scn Outing

O: Come to a slightly shorter hike followed by a Potluck/cookout! Evening conditioning hikes range from moderate to very strenuous over hilly, sometimes steep terrain with uneven footing. Hikes are intended only for hikers capable of maintaining the pace as set by leaders. Leashed, well-behaved dogs welcome at the discretion of each leader. Hikes last from 1-1/2 to 2-1/2 hours. Meet at the Griffith Park upper merry-go-round parking lot #2. The

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**Dates:** May 22, 2018; Jul 17, 2018; Sep 25, 2018

**Leader:** Sue Schohan, s\_schohan@yahoo.com, 818-648-9170

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## Wednesday Repeating Events

### 6:30 pm - Steve Feld Punete Hills conditioning hike

#### Rio Hondo Group Outing

O: This weekly Wednesday evening conditioning hike has been going on for over 20 years. Come out and be part of the continuing tradition. Moderately paced 5-6-mile hike in the lush canyons of the Puente/Whittier Hills. Enjoy this Emerald City Hike as the sun sets in the west. You will get a spectacular 360 view of LA and Orange County lights. 700' gain up along switchbacks and trails with varying routes. NOT A BEGINNER'S HIKE. Wear hiking boots and bring water. Meet at south end of 7th Avenue where street ends and turn right on Orange Grove to park on street. Use 7th Ave. exit off (60 Fwy) Pomona Fwy, go south to Orange Grove. Leaders: Marty Kluck, Sandy Viernes, Jerry Johnson, Tom Mitchell.

**Dates:** May 2, 2018; May 9, 2018; May 16, 2018; May 23, 2018; May 30, 2018; Jun 6, 2018; Jun 13, 2018; Jun 20, 2018; Jun 27, 2018; Jul 4, 2018; Jul 11, 2018; Jul 18, 2018; Jul 25, 2018; Aug 1, 2018; Aug 8, 2018; Aug 15, 2018; Aug 22, 2018; Aug 29, 2018; Sep 5, 2018; Sep 12, 2018; Sep 19, 2018

**Leader:** Jerry Johnson, hiker626@hotmail.com, 626-333-0225

### 7:00 pm - Griffith Park Night Conditioning Hikes & 1st Weds of Month Cookout

#### Angeles Chp Griffith Park Sctn Outing

O: Not recommended for newcomers. Slightly shorter hike followed by an optional Potluck at the Ranger Station! Evening conditioning hikes range from moderate to very strenuous over hilly, sometimes steep terrain with uneven footing. Hikes are intended only for hikers capable of maintaining the pace as set by leaders. Leashed, well-behaved dogs welcome at the discretion of each leader. Hikes last from 1-1/2 to 2-1/2 hours. Meet at the Griffith Park upper merry-go-round parking lot #2. The hikes start at 7pm sharp. Come early to complete waiver form. (Participants must sign the waiver and must have waiver card with them on hikes.) Sturdy hiking shoes or boots strongly encouraged. Flashlights are optional; a colored filter is recommended to avoid blinding other participants. The Wednesday hikes are not recommended for newcomers because they have fewer levels and tend to be more difficult; the Tuesday/Thursday hikes typically have a wider range of levels, including some easier hikes. Tuesday/Thursday coordinators Sue Schohan and Emmy Goldknopf; Wednesday coordinator Sue Schohan.

**Dates:** May 2, 2018; Jun 6, 2018

**Leader:** Sue Schohan, s\_schohan@yahoo.com, 818-648-9170

### 6:45 pm - Evenings in the Arroyo

#### Pasadena Group Outing

O: Evenings in the Arroyo: Easy 3 mi hike on level trails along Pasadena's Arroyo Seco. Learn natural and human history of the Arroyo and programs to restore streamside habitats. Meet 6:45 pm at trailhead next to San Pasqual Stables on S Pasadena border, 221 San Pasqual Ave, S Pasadena, CA 91030 (exit 110 Fwy at Orange Grove Blvd, S to Mission Blvd, W on Mission to end, descend Stoney Dr into Arroyo and follow it under freeway past playing fields to end at San Pasqual Ave, R to stables parking lot). Coordinator David Czamanske; Tim Martin, Don Bremner, Ginny Heringer, Bonnie

Strand, Pat Zeider.

**Dates:** May 9, 2018; May 23, 2018; Jun 13, 2018; Jun 27, 2018

**Leader:** David Czamanske, dczamanske@hotmail.com, 626-458-8646

### 7:00 pm - Griffith Park Night Conditioning Hikes

#### Angeles Chp Griffith Park Sctn Outing

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**Leader:** Sue Schohan, s\_schohan@yahoo.com, 818-648-9170

### 5:30 pm - Downtown LA After-Work Exploration

#### Central Group Outing

O: Take a hike, have a bite, then get a drink in the DTLA area. Join us for a monthly after-work exploration led by certified Sierra Club leaders. Meet other cool people who live or work downtown. Each month we'll meet and take transportation to a local park. We'll walk around the park once or twice, or visit a second park, then find places for food and drink near a Metro stop. We plan to hike 3 to 5 miles at a conversational pace. Bring a TAP card, money for refreshments, walking shoes, appropriate clothing for the weather, including a hat (we'll go rain or shine). Meet 5:30 pm at the NE corner of 7th St & Figueroa, besides the station entrance. Contact the leader to get specific details or to arrange to meet the group at the destination park.

**Dates:** May 16, 2018; Jun 20, 2018

**Leader:** Will McWhinney, willmcw@gmail.com

### 7:00 pm - OCSS Management Committee Meeting

#### Angeles Chp Orange Cty Singles Club Support Event

Open to all Orange County Sierrans or new members. Come and find out all about Volunteer Opportunities, Leader Candidate/outings information. We want to hear your ideas! Welcome! Then then stay for general section business. For directions to the meeting, Contact Donna Specht (donnaspecht@juno.com)

**Dates:** May 16, 2018; Jun 20, 2018

**Leader:** Donna Specht, donnaspecht@juno.com, 714-963-6345

### 7:00 pm - Mission Peak Moonlight Conditioning Hike

#### Santa Clarita Valley Group Outing

O: Moderate 5 mile, 1200 gain to view San Fernando Valley. Meet & pm at Neon Way Trailhead. Exit on Balboa Ave off 118 Freeway N 2 miles to Sesnon, W 1 mi to Neon Way, R to end of street. Bring water, lugsoles, flashlight. Rain Cancels. (Repeats April 25, May 23, June 27)

**Dates:** May 23, 2018; Jun 27, 2018

**Leader:** David Morrow, dlrmorrow@sbcglobal.net, 661-254-5245

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## Thursday Repeating Events

### 6:30 pm - Irvine Conditioning Hikes

#### Angeles Chp Orange Cty Singles Outing

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sign in. Regular Tues/Thur Night conditioning Hikes

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**Leader:** John LaRuE, jclarue@cox.net, 949-854-7919

## 7:00 pm - Conditioning Hikes on Signal Hill (every Tue and Thur)

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**Leader:** Sue Schohan, s\_schohan@yahoo.com, 818-648-9170

## 6:30 pm - Conditioning Hike on Palos Verdes Peninsula

### Palos Verdes Group Outing

O: Not for beginners. 5-8 mi in 2 hours with many hills through various areas on the Peninsula. Multiple speed groups. Start in the slowest group and work your way up. (The faster groups may not be able to wait for anyone who cannot keep up.) Please come EARLY so that everyone can sign the Waiver by 6:30. Meet in the Peninsula Center (Hawthorne & Silver Spur) parking lot near Hamburger Habit (enter from Silver Spur at Silver Arrow). (Click "Get Directions" for map and precise location.)

**Dates:** May 3, 2018; May 10, 2018; May 17, 2018; May 24, 2018; May 31, 2018; Jun 7, 2018; Jun 14, 2018; Jun 21, 2018

**Leader:** William Lavoie, mrmnp1@aol.com, 310-378-8723

## 6:45 pm - Henninger Flats Conditioning Hike

### Pasadena Group Outing

O: Henninger Flats Conditioning Hike: 5.25 mi RT, 1400' gain aerobic conditioning hike. Great views of LA Basin and the night sky. Meet 6:45 pm (we start walking promptly at 7 pm) every Thursday at gate at 2260 Pinecrest Dr., Altadena. Remember the neighbors, please keep voices down as we gather. Bring water, sturdy shoes, optional flashlight/headlight. Rain cancels. Sponsored by Pasadena Group. For additional information contact Russel Babbitz, David Cuddy, Dianne Laird, Rhonda Rodgers, Teresa Spohr.

**Dates:** May 3, 2018; May 10, 2018; May 17, 2018; May 24, 2018; May 31, 2018; Jun 7, 2018; Jun 14, 2018; Jun 21, 2018; Jun 28, 2018

**Leader:** Patricia Pipkin, pipkinp@me.com, 612-710-4507

## 6:30 pm - Irvine Conditioning Hikes

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**Leader:** John LaRuE, jclarue@cox.net, 949-854-7919

## 7:00 pm - Griffith Park Night Conditioning Hikes & Potluck!

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**Dates:** Jun 21, 2018; Aug 23, 2018

**Leader:** Sue Schohan, s\_schohan@yahoo.com, 818-648-9170

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## Friday Repeating Events

## 6:45 pm - Pacific Palisades Night Hike in Topanga State Park to Parker Mesa Overlook

### West Los Angeles Group Outing

O: Spectacular view of Santa Monica Bay and LA Basin. 2 hr, 5 mile round-trip on fire road, 1100' total gain. Moderately strenuous conditioning hike for fit hikers. Meet and sign in at 6:45 pm every Friday, on Los Liones Drive at Sunset Blvd (around 0.3 mi from PCH). Carpool 1.5 miles to trail head. Optional dinner at restaurant afterward. Note: Palisades Highlands sidewalk walk when it rains or if there is a Red Flag Warning.

**Dates:** May 4, 2018; May 11, 2018; May 18, 2018; May 25, 2018; Jun 1, 2018; Jun 8, 2018; Jun 15, 2018; Jun 22, 2018; Jun 29, 2018

**Leader:** Edward Lubin, edlubin@gmail.com, 310-826-2750

## 7:00 pm - Griffith Park Monthly Moonlit Hike and Potluck

### Angeles Chp Griffith Park Sctn Outing

O: Moderate hike to a vista in the park (~4 to 5 miles RT, ~1100 ft elevation gain); share goodies on top. Meet by 6:45 pm in the Upper Merry-Go-Round parking lot (see map). Meet at 6:45 p.m to sign waiver forms; hike begins at 7pm and lasts approximately 2 1/2 hours. (Waiver form is separate from that used for the regular evening hikes.) Sturdy hiking shoes or boots strongly encouraged. Flashlights are optional; a colored filter is recommended to avoid blinding other participants. No beginners or tigers, please. Leashed well-mannered dogs welcome.

**Dates:** May 25, 2018; Jun 22, 2018; Jul 27, 2018; Aug 24, 2018; Sep 21, 2018; Nov 23, 2018; Dec 21, 2018

**Leader:** Kathy Faulds, kfaulds@sbcglobal.net, 818-681-7947

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## Saturday Repeating Events

## 8:00 am - San Mateo Canyon Trail Maintenance

### Sierra Sage of SOC Group Outing

O: Sierra Club volunteers (Sierra Sage Group, Orange County Group, & Gorgonio Chapter) maintain trails in the San Mateo Canyon Wilderness on a monthly basis. The location of each month's activity is based on current needs. To receive email announcements about each month's activity, contact

the leader. Tools and instructions are provided; no experience is needed, just a willingness to work.

**Dates:** May 5, 2018; Jun 2, 2018

**Leader:** John Kaiser, jkai39@gmail.com, 714-968-4677

### 8:30 am - Santa Monica Mountains Trail Work

#### Angeles Chp SMMTF Subcom Outing

O: Volunteer a morning to help the Santa Monica Mountains Task Force trail crew maintain hiking trails in the Santa Monica Mountains. The trail crew works most Saturdays, October thru June, 8:30am-2:00pm (approx). No experience is necessary; complete training and guidance will be given. We provide the tools. Significant rain cancels. To receive upcoming project details, contact Trail Work Coordinator, Rachel Glegg.

**Dates:** May 5, 2018; May 12, 2018; May 19, 2018; May 26, 2018; Jun 2, 2018; Jun 9, 2018; Jun 16, 2018; Jun 23, 2018; Jun 30, 2018

**Leaders:** Rachel Glegg, rachel.dorman@gmail.com, 310-985-2826; Ron Webster, mawebster1984@gmail.com, 310-559-3126; Russ Marshall, russ-marshall13@gmail.com, 951-898-4632; Bill Vanderberg, bill.vanderberg@ca.rr.com, 310-245-2763

### 8:00 am - Navigation: Beginning Navigation Clinic

#### Angeles Ch Leadership Training Outing

I: Navigation: Beginning Navigation Clinic: Spend the day one-on-one with an instructor, learning/practicing map and compass in our local mountains. Beginners to rusty old-timers welcome and practice is available at all skill levels. Not a checkout, but it will help you prepare. Many expert leaders will attend; many I-rated leaders started here in the past. 4 mi, 500' gain. Send sase, phones, rideshare info, \$25 deposit, refunded at trailhead (Sierra Club) to leader.

**Dates:** May 19, 2018; Oct 20, 2018

**Leaders:** Diane Dunbar, dianedunbar@charter.net, 818-248-0455; Richard Boardman, 310-374-4371

### 0:00 pm - Rock: Sheep Pass/Indian Cove Joshua Tree Rock Checkoff & Practice

#### Angeles Ch Leadership Training Outing

M/E-R: M & E level rock checkoff and practice for LTC leadership candidates wishing to pursue a rating or practice skills. Also open to Advanced Mountaineering Program students wanting to solidify what they learned in the course. Practice Saturday and optionally checkoff Sunday. Restricted to active Sierra Club members with previous rock climbing experience. Climbing helmets and harnesses required. Email climbing resume to leader to apply.

**Dates:** May 19, 2018; Nov 10, 2018

**Leaders:** Patrick Mckusky, pamckusky@att.net, 626-794-7321; Daniel Richter, dan@danrichter.com, 818-970-6737

### 9:30 am - Baldwin Hills Hike

#### Central Group Outing

O: Moderate hike over hilly trails. Easy access - no car needed. Visit Japanese Gardens, waterfall, lake, forest, and other areas in this urban gem. Many fine views of the LA basin and the surrounding mountains. 6 miles, 500 ft gain. Bring: camera, water, snack, sun protection, hat, light hiking boots. Meet at the Kenneth Hahn State Recreation Area Visitors Center parking lot at 9:30 am. Rain cancels. Directions: Mass transit - Take the Baldwin Hills Parklands Shuttle from the La Cienega/Jefferson Metro Station at 9:10 am (\$25 fare). Private vehicle - Take the 10 fwy to La Cienega S (1 3/4 mi). Exit R, then L over bridge. Pay \$6 cash at entry booth then drive up to park at Visitors Center.

**Dates:** May 19, 2018; Jun 16, 2018; Jul 21, 2018

**Leader:** Rick Farber, rickfarber24@gmail.com, 323-935-8990

### 7:00 am - Navigation: Mt. Pinos Navigation Noodle

#### Angeles Ch Leadership Training Outing

I: Navigation: Mt. Pinos Navigation Noodle: Navigation Noodle in Los Padres National Forest for either checkout or practice to satisfy Basic (I/M) or Advanced (E) level navigation requirements. Saturday is a practice day;

Sunday is for checkoff or additional practice. Send email with contact info, navigation experience/training, any WTC, leader rating, rideshare, to leader.

**Dates:** Jun 16, 2018

**Leaders:** Robert M Myers, rmmymers@ix.netcom.com; Ann Shields, apedreschi@sbcglobal.net

### 0:00 pm - Tuolumne to Vogelsang Backpacking Bus Trip

#### Angeles Chp Backpacking Comm Outing

1 O: Leave LA Saturday morning for a moderate 4 day backpack. Starting in Tuolumne Meadows we will go to Fletcher Lake by the Vogelsang High Sierra Camp on this 15 mile, 1,800 foot gain, loss trip at high elevation. We are going up via Rafferty Creek and returning by the same route. We will camp at Fletcher Lake for 3 nights. You can day hike and explore the beautiful surrounding peak and lake area. NO BEGINNERS

**Dates:** Jun 30, 2018; Jun 30, 2018

**Leader:** Fred Dong, madelinesdad@earthlink.net, 818-545-3878

### 7:00 am - Navigation: Warren Point Navigation Noodle

#### Angeles Ch Leadership Training Outing

I: Navigation: Warren Point Navigation Noodle: Navigation noodle at Warren Point to satisfy the basic (I/M) level navigation requirements. Saturday for practice, skills refresher, altimeter, homework, campfire. Sunday checkout. Send email/sase, contact info, navigation experience/training, any WTC, leader rating, rideshare to leader.

**Dates:** Nov 17, 2018

**Leaders:** Robert M Myers, rmmymers@ix.netcom.com; Ann Shields, apedreschi@sbcglobal.net

## Harwood Lodge Schedule

These events are at Harwood Lodge, the Chapter's beautiful 1930s mountain retreat located at 6000' feet elevation near several trailheads on the edge of Mt. Baldy. Harwood is open to Sierra Club members most weekends from Sat at 10am to Sun at 3pm. For specific dates listed here, check the Daily Schedule by date. Or visit Harwoods website for more information: <http://angeles.sierraclub.org/lodges/harwoodlodge.html>.

Sat May 5 to 6, 2018: Harwood-CLOSED WEEKEND

Sat May 12 to 13, 2018: Harwood-OPEN WEEKEND

Sat May 19 to 20, 2018: Harwood-OPEN WEEKEND

Sat May 26 to 28, 2018: Harwood-OPEN WEEKEND Memorial Day

Sat Jun 2 to 3, 2018: Harwood-CLOSED WEEKEND

Sat Jun 9 to 10, 2018: Harwood-OPEN WEEKEND

Sat Jun 16 to 17, 2018: Harwood-OPEN WEEKEND

Sat Jun 23 to 24, 2018: Harwood-OPEN WEEKEND

Sat s 170236 to 30, 0001: Harwood-4th of July Week

Sun Jul 1 to 2, 2018: Harwood-4th of July Week

Mon Jul 2 to 3, 2018: Harwood-4th of July Week

Tue Jul 3 to 4, 2018: Harwood-4th of July Week

Wed Jul 4 to 5, 2018: Harwood-4th of July Week

Thr Jul 5 to 6, 2018: Harwood-4th of July Week

Sat Jul 7 to 8, 2018: Harwood-CLOSED WEEKEND

Sat Jul 14 to 15, 2018: Harwood-CLOSED WEEKEND

Sat Jul 21 to 22, 2018: Harwood-WORK PARTY WEEKEND

Sat Jul 28 to 29, 2018: Harwood-WORK PARTY WEEKEND

Sat Sep 29 to 30, 2018: Harwood Lodge Fall Festival

# Daily Schedule

Events from Tuesday July 1st through September 30, 2014, with selected advance listings into next year. Please see our online schedule of events for more events, trips and updates, including possible cancellations at:

<http://angeles2.sierraclub.org/activities>.

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## Tuesday, May 1, 2018

### Repeating Events

- 6:30 pm Fullerton Evening Hike
- 6:30 pm Tuesday Night Conditioning Hike, San Pedro
- 6:30 pm Irvine Conditioning Hikes
- 6:30 pm Tue Tiger Hikers
- 7:00 pm Tuesday Night Beginner's Hike
- 7:00 pm Conditioning Hikes on Signal Hill (every Tue and Thur)
- 7:00 pm Griffith Park Night Conditioning Hikes

### 8:00 am - Tue Moderate easy pace Hikers / Valley to the Sea (almost)

#### Angeles Chp Wilderness Advntr Outing

O: Moderately paced 7 1/2 mile 800' gain 2300' loss hike across Topanga State Park from Tarzana to Temescal Canyon at Sunset Blvd in Pacific Palisades. Ride 3 buses and car shuttle back to start. This is an all day adventure, lots of fun. Meet 8:00 am at top of Reseda Blvd in Tarzana. From 101 Ventura Fwy take Reseda Blvd exit, turn south and go 3 miles to Mulholland Gateway Park. Choice to park along street below the white line at beginning of fee area or pay fee and park above. Meet at trailhead at the top. Bring money for bus, 2 qts water, snack, lugsoles, hat, sunscreen. Rain cancels.

**Leaders:** Richard M Shamban, richshamban@gmail.com, 818-578-3336; Sherry Rendel, sherryrendel@yahoo.com, 818-465-3972

### 8:30 am - Tue Conditioned Hikers: Temescal Canyon Loop via Temescal High Trail

#### Angeles Chp SMMTF Subcom Outing

O: Strenuous 13 mile loop, 2800 gain hike into Topanga Canyon Park via the Temescal High Trail to Rogers Road.

**Leader:** Dana Swartz, danewithfame@yahoo.com, 310-709-8045

## Tuesday, May 01, 2018 to Tuesday, May 08, 2018

### Tue Moderate Hikers/Tapia to McAuley Peak (2049 ft)

#### Angeles Chp SMMTF Subcom Outing

O: Moderately paced 1700 ft gain 6 mile route (optionally longer) on Backbone Trail with great mountain and ocean views.

**Leader:** Robert Baldwin, torchtoro@gmail.com, 818-510-1274

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## Wednesday, May 2, 2018

### Repeating Events

- 6:30 pm Steve Feld Punete Hills conditioning hike
- 7:00 pm Griffith Park Night Conditioning Hikes & 1st Weds of Month Cookout

### 7:00 am - Cleghorn, Cajon, Bailey, Sugar Pine, Monument

#### Angeles Chp Hundred Peaks Outing

I: Hike Cleghorn Peak (5333), Cajon Mountain (5360), Bailey Peak (5699), Sugar Piine Mountain (5478) and Monument Peak (5290) See Full Description for more details.

**Leader:** Michael Dillenback, dillyhouse@earthlink.net, 310-618-4518

### SCHEDULE OF ACTIVITIES

### 8:30 am - Arroyo Trabuco hike

#### Orange County Group Outing

O: May 2 Wed Orange County/Sierra Sage O: Arroyo Trabuco: This is an easy 5 mile hike downstream and back with up to six stream crossings, so bring your poles if you have them. Approx. 100' of loss/gain on the hike. Enjoy the fabulous tropical rain forest look to this unique area of Orange County which includes one of the largest sycamore groves in California. Meet 8:30 am at the O'Neill Park trailhead on Arroyo Vista in Rancho Santa Margarita. From I-5, exit onto Alicia Pkwy going east. Follow Alicia Pkwy until it ends. Turn R on Santa Margarita Pkwy to Empresa, R on Empresa to Banderas, R on Banderas to Arroyo Vista, R until the houses end on the R. Trailhead 100 yds further on R. Park on street. Bring munchies, water, hat, and change of socks in case your feet get wet. Ldr: Mike Sappingfield.

**Leaders:** Michael Sappingfield, mikesapp@cox.net, 949-633-6993; Sylvia Stevenson, sjstevenson2828@yahoo.com, 949-616-2765

### 9:00 am - Mt Williamson

#### Angeles Chp Local Hikes Cmte Outing

O: Mt Williamson (8244 feet): 5 miles, 1600 foot gain hike with panoramic views. The switchback trail goes up through beautiful trees and rock formations to reach a narrow ridge that leads to the several bumps that are considered peaks, depending on whom you believe. A short part of the ridge trail is on steep, uneven rock. Not suitable for beginners. Meet 9:00 AM La Canada rideshare with water, lunch, hiking boots, suitable clothing layers. Rain, snow, fire cancels. David Cuddy

**Leader:** Norm Stabeck, normstabeck1945@yahoo.com, 818-518-5454

### 7:00 pm - Inspiring Urban Youth through Outdoor Adventures

#### Pasadena Group Club Support Event

O: The Pasadena Group will feature an informative interactive program by Charles Thomas, executive director of Outward Bound Adventures, and several teenage participants in the organization's programs. OBA is a Pasadena-based volunteer organization founded in 1962 to serve low income and minority communities; its mission is to provide meaningful nature-based education that promotes positive self-development, environment responsibility and outdoor career exposure for urban youth. Charles recently returned to Pasadena to head OBA after serving as Pacific West Regional Manager of Youth Programs for the National Park Service. The meeting is free and open to the public. Socializing and refreshments begin at 7 pm, program starts at 7:30 pm, at Eaton Canyon Nature Center, 1750 N. Altadena Dr in NE Pasadena. Information on the Group's hikes, outings, and conservation activities will be provided. Newcomers are always welcome. For more information, David Czamanske at .

**Leader:** William Joyce, rollingtherock@verizon.net, 626-458-8646, 909-596-6280

### 7:15 pm - Medicinal Native Plants of Southern CA

#### Long Beach Group Club Support Event

O: Herbalist and Director of Green Wisdom Herbal Studies Julie James will open up a whole new world of information about the beauty and power of local and native plants. Few people today know as much about the myriad medicinal uses of plants. As a 3rd generation child of Southern California, Julie has been tramping through the hills, coastlines, and mountains of this region for a half a century, and teaching about holistic healing since the mid-80's. Her entrancing approach is deeply rooted in science, but honors the history and mythology surrounding plant-based medicine. You will be sure to learn from and enjoy this inspiring presentation. Our monthly meetings are always open to all, please join us on the first Wednesday - 7:15 pm for announcements, programs starts 7:30 PM sharp - at the Environmental Services Bureau, 2929 E Willow St, Long Beach, CA.

**Leader:** Coby Skye, cobster@charter.net, 562-252-4196

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## Thursday, May 3, 2018

### Repeating Events

- 6:30 pm Conditioning Hike on Palos Verdes Peninsula



6:30 pm Irvine Conditioning Hikes  
6:45 pm Henninger Flats Conditioning Hike  
7:00 pm Conditioning Hikes on Signal Hill (every Tue and Thur)  
7:00 pm Griffith Park Night Conditioning Hikes

### 8:00 am - Thu Moderate Hikers / Weldon Cyn Overlook

#### *Angeles Chp Wilderness Advntr Outing*

O: Moderately paced 8 mile 1200' gain hike through oaks, black walnut and fir trees, passing BFI planted oaks as a condition of landfill expansion, to overlooking views of Santa Clarita and San Fernando Valleys. Meet 8 am East Canyon trailhead of Santa Susana Mtns. From northbound Interstate 5 take Calgrove Blvd, exit 166, turn left (west) under the freeway and take the Old Road south about 1 mile to parking entrance after church on right, and continue past trailhead sign to parking area. Bring \$5 for parking, 2 quarts water, lunch, lugsoles, hat, sunscreen. Rain cancels.

**Leaders:** Mimi Knights, 661-253-3414; Reaven Gately, reavengately@yahoo.com, 661-255-8873

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## Friday, May 4, 2018

### Repeating Events

6:45 pm Pacific Palisades Night Hike in Topanga State Park to Parker Mesa Overlook

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## Saturday, May 5, 2018

### Repeating Events

8:00 am San Mateo Canyon Trail Maintenance  
8:30 am Santa Monica Mountains Trail Work

### 2:00 am - C2C - Cactus to Clouds - San Jacinto Peak (10,804 ft)

#### *Angeles Chp Hundred Peaks Outing*

I: C2C - Cactus to Clouds - San Jacinto Peak (10,804 ft) -- Join us Saturday for one of the biggest, toughest, and most beautiful day hikes in SoCal. We will start before dawn, on the desert floor at Palm Springs. As we climb, the sun will rise to reveal an incredible desert panorama, taking us into the cool alpine wilderness of Long Valley and up to the breathtaking summit of San Jacinto itself. Afterwards, we will ride the Palm Springs Aerial Tramway from Long Valley back down to Palm Springs. This is an extremely strenuous day hike (total distance 22 miles with ~11,000 feet of vertical gain) for fit and experienced participants, only. For trip details, email a current hiking resume to ryan.b.lynych@gmail.com. Leader: Ryan B. Lynch Co-Leaders: Bill Simpson, Jimmy Quan, Larry Pond

**Leader:** Ryan B Lynch, ryan.b.lynych@gmail.com, 347-722-3067

### 2:00 am - 9th Annual SoCal Seven Summit #3 - Mt. Waterman

#### *Angeles Chp Wilderness Advntr Outing*

O: 9th Annual SoCal Seven Summit #3 Mt. Waterman. Join us for training hike #3 of the 2018 SoCal Seven Summits, a 14-mile round trip with 4,000 feet of gain to Mt. Waterman (8,038) in the Angeles Forest backcountry. No beginners. Email leaders for meeting time and rideshare options. Terri Straub terristraub@me.com Mary Forgione mary.forgione@sierraclub.org

**Leader:** Terri Straub, mary.forgione@sierraclub.org, terristraub@me.com, terristraub@hotmail.com

## Saturday, May 05, 2018 to Sunday, May 06, 2018

### Lone Warrior Pt (8440 ft)

#### *Angeles Chp Wilderness Trainin Outing*

I: Waterfalls, old-growth forests, and adventure just two hours from Los Angeles. Saturday, starting from Forest Falls, we'll take the Momyer/Alger Creek Trail, a quiet, mostly shaded route in the San Gorgonio Wilderness,

2900' + and 6 miles to Dobbs Cabin, 7240', a deeply forested campsite with year-round water. Optional exploratory side trips down to the Devils Navel or to Dobbs Tunnel. Sunday we'll climb 1650', 1.7 mile rt challenging off-trail to Pk 8872' and Lone Warrior Point, 8440' +, overlooking the rarely visited Allison Falls. Participants will practice route finding, pace setting, and group management, on and off the trail, with leader support. Preference given to WTC students and prospective leaders.

**Leader:** Will McWhinney, willmcw@gmail.com, 323-221-0202

## Saturday, May 05, 2018 to Tuesday, May 08, 2018

### Adventures in Zion National Park: A Party People Bus Trip!

#### *Angeles Chp 20s & 30s Singles Outing*

O1: Hey Party People! Come out and join your fellow Sierra Club 20- and 30-somethings as we escape to Utah and explore the breathtaking sights of Zion National Park. You wont want to miss out on being a part of this scenic four-day/three-night adventure in the great outdoors, surrounded by towering temples and soaring cliffs! The best part is you wont be doing any driving for this trip since youll be relaxing on our privately chartered bus (complete with snacks and movies.) Hikes will be on established trails and have a RT distance of 4-6 miles with elevation gains of up to 1,000 feet.

**Leader:** Jason Hashimoto, sc2030jason@gmail.com

### 8:00 am - Miraleste Trails Hike

#### *Palos Verdes Group Outing*

O: : Miraleste Trails Hike. 6 miles, 1000 gain, 3 hours. 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. We will take the Canada, Lorraine, Via La Paloma, Frasceti and Colinita Trails. Wear lug sole boots, bring a snack and water. If you anticipate rain, wear rain gear. Minors are permitted if accompanied on the hike by a parent. Galen Heisey.

**Leader:** Steven Morris, stevenmorris1032@gmail.com

### 8:00 am - Mt. Pacifico (7124')

#### *Santa Clarita Valley Group Outing*

O: Moderate 12 mile, 2200' gain with views of the Antelope Valley and Mohave Desert on the PCT through exposed open Forest. Meet 8 am at the Canyon County Rideshare ( Sand Canyon/ Soledad Cyn., Vons Shopping Center by the Kenroy entrance) off the 14 Freeway or 9 AM at the Mill Creek Summit trailhead parking. Bring water, lunch, and lug soles. Rain cancels

**Leader:** Anna Johnson, ajjohns60@gmail.com, 818-367-3437

## Saturday, May 05, 2018 to Sunday, May 06, 2018

### Advanced Mountaineering Program (Spring 2018): Anchors & Real World Applications

#### *Angeles Ch Leadership Training Outing*

ER: Fourth of four climbing workshops aimed at developing skills for 3rd, 4th, and 5th class climbing both as a participant or a future Sierra Club M and E leader. This weekend completes the series of amP workshops at Joshua Tree National Park and focuses on building anchors and applying previously learned skills in real world climbing situations with multiple participants. All participants must have prior roped climbing experience and commit to all four classes. To register please see <http://www.advancedmountaineering-program.org>

**Leaders:** Matthew Hengst, matthew.hengst@gmail.com, 714-478-3933; Patrick Mckusky, pamckusky@att.net; Daniel Richter, dan@danrichter.com

## Saturday, May 05, 2018 to Sunday, May 06, 2018

### Harwood-CLOSED WEEKEND

#### *Angeles Chp Harwood Lodge Social Event*

O: (Reserved for Wilderness First Aid Course)

**Leader:** Richard Boothe, madlibrarian9@hotmail.com, 562-430-1509



### 10:00 am - Soka University International Festival, Aliso Viejo

#### *Angeles Chp Orange Cty Singles Social Event*

O: Newcomers Welcome! Enjoy international music, art, dance, and more. The event is free, but parking is \$10. To carpool, Meet 10:00 am in front of the Barnes and Noble, ( 26751 Aliso Creek Rd in Aliso Viejo (about 2 mi. from Soka). Look for the Sierra Club sign on the red truck, departing 10:15 am. If you are not carpooling, meet 10:45 am at the main entrance to Founders Hall (1 University Drive, Aliso Viejo). Bring lunch or \$ to buy food. Rain does not cancel.

**Leader:** Joel Kenyon, jkenyon2002@excite.com, 949-285-5909

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## Sunday, May 6, 2018

### Repeating Events

0:00 am Island Hopping in Channel Islands National Park, 2018

### 8:00 am - Spring Backbone Trail #3 - Trippet Ranch to Lois Ewen Overlook

#### *Angeles Chp SMMTF Subcom Outing*

O: Our third Backbone Trail hike in the Santa Monica Mountains, postponed earlier making it now the last hike of the series, will be 7 miles with 2000 elevation gain on the BBT from Topanga Canyon to the Lois Ewen Overlook. We will hike from Trippet Ranch to behind Topanga Canyon School passing across Old Topanga Canyon Road to take Hondo Canyon and then the Fossil Ridge Trail to the Lois Ewen Overlook. We will then leave the Backbone Trail for a lunch with views at the Topanga Overlook.

**Leader:** Robert Baldwin, torchtoro@gmail.com, 818-510-1274

### 9:00 am - Botany Walk in Millard Canyon and El Prieto Canyon

#### *Angeles Chp Natural Science Outing*

O: Learn common plant families and flowers of the coastal sage scrub, chaparral, and riparian habitats. Hike with frequent stops about 3 miles on road and trail, 1000 ft gain. Bring hat, water, sturdy walking shoes, and any plant ID materials you may have. Optional lunch in the canyon after the hike. Meet at 9 am in the parking lot at Millard Canyon in Altadena: from Interstate 210 in Pasadena, exit Lake Ave. and go north to Loma Alta Dr. Turn west (left) on Loma Alta and drive to Chaney Trail (flashing yellow light). Turn right and continue 1.7 miles up into the mountains and down into the parking lot. Co-sponsored by the Natural Science Section and the Pasadena Group. Half-day Environmental Awareness credit for prospective leaders. Leaders Ginny Heringer, Rhonda Kay Rogers.

**Leader:** Rhonda Rodgers, rhondakay.rodgers@gmail.com, 909-267-5952

### 9:00 am - Botany Walk in Millard Canyon and El Prieto Canyon

#### *Pasadena Group Outing*

O: Botany Walk in Millard Canyon and El Prieto Canyon: learn common plant families and flowers of the coastal sage scrub, chaparral, and riparian habitats. Hike with frequent stops about 3 miles on road and trail, 1000 ft gain. Bring hat, water, sturdy walking shoes, and any plant ID materials you may have. Optional lunch in the canyon after the hike. Meet at 9 am in the parking lot at Millard Canyon in Altadena: from Interstate 210 in Pasadena, exit Lake Ave. and go north to Loma Alta Dr. Turn west (left) on Loma Alta and drive to Chaney Trail (flashing yellow light). Turn right and continue 1.7 miles up into the mountains and down into the parking lot. Co-sponsored by the Natural Science Section and the Pasadena Group. Half-day Environmental Awareness credit for prospective leaders. Leaders Ginny Heringer, Rhonda Kay Rodgers.

**Leader:** Virginia Heringer, ginnyh@ix.netcom.com, 626-793-4727

## SCHEDULE OF ACTIVITIES

### 5:00 pm - Annual Angeles Chapter Awards Banquet

#### *Angeles Chapter Social Event*

O: Who's being honored? Find out at the Annual Chapter Awards Banquet. Mark your calendar to celebrate Angeles Chapter awardees, leaders and volunteers. This is our most exciting event of the year where we honor all of our entities and leader achievements, meet old friends, make new friends and cheer on the awardees. We will begin the evening with a fabulous reception hosted by our generous entities and put our bids in for Silent Auction treasures. Congratulations to all awardees for their achievements! Reservations are \$40 per person or \$400 for a table of ten. Contact Event Coordinator: Donna Specht for details. For the SILENT AUCTION, please remember to bring cash and/or checkbook! Contact Stephanie Gross (madelinesmother@gmail.com) if you have items to donate for the silent auction.. All profits benefit the Angeles Chapter. Location: Brookside Country Club, 1133 N. Rosemont Avenue, Pasadena 91103. Near the Rose Bowl. See you there!

**Leaders:** Donna Specht, donnaspecht@juno.com, 714-963-6345; Silvia Darie, outdoorsygal@sbcglobal.net, 818-718-0674; Stephanie Gross, madelinesmother@gmail.com, 818-409-0015

### 5:00 pm - Annual Angeles Chapter Awards Banquet

#### *Angeles Chapter Club Support Event*

O: Whos being honored? Find out at the Annual Chapter Awards Banquet. Mark your calendar to celebrate Angeles Chapter awardees, leaders and volunteers. This is our most exciting event of the year where we honor all of our entities and leader achievements, meet old friends, make new friends and cheer on the awardees. We will begin the evening with a fabulous reception hosted by our generous entities and put our bids in for Silent Auction treasures. Congratulations to all awardees for their achievements! Reservations are \$40 per person or \$400 for a table of ten. Contact Event Coordinator: Donna Specht for details. For the SILENT AUCTION, please remember to bring cash and/or checkbook! Contact Stephanie Gross (madelinesmother@gmail.com) if you have items to donate for the silent auction.. All profits benefit the Angeles Chapter. Location: Brookside Country Club, 1133 N. Rosemont Avenue, Pasadena 91103. Near the Rose Bowl. See you there!

**Leader:** Donna Specht, madelinesmother@gmail.com, donnaspecht@juno.com, 714-963-6345

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## Monday, May 7, 2018

### Repeating Events

6:30 pm Conditioning Hike in Rancho Palos Verdes

### 7:30 pm - Bi-Monthly Meeting

#### *Angeles Chp SMMTF Subcom Club Support Event*

O: Learn status & issues, help formulate & implement actions involving land use in the Santa Monica Mtns. Keep current on issues and meeting agenda via SMMTF monthly newsletter. Refreshments. 7:30 pm. Chair: Ed Edmunds.

**Leader:** Mary Ann Webster, mawebster1984@gmail.com, 310-559-3126

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## Tuesday, May 8, 2018

### Repeating Events

6:30 pm Fullerton Evening Hike

6:30 pm Tuesday Night Conditioning Hike, San Pedro

6:30 pm Irvine Conditioning Hikes

6:30 pm Tue Tiger Hikers

6:30 pm HPS Management Committee Meeting

7:00 pm Tuesday Night Beginner's Hike

7:00 pm Conditioning Hikes on Signal Hill (every Tue and Thur)

7:00 pm Griffith Park Night Conditioning Hikes

## 8:00 am - Tue Moderate easy pace Hikers / Hondo Canyon Backbone Trail

### Angeles Chp Wilderness Advntr Outing

O: Moderately paced 5 mile 1800' loss hike in a dramatic, scenic canyon. Short shuttle to top of mountain and a downhill hike. Should be lots of wildflowers. Meet 8:00 AM at trailhead, located on Old Topanga Canyon Rd 0.4 mile west of intersection with Topanga Canyon Blvd. Limited roadside parking, so please rideshare. Bring 2 qts water, lunch, lugsoles, hat, sunscreen. Rain cancels.

**Leaders:** Pixie Klemic, pklemic@roadrunner.com, 818-787-5420; Marcia Harris, 310-828-6670

## 8:30 am - Tue Conditioned Hikers: Sullivan and Rustic Canyon

### Angeles Chp SMMTF Subcom Outing

O: Strenuous 13 miles, 2000 gain hike into Sullivan & Rustic Canyons, including 500+ stair ascent on hidden staircase.

**Leader:** Howard Strauss, htstrauss@aol.com, 310-838-4842

## 9:15 am - Tue Moderate Hikers/ Etz Meloy Pk (2450 ft) via Backbone Trail

### Angeles Chp SMMTF Subcom Outing

O: 9 mi rt, 1200 ft gain hike from Encinal Cyn Rd including newest section of BB Trail.

**Leaders:** Catherine Froloff, 310-821-4123

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## Wednesday, May 9, 2018

### Repeating Events

6:30 pm Steve Feld Punete Hills conditioning hike

6:45 pm Evenings in the Arroyo

7:00 pm Griffith Park Night Conditioning Hikes

## 8:00 am - San Juan Trail hike

### Orange County Group Outing

O: May 9 Wed Orange County/Sierra Sage O: San Juan Trail: 11 mi, 550' gain, 3100' loss. If it's clear, we'll see Catalina as we hike from Blue Jay Campground mostly downhill to Hot Springs Canyon. Meet 8:00 am South Orange County Rideshare point with 2 qts water, lunch, lugsoles. Hiking poles highly recommended for long downhill. Adventure/Golden Age Pass needed for parking. Car shuttle. Rain cancels.

**Leaders:** Sherri Sisson, sksisson@gmail.com, 949-786-7681; Helen Maurer, 7gables@cox.net, 949-768-0417

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## Thursday, May 10, 2018

### Repeating Events

6:30 pm Conditioning Hike on Palos Verdes Peninsula

6:30 pm Irvine Conditioning Hikes

6:45 pm Henninger Flats Conditioning Hike

7:00 pm Conditioning Hikes on Signal Hill (every Tue and Thur)

7:00 pm Griffith Park Night Conditioning Hikes

## 8:00 am - Thu Moderate Hikers / Northern Malibu Creek State Park

### Angeles Chp Wilderness Advntr Outing

O: Hike on some less familiar trails on this moderately paced 8 mile 1500' gain hike including Phantom Trail, Cistern Trail, Lookout Trail, Grassland Trail and Liberty Canyon Trail. Meet 8 AM at Liberty Canyon trailhead. From 101 Ventura Fwy take Liberty Canyon Rd, exit 34, south 0.8 mile to end, and park on west side of street. Bring 2 quarts water, lunch, lugsoles, hat, sunscreen. Rain cancels. Leader: Diane DeMarco

**Leaders:** Diane De Marco, hikerfive@gmail.com, 310-645-9442; Nancy Krupa, nrkrupa@aol.com, 818-981-4799

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## Friday, May 11, 2018

### Repeating Events

6:45 pm Pacific Palisades Night Hike in Topanga State Park to Parker Mesa Overlook

## Friday, May 11, 2018 to Thursday, May 24, 2018

### East Africa Safari Adventure

#### Angeles Chapter Outing

C/O: Get ready for the adventure of a lifetime: a safari across two African countries, Kenya & Tanzania! Experience elephants, giraffes, wildebeests, rhinos, and other animals you've only seen on TV or in zoos in their natural habitats in 6 East African Parks and Reserves. Our African safari will allow you to immerse yourself in the stunning landscapes, legendary wildlife and rich cultures of Africa. In this small group tour limited to 16-18 participants! Cost includes ground transportation, hotels/lodges, most meals, park and admission fees,. Cost: \$4,799 if you sign-up before June 30, 2017, and \$4,999 starting July 1, 2017. Non-members of Sierra Club add \$100 to per-person cost. SIGN-UP EARLY. LIMITED TO 16-18 PARTICIPANTS. International Airfare and airport transfers are extra. Sign-up, send 2 self-addressed stamped envelopes or e-mail address, home and cell phone numbers, Sierra Club membership number and deposit check \$500 payable Sierra Club to

**Leaders:** Fred Dong, madelinesdad@earthlink.net, 818-545-3878; Stephanie Gross, madelinesmother@gmail.com, 818-545-3878

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## Saturday, May 12, 2018

### Repeating Events

8:30 am Santa Monica Mountains Trail Work

## 5:30 am - New York Butte (10,668 ft)

### Angeles Chp Desert Peaks Outing

I: New York Butte (10,668 ft): Join us on this very strenuous, very steep climb of a high peak on the Inyo Crest east of Lone Pine. Well take DPS Route A which is 8 miles and 6500 ft round trip, very steep with loose talus and scree, a brutal climb that will likely start and end in the dark. High clearance 4WD required to get to the trailhead. Email Sandy Lara at ssperl1ng1@verizon.net with contact, vehicle type and carpool info, recent conditioning, and experience for trip status and details.PETER LARA, MAT KELLIHER

**Leader:** Sandy Lara, ssperl1ng1@verizon.net, 562-522-5323

## Saturday, May 12, 2018 to Sunday, May 13, 2018

### Backpack to Hoegee Campground

#### Crescenta Valley Group Outing

O: Join us for an easy overnight backpack to Hoegee Campground. This trail is nestled in the San Gabriel Mountains above Pasadena and is one of the more pleasant hikes in the area. We will meet at Chantry Flat trailhead at 0700 (early start because parking is very difficult). We will start downhill for about 1/4 mile, then head uphill to the Hoegee Campground in about 2 miles. we will set up camp, relax and then dayhike to Mt. Zion. On Sunday we will hike out via the Winter Creek trail, approximately 3 miles.

**Leader:** Cathy Kissinger, ckissinger105@verizon.net, 818-352-3361

## Saturday, May 12, 2018 to Sunday, May 13, 2018

### Marion (10,382 ft), Jean (10,670 ft), Drury (10,180 ft) & Mt Ellen's (10174)

#### Angeles Chp Wilderness Trainin Outing

I: Experience trip for WTC students. Saturday afternoon backpack from top of Palm Springs Tram to camp at Round Valley (2 miles and 800 ft gain). Set up camp and day hike Drury Peak, Mt. St.Ellen's Peak, Marion Mountain and Jean Peak (approx 8 mi, 2,000 ft gain, significant cross-coun-

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try). Headlamps required. Sun return to cars via tram. WTC or equivalent required. If accepted on trip will be required to send \$29.95 (for tram ticket and permit). Send e-mail with recent experience and conditioning, H&W phones to leader. STEPHANIE SMITH.

**Leader:** Crystal Davis, marie.crystal@gmail.com, 310-710-5538

### 8:00 am - Friendship Park Hike

#### *Palos Verdes Group Outing*

O: : Friendship Park Hike. 7 miles, 1000 gain, 3 hours. Meet at 8:00 am in the parking lot of the Bagdanovich Recreation Center (from S. Western Ave. and W. 9th St. in San Pedro, go west one block to Friendship Park Dr. and go up the hill, turn left at intersection and proceed to parking lot). The route covers trails in Friendship Park and the Marymount, Switchback, and San Ramon Trails. Wear lug sole boots, bring a snack and water. If you anticipate rain, wear rain gear. Minors are permitted if accompanied on the hike by a parent. Terri Straub.

**Leader:** Steven Morris, stevenmorris1032@gmail.com

### 8:00 am - Practice Your New Navigation Skills

#### *Angeles Chp Wilderness Trainin Outing*

I: Practice Your New Navigation Skills on a 6 mile hike in Joshua Tree NP searching (and hopefully finding) test wells, section markers, bench marks, etc. Leaders will review navigation concepts learned in WTC. Optional hike through the Chasm of Doom. Please email David Meltzer dwm@crgpm.com if you are interested. Additional details will be provided upon confirmation of reservation.

**Leader:** David Meltzer, dwm@crgpm.com, 310-913-1230

## Saturday, May 12, 2018 to Sunday, May 13, 2018

### Smith (9,520'), Jackass (9,280'), and USGS Crag (9,440')

#### *Angeles Chp Wilderness Trainin Outing*

I: Join us on this early season saunter to three southern Sierra peaks. Well backpack in about 5 miles on Saturday to set up our campsite, and then hike to SPS peak Smith Mountain with daypacks. Returning from Smith, we'll scramble over to Jackass Peak, logging totals of 9.85 miles and 2850 gain. Well cap off Saturday with a traditional WTC Potluck and prepare for the next days hike. On Sunday, well travel mostly cross-country to USGS Crag Peak with daypacks, before returning and backspacing out. Totals for Sunday are 10.65 miles, +2530/-2600 gain/loss. For consideration, send your recent hiking experience and contact information to leader

**Leader:** Jennifer Jones, jones.jennylee@gmail.com

### 8:30 am - Corral to Hot Springs

#### *Sierra Sage of SOC Group Outing*

O: Casper Park, Corral to San Juan Hot Springs. Join us for a one way 8 mi, 1400 ft gain, tour of Casper Wilderness Park. This moderately strenuous hike begins at the Corral trail head, goes out Bell Canyon, then makes a long steep climb to the shade ramada for an early lunch/snack stop. We then continue up the ridge along the boundary with Starr Ranch Audubon before descending steeply on the Cold Spring trail. The final section of the hike will take us to the Hot Springs area. A car shuttle will return hikers to the Corral area. Rain or high fire danger will cancel.

**Leader:** John Kaiser, jkai39@gmail.com, 714-968-4677

## Saturday, May 12, 2018 to Sunday, May 13, 2018

### Harwood-OPEN WEEKEND

#### *Angeles Chp Harwood Lodge Social Event*

O: Open Weekend: Relax, hike and enjoy the local mountains at your beautiful stone lodge nestled among a pine forest. Open to all members (\$15/per night) and their guests (\$20/per night-limit 2). No reservations required. Bring SC CARD.

**Leader:** Cia Kirchner, ciakirchner@gmail.com, 310-429-7073

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## Sunday, May 13, 2018

### 10:00 am - Mesa Loop Beginners Hike

#### *Sierra Sage of SOC Group Outing*

O: This is an easy 5 mile walk, with 100 of elevation gain. Bring Mom and celebrate mothers day with this walk in a part of Caspers Park that most people never see. There should be lots of wild flowers out (if we ever get more rain). Meet at 10:00 am at the parking lot in front of the Ball Park Pizza in Ortega Plaza, SE corner of Rancho Viejo Road and the Ortega Hwy in San Juan Capistrano. Carpools can be formed prior to continuing on to Caspers Park. Bring \$5 for entrance fee per car into Caspers Regional Park, water, munchies. Rain Cancels.

**Leader:** Michael Sappingfield, mikesapp@cox.net, 949-633-6993

## Monday, May 14, 2018

### Repeating Events

6:30 pm Conditioning Hike in Rancho Palos Verdes

### 10:00 am - Griffith Park Stairways Walk

#### *Verdugo Hills Group Outing*

O: We will do the Witches Whimsey stair walk with a few modifications. We will see a Frank Lloyd Wright house, Whimsey, and the 1950s murder house. 3.8 mi rt, 463 steps. Meet 10 am at the corner of Boy Scout Rd & Vermont Ave. This is across from Roosevelt Golf Course snack bar. Bring \$\$ for optional lunch. 90 + heat wave cancels hike.

**Leader:** Delphine Trowbridge, dtrowbridge36@gmail.com, 818-482-6146

### 7:00 pm - Monthly Meeting: Photographic Composition by Larry Hicks

#### *Angeles Chp Camera Comm. Social Event*

O: Larry Hicks will help you make better photos.

**Leader:** Bob Beresh, bob.beresh@gmail.com, 310-397-2607

## Tuesday, May 15, 2018

### Repeating Events

6:30 pm Fullerton Evening Hike

6:30 pm Tuesday Night Conditioning Hike, San Pedro

6:30 pm Irvine Conditioning Hikes

6:30 pm Tue Tiger Hikers

7:00 pm Tuesday Night Beginner's Hike

7:00 pm Conditioning Hikes on Signal Hill (every Tue and Thur)

7:00 pm Griffith Park Night Conditioning Hikes

### 8:00 am - Tue Moderate easy pace Hikers / Red Rock Canyon from Stunt Rd

#### *Angeles Chp Wilderness Advntr Outing*

O: Moderately paced 4 mile, 800' gain hike up a fire road and then down into hidden Red Rock Canyon with bright brick red rock formations. Seasonal streams, good views, chaparral and sage habitats. Meet 8:00 AM at Stunt Road trailhead. From 101 Ventura Fwy take Valley Circle/Mulholland Dr exit south, turn right on Valmar Rd (becomes Old Topanga Cyn Rd), right on Mulholland Hwy for 3½ miles, left on Stunt Rd for 1 mile, park on dirt shoulder on right. Bring water, snack, lugsoles, hat, sunscreen. Rain cancels

**Leaders:** Rita Okowitz, ritaokowitz@gmail.com, 818-889-9924; Mirit Rabinovitz, mirit28@hotmail.com, 818-726-4848

## 8:30 am - Tue Conditioned Hikers: Secret Trail to Saddle Peak

### Angeles Chp SMMTF Subcom Outing

O: Strenuous 15 miles, 3200 gain out and back hike to Saddle Peak via the Secret Trail, Calabasas Peak Motorway, and the Stunt High Trail.

**Leader:** Ken Star, ken3star@gmail.com, 323-931-6343

## 9:00 am - Tue Moderate Hikers/ Pacific Palisades Marlen's Favorite

### Angeles Chp SMMTF Subcom Outing

O: Moderate 6 mile 1200 ft gain loop hike into Sullivan and Rustic Cyns, including an unusual 511 step staircase climb.

**Leader:** Margaret Fields, 310-839-8235

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## Wednesday, May 16, 2018

### Repeating Events

- 5:30 pm Downtown LA After-Work Exploration
- 6:30 pm Steve Feld Punete Hills conditioning hike
- 7:00 pm Griffith Park Night Conditioning Hikes
- 7:00 pm OCSS Management Committee Meeting

## 8:00 am - Bear Springs via Holy Jim trail

### Orange County Group Outing

O: May 16 Wed Orange County/Sierra Sage O: Bear Springs via Holy Jim Trail: 9 mi, 2245' gain/loss. We may see early wildflowers as we make a steady but moderate ascent to the shady trees at Bear Spring. It's another 3 mi to the top of Santiago Peak, but we won't go that far today! If we feel like it, however, we may detour to visit Holy Jim Falls on our way back. We will meet up at the dirt parking area on Plano Trabuco/Live Oak Road where they cross Trabuco Creek. Directions are take Alicia Pkwy from I-5 east approx. 5 miles to Santa Margarita Pkwy, R on SMP to the east end at Plano Trabuco, L on Plano Trabuco all the way to the Trabuco Creek Bridge. Please notify leaders if you wish to join this hike, if you can drive, and how much room you have for additional passengers, as we will carpool over a bumpy dirt road into the Holy Jim Parking Lot. Low clearance cars such as a Prius are not recommended past the dirt parking area so plan to carpool with others there. Bring at least 2 qts water, hat, lunch, hiking boots. Forest Adventure Pass or National Park Passes are required to park at the Holy Jim Parking Lot. Rain cancels. Ldrs: Mike Sappingfield, Linda Ledger

**Leaders:** Michael Sappingfield, mikesapp@cox.net, 949-633-6993; Linda Ledger, linda.ledger@me.com, 949-444-1285

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## Thursday, May 17, 2018

### Repeating Events

- 6:30 pm Conditioning Hike on Palos Verdes Peninsula
- 6:30 pm Irvine Conditioning Hikes
- 6:45 pm Henninger Flats Conditioning Hike
- 7:00 pm Conditioning Hikes on Signal Hill (every Tue and Thur)
- 7:00 pm Griffith Park Night Conditioning Hikes

## 8:00 am - Thu Moderate Hikers / Caballero Canyon, Topanga State Park

### Angeles Chp Wilderness Advntr Outing

O: Moderately paced 8 - 10 mile hike in northern Topanga State Park. Meet 8 am at Caballero trailhead in Tarzana (from 101 Ventura Fwy take Reseda Blvd, exit 23, go south 2 miles to east side across from Braemar Country Club entrance). Bring 2 quarts water, lunch, lugsoles, hat, sunscreen. Rain cancels. Leader: Diane DeMarco

**Leaders:** Diane De Marco, hikerfive@gmail.com, 310-645-9442; Nancy Krupa, nrkrupa@aol.com, 818-981-4799

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## Friday, May 18, 2018

### Repeating Events

- 6:45 pm Pacific Palisades Night Hike in Topanga State Park to Parker Mesa Overlook

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## Saturday, May 19, 2018

### Repeating Events

- 8:00 am Navigation: Beginning Navigation Clinic
- 0:00 pm Rock: Sheep Pass/Indian Cove Joshua Tree Rock Checkoff & Practice
- 8:30 am Santa Monica Mountains Trail Work
- 9:30 am Baldwin Hills Hike

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## Saturday, May 19, 2018 to Saturday, May 26, 2018

### Great Smoky Mountains

#### Angeles Chapter Outing

O: Join us for this 8 day, 7 night fly-drive excursion to the Appalachian Mountains in Tennessee and North Carolina in the spring. We will be using Gatlinburg, Tennessee, just outside the National Park, as our base for the entire trip and use vans to get to places within and around the park. Highlights will be exploring the Great Smoky Mountains National Park including Cades Cove, Clingmans Dome, Mingus Grist Mill, and the Mountain Farm Museum in Oconaluftee. We want to experience the backwoods with its magnificent hardwood forests and many creeks and waterfalls so we plan to hike almost every day for at least 3-7+ miles to such destinations as Grotto Falls, Abram Falls, Rainbow Falls and others. Additionally we plan to visit the nearby Cumberland Gap National Historical Park and enjoy the short hike through the Gap as well as visiting the magnificent Biltmore Mansion in Asheville, NC. Trip includes all transportation in Tennessee and North Carolina, 7 nights lodging, all breakfasts and two picnic lunches, and all admissions to scheduled places. Trip does not include air fare to and from Tennessee and the remaining lunches and dinners and any optional admissions. Trip cost is \$1150 for Sierra Club Members (\$1250 for non-members). A \$500 deposit will hold your place on the trip with the remainder due by February 2018. For information and to apply, contact Leader: Mike Sappingfield at mikesapp@cox.net 949-768-3610) or write to him at 26352 Via Juanita, Mission Viejo, CA 92691. Asstant

**Leaders:** Michael Sappingfield, mikesapp@cox.net, 949-768-3610, 949-633-6993; Linda Ledger, linda.ledger@me.com, 949-496-8029

## 8:00 am - Lower Shake to Elizabeth Lake Rd via PCT

### Santa Clarita Valley Group Outing

O: Moderate 9 mile, 800 gain hike from lower Shake Camp to PCT then along Sawmill Mountain in northwest area of the Angeles Forest. Part of this trail had been closed due to the Power Fire in 2013. Meet 8 AM in N Valencia by Embassy Suites. Take I-5 north, exit 126/ Newhall Ranch Rd, R at exit, R on Vanderbuilt Way (1st light), R on Westinghouse, park on street. 40 min rideshare with a short car shuttle. Bring water, lunch, and lugsoles

**Leader:** Raymond Lorme, rlorme@aol.com, 661-296-0246

## 8:00 am - Saturdays in the Santa Monicas #5 - Paramount Ranch MASH Site.

### Angeles Chp SMMTF Subcom Outing

O: Join us on a moderate 8 mile, 900 gain out and back hike starting at Paramount Ranch and hiking into Malibu Creek State Park with lunch at the MASH site and return by different trails with views of Malibu Lake as we head back.

**Leader:** Robert Baldwin, torchtoro@gmail.com, 818-510-1274

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## 9:00 am - Upper Aliso Canyon / Faultline Trail hike (Chino Hills SP)

### *Rio Hondo Group Outing*

O: Starting at the CHSP headquarters at the Rolling M Ranch barn, we'll hike the hills to the northwest with some great views of the park. 5 miles and 1000 ft vertical. Meet 9 am. Ridesharing encouraged, \$5 fee for parking. Bring water, snack, and sturdy shoes. Rain within 48 hours cancels. Note: The park is located 10 miles northwest of Corona. Take the 91-Freeway to Highway 71-North, turn left at Soquel Canyon. Proceed to Elinvar and turn left. Elinvar merges into Sapphire to the left, the park entrance is located on the right at 4721 Sapphire Road

**Leaders:** Eric Johnson, ericsj@mindspring.com, 714-524-7763; Fred Reed, fkreed@msn.com, 714-325-2710

## Saturday, May 19, 2018 to Sunday, May 20, 2018

### Harwood-OPEN WEEKEND

#### *Angeles Chp Harwood Lodge Social Event*

O: Open Weekend: Relax, hike and enjoy the local mountains at your beautiful stone lodge nestled among a pine forest. Open to all members (\$15/per night) and their guests (\$20/per night-limit 2). No reservations required. Bring SC CARD.

**Leader:** Elizabeth Ward, lizzyward@aol.com, 909-932-1980

### 3:00 pm - Turtle Rock Hike, Irvine

#### *Angeles Chp Orange Cty Singles Outing*

O: Moderate paced hike in the hills of Turtle Rock, about 5 miles round trip. Not for novices to hiking. Approximately 2 hours of aerobic activity. Work up an appetite for the picnic at the park immediately following. Well-behaved dogs are welcome. Bring water, sunglasses, sunscreen, hat, hiking boots or trail runner shoes and water for your dog. Meet at Turtle Rock Community Center Restrooms at 2:45 so we can leave by 3:00. 1 Sunnyhill Dr., Irvine. Leaders: Jan Nemmert, Shilo Bartlett, Harry Forry and Bart Bartlett.

**Leader:** Shilo Bartlett, shilo@shilomail.com, 714-809-5099

### 3:00 pm - Bommer Canyon to the Toll Road, Irvine

#### *Angeles Chp Orange Cty Singles Outing*

O: Moderate paced hike in the hills of Bommer Canyon to the summit of the Toll Road, about 5 miles round trip. Work up an appetite for the picnic at the park immediately following. Bring Water, sunglasses, sunscreen, hat, hiking boots. Meet at Turtle Rock Community Center Restrooms at 2:45 pm so we can leave by 3:00. 1 Sunnyhill Dr., Irvine. Leaders: Joe Bouchard, Joel Kenyon and John LaRue

**Leader:** E. Joseph Bouchard, ejbouchard@sbcglobal.net, 714-505-4502

### 3:30 pm - Shady Canyon Turtle Rock Hike, Irvine

#### *Angeles Chp Orange Cty Singles Outing*

O: Easy Hike, Newcomers Welcome. 4 miles on rocky bike path. Work up an appetite for the picnic at the park immediately following. Bring water, sunglasses, sunscreen, hat, hiking boots or trail runner shoes. Meet at Turtle Rock Community Tennis Courts. 1 Sunnyhill Dr., Irvine. Donna Specht

**Leader:** Joel Kenyon, jkenyon2002@excite.com, 949-285-5909

### 5:00 pm - Take a Hike BBQ, Turtle Rock, Irvine

#### *Angeles Chp Orange Cty Singles Social Event*

O: Join us at 3 pm for easy to moderate hikes (see separate listings) and then stay for a picnic and BBQ. Newcomers Welcome. Meet the leaders, find out all about the Sierra Club and our events. Pick up the Angeles Chapter Schedule of Activities. Please bring a Potluck dish to share (or burger condiments or fixins), a beverage and we will provide the burgers and veggie burgers. Join the Sierra Club, Special offer \$15 and receive a free gift! Bring A Friend! RSVP appreciated. Meet Turtle Rock Community Park Picnic tables, 1 Sunnyhill, Irvine. Contact: Donna Specht (donnaspecht@juno.com)

**Leader:** Donna Specht, donnaspecht@juno.com, 714-963-6345

## SCHEDULE OF ACTIVITIES

## Sunday, May 20, 2018

### Repeating Events

1:00 pm Angeles Chapter Executive Committee meeting

### 7:30 am - Jones Peak (3375')

#### *Crescenta Valley Group Outing*

O: Join us for a slow to moderate paced hike to Jones Peak (3375).

**Leader:** Kate Miller, miller.k8@gmail.com, 310-592-7965

### 8:30 am - Bolsa Chica Ecological Reserve Newcomer Hike

#### *Angeles Chp Orange Cty Singles Outing*

O: Easy paced, reasonably flat, 5 mile hike, approx 3 hrs. Newcomers Welcome. Enjoy the natural beauty of Bolsa Chica, one of the last remaining wetland ecosystems in Southern California. Meet 8:30 am. From Warner Avenue in Huntington Beach turn south on Bolsa Chica Street to the end of the street and trailhead (Brightwater Road). Park on the street. Bring camera, water, sun protection, hat, light hiking boots, rain does not cancel. Ldrs., Dorothy Gutierrez, Donna Specht, Julie Garner

**Leader:** Donna Specht, donnaspecht@juno.com, 714-963-6345

### 8:30 am - Aliso Peak (683')

#### *Sierra Sage of SOC Group Outing*

O: Join us as we hike the Valido trail to Aliso Peak (683'), continuing to the overlook (936'). We will then proceed down the Seaview trail to Badlands park and the Badlands trail to the overlook and return. Somewhat strenuous hike with possible spectacular views of the ocean. Stop for snack in Badlands park. Bring hat, light jacket, sunglasses, sunscreen, snack, 2 quarts water. Rain cancels. Meet 8:30 am at the trailhead. From PCH in south Laguna Beach, turn on West street, drive up to Via Valido and turn left to the trailhead. Contact leaders for more information. Todd Clark.

**Leader:** Sylvie Cote, mlsylvie@hotmail.com, 949-547-2998

### 4:00 pm - Annual Banquet

#### *Angeles Chp Desert Peaks Social Event*

O: Join us for the DPS annual banquet, featuring long-time member Wynne Benti speaking on "33 Years in the Desert West: An Illustrated Memoir of Adventure and Activism." We'll be gathering at the Vallecito Club House in Newbury Park, beginning with games at 4:00, social hour at 5:00, and dinner at 6:00. See the DPS website or Sage for the reservation form: <http://desertpeaks.org/DPS%202018%20Flyer%20WEB.pdf>

**Leader:** Tina Bowman, tina@bowmanchange.com, 562-438-3809

## Monday, May 21, 2018

### Repeating Events

6:30 pm Conditioning Hike in Rancho Palos Verdes

7:00 pm Angeles/OC ICO Monthly Meeting

## Tuesday, May 22, 2018

### Repeating Events

6:30 pm Fullerton Evening Hike

6:30 pm Irvine Conditioning Hikes

6:30 pm Tue Tiger Hikers

7:00 pm Tuesday Night Beginner's Hike

7:00 pm Conditioning Hikes on Signal Hill (every Tue and Thur)

7:00 pm Griffith Park Night Conditioning Hikes & Potluck!

## 8:00 am - Tue Moderate easy pace Hikers / Malibu Creek State Park – Cornell to Century Lake

### Angeles Chp Wilderness Advntr Outing

O: Moderately paced 4, mile 600' gain hike including Lookout Trail with great views to Century Lake and Rock Pool. See the sites where many moves were shot. Meet 8:00 am at Cornell & Mulholland dirt parking area. From 101 Ventura Fwy take Kanan Rd exit, go south on Kanan Rd ½ mile, turn left on Cornell Way and veer to right continuing south 3 miles (past Paramount Ranch) to paved entrance to dirt parking area on east side of street just south of Mulholland Hwy. Bring water, snack, lugsoles, hat, sunscreen. Rain cancels.

**Leaders:** Rita Okowitz, ritaokowitz@gmail.com, 818-889-9924; Mirit Rabinovitz, mirit28@hotmail.com, 818-726-4848

## 8:30 am - Tue Conditioned Hikers: Newton Canyon to Buzzard's Roost

### Angeles Chp SMMTF Subcom Outing

O: Strenuous 12 miles, 2700 gain hike going west on the Backbone Trail with a turnaround at Encinal Canyon Road. On the return trip we'll make a side trip on the Zuma Ridge Motorway to Buzzard's Roost Ranch for lunch.

**Leader:** David Finch, davidmfinch@mac.com, 310-450-4102

## 9:00 am - Tue Moderate Hikers/Temescal Park to Inspiration Point

### Angeles Chp SMMTF Subcom Outing

O: Moderate 8 mi rt, 1500 ft gain hike on scenic trail via Rivas Ridge to Will Rogers State Park.

**Leader:** Carol Leacock, carol.leacock@verizon.net, 310-454-4188

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## Wednesday, May 23, 2018

### Repeating Events

- 6:30 pm Steve Feld Punete Hills conditioning hike
- 6:45 pm Evenings in the Arroyo
- 7:00 pm Mission Peak Moonlight Conditioning Hike
- 7:00 pm Griffith Park Night Conditioning Hikes

## 8:30 am - Laguna Coast Wilderness from Laurel Canyon

### Orange County Group Outing

O: May 23 Wed Orange County/Sierra Sage O: Laguna Coast Wilderness from Laurel Canyon: Join us for a 6.5 mi, 800' gain/loss hike starting at the Willow entrance. We'll start up Laurel Cyn, cross Bommer Ridge, hike down Emerald Cyn and up Old Emerald Trail, returning on Bommer Ridge and Willow Cyn. Bring 1-2 liters water, snack, hiking shoes/lugsoles, optional poles, sun protection. Meet 8:30 am at the Willow entrance just south of the intersection of Laguna Cyn Rd and El Toro Rd. Parking \$3 or OC Parks pass. Rain or park closure cancels.

**Leaders:** Sharon Kirk, sl.kirk@sbcglobal.net, 714-376-3197; Linda Ledger, linda.ledger@me.com, 949-444-1285

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## Thursday, May 24, 2018

### Repeating Events

- 6:30 pm Conditioning Hike on Palos Verdes Peninsula
- 6:30 pm Irvine Conditioning Hikes
- 6:45 pm Henninger Flats Conditioning Hike
- 7:00 pm Conditioning Hikes on Signal Hill (every Tue and Thur)
- 7:00 pm Griffith Park Night Conditioning Hikes

## 8:00 am - Thu Moderate Hikers / Chumash Trail to Rocky Peak

### Angeles Chp Wilderness Advntr Outing

O: Moderately paced 8 mile 1500' gain hike in Santa Susana Mtns. Meet 8 am at Chumash trailhead in Simi (from 118 Fwy take Yosemite Ave, exit 29, north 0.4 mile, turn right on Flanagan Dr, continue 0.8 mile to end and park). Bring 2 quarts water, lunch, lugsoles, hat, sunscreen. Rain cancels.

**Leaders:** Mimi Knights, 661-253-3414; Reaven Gately, reavengately@yahoo.com, 661-255-8873

## Thursday, May 24, 2018 to Tuesday, May 29, 2018

### Sierra Nevada Car Camp

#### Angeles Chp 20s & 30s Singles Outing

O: Join us in the Yosemite Valley for Memorial Day Weekend! The waterfalls will be gushing and the scenery will be breathtaking. Come for the whole 5 days or just for the long weekend. Be quick! This car camp will fill in a flash!

**Leader:** Rolf Mauermann, rolfmau@outlook.com, 818-636-5395

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## Friday, May 25, 2018

### Repeating Events

- 6:45 pm Pacific Palisades Night Hike in Topanga State Park to Parker Mesa Overlook
- 7:00 pm Griffith Park Monthly Moonlit Hike and Potluck

## Friday, May 25, 2018 to Monday, May 28, 2018

### Memorial Day Wawona Cabin Trip

#### Angeles Chp Wilderness Advntr Outing

I: Rideshare Fri to stay in a cabin in the Wawona area near Yosemite's south entrance for moderately paced 8-12 mi, 1200'-3000' gain hikes each day. Highlights include cascading Chilnualna Falls, panoramic vistas of Yosemite Valley from the Panorama Trail and Glacier Pt, hikes through the Mariposa Grove of Sequoias (if open), day trips down to Yosemite Valley (will require advanced reservation with YARTS, cost not included) and possible alternative venues. Not suitable for beginners or sightseers. Cost includes 3 nights lodging in modern cabin with all amenities (2-5 per bedroom with shared bathrooms and kitchen), 3 continental breakfasts, Sat Happy Hour (dinner on your own, most of us will be going to the BBQ at the hotel), Sun group dinner. Send \$285 (Wilderness Adventures - \$40 cancel penalty, no refund of balance after 4/23 unless trip is full and suitable replacement found), 2 sase (or 1 sase and email), H&W phones, recent hiking experience to leader. Beth Powis Martin. Second Cabin Leaders: Sherry Ross and Kent Schwitkis. Third Cabin Leaders: George and Fran Denny. We will be using our secret procedures to avoid the crowds and traffic jams. Please note that we have a reservation for three cabins. There are a limited number of private rooms for couples. If the trip is not filling by April 23, we will need to cancel our reservation for one or more of the cabins (half the spaces). If you are interested in going on this trip you need to have a check in the leaders hands by April 23rd if you want a chance of getting a couples room.

**Leader:** Keith Martin, keithwmartin@sbcglobal.net, 310-683-9224

## Friday, May 25, 2018 to Monday, May 28, 2018

### Memorial Day in Wawona Cabin Trip

#### Angeles Chp Wilderness Advntr Outing

I: Rideshare Fri to stay in a cabin in the Wawona area near Yosemite's south entrance for moderately paced 8-12 mi, 1200'-3000' gain hikes each day. Highlights include cascading Chilnualna Falls, panoramic vistas of Yosemite Valley from the Panorama Trail and Glacier Pt, hikes through the Mariposa Grove of Sequoias (if open), day trips down to Yosemite Valley (will require advanced reservation with YARTS, cost not included) and possible alternative venues. Not suitable for beginners or sightseers. Cost includes 3 nights lodging in modern cabin with all amenities (2-5 per bedroom with shared bathrooms and kitchen), 3 continental breakfasts, Sat Happy Hour (dinner



on your own, most of us will be going to the BBQ at the hotel), Sun group dinner. Send \$285 (Wilderness Adventures - \$40 cancel penalty, no refund of balance after 4/23 unless trip is full and suitable replacement found), 2 sase (or 1 sase and email), H&W phones, recent hiking experience to leader. Leader: Keith Martin, P.O. Box 336, Groveland CA 95321. Email: keithwmartin@sbcglobal.net. Asst: Beth Powis Martin. Second Cabin Leaders: Sherry Ross and Kent Schwitkis. Third Cabin Leaders: George and Fran Denny. We will be using our secret procedures to avoid the crowds and traffic jams. Please note that we have a reservation for three cabins. There are a limited number of private rooms for couples. If the trip is not filling by April 23, we will need to cancel our reservation for one or more of the cabins (most of the spaces). If you are interested in going on this trip you need to have a check in the leader's hands by April 23rd if you want a chance of getting a couple's room.

**Leaders:** Keith Martin, keithwmartin@sbcglobal.net, 209-962-7421; Beth Powis Martin, whmscl@sbcglobal.net, 209-962-7421; Sherry Ross, chlross@yahoo.com, 562-881-8440; Kent Schwitkis, schwitkii@earthlink.net, 310-955-6146; George Denny, george\_denny@earthlink.net, 818-488-9669; Fran Denny, frandnny@earthlink.net, 818-488-9669

### 7:30 pm - Moonlight Hike in Palos Verdes/Lunada Bay

#### *Palos Verdes Group Outing*

O: : Moonlight Hike in Palos Verdes/Lunada Bay. Travel trails along coastal bluffs Meet 7:30 pm at intersection of Palos Verdes Drive West, Yarmouth, and Via Anacapa across from Lunada Bay Fountain. 2-3 miles. Rain Cancels. Wear sturdy shoes for muddy trails. Dennis Bosch.

**Leader:** Stephen Bradford, smb310@ymail.com, 310-993-5501

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## Saturday, May 26, 2018

### Repeating Events

8:30 am Santa Monica Mountains Trail Work

### 8:00 am - Highridge Park Hike

#### *Palos Verdes Group Outing*

O: : Highridge Park Hike. 5 miles, 1000 gain, 2.5 hours. Meet at 8:00 am at the Highridge Park parking lot on Highridge Road, south of Crestridge Road. We will take the Rattlesnake, Zotes Cutacross, McBride, Northrup, Clear Vista, Horseshoe and Highridge Trails. Wear lug sole boots, bring a snack and water. If you anticipate rain, wear rain gear. Minors are permitted if accompanied on the hike by a parent. Galen Heisey.

**Leader:** Steven Morris, stevenmorris1032@gmail.com

## Saturday, May 26, 2018 to Monday, May 28, 2018

### Harwood-OPEN WEEKEND Memorial Day

#### *Angeles Chp Harwood Lodge Social Event*

O: Open Weekend: Relax, hike and enjoy the local mountains at your beautiful stone lodge nestled among a pine forest. Open to all members (\$15/per night) and their guests (\$20/per night-limit 2). No reservations required. Bring SC CARD.

**Leader:** April Asher & Brian Choppin, april@alifeuncommon.net, 805-705-5979

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## Monday, May 28, 2018

### Repeating Events

6:30 pm Conditioning Hike in Rancho Palos Verdes

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## Tuesday, May 29, 2018

### Repeating Events

6:30 pm Fullerton Evening Hike  
6:30 pm Irvine Conditioning Hikes  
6:30 pm Tue Tiger Hikers

### SCHEDULE OF ACTIVITIES

7:00 pm Tuesday Night Beginner's Hike

7:00 pm Griffith Park Night Conditioning Hikes

### 8:00 am - Tues Moderate easy pace Hikers / Top of Reseda to Nike Site:

#### *Angeles Chp Wilderness Advntr Outing*

O: Moderately paced 6 mile, 600' gain hike along old dirt Mulholland to cold war Nike site. Great views of SF Valley and Encino Reservoir. Meet 8:00 am at top of Reseda Blvd in Tarzana. From 101 Ventura Fwy take Reseda Blvd exit, turn south and go 3 miles to Mulholland Gateway Park. Choice to park along street below the white line at beginning of fee area or pay fee and park above. Meet at trailhead at the top. Bring water, snacks, lugsoles, hat, sunscreen. Rain cancels.

**Leaders:** Richard M Shamban, richshamban@gmail.com, 818-578-3336; Sherry Rendel, sherryrendel@yahoo.com, 818-465-3972

### 8:30 am - Tue Conditioned Hikers: Topanga State Park Loop for Cheap Thrills

#### *Angeles Chp SMMTF Subcom Outing*

O: Strenuous 13 miles, 2500 gain hike in Topanga State Park, Trippet Ranch, Hub Junction, Eagle Rock, Cheap Thrills and Musch Trails.

**Leader:** Michael Louis, 310-395-8432

### 9:00 am - Tue Moderate Hikers/Mishe Mokwa to Triunfo Peak

#### *Angeles Chp SMMTF Subcom Outing*

O: Moderate 7 miles, 1000 ft gain new out-and-back TMH hike via the Backbone Trail to Triunfo Peak (2658').

**Leader:** Robert Cody, bcodyman@aol.com, 310-410-9172

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## Wednesday, May 30, 2018

### Repeating Events

6:30 pm Steve Feld Punete Hills conditioning hike

7:00 pm Griffith Park Night Conditioning Hikes

### 7:15 am - Icehouse Canyon hike

#### *Orange County Group Outing*

O: May 30 Wed Orange County/Sierra Sage O: Icehouse Canyon/Saddle: Join us for a 8 mi, 2600' gain hike in the San Gabriel Mtns. The route takes us along an inviting creek, past private cabins and through beautiful forests. We'll snack at Columbine spring, lunch at the saddle, and return the way we came. Meet 7:15 am at the Tustin Rideshare (one block South of I-5 on Redhill in the parking lot at the Stater Bros strip mall that extends to the right (north) of the stores. Bring 2+ liters water, lunch/snacks, hiking boots/lugsoles, poles recommended. Adventure Pass needed for drivers.

**Leaders:** Linda Ledger, linda.ledger@me.com, 949-444-1285; Kathy Fisher, fisher.k@mac.com, 714-812-5708

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## Thursday, May 31, 2018

### Repeating Events

6:30 pm Conditioning Hike on Palos Verdes Peninsula

6:30 pm Irvine Conditioning Hikes

6:45 pm Henninger Flats Conditioning Hike

7:00 pm Griffith Park Night Conditioning Hikes

### 8:00 am - Thu Moderate Hikers / Doubletree to China Flat

#### *Angeles Chp Wilderness Advntr Outing*

O: Moderately paced 8 mile 1200' gain hike in scenic Simi Hills, through chaparral, grasslands and oaks. Meet 8 am at Doubletree trailhead in Oak Park (from 101 Ventura Fwy take Kanan Rd north 2.1 miles to Sunnycrest Dr, turn right and go 0.8 mile to signed trailhead on right and park along street). Bring 2 qts water, lunch, lugsoles, hat, sunscreen. Rain cancels.

Leader: Diane DeMarco

**Leaders:** Diane De Marco, hikerfive@gmail.com, 310-645-9442; Nancy Krupa, nrkrupa@aol.com, 818-981-4799

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## Friday, June 1, 2018

### Repeating Events

6:45 pm Pacific Palisades Night Hike in Topanga State Park to Parker Mesa Overlook

## Friday, June 01, 2018 to Sunday, June 03, 2018

### Coyote Peak (10,892 ft), Angora Mountain (10,198 ft)

#### Angeles Chp Sierra Peaks Outing

I: Join us on a climb of these scenic peaks in the southern part of the Great Western Divide. Friday well backpack 10 miles, 2800 ft gain from Lloyd Meadow to a camp on Deep Creek, crossing the Little Kern River on the way. Saturday well hike 8.5 miles, 5,150 ft gain to Coyote Peak, then return along a ridge, bagging Angora on the way to camp. Sunday we backpack out and grab dinner on the way home. Priority given to recent WTC students. Email experience and conditioning to leader.

**Leader:** Ronald Campbell, campbellr@verizon.net, 714-425-5169

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## Saturday, June 2, 2018

### Repeating Events

8:00 am San Mateo Canyon Trail Maintenance

8:30 am Santa Monica Mountains Trail Work

### 2:00 am - 9th Annual SoCal Seven Summit #4 - Mt. Wilson

#### Angeles Chp Wilderness Advntr Outing

O: Join us for training hike #4 of the 2018 SoCal Seven Summits, a 15-mile round trip with 4400 feet of gain to Mt. Wilson (5,710) from Chantry Flat. No beginners. Email leaders for meeting time and rideshare options. amanda Horak , Mary Forgione

**Leader:** Ted Lubeshkoff, mary.forgione@sierraclub.org, amandahorak@hotmail.com, jeannstar@sbcglobal.net, 626-447-5690

### 8:30 am - Newcomers Hike - Griffith Park

#### Central Group Outing

O: Easy paced, hilly walk, 3 miles, 500 ft gain, approx 2 hrs. Newcomers welcome. We'll hike up to the La La Land bench, down through shady Fern Dell, and enjoy views of the Hollywood Sign and the Griffith Observatory. Then we'll grab coffee and a pastry at the Trails Cafe. Meet 8:30 am near the entrance to the big parking lot on Fern Dell Dr. Bring camera, water, sun protection, hat, and light hiking boots or trail runners. Rain cancels.

**Leader:** Barbara Hensleigh, barbarajhensleigh@gmail.com, 213-703-8767

## Saturday, June 02, 2018 to Sunday, June 03, 2018

### Harwood-CLOSED WEEKEND

#### Angeles Chp Harwood Lodge Social Event

O: (Reserved for Verdugo Hills Group)

**Leader:** Mike & Debby Wapner, dwapner@gmail.com, 562-423-7265

### 5:00 pm - Pasadena Group Newcomers Potluck

#### Pasadena Group Social Event

O: New and prospective members of the Pasadena Group are invited to join us from 5 to 8 pm for this outdoor event at a member's backyard. Learn about the Group's activities, which include hikes and outings, conservation and habitat restoration projects, and educational and community outreach programs. Please bring a salad, entre or dessert; drinks will be provided. RSVP to Don Bremner, 626-794-2603, or donbremner@earthlink.net, by June 1. We look forward to meeting you.

**Leader:** Donald Bremner, donbremner@earthlink.net, 626-794-2603

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## Monday, June 4, 2018

### Repeating Events

6:30 pm Conditioning Hike in Rancho Palos Verdes

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## Tuesday, June 5, 2018

### Repeating Events

6:30 pm Fullerton Evening Hike

6:30 pm Irvine Conditioning Hikes

6:30 pm Tue Tiger Hikers

7:00 pm Griffith Park Night Conditioning Hikes

### 8:00 am - Tue Moderate easy pace Hikers / O'Melveny Park to Mission Point

#### Angeles Chp Wilderness Advntr Outing

O: Moderately paced 5 mile 1400' gain/loss hike with great views of SF Valley and way beyond, depending on visibility, in our second largest city park. Meet 8:00 am at trailhead. From 118 Fwy take Balboa Blvd exit north about 2 miles to Orozco St, turn left continuing ½ mile to end, then left on Sesnon, pass parking lot, and go about 4 blocks to Neon. Turn right and park at end of street. Bring water, snack, lugsoles, hat, sunscreen. Rain cancels.

**Leaders:** Reaven Gately, reavengately@yahoo.com, 661-255-8873; Pixie Klemic, pklemic@roadrunner.com, 818-787-5420

### 8:30 am - Tue Conditioned Hikers: Wendy to Danielson Ranch

#### Angeles Chp SMMTF Subcom Outing

O: Strenuous 13 miles, 2200 gain mostly loop hike with lunch at Danielson Ranch via the Old Boney and Blue Canyon trails, looping back via the Sin Nombre and Upper Sycamore Canyon trails.

**Leader:** Cyndee Zahorik, clzahorik@icloud.com, 805-492-1453

### 8:45 am - Tue Moderate Hikers/ Paramount Ranch to Mash Site

#### Angeles Chp SMMTF Subcom Outing

O: Moderate 8 mi, 900 ft gain loop hike

**Leader:** David Finch, davidmfinch@mac.com, 310-450-4102

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## Wednesday, June 6, 2018

### Repeating Events

6:30 pm Steve Feld Punete Hills conditioning hike

7:00 pm Griffith Park Night Conditioning Hikes & 1st Weds of Month Cookout

### 9:00 am - Ladera loop

#### Orange County Group Outing

O: June 6 Wed Orange County/Sierra Sage O: Ladera Loop: ca 6 mi, 900' gain/loss. This moderate route combines the delights of suburban and "wild" hiking. We'll begin with a gently rolling mix of dirt and pavement, then climb to a ridge for great views of the mountains and "back country". Descending by singletrack, we'll reenter lush suburbia, with a look at a community garden, for a very easy return to our starting point and an optional lunch. Meet 9:00 am in the parking lot of the shopping center at Crown Valley Pkwy and Cecil Pasture Rd. From I-5 take Crown Valley east, cross the bridge over the Arroyo and turn R on Cecil Pasture Rd; take the first L into parking lot and park near entrance. Bring water, snack (optional), hiking shoes/lugsoles. Rain cancels.

**Leaders:** Helen Maurer, 7gables@cox.net, 949-768-0417; Ed Maurer, balois@cox.net, 949-768-0417

SCHEDULE OF ACTIVITIES

## 7:00 pm - Pasadena Monthly Program

### *Pasadena Group Club Support Event*

O: Illustrated conservation/outing program. Information on Group's hikes, outings, and conservation activities. Newcomers always welcome! Doors open at 7 pm; Program starts 7:30 PM, at Eaton Canyon Nature Center, 1750 N Altadena Dr in NE Pasadena. For information contact Group Membership Chair, Bill Joyce

**Leader:** William Joyce, rollingtherock@verizon.net, 909-596-6280

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## Thursday, June 7, 2018

### **Repeating Events**

6:30 pm Conditioning Hike on Palos Verdes Peninsula

6:30 pm Irvine Conditioning Hikes

6:45 pm Henninger Flats Conditioning Hike

7:00 pm Griffith Park Night Conditioning Hikes

## 8:00 am - Thu Moderate Hikers / Stunt High Trail to Saddle Peak

### *Angeles Chp Wilderness Advntr Outing*

O: Moderately paced 8 mile 2000' gain hike to Saddle Peak from Stunt Road in Calabassas. Meet 8 am at Stunt High trailhead. From 101 Ventura Fwy take Valley Circle/Mulholland Dr, exit 29, go south, turn right on Valmar Rd (becomes Old Topanga Cyn Rd), then right on Mulholland Hwy for 3½ miles, left on Stunt Rd for 1 mile, and park on dirt shoulder on right. Bring 2 qts water, lunch, lugsoles, hat, sunscreen. Rain cancels. Leader: Diane DeMarco

**Leaders:** Diane De Marco, hikerfive@gmail.com, 310-645-9442; Nancy Krupa, nrkrupa@aol.com, 818-981-4799

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## Friday, June 8, 2018

### **Repeating Events**

6:45 pm Pacific Palisades Night Hike in Topanga State Park to Parker Mesa Overlook

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## Saturday, June 9, 2018

### **Repeating Events**

8:30 am Santa Monica Mountains Trail Work

## 8:30 am - Holy Jim Falls

### *Sierra Sage of SOC Group Outing*

O: This is an easy 2 mile each way hike with 200 of gain/loss to this wonderful waterfall in the Cleveland National Forest. This hike is great for beginners, families with kids 5+ years and up with parents, and people who just want to get out into the outdoors. You can expect wild flowers, and water flowing from the falls. We will meet at the dirt parking area where Plano Trabuco crosses Trabuco Creek at 8:30 am. We will form into carpools at this point and drive the 5 miles into the trail head. The road in to the trailhead is not well maintained and dirt surface so SUVs and other cars with reasonable clearance are recommended to drive into the trailhead. Drivers who do drive in to the trailhead will need a Federal Senior Pass or a Forest Adventure pass to park. Bring lunch or snacks to eat at the waterfall; carry out all your papers and refuse.

**Leader:** Michael Sappingfield, mikesapp@cox.net, 949-633-6993

## 9:00 am - Forest Bathing on Mt Wilson

### *Central Group Outing*

O: Relax, become present, and make contact with nature. Take in the forest atmosphere and experience forest bathing (Shinrin-yoku) under the guidance of amanda Stemen, MS, LCSW. Meet at the La Canada carpool point at 9 am, then drive up to the top of Mt Wilson. Follow a deeply forested

trail along a rambling route, 900 gain, 3 miles RT. Hike mindfully, pause for inspiration, and stop for lunch. Return to town by about 2:00 pm. Bring: Comfortable clothing appropriate to weather (layers); Close-toed athletic shoes or hiking boots; Sunscreen and hat; Sack lunch and water. Reserve a space ASAP. Cost: \$30 Fundraiser for the Angeles Chapter Central Group

**Leader:** Will McWhinney, willmcw@gmail.com

## 9:00 am - First Aid CPR Class, Newport Beach, CA

### *Angeles Chp Orange Cty Singles Club Support Event*

O: Six hour class, Angeles Chapter Safety Committee approved for this special class taught by NBFD. Bring snacks, lunch, water. Limit 25 students. Location details will be sent upon registration. Deadline to register or cancel June 2. No refunds after June 2. Send phone # & e mail address. Cost: \$20, check payable to OCSS. Mail to Donna Specht, 22221 Wood Island Lane, Huntington Beach, CA 92646.

**Leader:** Donna Specht, donnaspecht@juno.com, 714-963-6345

## Saturday, June 09, 2018 to Sunday, June 10, 2018

### **Harwood-OPEN WEEKEND**

#### *Angeles Chp Harwood Lodge Social Event*

O: Open Weekend: Relax, hike and enjoy the local mountains at your beautiful stone lodge nestled among a pine forest. Open to all members (\$15/per night) and their guests (\$20/per night-limit 2). No reservations required. Bring SC CARD.

**Leader:** Elizabeth Ward, lizzyward@aol.com, 909-932-1980

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## Sunday, June 10, 2018

## Sunday, June 10, 2018 to Tuesday, June 12, 2018

### **Island Hopping in Channel Islands National Park, 2018**

#### *Angeles Chapter Outing*

O: Join us for a 3-day, 3-island, live-aboard tour of the enchanting Channel Islands. Hike wild, windswept trails bordered with blazing wildflowers. Kayak rugged coastlines, Marvel at pristine waters teeming with frolicking seals and sea lions. Train your binoculars on unusual sea and land birds—and an occasional whale. Watch for the highly endangered island fox. Look for reminders of the Chumash people who lived on these islands for thousands of years. Or, just relax at sea. All cruises depart from Santa Barbara. The cost, \$675, includes an assigned bunk and all meals, snacks, and beverages. A ranger/naturalist assigned by the national park will travel with us to help lead hikes, point out items of interest and give evening programs. Kayaking will be overseen by our concessionaire; all hikes will be on trails, class 1 terrain. This trip is a fundraiser to support the Sierra Club political program in California. To reserve space send a \$100 deposit, written to California Sierra Club PAC to Joan Jones Holtz, 11826 The Wye St., El Monte, CA 91732. For more information contact leaders: Joan Jones Holtz: jholtzhln@aol.com; 626-443-0706. Wayne Vollaire: avollaire1@gmail.com; 909-3275-6825

**Leaders:** Joan Holtz, jholtzhln@aol.com, 626-443-0706; Wayne Vollaire, avollaire1@gmail.com, 909-327-6825

## 8:30 am - St. Jacinto Wilderness Lower Loop Hike

### *Sierra Sage of SOC Group Outing*

O: Join us as we hike the "island in the sky", a hike starting and ending at the Palm Spring Mountain Station (8516'), for a total of approximately 12 miles and 2500' gain/loss. Bring lunch, 3 quarts water, sunscreen, sunhat, light jacket, 10 essentials, money (\$25 for tram). Meet 8:30 AM at the main parking lot of the tram station in Palm Springs. There is a \$5 fee for parking. Group size limited by permit. Contact leaders for more information.

**Leader:** Todd Clark, clarkta@hotmail.com, 714-803-0195

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## Monday, June 11, 2018

### **Repeating Events**

6:30 pm Conditioning Hike in Rancho Palos Verdes



### 7:30 pm - Monthly Meeting: Members Show

#### *Angeles Chp Camera Comm. Social Event*

O: Camera Committee Members are invited to share their photograph in prints, traditional slides or digital slides. This is a great opportunity for newcomers to introduce themselves and to see what we are all about. Be sure to click through for more information.

**Leader:** Bob Beresh, bob.beresh@gmail.com, 310-397-2607

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## Tuesday, June 12, 2018

### Repeating Events

- 6:30 pm Fullerton Evening Hike
- 6:30 pm Irvine Conditioning Hikes
- 6:30 pm Tue Tiger Hikers
- 7:00 pm Griffith Park Night Conditioning Hikes

### 8:00 am - Tue Moderate easy pace Hikers / King Gillette Ranch

#### *Angeles Chp Wilderness Advntr Outing*

O: Moderately paced 5 mile, 600' elevation gain hike around our newest acquisition to the Santa Monica Parklands, now HQ for the SMM NPS. Beautiful valley and coast live oak savanna, grasslands, coastal sage scrub, etc., as well as manicured grounds around the original Gillette Mansion. Meet 8:00 am in fee parking lot of Ranch. From 101 Ventura Fwy take Las Virgenes Rd/Malibu Canyon exit, go south approx. 5 ¾ miles to Mulholland Hwy. Turn left on Mulholland and then right to enter the long eucalyptus alleé driveway for Ranch. Park in second lot. Bring water, snack, lugsoles, hat, sunscreen. Rain cancels.

**Leaders:** Rita Okowitz, ritaokowitz@gmail.com, 818-889-9924; Mirit Rabinovitz, mirit28@hotmail.com, 818-726-4848

### 8:30 am - Tue Moderate Hikers/ Santa Ynez Cyn to Musch Ranch

#### *Angeles Chp SMMTF Subcom Outing*

O: Moderately paced 8 mi rt, 1000 ft gain hike through colorful canyon to Trippet Ranch, and on to Musch Trail Camp.

**Leader:** Hannelore Suddeth, hannesudds@gmail.com, 310-370-3008

### 8:30 am - Tue Conditioned Hikers: Circle X to Chamberlain Memorial

#### *Angeles Chp SMMTF Subcom Outing*

O: Strenuous 14 miles, 3200 gain lollipop in the middle hike from Circle X along the Canyon View Trail to the Backbone Trail with lunch at the Chamberlain Split Rock Memorial returning via the Mishe Mokwa and Canyon View trails.

**Leader:** John Kross, john.kross@yahoo.com, 805-791-3789

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## Wednesday, June 13, 2018

### Repeating Events

- 6:30 pm Steve Feld Punete Hills conditioning hike
- 6:45 pm Evenings in the Arroyo
- 7:00 pm Griffith Park Night Conditioning Hikes

### 6:00 am - Wysup Peak (8990 ft), Heart Bar Peak (8332 ft), Onyx Peak #1 (9113 ft)

#### *Angeles Chp Hundred Peaks Outing*

I: Wysup Peak (8990 ft), Heart Bar Peak (8332 ft) and Onyx Peak #1 (9113 ft) - Join us for a pleasant day climbing these three moderate peaks in the San Geronio area. We will drive between trailheads so you can do one two or all three peaks. Total distance for all three will be 10.5 miles, 3100 feet of gain. Bring lugsoles layers lunch liquids hat and sunscreen. Contact leader

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for meeting time and place. Recent precipitation cancels.

**Leader:** James Hagar, jhagar1@gmail.com, 818-468-6451

### 9:00 am - Buck Gully

#### *Orange County Group Outing*

O: June 13 Wed Orange County/Sierra Sage O: Buck Gully: 5 mi, 100' gain hike up and back exploring this cool coastal canyon hidden in Corona del Mar. Meet 9:00 am at the parking lot at the corner of Marguerite Ave and 5th Av. Turn E from PCH onto Marguerite: the parking lot is next to Oasis Senior Center at 801 Narcissis in Corona del Mar. Bring snack, water, sturdy walking shoes. Ldr: Mike Sappingfield, Asst: Linda Ledge

**Leaders:** Michael Sappingfield, mikesapp@cox.net, 949-633-6993; Linda Ledger, linda.ledger@me.com, 949-444-1285

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## Thursday, June 14, 2018

### Repeating Events

- 6:30 pm Conditioning Hike on Palos Verdes Peninsula
- 6:30 pm Irvine Conditioning Hikes
- 6:45 pm Henninger Flats Conditioning Hike
- 7:00 pm Griffith Park Night Conditioning Hikes

### 8:00 am - Thu Moderate Hikers / La Jolla Valley

#### *Angeles Chp Wilderness Advntr Outing*

O: Moderately paced 8-9 mile hike with ocean views, open grasslands and wildflowers. We'll observe how this gorgeous location in the Santa Monica Mts. has recovered from fire damage after it burned in May 2013. Meet 8 AM near the Ray Miller Trailhead kiosk (in parking lot), which is used to access La Jolla Valley. From Pacific Coast Hwy and Malibu Canyon Road go northwest on PCH about 20.8 mi. to La Jolla Valley / Pt. Mugu State Park Campground entrance (about 1½ miles northwest of Big Sycamore Canyon entrance). Bring 2 quarts water, lunch, lugsoles, hat, sunscreen, windbreaker, \$ for parking lot or park on PCH & walk in. Rain cancels. Leader: Diane DeMarco

**Leaders:** Diane De Marco, hikerfive@gmail.com, 310-645-9442; Nancy Krupa, nrkrupa@aol.com, 818-981-4799

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## Friday, June 15, 2018

### Repeating Events

- 6:45 pm Pacific Palisades Night Hike in Topanga State Park to Parker Mesa Overlook

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## Saturday, June 16, 2018

### Repeating Events

- 7:00 am Navigation: Mt. Pinos Navigation Noodle
- 8:30 am Santa Monica Mountains Trail Work
- 9:30 am Baldwin Hills Hike

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## Saturday, June 16, 2018 to Saturday, June 23, 2018

### Forty-third Annual Hawai'ian Islands Eco-Adventure trip to Maui, The Valley Isle

#### *Angeles Chp Backpacking Comm Outing*

O: No backpacking. In 8 days experience the unique & outstanding natural beauty of Maui. Descend on a hike into awesome Haleakala National Park moonscape crater, with its vast array of colors & cinder cones. Traverse diverse vegetation zones, & meet the one-of-a-kind silversword! Enjoy moderate hikes (4 miles/1,000'-1,500' loss & gain) or optional 11-mile Haleakala Super Hike: Down into, across, & up & out of the crater. Hike through rainforest & bamboo jungle to beautiful Waimoku Falls (4 mi roundtrip; 900' gain/loss); swim 7+ pools of Oheo Stream. Snorkel/swim at picturesque, less crowded beaches. Shop at legendary Hasegawa General

**SCHEDULE OF ACTIVITIES**

Store. Awesome coastal views on the road to Hana. Share recently refurbished ocean side rustic cabins in lush Wai'anapanapa State Park (3 nights) – bring lightweight sleeping bag, liner or sheet, & a travel pillow. 2 nights in a historical plantation house (pro kitchen, laundry, salt-water pool & spa) & 2 nights in shared condos in Wailea (full kitchens, washer/dryer, swimming pools, whirlpool spas). Guided tour at Kahanu Garden & P'ilanihale Heiau, a National Tropical Botanical Garden. Walk through Iao Valley State Park. Meals cooked group commissary style - all help with duties. Cost is \$1,775 w/SC# / \$1,952 non-Sierra Club member before April 1; April 1-May 25 \$1,952/\$2,147; after May 25 \$2,147/\$2,362. Covered activities/costs: All ground transportation; all sumptuous breakfasts & dinners (ahi or mixed fish & two other BBQs); 7 nights shared cabins, lodge, & condo; three restaurant dinners included; grand finale Aloha Dinner; cooking gear, logistics. Participants provide their own lunches. Airfare is extra - best prices early; must coordinate airfares with the leaders. Trip Cancellations received in writing after April 1 incur a \$450 penalty; after May 3 a \$877 penalty; after May 25 or no-shows forfeit all monies. NO EXCEPTIONS! Participant limit: 16; fills fast. For info only, send email request or send 1 self-addressed-stamped envelope. To sign up for the trip, send email address, or, if no email send 3-4x9 sase's, with Home/Cell/Work phone #'s, address, \$450 deposit (\$97 non-ref) made out to Sierra Club, must include recent hiking experience/conditioning info, to leader, phone 818-773-4601

**Leaders:** Bill Crane, bilguana@socal.rr.com, 818-773-4601; Joan Weaver, hoansw@yahoo.com, 818-717-1946

### 8:30 am - Saturdays in the Santa Monicas #6 - Howard Kayton Memorial Bench Hike

#### *Angeles Chp SMMTF Subcom Outing*

O: Join us on a moderate 9 miles 1800 gain loop hike from Trippet Ranch taking the Musch Trail to Eagle Rock and then looping on the Garapito Trail to Hub Junction where we will stop for lunch at the Howard Kayton (long-time SMMTF hike outings chair and leader) bench before returning to our start.

**Leader:** Tejinder Dhillon, tejinder.k.dhillon@gmail.com, 646-300-1896

## Saturday, June 16, 2018 to Sunday, June 17, 2018

### Harwood-OPEN WEEKEND

#### *Angeles Chp Harwood Lodge Social Event*

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**Leader:** April Asher & Brian Choppin, april@alifeuncommon.net, 805-705-5979

## Sunday, June 17, 2018

### Repeating Events

7:00 am Navigation: Mt. Pinos Navigation Noodle

### 8:30 am - Bolsa Chica Ecological Reserve Newcomer Hike

#### *Angeles Chp Orange Cty Singles Outing*

O: Easy paced, reasonably flat, 5 mile hike, approx 3 hrs. Newcomers Welcome. Enjoy the natural beauty of Bolsa Chica, one of the last remaining wetland ecosystems in Southern California. Meet 8:30 am. From Warner Avenue in Huntington Beach turn south on Bolsa Chica Street to the end of the street and trailhead (Brightwater Road). Park on the street. Bring camera, water, sun protection, hat, light hiking boots, rain does not cancel. Steve Bradford

**Leader:** Donna Specht, donnaspecht@juno.com, 714-963-6345

### SCHEDULE OF ACTIVITIES

### 4:00 pm - Long Day's Night Hike

#### *Angeles Chp SMMTF Subcom Outing*

O: Moderately strenuous 7 mi rt hike from Santa Ynez Cyn to Trippet Ranch.

**Leader:** Ernest Scheuer, ems728@gmail.com, 310-689-8241

## Monday, June 18, 2018

### Repeating Events

6:30 pm Conditioning Hike in Rancho Palos Verdes

7:00 pm Angeles/OC ICO Monthly Meeting

## Tuesday, June 19, 2018

### Repeating Events

6:30 pm Fullerton Evening Hike

6:30 pm Irvine Conditioning Hikes

7:00 pm Griffith Park Night Conditioning Hikes

### 8:00 am - Tue Moderate easy pace Hikers / East and Rice Canyons

#### *Angeles Chp Wilderness Advntr Outing*

O: Moderately paced 5 mile, 800' elevation gain by year-round streams into two canyons of the Santa Clarita Woodlands. Explore the wide variety of plant communities. Meet 8:00 AM at East Canyon trailhead, Newhall. Take the Calgrove exit from Interstate 5, turn west under the freeway and take the Old Road south about 1 mile to parking entrance after church on right, and continue past trailhead sign to parking area. Bring 2 qts water, snack, lugsoles, hat, sunscreen. Rain cancels.

**Leaders:** Reaven Gately, reavengately@yahoo.com, 661-255-8873; Sherry Rendel, sherryrendel@yahoo.com, 818-465-3972

### 8:00 am - Tue Conditioned Hikers: Lions Trail, Wire Break, Trippet Ranch Loop

#### *Angeles Chp SMMTF Subcom Outing*

O: Strenuous 12 miles, 3000 gain loop hike starting at Los Lions towards Trippet Ranch with a detour down the Wire Break and back up the Santa Ynez trail to finally reach Trippet Ranch and then back to the trailhead

**Leader:** Dana Swartz, danewithfame@yahoo.com, 310-709-8045

### 8:30 am - Tue Moderate Hikers/Solstice Canyon

#### *Angeles Chp SMMTF Subcom Outing*

O: Moderate 7 mi rt, 2000 ft gain hike to Roberts Ranch continuing into Deer Valley and onto high ground with ocean views.

**Leader:** Ernest Scheuer, ems728@gmail.com, 310-689-8241

## Wednesday, June 20, 2018

### Repeating Events

5:30 pm Downtown LA After-Work Exploration

6:30 pm Steve Feld Punete Hills conditioning hike

7:00 pm Griffith Park Night Conditioning Hikes

7:00 pm OCSS Management Committee Meeting

### 9:00 am - Salt Creek aka bagel hike

#### *Orange County Group Outing*

O: June 20 Wed Orange County/Sierra Sage O: Salt Creek, aka "The Bagel Hike": 7.5 mi, 200' gain, moderate. Scenic walk from Chapparosa Park to the beach, then up over the Headlands to Dana Point Harbor. Return by bus after lunch (optional) at the bagel place. Meet 9:00 am at Chapparosa Park. From I-5 go W on Crown Valley, L on Golden Lantern, R on Chapparosa and through park to the very end. Those arriving by 8:45 may wish to take the first R after turning onto Chapparosa and parking there. Bring water,

walking shoes, bus fare (\$0.75 seniors, \$2 others). Newcomers welcome.

**Leaders:** Peter R Height, prheight1@cox.net, 949-713-4569; Ed Maurer, balois@cox.net, 949-768-0417

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## Thursday, June 21, 2018

### Repeating Events

- 6:30 pm Conditioning Hike on Palos Verdes Peninsula
- 6:30 pm Irvine Conditioning Hikes
- 6:45 pm Henninger Flats Conditioning Hike
- 7:00 pm Griffith Park Night Conditioning Hikes & Potluck!

### 8:00 am - Thu Moderate Hikers / Mission Point, Bee Canyon, O'Melveny Park

#### Angeles Chp Wilderness Advntr Outing

O: Moderately paced 6 mile 1500' gain hike with great valley views. Meet 8 am at O'Melveny Park paved parking lot. From 118 Fwy take Balboa Blvd, exit 40, north about 2 miles to Orozco St, turn left continuing ½ mile to end, then left on Sesnon to parking lot on right. Bring 2 qts water, lunch, lugsoles, hat, sunscreen. Rain cancels.

**Leaders:** Reaven Gately, reavengately@yahoo.com, 661-255-8873; Nancy Krupa, nrkrupa@aol.com, 818-981-4799

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## Friday, June 22, 2018

### Repeating Events

- 6:45 pm Pacific Palisades Night Hike in Topanga State Park to Parker Mesa Overlook
- 7:00 pm Griffith Park Monthly Moonlit Hike and Potluck

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## Saturday, June 23, 2018

### Repeating Events

- 8:30 am Santa Monica Mountains Trail Work

### 2:00 am - 9th Annual SoCal Seven Summit #5 - Sugarloaf Mountain

#### Angeles Chp Wilderness Advntr Outing

O: Join us for training hike #5 of the 2018 SoCal Seven Summits, a 17-mile round trip with 3700 feet of gain to Sugarloaf Mountain (9,952) from the Wildhorse Creek Trailhead in the Big Bear area. No beginners. Email leaders for meeting time and rideshare options. Leaders: Tejinder Dhillon tejinder.k.dhillon@gmail.com, Mandy Horak amandahorak@hotmail.com, Jeffery Taylor jtaylz56@hotmail.com, Mary Forgione mary.forgione@sierra-club.org, Bob Cody bcodyman@aol.com, Ted Lubeshkoff jeannstar@sbc-global.net, Terri Straub terristraub@hotmail.com

**Leader:** Ted Lubeshkoff, terristraub@hotmail.com, jeannstar@sbcglobal.net, 626-447-5690

### 8:00 am - Three Points to Twin Peaks (7,761)

#### Angeles Chp Wilderness Advntr Outing

O: Three Points to Twin Peaks (7,761): Strenuous meander above rugged Devils Canyon in the San Gabriel Wilderness to the higher of the Twin Peaks. Hike is about 13 miles and 4,000 feet gain/loss, and will go at a moderate pace. Wear sturdy shoes or lug-sole boots and bring the usuals for a day hike, including lunch and at least two quarts of water. Co-Ldrs: Dean Wallraff, David Cuddy. Meet by 8:00 am at La Canada Ride Share - Angeles Crest Highway (Hwy 2), Just N of Foothill Fwy (I-210). Cars parked in Angeles National Forest will need to display Adventure Passes.

**Leader:** Mark Alan Mitchell, markamitchell@att.net, 818-753-9328

### 8:00 am - Three Points to Twin Peaks (7,761)

#### Angeles Chp Orange Cty Singles Outing

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**Leader:** Mark Alan Mitchell, markamitchell@att.net, 818-753-9328

## Saturday, June 23, 2018 to Sunday, June 24, 2018

### Cirque Peak (12,900 ft.)

#### Angeles Chp Wilderness Trainin Outing

I: On Saturday, backpack to Cirque Lake by a cross country route to camp at Cirque Lake (4 miles/ 1000 ft.). On Sunday, we'll practice navigation and route finding up a class 2 route to Cirque Peak (2 miles/1800 ft.), then return to camp and hike out. WTC students will get priority. Email climbing resume to leader: Joe Speigl. Co-ldr: Anne Marie Richardson

**Leader:** Joseph Speigl, jspeigl1@yahoo.com, 909-609-5609

## Saturday, June 23, 2018 to Sunday, June 24, 2018

### Smith (9,520'), Jackass (9,280'), and USGS Crag (9,440')

#### Angeles Chp Wilderness Trainin Outing

I: Get into an early season backpack by joining us for an overnight experience trip in the South Sierra Wilderness. We'll meet at Fish Creek Campground Saturday at 6am. After a quick trailhead talk, we'll hike 4.5 miles (1,000 elevation gain) to Hooker Meadow (all trail, so free miles!) We'll drop our packs and head to Smith peak (9520) then Jackass Peak (9280), 5 miles RT w/1550' elevation gain. Then, we'll set up camp near Hooker Meadow and enjoy a happy hour. Sunday morning, we'll hike cross country bagging USGS Crag then head back to pack up camp (7.5 miles, 1600' gain). From there, it's an easy 4.5 mile trail hike back to Fish Creek. This is a strenuous trip so please be in good condition and send your hiking resume to trip leaders to reserve your spot!

**Leader:** Lubna Debbini, lubna.debbini@gmail.com

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**Leader:** Christine ames, christineames@sbcglobal.net, 714-832-0561

### 3:00 pm - Mt Pinos Potluck Dinner

#### Santa Clarita Valley Group Outing

O: Easy 4 mile RT, 500 ft gain to Mt Pinos (8847), highest peak in Los Padres National Forest. Beat the heat, at least 20-30 degrees cooler than Santa Clarita. Bring your own main dish and side or dessert to share, plate, eating and serving utensils, jacket, and drink. Dinner at summit and back to trailhead by dark. Meet in N Valencia by Embassy Suites, take I-5 N, exit 126/Newhall Ranch Rd, exit R to Vanderbuilt, R to Westinghouse, park on street.

**Leader:** David Morrow, 661-254-5245

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## Sunday, June 24, 2018

### Repeating Events

- 1:00 pm Angeles Chapter Executive Committee meeting



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## Monday, June 25, 2018

### Repeating Events

6:30 pm Conditioning Hike in Rancho Palos Verdes

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## Tuesday, June 26, 2018

### Repeating Events

6:30 pm Fullerton Evening Hike  
6:30 pm Irvine Conditioning Hikes

### 8:00 am - Tues Moderate easy pace Hikers / Top of Reseda to Cathedral Rock

#### Angeles Chp Wilderness Advntr Outing

O: Moderately paced 5 mile, 300' gain hike along dirt Mulholland and fire roads through the chaparral of Topanga State Park. Valley views, and glimpse of the Pacific, too! Meet 8:00 am at top of Reseda Blvd in Tarzana. From 101 Ventura Fwy take Reseda Blvd exit, turn south and go 3 miles to Mulholland Gateway Park. Choice to park along street below the white line at beginning of fee area or pay fee and park above. Meet at trailhead at the top. Bring water, snacks, lugsoles, hat, sunscreen. Rain cancels

**Leaders:** Richard M Shamban, richshamban@gmail.com, 818-578-3336; Sherry Rendel, sherryrendel@yahoo.com, 818-465-3972

### 8:00 am - Tue Conditioned Hikers: Upper Piuma, Stunt, Mountaineer's Route, Saddle Peak

#### Angeles Chp SMMTF Subcom Outing

O: Strenuous 14.5-mile, 3000' gain lollipop hike from upper Piuma Road to Stunt High Trail to Stunt Road Mountaineer's Route, to Saddle Peak, and return. Challenging 3-mile Topanga Ridgeline climb at approximately mile 6 of the hike.

**Leader:** Craig Percy, r.craig.percy@gmail.com, 818-851-9239

### 8:30 am - Tue Moderate Hikers/Sullivan Cyn Ridge Trail

#### Angeles Chp SMMTF Subcom Outing

O: 9 mi rt, 1900 ft gain hike through beautiful shaded cyn.

**Leader:** David Finch, davidmfinch@mac.com, 310-450-4102

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## Wednesday, June 27, 2018

### Repeating Events

6:30 pm Steve Feld Punete Hills conditioning hike  
6:45 pm Evenings in the Arroyo  
7:00 pm Mission Peak Moonlight Conditioning Hike  
7:00 pm Griffith Park Night Conditioning Hikes

### 9:30 am - End of Season hike/picnic Santiago Oaks

#### Orange County Group Outing

O: June 27 Wed Orange County/Sierra Sage O: End -of-Season Hike/Picnic at Santiago Oaks: We will have 2 hikes: 3.5 mi, 1000' gain hike to historic Robbers Peak, or 4 mi min gain along Santiago Creek, in this old ranch property. On Robbers Peak, don't let the short distance fool you, this is a hike that will let you know you've done something and work up your appetite for the Potluck lunch. But the views will be great and we hope the slopes will still be green and have some late flowers. OR, take the easy walk along the creek. Bring hiking shoes/lugsoles, water for the hike. For the picnic: potluck dish for 4-5 to share, plus your own plate, utensils, drink. Meet 9:30 am at the Park (from I-5 go E on Jamboree Rd to just before it turn R into Irvine Park (becoming Irvine Park Rd). Turn L on E Santiago Cyn Rd (it jogs, and you will already have passed its junction with Jamboree on the R). Turn R at the first traffic light, Windes Dr, and follow it to the parking lot at the end of the Park). \$3 parking. Newcomers welcome.

**Leaders:** Sherri Sisson, sksisson@gmail.com, 949-786-7681; Linda Ledger, linda.ledger@me.com, 949-444-1285; Peter R Height, prheight1@cox.net,

949-713-4569

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## Thursday, June 28, 2018

### Repeating Events

6:30 pm Irvine Conditioning Hikes  
6:45 pm Henninger Flats Conditioning Hike  
7:00 pm Griffith Park Night Conditioning Hikes

### 8:00 am - Thu Moderate Hikers / Las Virgenes Canyon

#### Angeles Chp Wilderness Advntr Outing

O: Moderately paced 8-9 mile 800' to 1200' gain hike in a delightful Santa Monica Mtns Conservancy canyon, with various options depending on weather. Meet 8 am at trailhead kiosk. From 101 Ventura Fwy take Las Virgenes Rd, exit 32, north 1+ mile to end, street parking. Bring 2 quarts water, lunch, lugsoles, hat, sunscreen. Rain cancels. Diane DeMarco

**Leaders:** Ted Mattock, mattockman@gmail.com, 818-222-5581; Diane De Marco, hikerfive@gmail.com, 310-645-9442

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## Friday, June 29, 2018

### Repeating Events

6:45 pm Pacific Palisades Night Hike in Topanga State Park to Parker Mesa Overlook

### Friday, June 29, 2018 to Sunday, July 01, 2018

#### East Fork Sugarloaf Creek

##### Angeles Chp Wilderness Trainin Outing

I: Explore a creek instead of a peak! Join this trip up to the head of East Fork Sugarloaf Creek in Sequoia National Park. The long distances over varied cross-country terrain make this a strenuous trip. For your efforts, you'll be rewarded with a truly off-trail wilderness travel experience to an area that few have ventured to before. Total distance and gain is measured at 24 miles, 7,200 feet, split roughly 50-50 between on-trail backpacking and off-trail day hiking over three days. Camp is at an elevation of 7,250 feet, with a day hike destination at nearly 10,000 feet. Group size will be smaller than the average WTC experience trip to limit impact to this pristine area.

**Leader:** Bernard Yoo, bernie.yoo@gmail.com, 818-470-1117

### Friday, June 29, 2018 to Monday, July 02, 2018

#### Sequoia Car Camp

##### Angeles Chp 20s & 30s Singles Outing

O1: Join us for a car camp to Sequoia. Bring your camping gear and food. We'll hike in the area and view the amazing Sequoia trees. Trip cost includes hot water for breakfast and dinner, charcoal for you to grill your own food at dinner and a few other items at camp.

**Leader:** Rolf Mauermann, rolfmau@outlook.com, 818-636-5395

### Friday, June 29, 2018 to Monday, July 02, 2018

#### Carcamp in Sequoia National Park

##### Angeles Chp Wilderness Advntr Outing

O: Join us for a weekend of camping in Sequoia National Park! We'll camp and hike and see giant sequoia trees. We'll provide hot water for drinks/oatmeal and washing dishes at breakfast and dinner at a designated campsite. As well as hot charcoal at dinner. You'll bring your own food, a small ice chest to keep it cool, and prepare your own meals. We'll visit at least one of the Giant Sequoia Groves as well as other trails. This outing is co-sponsored by Wilderness Adventures and the 20s & 30s Sections. All ages are welcome.

**Leader:** amanda Horak, amandahorak@hotmail.com

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## Saturday, June 30, 2018

### Repeating Events

0:00 am Tuolumne to Vogelsang Backpacking Bus Trip  
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8:30 am Santa Monica Mountains Trail Work

## Saturday, June 30, 2018 to Wednesday, July 04, 2018

### Yosemite NP - July 4th : Glen Aulin-Mattie Lake, Cold Mtn Bus Backpack

#### Angeles Chp Backpacking Comm Outing

I: Yosemite- Glen Aulin-Mattie Lake -Wildcat Pt (9562), Cold Mtn (10,300) Bus Backpacking Trip

**Leader:** Sridhar Gullapalli, sridhar\_gullapalli@yahoo.com, 310-821-3900

## Saturday, June 30, 2018 to Wednesday, July 04, 2018

### Yosemite Backpacking Bus Trip: Polly Dome and Other Wonders

#### Angeles Chp Backpacking Comm Outing

I: Join us on a backcountry adventure from the lightly traveled Murphy Creek Trail to Polly Dome Lakes. We will tag Polly Dome (9806) and spend our first night by the lakes. The next day we'll navigate through the montane forest and granite wonderlands between the dome and the Tuolumne River, identifying trees and other flora along the way. From our camp at a hidden lake, we'll check out glacially-shaped granite domes and a rare volcanic formation, the Little Devils Postpile. On our final day we'll exit out to Tuolumne Meadows, with a possible climb of Pothole Dome, to catch the bus back to civilization. Total trip is 15 miles 4100' gain. This experience trip meets the requirements for WTC graduation and 16 hours of Environmental Awareness credit for LTC candidates.

**Leader:** Sharon Moore cell, justslm@earthlink.net, 562-896-3081

## Saturday, June 30, 2018 to Wednesday, July 04, 2018

### Yosemite 10 Lakes Basin Backpack Bus Trip

#### Angeles Chp Backpacking Comm Outing

I: Enjoy the spectacular Ten Lakes Basin area of Yosemite on foot over the July 4th weekend. A luxury bus will transport us to the trailhead and back to L.A. We'll explore peaks and lakes by trail and cross-country. Inclusive dates for the trip are June 30 through July 4. This trip is geared towards WTC students and will count as a WTC experience trip.

**Leader:** Sherry Ross, chlross@yahoo.com, 562-881-8440

## Saturday, June 30, 2018 to Sunday, July 01, 2018

### Harwood-4th of July Week

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**Leader:** Monalisa Ward, monalisa\_ward@yahoo.com, 562-833-8541

### 12:00 pm - 2018 Waterman Rendezvous

#### Angeles Chp Hundred Peaks Social Event

O: 2018 Waterman Rendezvous - Join us for our annual rendezvous on the summit of Waterman Mountain, one of the most beautiful peaks in the San Gabriel Mountains. Check the Campfire schedule for specific hikes offered and sign up for the one you're interested in directly with that outing's leaders.

**Leader:** Michael Dillenback, dillyhouse@earthlink.net, 310-618-4518

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## Sunday, July 1, 2018

## Sunday, July 01, 2018 to Monday, July 02, 2018

### Harwood-4th of July Week

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## Monday, July 2, 2018

## Monday, July 02, 2018 to Tuesday, July 03, 2018

### Harwood-4th of July Week

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**Leader:** Monalisa Ward, monalisa\_ward@yahoo.com, 562-833-8541

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## Tuesday, July 3, 2018

### Repeating Events

6:30 pm Fullerton Evening Hike  
6:30 pm Irvine Conditioning Hikes

### 7:30 am - Tue Moderate easy pace Hikers / Malibu Beach Walk:

#### Angeles Chp Wilderness Advntr Outing

O: Low tide Beach Walk from Dan Blocker State Beach to Malibu Lagoon. Moderately paced 6 mile, no gain walk along beach (bare feet OK) past tide pools and sea creatures. Meet at the beach at 7:30 am. From 101 Ventura Fwy take Las Virgenes Rd/Malibu Canyon exit, go south to Pacific Coast Hwy. From Malibu Canyon Rd intersection, turn right and go west on Pacific Coast Hwy appx. 2 miles. Park on PCH near the lifeguard station at bottom of hill. (You'll need to turn around and park on the beach side. The 76 station at Corral Canyon Rd is handy.) Bring water, snack, hat, sunscreen. Leaders: Pixie Klemic, Marcia Harris

**Leader:** Pixie Klemic, pklemic@roadrunner.com, 818-787-5420

## Tuesday, July 03, 2018 to Wednesday, July 04, 2018

### Harwood-4th of July Week

#### Angeles Chp Harwood Lodge Social Event

O: Open All Week for 4th of July Celebration: Relax, hike and enjoy the local mountains at your beautiful stone lodge nestled among a pine forest. Open to all members (\$15/per night) and their guests (\$20/per night-limit 2). No reservations required. Bring SC CARD.

**Leader:** Monalisa Ward, monalisa\_ward@yahoo.com, 562-833-8541

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## Wednesday, July 4, 2018

### Repeating Events

6:30 pm Steve Feld Punete Hills conditioning hike

SCHEDULE OF ACTIVITIES

## Wednesday, July 04, 2018 to Thursday, July 05, 2018

### Harwood-4th of July Week

#### Angeles Chp Harwood Lodge Social Event

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**Leader:** Monalisa Ward, monalisa\_ward@yahoo.com, 562-833-8541

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## Thursday, July 5, 2018

### Repeating Events

6:30 pm Irvine Conditioning Hikes

### 7:30 am - Thu Moderate Hikers / Summer Schedule ? Malibu Beach Walk

#### Angeles Chp Wilderness Advntr Outing

O: Moderately paced 7 mile walk at Surfrider Beach in Malibu. Meet 7:30 am at Surfrider Beach parking lot (from 101 Ventura Fwy take Las Virgenes/ Malibu Canyon Rd, exit 32, to Pacific Coast Hwy, turn left (east), go 1 mile and after crossing bridge either park on right (beach) side of PCH between Adamson House & the pier, or enter parking lot at Adamson House & pay to park in lot.

**Leader:** Nancy Krupa, nrkrupa@aol.com, 818-981-4799

## Thursday, July 05, 2018 to Friday, July 06, 2018

### Harwood-4th of July Week

#### Angeles Chp Harwood Lodge Social Event

O: Open All Week for 4th of July Celebration: Relax, hike and enjoy the local mountains at your beautiful stone lodge nestled among a pine forest. Open to all members (\$15/per night) and their guests (\$20/per night-limit 2). No reservations required. Bring SC CARD.

**Leader:** Monalisa Ward, monalisa\_ward@yahoo.com, 562-833-8541

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## Friday, July 6, 2018

## Friday, July 06, 2018 to Sunday, July 08, 2018

### Buena Vista Peak (9,709')

#### Angeles Chp Wilderness Trainin Outing

I: Buena Vista Peak (9,709'), which sits at the end of Buena Vista Crest and is among the highest points in south-central Yosemite. The peak is a simple class 2 scramble from most directions and offers one of the best views in southern half of the park. To the north the vista includes Buena Vista Lake, Half Dome, Mt. Starr King, and the Clark and Cathedral Ranges. To the south one can see Royal Arch Lake, Johnson Lake, Crecent Lake, and the Wawona Valley. Day 1: from Bridalveil Campground to Buena Vista Lake-12.6 Miles +2000' Day 2: Climb Buena Vista Peak and then circle down to Royal Arch Lake- 6 miles Day 3: Loop around Johnson Lake and back to Bridalveil Camp-13 miles Participants limited to 6 due to permit restrictions. Priority will be given to WTC students. Send email with contact information and recent experience, including higher altitude (9,000+ feet in elevation) experience to Scott Nelson

**Leader:** Stephen McDonnell, mcdonnell0123@sbcglobal.net, 626-354-9638

### 10:00 am - Alta Meadows (9356'), Moose Lake (10,550') & Pear Lake (9550')

#### Angeles Chp Wilderness Trainin Outing

I: (Strenuous-Very) Enjoy an epic backpacking trip in Sequoia National Park. Friday, well start off at 5.6 miles (2200 gain) on the Alta Trail from Wolverton to camp near picturesque Alta Meadow (9356), with breathtak-

### SCHEDULE OF ACTIVITIES

ing views of the Great Western Divide. Saturday, well cross-country through 6 miles (2200 gain), first to the granite bowl of Moose Lake (10,550), then down to Pear Lake (9550) to camp. Sunday, well head back on the Lakes Trail, hiking out 6.2 miles to finish our loop. \$5 cost for permit; permit limits group size. Send experience & contact info to leader. Leader: Angela M. Chung Leaders: Angela M. Chung, megyung@gmail.com, 213-505-3046; Saveria Tilden, saveria@theadventurus.com, 310-980-9314

**Leader:** Angela Chung, saveria@theadventurus.com, megyung@gmail.com, 310-980-9314, 213-505-3046

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## Saturday, July 7, 2018

## Saturday, July 07, 2018 to Sunday, July 15, 2018

### Churchill Belugas & Wildlife

#### Angeles Chapter Outing

O: Churchill Belugas & Wildlife: Join us for a summer trip to the great white north, Churchill. This is a wildlife adventure where you will see beluga whales and other wildlife. At this time of year, there can be as many as 3,000 belugas that congregate in the Churchill area. We will do some scheduled boat trips to see the belugas and more. Also, we will do a number of land tours to see deer, reindeer, wolves, lynxes, birds and a number of other animals. Trip includes 5 nights in Churchill and 3 nights in Winnipeg, 3 half day land driving/hiking wildlife observation tours, 1 full day land wildlife observation tour, 1 easy hike, 3 scheduled boat trips, Winnipeg day tour, Winnipeg to Churchill flight. You will have one free day where you can arrange your own activities. Includes, 8 nights accommodations-2 per room own bed, bus, excursion fees, some breakfasts, some lunches and one dinner. Price for Sierra Club members is \$3,850. Non Members \$100 extra. Group Airfare from LAX to Winnipeg Extra. Sign-up early, we expect to fill quickly. Send 2 4X9 SASE or e-mail, Home and Cell Phones, Sierra Club #, check payable Sierra Club for entire amount to Reservationist: Stephanie Gross, PO Box 423, Montrose, CA 91021 Leaders Fred Dong, Stephanie Gross 818-545-3878

**Leaders:** Fred Dong, madelinesdad@earthlink.net, 818-545-3878; Stephanie Gross, madelinesmother@gmail.com, 818-545-3878

## Saturday, July 07, 2018 to Sunday, July 08, 2018

### Harwood-CLOSED WEEKEND

#### Angeles Chp Harwood Lodge Social Event

O: (Reserved for SPROG)

**Leader:** Monalisa Ward, monalisa\_ward@yahoo.com, 657-400-9039

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## Sunday, July 8, 2018

### 7:00 am - San Jacinto Loop Hike

#### Sierra Sage of SOC Group Outing

O: Enjoy the cool 75 degree temperatures in mid-summer, walking through the pine forests on the upper slopes of Mt. San Jacinto. Two hikes from the top of the Palm Spring Tramway (8420') to Round Valley (9060') will be offered concurrently. Both hikes include the Round Valley loop. Longer route (8 miles round trip, 1750' gain) will include a hike to Wellmans Divide (9720') and back. Shorter route will be a more casual pace (6 miles round trip, 950' gain). Meet 7:00 AM at the south entrance of parking garage of the Irvine Transportation Center (Irvine Train Station, Ada & Barranca) in order to carpool to the tramway, or 9:00 AM at the tramway entrance. Bring money for tramway fee, lunch, water, hat, light jacket, sunglasses, sunscreen, lugsole boots. Rain cancels.

**Leader:** Michael Sappingfield, mikesapp@cox.net, 949-633-6993



## Sunday, July 08, 2018 to Sunday, July 15, 2018

### Yosemite Nat'l Park Pacific Crest Trail Backpack Trip

#### Angeles Chp Wilderness Advntr Outing

O: Yosemite Natl Park Backpack Trip on the Pacific Crest Trail from Tuolumne Meadows to Sonora Pass. We will begin our adventure near the Tuolumne River and travel through Glen Aulin, the Yosemite Wilderness, the Hoover Wilderness in the Toiyabee Natl Forest, and the Emigrant Wilderness of the Stanislaus Natl Forest. This trip covers PCT miles 942-1017. Strenuous, but moderately paced, 7 days, 75 miles, one-way. 55 miles of the trip will be within Yosemite Natl Park. Typical day has 10-12 miles with 2500-3000 gain and loss. Permit limits group size. Trip does not qualify as a WTC Experience Trip. Participants will share in expense of wilderness permit. Car shuttle set up at beginning of the trip. Send email with cell phone, home city, recent conditioning and backpack experience to jeannstar@sbcglobal.net Pat Arredondo, Jeffery Taylor, and Jerry Grenard.

**Leader:** Ted Lubeshkoff, jeannstar@sbcglobal.net, 626-447-5690

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## Monday, July 9, 2018

## Monday, July 09, 2018 to Sunday, July 22, 2018

### Hike Across England Including Hadrian's Wall TRIP FULL, WAIT LIST ONLY

#### Angeles Chapter Outing

O: Join Sierra Club on a fantastic hiking adventure combining two of the best of England's great walks == the Hike Across England or England's Coast to Coast and Hadrian's Wall. This adventure provides the opportunity to experience the variety and beauty of the English countryside, from quaint villages to lush, undulating terrain; from the spectacular Lake District recently awarded UNESCO World Heritage Site status to the rugged beauty of the Pennines - "the backbone of England", through the emerald green Yorkshire Dales onto the desolate North York Moors to the waves of the North sea. Hadrian's Wall is also a UNESCO World Heritage Site preserving Europe's largest remaining Roman fortification marking the northernmost limit of the Roman Empire. We will follow along part of its path, contemplating the stones, artifacts, a mile-castle or turret, and the history and humanity that have passed along the way. Our days will be filled with nature and history. But the trip is not limited to landscape and terrain alone. Along the trail, in our B&B's, in pubs and tea rooms we'll have the opportunity to meet and chat with the locals who will surely entertain us with stories about their beloved natural areas, and their adventures along the trail. As opportunity arises, we'll also wander through medieval monuments and ruins acknowledging England's ancient history. We stay in small B&B's and country hotels with our luggage being transferred onward to our next lodging so we only carry a light day pack, the better to enjoy the hike and scenery. This trip is fairly strenuous with an average daily mileage and elevation gain of ~ 9 miles (maximum 15 miles) and ~1,400 feet (maximum ~3,100 feet). Join us for a classic journey that will delight your hiking inclinations and also feed your soul with natural beauty and friendliness of the local people. Cost \$3,200 if you sign-up before December 31, 2017, and \$3,400 starting January 1, 2018. Includes all lodging (double-occupancy), on trip transportation, luggage transfers, most meals, gratuities, all hikes and guides. International airfare, pre and post trip in-country transportation are extra. Non-members of Sierra Club add \$200 to the prices stated. Join Sierra Club today for \$15! SIGN-UP EARLY. LIMITED TO 14-16 PARTICIPANTS. Reserve this trip by requesting an application package from leader, Deirdre Butler, deirdrebutler2@gmail.com 303-823-8649 MST

**Leaders:** Deirdre Butler, deirdrebutler2@gmail.com, 303-823-8649; Julie Garner, avtrix@sbcglobal.net, 714-335-1579

## Monday, July 09, 2018 to Sunday, July 22, 2018

### Hike Across England Including Hadrian's Wall

#### Angeles Chp Orange Cty Singles Outing

O: Join Sierra Club in a fantastic hiking adventure combining two of the best of England's great walks == the Hike Across England or England's Coast to Coast and Hadrian's Wall. This adventure provides the opportunity to experience the variety and beauty of the English countryside, from quaint villages to lush, undulating terrain; from the spectacular Lake District recently awarded UNESCO World Heritage Site status to the rugged beauty of the Pennines - "the backbone of England", through the emerald green Yorkshire Dales onto the desolate North York Moors to the waves of the North sea. Hadrian's Wall is also a UNESCO World Heritage Site preserving Europe's largest remaining Roman fortification marking the northernmost limit of the Roman Empire. We will follow along part of its path, contemplating the stones, artifacts, a mile-castle or turret, and the history and humanity that have passed along the way. Our days will be filled with nature and history. But the trip is not limited to landscape and terrain alone. Along the trail, in our B&B's, in pubs and tea rooms we'll have the opportunity to meet and chat with the locals who will surely entertain us with stories about their beloved natural areas, and their adventures along the trail. As opportunity arises, we'll also wander through medieval monuments and ruins acknowledging England's ancient history. We stay in small B&B's and country hotels with our luggage being transferred onward to our next lodging so we only carry a light day pack, the better to enjoy the hike and scenery. This trip is fairly strenuous with an average daily mileage and elevation gain of ~ 9 miles (maximum 15 miles) and ~1,400 feet (maximum ~3,100 feet). Join us for a classic journey that will delight your hiking inclinations and also feed your soul with natural beauty and friendliness of the local people. Cost \$3,200 if you sign-up before December 31, 2017, and \$3,400 starting January 1, 2018. Includes all lodging (double-occupancy), on trip transportation, luggage transfers, most meals, gratuities, all hikes and guides. International airfare, pre and post trip in-country transportation are extra. Non-members of Sierra Club add \$200 to the prices stated. Join Sierra Club today for \$15! SIGN-UP EARLY. LIMITED TO 14-16 PARTICIPANTS. Reserve this trip by requesting an application package from leader, Deirdre Butler, deirdrebutler2@gmail.com 303-823-8649 MST

**Leaders:** Deirdre Butler, deirdrebutler2@gmail.com, 303-823-8649; Julie Garner, avtrix@sbcglobal.net, 714-335-1579

### 7:00 pm - Geology themed Hikes and Camping

#### Angeles Chp Orange Cty Singles Club Support Event

Program: Join us for a photo presentation of geology-themed hikes and camping trips led by California Professional Geologist Jay Schneider. Through the Natural Science Section and OCSS, Jay has led hikes throughout southern California to learn about the remarkable geological formations and phenomena that can be seen on easy and moderate hikes, from Santiago Canyon Regional Park and Whiting Ranch Wilderness in Orange County, to Red Rock Canyon Regional Park in LA County and Red Rock Canyon State Park north of Mojave on CA-14. If you like volcanic rocks, faults, landslides, marine sediments, boulders the size of cars, fossil palm roots, or metamorphic rocks, you'll see all those and more, and find out about upcoming geology outings sponsored by the Sierra Club. Bring a Friend! Join the Sierra Club Special offer \$15. Pick up the Sierra Club Schedule of Activities. Roll on over to REI Tustin Marketplace, 2962 El Camino Real, Tustin, CA 92782. Contact Jay Schneider, rtntnj@aol.com, or Program Chair, Pamela Barton-Erdahl, barton2erdahl@gmail.com.

**Leader:** Charles Geller, eduright@aol.com

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## Tuesday, July 10, 2018

### Repeating Events

- 6:30 pm Fullerton Evening Hike
- 6:30 pm Irvine Conditioning Hikes
- 6:30 pm HPS Management Committee Meeting

**7:30 am - Tue Moderate easy pace Hikers / Malibu Creek SP  
- Tapia to Century Lake / Bac**

**Angeles Chp Wilderness Advntr Outing**

O: Moderately paced 500 ft gain, 6.5 mile route from Tapia entrance of Malibu Creek SP. Visit the Rock Pool and Century Lake and return. Meet 7:30 am at Tapia (south) Entrance to MCSP Park parking lot. From 101 Ventura Fwy take Las Virgenes Rd exit and go approximately 4 1/4 miles south, passing Malibu Creek State Park main entrance. Enter Tapia Park just before Piuma Rd, and park in first parking area in fee lot. Bring 2 qts water, snack, lugsoles, hat, sunscreen. Rain cancels. Richard Shamban

**Leader:** Pixie Klemic, pklemic@roadrunner.com, 818-787-5420

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**Wednesday, July 11, 2018**

**Repeating Events**

6:30 pm Steve Feld Punete Hills conditioning hike

**Wednesday, July 11, 2018 to Sunday, July 15, 2018**

**Florence Lake Backpack**

**Angeles Chp Backpacking Comm Outing**

O: Moderate 25 mile, 2000' gain loop backpack on the south side of Florence Lake in the Sierra National Forest. A lake almost every night, we'll stop at Crater Lake, Summit Lake and Lost Lake with a stay in beautiful Dutch Oven Meadow. This average 9500' elevation excursion promises a relaxed and memorable week among sub-alpine lakes and green stream filled meadows with an average daily hike of approximately 5 miles. Send check for \$50 (refundable at trailhead) payable to the Sierra Club Backpacking Section, 2 SASE, H & W phones and recent backpacking experience/conditioning and carpool info to leader. Leader: MARK JACOBS, 15300 Ventura Blvd Ste 309, Sherman Oaks CA 91403-5816

**Leaders:** Mark Jacobs, guitarpack@aol.com, 818-650-8686; Timothy Luzzi, tluzzi@ausd.net, 626-447-5300

**Wednesday, July 11, 2018 to Friday, July 13, 2018**

**Dogwood Campground**

**Palos Verdes Group Outing**

O: : Dogwood Campground Carcamp. Escape from the hot, smoggy city to beautiful Dogwood in the San Bernardino Mountains close to Lake Arrowhead. The campground has flush toilets, hot showers, and hiking trail within the park. The name comes from the beautiful Dogwood flower which blooms every June and should still be blooming for our camp. Wednesday night Potluck, Thursday night VH puts on a BBQ and Friday breakfast at Arrowhead Village. The trip fee includes site, parking, Thursday breakfast, Thursday dinner and activities. Send a check, made out to Verdugo Hill, for \$42.00 along with email address/SASE. Send to D. Trowbridge, 21308 Jimpson Way, Canyon Country, CA 91351-2315. Space is limited so send reservations soon. Questions: 818-482-6146

**Leader:** Delphine Trowbridge, dtrowbridge36@gmail.com, 818-482-6146

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**Thursday, July 12, 2018**

**Repeating Events**

6:30 pm Irvine Conditioning Hikes

**7:30 am - Thu Moderate Hikers / Summer Schedule ? Tapia  
to MASH Site**

**Angeles Chp Wilderness Advntr Outing**

O: Moderately paced hike, about 8 miles and 800 feet of gain, from Tapia Park to MASH site in Malibu Creek State Park. Meet 7:30 am at parking area. From 101 Ventura Fwy take Las Virgenes / Malibu Canyon Rd exit and go approximately 4 miles south, about a mile south of main entrance to Malibu Creek State Park to Piuma Rd. From Pacific Coast Hwy take Malibu Canyon Rd north approximately 3 miles to Piuma Rd. Free parking at meet-

ing place at SE corner of Piuma & Malibu Canyon.

**Leader:** Diane De Marco, hikerfive@gmail.com, 310-645-9442

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**Friday, July 13, 2018**

**Friday, July 13, 2018 to Sunday, July 15, 2018**

**AT CAPACITY I: Moose Lake (10,550)**

**Angeles Chp Wilderness Trainin Outing**

O: Do you love green meadows, views of the high Sierras and alpine lakes? Then this Moose Lake trip is for you! Come join us for a three-day trip in Sequoia National Park. We will be backpacking from Wolverton Trailhead (7270') deep into the park where we will camp at Alta Meadows (9356') for two nights. Day two will be a full day cross country trek to Moose Lake (10530') where you will be rewarded with majestic views and a swim if you dare. Saturday night we will have happy hour with plenty of time to check out sunset and do some star gazing. Early Sunday morning there is an optional ascent of Alta Peak (11204', 2.5mi RT, 1900 ft gain) before we pack up and head back out to the cars. Note this is a high-altitude trip and we ask that you are well conditioned. Trip totals: 19 miles, 4200' gain (includes on and off trail hiking), Alta Peak is in addition to totals. Permit limits group size. Priority given to WTC students. Day 1: 6.5 mi, 2200' gain. Day 2: 5-6 mi, 2000' gain. Day 3: 6.5 mi + optional Alta Peak

**Leader:** Sarah Wierszalowski, swierszalowski@gmail.com, 334-663-3077

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**Saturday, July 14, 2018**

**7:30 am - Saturdays in the Santa Monicas #7 - Willy  
Blumhoff Valley to the Sea Hike**

**Angeles Chp SMMTF Subcom Outing**

O: Join us on a strenuous 12 mile, 1000 gain hike from the Valley to the Sea in memory of Willy Blumhoff. This is a one-way hike with a car shuttle; it's a variant of the one Willy took each year on his birthday, July 14. The hike will start at the Top of Reseda Trailhead, taking the Garapito Trail, passing Eagle Rock, stopping at Trippet Ranch for lunch, and then taking the East Topanga Fire Road to Los Lions, ending at PCH and Sunset. We will conclude by dipping our toes in the Pacific Ocean below Gladstone's Restaurant. We'll then toast Willy's memory with liquid refreshments at Gladstone's.

**Leader:** Maya Levinson, mayasl@aol.com, 310-890-2356

**Saturday, July 14, 2018 to Sunday, July 15, 2018**

**Lone Pine Peak (12,944')**

**Angeles Chp Wilderness Trainin Outing**

I: You know the peak that you've stared at from Lone Pine? The one that dominates the skyline that everyone thinks is Whitney? Instead of following the crowds, join us on a High Sierra adventure up the \*other\* portal trailhead to climb the dramatic SPS Lone Pine Peak (12944'). On Saturday, well backpack from Meysan Lake trailhead ascending to an alpine lake near Meysan Lake (5.6 mile/3100 gain), to enjoy afternoon happy hour lakeside. On Sunday, we'll climb Lone Pine Peak (4 miles/+2000 gain), with fabulous views of the Whitney area peaks. After returning to camp, well hike out (5.6 miles, 0) to finish the trip. This trip is rated strenuous due to mileage, gain, and elevation. Send hiking resume with recent conditioning and altitude experience and contact information to leader

**Leader:** Jennifer Jones, jones.jennylee@gmail.com

**Saturday, July 14, 2018 to Sunday, July 15, 2018**

**Harwood-CLOSED WEEKEND**

**Angeles Chp Harwood Lodge Social Event**

O: (Reserved for SPROG)

**Leader:** Monalisa Ward, monalisa\_ward@yahoo.com, 657-400-9039

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## Sunday, July 15, 2018

### Repeating Events

0:00 am Island Hopping in Channel Islands National Park, 2018

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## Monday, July 16, 2018

### Repeating Events

7:00 pm Angeles/OC ICO Monthly Meeting

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## Tuesday, July 17, 2018

### Repeating Events

6:30 pm Fullerton Evening Hike

6:30 pm Irvine Conditioning Hikes

7:00 pm Griffith Park Night Conditioning Hikes & Potluck!

### 7:30 am - Tue Moderate easy pace Hikers / Point Dume to Paradise Cove Beach Walk

#### Angeles Chp Wilderness Advntr Outing

O: : Moderately paced 5-6 mile, 200 ft gain, low tide Beach Walk over the bluff at Pt. Dume to Paradise Cove. Beautiful cliffs, sparkling surf, soft sands and tide pools. Meet 7:30 am at entrance to Westward Beach parking lot. From PCH and Kanan Rd., go north appx. mile and turn left into Westward Beach Rd (just before Zuma Beach), go mile and park on side of road or pay to park in lot at end of road. Bring water, snack, sandals or tennis shoes OK, hat, sunscreen. Rain cancels. Sherry Rendel

**Leader:** Pixie Klemic, pklemic@roadrunner.com, 818-787-5420

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## Wednesday, July 18, 2018

### Repeating Events

6:30 pm Steve Feld Punete Hills conditioning hike

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## Thursday, July 19, 2018

### Repeating Events

6:30 pm Irvine Conditioning Hikes

### 7:30 am - Thu Moderate Hikers / Summer Schedule ? Paradise Cove Beach Walk

#### Angeles Chp Wilderness Advntr Outing

O: Moderately paced 7 mile walk on the beach & the bluff to Paradise Cove and back. Meet 7:30 am at entrance to Westward Beach Rd parking lot in Malibu (from Kanan Dume Rd intersection go west on Pacific Coast Hwy 3/4 mile, turn left on Westward Beach Rd (just before Zuma Beach), go about mile and park on side of road or pay to park in lot at end of road).

**Leader:** Mimi Knights, 661-253-3414

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## Friday, July 20, 2018

### Friday, July 20, 2018 to Sunday, July 22, 2018

#### Red & White Mt and Mt. Crocker

##### Angeles Chp Wilderness Trainin Outing

MR: Third-class climbs of Red & White Mt and Mt Crocker from Big McGee Lake.

**Leader:** Regge Bulman, film185@fastmail.us

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## Saturday, July 21, 2018

### Repeating Events

9:30 am Baldwin Hills Hike

### 2:00 am - 9th Annual SoCal Seven Summit #6 - Baden-Powell

#### Angeles Chp Wilderness Advntr Outing

O: Join us for training hike #6 of the 2018 SoCal Seven Summits, a 16-mile round trip with 5000 feet of gain to Baden-Powell Mountain (9,399) from Islip Saddle off the Angeles Crest Highway. No beginners. Email leaders for meeting time and rideshare options. Leaders: Tejinder Dhillon tejinder.k.dhillon@gmail.com, Mandy Horak amandahorak@hotmail.com, Jeffery Taylor jtaylz56@hotmail.com, Mary Forgione mary.forgione@sierraclub.org, Bob Cody bcodyman@aol.com, Ted Lubeshkoff jeannstar@sbcglobal.net, Terri Straub terristraub@hotmail.com

**Leader:** Mary Elizabeth Forgione, terristraub@hotmail.com, jeannstar@sbcglobal.net, bcodyman@aol.com, mary.forgione@sierraclub.org, 562-618-1129

### Saturday, July 21, 2018 to Sunday, July 22, 2018

#### Big McGee Lake (10,472 ft)

##### Angeles Chp Wilderness Trainin Outing

I: Enjoy a scenic trek through the Eastern Sierra Nevada. We will travel seven miles and climb 2200 feet to reach our camp nestled below the Sierra Crest. Pack a fishing rod in hope of landing a happy hour contribution. We will get an early start on day two as we go cross-country to several nearby lakes. Participants limited to 6 due to permit restrictions. Priority will be given to WTC students.

**Leader:** Stephen McDonnell, mcdonnell0123@sbcglobal.net, 626-639-3068

### Saturday, July 21, 2018 to Sunday, July 22, 2018

#### Little Jimmy Backpacking (7500')

##### Angeles Chp Backpacking Comm Outing

O: Easy backpacking trip from Islip Saddle (6593) via Pacific Crest Trail, well-graded trail climbing through chaparral and then pines at Little Jimmy Campground (7500'), 2 1/4 miles one way. Pit toilets available at Campgrounds. Later in the day, 2 mile RT day hike to Mt. Islip (8214). Sunday we will hike out. Teens with a parent or guardian okay. Well-mannered dogs welcome. Send e-mail with contact info, experience, recent conditioning to leader. George Denny

**Leader:** Karen Buehler, karen.buehler2@gmail.com, 818-363-6216

### Saturday, July 21, 2018 to Sunday, July 22, 2018

#### Harwood-WORK PARTY WEEKEND

##### Angeles Chp Harwood Lodge Social Event

O: Summer Work Party: Come have fun, meet new people, all while working on Lodge repairs/maintenance. For a fee of \$20 you receive lodging, food and drink, and a pass to come back for a free weekend. No special skills needed. Wear old clothes, bring favorite tools or just a can-do attitude.

**Leader:** Graeme Whitaker, 909-861-2931

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## Tuesday, July 24, 2018

### Repeating Events

6:30 pm Fullerton Evening Hike

6:30 pm Irvine Conditioning Hikes

SCHEDULE OF ACTIVITIES



## 7:30 am - Tue Moderate easy pace Hikers / Westridge to Nike Angeles Chp Wilderness Advntr Outing

O: Moderately paced 6 mi., 1100 ft gain hike following the west ridge of the SMMs overlooking the 405, then into Mandeville Canyon to cross back up to reach the cold war Nike Site. Chaparral and a great 360 view from the lookout tower. Meet 7:30 am at trailhead: From Ventura Blvd in Encino take Hayvenhurst Ave south about 1.8 miles, turn right (west) on Encino Hills Drive and continue about 1 more mile to beginning of dirt Mulholland Dr, or from 405 Fwy in Sepulveda pass, take Mulholland Dr, exit 61, west about 2 miles to end of pavement at Encino Hills Drive. On dirt Mulholland go about 100 yards west and park facing white posts.. Bring 2 qts water, snack, lugsoles, hat, sunscreen. Rain cancels. Richard Shamban

**Leader:** Pixie Klemic, pklemic@roadrunner.com, 818-787-5420

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## Wednesday, July 25, 2018

### Repeating Events

6:30 pm Steve Feld Punete Hills conditioning hike

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## Thursday, July 26, 2018

### Repeating Events

6:30 pm Irvine Conditioning Hikes

## 8:00 am - Thu Moderate Hikers / Santa Cruz Island Hike

### Angeles Chp Wilderness Advntr Outing

O: We will take the boat to Prisoners Harbor and go on the guided hike to Pelican Bay. Optional additional hike(s) available if time permits. Boat fare is \$59 for adults (age 13-54), or \$54 for seniors (age 55 and up). Advance reservations are recommended at [www.islandpackers.com](http://www.islandpackers.com) or by phone at 805-642-1393. Book the Thursday, July 26, 2018, Mid Santa Cruz (Prisoners) trip, which departs from Ventura harbor at 9am. Meet at 8am at the Island Packers office in Ventura harbor, 1691 Spinnaker Drive, Suite 105B, Ventura, CA.

**Leader:** Diane De Marco, hikerfive@gmail.com, 310-645-9442

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## Friday, July 27, 2018

### Repeating Events

7:00 pm Griffith Park Monthly Moonlit Hike and Potluck

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## Saturday, July 28, 2018

## Saturday, July 28, 2018 to Sunday, July 29, 2018

### University Peak (13,589 ft)

### Angeles Chp Wilderness Trainin Outing

MR: University Peak (13,589 ft) - Saturday morning we will depart on trail from Onion Valley and make camp above Bench Lake. Sunday we will leave camp at dawn to make our way up the mostly third class North Face to the summit for a total of 1.4 miles and 2000 feet of gain. After summiting we will head back down to camp via the same route we came up, pack up and head out. This is a Restricted Mountaineering outing so participants must be current Sierra Club members, and must submit a Sierra Club Medical Form to join the trip.

**Leader:** Justin Bruno, justinbruno@hotmail.com, 909-783-7697

## SCHEDULE OF ACTIVITIES

## Saturday, July 28, 2018 to Sunday, July 29, 2018

### Harwood-WORK PARTY WEEKEND

### Angeles Chp Harwood Lodge Social Event

O: Summer Work Party: Come have fun, meet new people, all while working on Lodge repairs/maintenance. For a fee of \$20 you receive lodging, food and drink, and a pass to come back for a free weekend. No special skills needed. Wear old clothes, bring favorite tools or just a can-do attitude.

**Leader:** Graeme Whitaker, 909-861-2931

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## Monday, July 30, 2018

## Monday, July 30, 2018 to Saturday, August 04, 2018

### Big Pine Lakes Mule Pack

### Angeles Chp Mule Section Outing

O: Big Pine Lakes Mule Pack: Join us as hired packers carry gear of 50 lbs per person while we hike separately with only our daypacks. Mon. am hike from Big Pine Creek trailhead (7800'), 8 mi, 3000' gain, to base camp at Fourth Lake (10,750') in the beautiful Big Pine Lakes area. Tues-Fri. hike, explore history of the area, photo, fish, or relax in camp. Possible day hike destinations include Palisade Glacier and Sam Mack Meadow, Summit Lake/Black Lake Loop, Fifth, Sixth & Seventh Lakes. Enjoy happy hour followed by a hearty soup every night with wine provided. Sat. we hike out. Trip cost: \$240. Note the reservation/ cancel policy under the additional information link where you can find other info about mule packs. To apply, email with recent high altitude and distance conditioning and health to Co-leader: Cathie Miller.

**Leaders:** Catherine Miller, owlforever@sbcglobal.net, 310-326-8495; Kathy Viola, kviola826@gmail.com, 909-346-9653; James Fleming, 510-376-2455

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## Tuesday, July 31, 2018

### Repeating Events

6:30 pm Fullerton Evening Hike

6:30 pm Irvine Conditioning Hikes

## 7:30 am - Tue Moderate easy pace Hikers / Malibu Beach Walk

### Angeles Chp Wilderness Advntr Outing

O: : Low tide Beach Walk at Surfrider Beach and past Malibu Lagoon into the Colony. Moderately paced 4 mile, no gain walk along beach (bare feet OK) Lots of birds. Well see how the Lagoon is recovering from all the recent work. Meet 7:30 am at Surfrider Beach parking lot - From 101 Ventura Fwy take Las Virgenes Rd/Malibu Canyon exit, go south to Pacific Coast Hwy. Turn left (E) and go 1 mile; after crossing bridge, either park on beach side of PCH between Adamson House and Pier or enter fee lot by Adamson house. Bring water, snack, hat, sunscreen. Rain cancels. Sherry Rendel

**Leader:** Pixie Klemic, pklemic@roadrunner.com, 818-787-5420

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## Wednesday, August 1, 2018

### Repeating Events

6:30 pm Steve Feld Punete Hills conditioning hike

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## Thursday, August 2, 2018

### Repeating Events

6:30 pm Irvine Conditioning Hikes

## 7:30 am - Thu Moderate Hikers / Orange and Red Lines, Ed's Downtown

### *Angeles Chp Wilderness Advntr Outing*

O: Ed Rosenthal will show us around his territory in downtown Los Angeles, visiting historic places as well as new developments. Meet before 7:30am at the Sepulveda Orange Line ticket vending machines in time to board bus at 7:30 AM. Entrance to large free parking lot is on Erwin St, west of Sepulveda Blvd and north of Oxnard St. Contact a leader if you prefer to board elsewhere.

**Leader:** Nancy Krupa, nrkrupa@aol.com, 818-981-4799

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## Friday, August 3, 2018

### Friday, August 03, 2018 to Sunday, August 05, 2018

#### **Iron Mountain (11,149') Adventure!**

##### *Angeles Chp Wilderness Trainin Outing*

I: Calling all Iron Men and Iron Women! Starting at the Becks Lake Trail head and crossing the Soda Springs bridge over the San Joaquin River, hike a mile on the historic John Muir Trail on our way to Noname Lake (1,870 elevation gain) 6.4 miles. Set up camp, hike to Becks Lakes, swim or fish, and finish off the day with happy houring and star gazing. Rise to the sounds of Eastern Sierra wildlife as we hike to Fern Lake after breakfast and set up camp. The rest of the day will be spent conquering Iron Mountain ( 11,149') with a peek at Iron Lake and its granite surroundings. Back at camp, relax and enjoy another happy hour with stories of past alpine adventures. Our 6 mile loop hike back to civilization on Sunday will bring a close to this "Ironized Adventure. Total miles 25.7 Elevation Gain 3,539. Please send recent hiking resume and carpool info leader.

**Leader:** Kim Crane, cranesnest@me.com

### Friday, August 03, 2018 to Sunday, August 05, 2018

#### **Mount Stanford North (12,838')**

##### *Angeles Chp Wilderness Trainin Outing*

I: Come along with us for a three day, moderately paced backpack to Mt Stanford North (12,838) from Rock Creek. Friday, we'll hike in 5 miles and 1000' to set up camp and enjoy a relaxed evening at Hilton Lakes. Saturday, we will travel cross-country and summit Mount Stanford North (5 miles, 2500' RT), then we will return to camp and enjoy a lakeside happy hour. Sunday morning, pack out (5 miles) and head home. Spaces limited, priority given to 2018 WTC students.

**Leader:** Tara Kerin, tarakerin@gmail.com, 404-449-7056

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## Saturday, August 4, 2018

### Saturday, August 04, 2018 to Monday, August 06, 2018

#### **Palisade Basin (11,523')**

##### *Angeles Chp Wilderness Trainin Outing*

I: Enjoy a long weekend in Sequoia-Kings Canyon National Park hiking a portion of the Sierra High Route. We hike 2500' up to Bishop Pass and then down into Upper Dusy Basin before going off trail to set up camp about nine miles from South Lake. On Sunday we explore cross-country over Knapsack Pass (11,680') and into Palisade Basin, honing our route-finding skills around the Barrett Lakes. Take in breathtaking views of Isosceles Peak and Columbine Peak over happy hour. Hike out on Monday filled with memories of a strenuous but fun weekend. Send email with contact info and recent experience to Leader. Preference given to current WTC students.

**Leader:** Homer Tom, hikerhomie@gmail.com, 818-951-3796

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## Sunday, August 5, 2018

### Sunday, August 05, 2018 to Friday, August 10, 2018

#### **Crown Lake Mule Pack**

##### *Angeles Chp Mule Section Outing*

O: Crown Lake Mule Pack: Trail head is Twin Lakes (7130') near Bridgeport. Hike in Sunday morning along Robinson Creek, approx. 8 mi, 2500' gain, with day pack only, to campsite at Crown Lake (9500') in the Hoover Wilderness. Packer led mules carry your gear (50 lb per person) to campsite. Enjoy 4 full layover days to hike, fish, photo, swim, and enjoy nature. We are hoping to have beautiful wildflowers again. This particular trip has only been led one other time by our section, and that was 11 years ago. Possible exploring may include Rock Island Pass, Mule Pass, Peeler Lake, Snow Lake, and Kerrick Meadow. Evenings we will be treated to a salad night and a quesadilla night, as well as tasty happy hour Potlucks. Wine is provided by the section. Cost: \$465. Note the reservation/ cancel policy under the additional information link where you can find other info about mule packs. To apply, email with recent high altitude and distance condition and general health to **Leaders:** Lori Delaney, loridelaney2013@gmail.com, 562-597-3696; Sandy Burnside, kburnsides@aol.com, 714-633-6179; Yvonne Tsai, yctsai@usc.edu, 323-865-0740

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## Tuesday, August 7, 2018

#### **Repeating Events**

6:30 pm Fullerton Evening Hike

6:30 pm Irvine Conditioning Hikes

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## Wednesday, August 8, 2018

#### **Repeating Events**

6:30 pm Steve Feld Punete Hills conditioning hike

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## Thursday, August 9, 2018

### Thursday, August 09, 2018 to Sunday, August 12, 2018

#### **Pika Lake Mule Pack**

##### *Angeles Chp Mule Section Outing*

O: Pika Lake Mule Pack: An extended weekend hike into the John Muir Wilderness to set up camp by Pika Lake. The first day we leave the Mammoth Lakes area (Coldwater campground) to climb over Duck Pass, then drop down, passing Duck Lake, to set up camp at the adjacent Pika Lake. There are many beautiful lakes in the area, which we will hike to in the following days. The hike to our base camp is 5 mi with 1700' gain, to camp at 10,800'. Cost includes a pre-trip group campsite Wednesday night. We will meet the packers Thursday morning, who will transport our gear, up to 45 pounds per person, to our base camp. We hike with just a daypack. Cost is \$225. Note the reservation/ cancel policy under the additional information link where you can find other info about mule packs. To apply, email or phone with recent high altitude, distance conditioning and general health to **Leaders:** Christine Gutierrez, emailchristineg@gmail.com, 310-625-6117; David Cross, bulwonkle@yahoo.com, 310-322-1713; Francine Oschin, francineoschin@gmail.com, 818-907-1130

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## 7:30 am - Thu Moderate Hikers / Summer Schedule - Top of Reseda

##### *Angeles Chp Wilderness Advntr Outing*

O: Moderately paced 5-8 mile hike, depending on weather, in northern Topanga State Park. Meet 7:30 am at top of Reseda Blvd in Tarzana (from 101 Ventura Fwy take Reseda Blvd, exit 23, turn south and go 3 miles to

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Mulholland Gateway Park, and park along street below the yellow line, just outside fee area).

**Leader:** Mimi Knights, 661-253-3414

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## Saturday, August 11, 2018

### Saturday, August 11, 2018 to Sunday, August 19, 2018

#### Mt. Whitney Backcountry Backpack

##### *Angeles Chp Backpacking Comm Outing*

O: Challenging 43 mile loop trip, 4500' gain backpack through the western backcountry behind Mt. Whitney starting at Horseshoe Meadow Trailhead and ending at Cottonwood Lakes Trailhead. We'll head north west up towards Chicken Spring Lake, Rock Creek to Crabtree Meadow and back over New Army Pass to the Cottonwood Lakes. Along the way we'll stop at Rock Creek, Lower Soldier Lake and Long Lake and various other verdant meadows and creeks. A layover day with a day hike up to Mt. Whitney is scheduled, so if you want to go up the easier way (only 14 miles), this is your trip. We'll camp under the black new moon with a perfect viewing of the Perseid Meteor shower along numerous streams, meadows and pristine high Sierra lakes. If you are a photographer, this is a great trip. Magnificent Alpine lakes and streams, beautiful vistas and unparalleled beauty are promised on this trek that will provide you with years of memories of both the grandeur of the Sierras and the challenge of the adventure. Send check for \$50 (refundable at trailhead) payable to the Sierra Club Backpacking Section, 2 SASE, H & W phones and recent backpacking experience/conditioning and carpool info to leader. Leader: MARK JACOBS, 15300 Ventura Blvd Ste 309, Sherman Oaks CA 91403-5816

**Leaders:** Mark Jacobs, guitarpack@aol.com, 818-650-8686; Timothy Luzzi, tluzzi@ausd.net, 626-447-5300

#### 2:00 am - 9th Annual SoCal Seven Summit #7 - San Bernardino Peak East

##### *Angeles Chp Wilderness Advntr Outing*

O: Join us for training hike #7 of the 2018 SoCal Seven Summits, a 17-mile round trip with 5400 feet of gain to San Bernardino Peak (10,649) and San Bernardino Peak East (10,691) in the San Bernardino National Forest. No beginners. Permit limited. Email leaders for meeting time, permit count, and rideshare options. Leaders: Tejinder Dhillon tejinder.k.dhillon@gmail.com, Mandy Horak amandahorak@hotmail.com, Jeffery Taylor jtaylz56@hotmail.com, Mary Forgione mary.forgione@sierraclub.org, Bob Cody bcodyman@aol.com, Ted Lubeshkoff jeannstar@sbcglobal.net, Terri Straub terristraub@hotmail.com

**Leader:** Jeffery Taylor, terristraub@hotmail.com, jeannstar@sbcglobal.net, bcodyman@aol.com, mary.forgione@sierraclub.org, jtaylz56@hotmail.com, 626-919-8002

### Saturday, August 11, 2018 to Sunday, August 12, 2018

#### Treasure Lakes Backpacking (10,650')

##### *Angeles Chp Wilderness Trainin Outing*

I: Moderate level but slow paced backpack 3 miles one way from South Lake (9750) to the first pair of the seven of the Treasure Lakes (10650), 900 elevation gain in John Muir Wilderness. After lunch we will hike via use trail and cross-country to Lake 3, 4 and 5. Sunday, we will hike cross-country to Lakes 6 and then return to camp to pack up and hike out returning to our cars by 3:00 pm. Permit limits group size, WTC students given priority. Send email with H & C phones, city, recent conditioning and backpack experience to Karen.Buehler2@gmail.com.David Meltzer. Sponsored by WTC.

**Leader:** Karen Buehler, karen.buehler2@gmail.com, 818-363-6216

#### SCHEDULE OF ACTIVITIES

### Saturday, August 11, 2018 to Monday, August 13, 2018

#### Pilot Knob (12,245 ft) and Humphreys Lakes Basin

##### *Angeles Chp Wilderness Trainin Outing*

I: Pilot Knob (12,245 ft) and Humphreys Lakes Basin - Join us on a moderately paced backpack to an SPS peak in the Eastern Sierras, ~20mi rt, 4000 feet of gain with significant off trail travel. The trip will begin on Saturday morning at the North Lake Trailhead where we will hike on trail over Paiute pass, then travel cross country to make camp at Mesa Lake. Sunday we will hike xc to the peak of Pilot Knob and return to camp. Monday we will reverse the route to return to our trailhead. WTC or similar experience strongly preferred. Send e-mail with recent experience, conditioning, high altitude tolerance, contact and rideshare info to Justin Bruno.

**Leader:** Justin Bruno, justinbruno@hotmail.com, 909-783-7697

### Saturday, August 11, 2018 to Sunday, August 12, 2018

#### Blacktop Peak

##### *Angeles Chp Wilderness Trainin Outing*

I: Blacktop Peak (12,720') Enjoy the beautiful Eastern Sierra high country on this moderates climb to Blacktop Peak. Sat. backpack on trail 4.8 mi., 1,800' gain from the June Lake area on the Rush Creek trail to Gem Lake. Sun. class 1-2 cross-country climb to Blacktop Peak 9.4 mi. round trip, 3450' gain and then pack out to cars 4.8 miles. Send email (preferred) or SASE with conditioning/experience to leader.Anne Mullins.

**Leader:** Paul Garry, pwgarry@earthlink.net, 310-663-1467

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## Sunday, August 12, 2018

### Sunday, August 12, 2018 to Sunday, August 26, 2018

#### Hiking England's South West Coast Path Section Two

##### *Angeles Chapter Outing*

O: After our successful completion of the first Angeles hiking trip in June of 2017, please join us for another 100+ miles of England's stunning South West Coast Path National Trail and discover its beauty and hidden treasures on this 15 day adventure. Each section of this trail is unique and special. On this trip we travel from north Devon into Cornwall passing through the village of "Portwenn" film location of the Doc Martin TV series. We end at St Ives, a French Riviera lookalike which has attracted some of the world's greatest artists for decades starting with J M Turner and Henry Moore. Changing accommodations just once on the trip allows us to get settled and established. It also means we travel light and conclude our day with a hot shower, scrumptious dinner and snugly bed. The South West Coast Path National Trail represents 630 miles of stunning coastal scenery around the South West peninsula of England. With its origins dating back to the 1800's as a coastguard patrol route to deter smuggling, today the South West Coast Path is England's longest National Trail. Described in the Lonely Planet Great Adventures Guide (2012) as "walking at its most diverse, most spectacular and most delicious" this multi award winning trail is one of the world's greatest walks and is regularly used to provide backdrop to TV and film productions. Passing through a number of National Nature Reserves and Heritage Coasts, five Areas of Outstanding Natural Beauty, two World Heritage Sites, a UNESCO designated Biosphere reserve and one National Park, no wonder the South West Coast Path has been featured in the National Geographic Traveler magazine, alongside other world-renown magazines and newspapers. This trip is strenuous with an average daily mileage and elevation gain of 11 miles (maximum 14 miles) and ~3,000 feet (maximum ~3,500 feet) with plenty of views and photo opportunities. This trip is the second in a series of six, with the goal of covering all 630 miles in total. But each section has its own beauty and character, so you can pick and choose which ones to hike! Cost \$3,200 if you sign-up before December 31, 2017, and \$3,400 starting January 1, 2018. Includes all lodging (double-



occupancy), on trip transportation, luggage transfers, most meals, gratuities, all hikes and guides. International airfare, pre and post trip in-country transportation are extra. Non-members of Sierra Club add \$200 to the prices stated. SIGN-UP EARLY. LIMITED TO 14 PARTICIPANTS. Reserve this trip by requesting an application package from leader, Deirdre Butler, deirdrebutler2@gmail.com 303-823-8649 MST

**Leaders:** Deirdre Butler, deirdrebutler2@gmail.com, 303-823-8649; Linda Ledger, linda.ledger@me.com, 949-496-8029

## Sunday, August 12, 2018 to Sunday, August 26, 2018

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#### Angeles Chp Orange Cty Singles Outing

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**Leaders:** Deirdre Butler, deirdrebutler2@gmail.com, 303-823-8649; Linda Ledger, linda.ledger@me.com, 949-496-8029

## Sunday, August 12, 2018 to Friday, August 17, 2018

### Garnet Lake Mule Pack

#### Angeles Chp Mule Section Outing

O: Garnet Lake Mule Pack: This one is for lake lovers. We'll have four layover days to enjoy this beautiful lake-filled portion of the Ansel Adams Wilderness with views of alpine lakes, streams, meadows, and mountains and a wide selection of hikes and other activities. Sunday morning, wranglers lead mules carrying 55 pounds per person to our base camp while we hike separately with our day packs from the Agnew Meadows trailhead (8,340') 7 miles with 2,000' gain to a campsite overlooking Garnet Lake (9,700'). Mon-Thu, we can hike, take photos, fish, or relax. There are spectacular views of Banner Peak, Mt. Ritter, and Mt. Davis, as well as many beautiful lakes. Contribute to an organized happy hour and full dinner every night with delicious food and wine, including a quesadilla night.

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Hike out Fri. Total cost \$385. Note the reservation/ cancel policy under the additional information link where you can find other info about mule packs. To apply, email with recent high-altitude and distance conditioning and general health to

**Leaders:** Alan Schimpff, alanschimpff@netscape.net, 310-589-9125; Leslie Wilson, les.wilson@roadrunner.com, 805-522-2642; Laura Joseph, ljo-seph2@earthlink.net, 626-356-4158

## Tuesday, August 14, 2018

### Repeating Events

6:30 pm Fullerton Evening Hike

## Wednesday, August 15, 2018

### Repeating Events

6:30 pm Steve Feld Punete Hills conditioning hike

## Thursday, August 16, 2018

### 7:30 am - Thu Moderate Hikers/ Summer Schedule ? Parker Mesa Overlook

#### Angeles Chp Wilderness Advntr Outing

O: Moderately paced 6 mile hike, 1300 feet gain, in western Topanga State Park. Meet 7:30 am at trailhead (from 101 Ventura Fwy take Topanga Canyon Blvd south to Entrada Rd, turn left (east) and continue to fork with Colina Drive (do not turn right on Colina Road), continue straight on Colina Drive until it meets with Waveview Drive and Entrada Rd, and park on street).

**Leader:** Ted Mattock, mattockman@gmail.com, 818-222-5581

## Friday, August 17, 2018

### Friday, August 17, 2018 to Sunday, August 19, 2018

#### Cloudripper (13,525')

#### Angeles Chp Wilderness Trainin Outing

I: Fri-Sun experience trip backpack in the Sierras. We will leave from Glacier Lodge approx. 6 miles, 3100' gain to camp at Big Pine Lakes and enjoy happy hour. The next day we will climb Cloudripper (3 mi./3,000'), then pack out Sunday morning. Good conditioning a must. \$5 permit fee if confirmed. Email hiking resume and conditioning.

**Leader:** Teresa Noonan, teresanoonan@yahoo.com

### Friday, August 17, 2018 to Sunday, August 19, 2018

#### Sawtooth Peak (12,343'), Needham Mountain (12,533'), Mineral Peak (11,615')

#### Angeles Chp Wilderness Trainin Outing

MR: Join us on an extended weekend into the beautiful Mineral King area to climb 3 3rd class peaks in as many days! First we'll hike in a steep but short distance (4.5 miles, 3,600') to camp at Crystal Lakes and spend the rest of the day relaxing, swimming in a nearby lake, and enjoying a traditional Sierra Club happy hour. Day two will include a full day of scrambling up both Sawtooth and Needham peaks (5 miles, 4,000'). On day 3 we'll start the day off right with run up the nearby Mineral Peak (1 mile, 1000') before packing out (4.5 miles, 0').

**Leader:** Matthew Hengst, matthew.hengst@gmail.com

SCHEDULE OF ACTIVITIES

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## Saturday, August 18, 2018

### Saturday, August 18, 2018 to Monday, September 03, 2018

#### Western Mongolia Mountains and Deserts Cultural and Wildlife Adventure

##### Angeles Chapter Outing

O: Join us for a 17 day non-traditional adventure to see the culture and wildlife of Mongolia. This trip focuses on the wildlife current and historical cultures of the desert and mountain areas of Western Mongolia. This trip compliments our 2016 Eastern Mongolia trip. Did you know that Mongolia hosts the largest concentration of wild mammals in Asia? It also has the largest concentration of petroglyphs in Central Asia along with numerous colorful minority people that inhabit that area of Mongolia. You will see a variety of different birds and mammals in beautiful sparsely populated small lake areas in Mountains and Deserts. This trip will visit several National Parks and wildlife refuge areas. You will also visit with 2 different ethnic minority families and learn about their cultures. You will also see Neolithic ruins, very old cave paintings, and the best collection of petroglyphs in Asia. This is a unique trip not offered by any other group. This trip is a mix of Hotels, and traditional camping. Our camps are like staying in a luxury safari camp with hot cooked meals prepared by a gourmet chef and showers. You will be treated to restaurant quality meals while on safari. Mongolian wildlife guides will accompany us on this trip. We have two different post extension trips planned. One goes to Khustai National Park where you will see the Rare & Endangered Mongolian wild horse aka Przewalski's Horse, and other animals in this unique National Park. This trip also allows us to visit an area where you will see 250,000 white naped cranes. Our second post trip is to Lake Khuvsgul, the largest lake in Mongolia and the 23rd largest in the world. You will see the lake and visit with some of the ethnic minority people there. We will be traveling by 4 wheel drive vehicles through the countryside. Most meals, all internal transportation & flights, wildlife guides, park admissions, and lodging are included in the price of \$3,225 until December 31, 2017. \$3,295 after Dec 31. International group airfare to and from Mongolia is available at a discounted price. Non-members add \$100. Sign-up, send 2 SASE or e-mail address, H & W Phones, SC#, Check for FULL AMOUNT (Sierra Club) to Bruce Hale, 3025 Alabama St., La Crescenta, CA 91214 phone 818-957-1936.

**Leaders:** Fred Dong, madelinesdad@earthlink.net, 818-545-3878; Bruce Hale, brucehale@sbcglobal.net, 818-957-1936

#### 8:00 am - Saturdays in the Santa Monicas #8 - Temescal Inspiration Point Murphy Ranch.

##### Angeles Chp SMMTF Subcom Outing

O: Join us on a strenuous 12 miles 2000 gain round trip hike from Temescal Ranch to Inspiration Point in Will Rogers State Park and then unto Murphy Ranch where participants can take the two 500-step stairs up and back to work up an appetite for lunch at the reputed Nazi encampment.

**Leader:** Jeri Segal, gsegal@earthlink.net, 310-391-3439

### Saturday, August 18, 2018 to Sunday, August 19, 2018

#### Vogelsang Peak (11,493 ft)

##### Angeles Chp Wilderness Trainin Outing

I: Vogelsang Peak (11,493 ft) Join us for a couple of pleasant days in wildly scenic Yosemite NP on this overnight trip to climb a classic Sierra Peak in the Cathedral Range. Saturday we pack in out of Tuolumne Meadows at a relaxed, but purposeful pace on trail alongside Rafferty Creek up and over Tuolumne Pass and beyond. Once we reach Vogelsang Lake we will travel cross country around its eastern shore and set up camp near its headwaters to the south. Distance for the day will be about 8.0 miles with 1,900 feet of gain. At camp that night we will celebrate the gorgeous country we find ourselves in with a Festive Happy Hour under starry, summer-night skies. Sunday we continue our southern course cross-country up to and then along

the Eastern Ridge of Vogelsang Peak to its summit, where we will savor the expansive views all around us before heading back down to our camp for a total of 2.0 RT miles with 1,200 feet of gain. Back at camp we will pack up and head out the same way we came in. Satisfies WTC Experience trip requirements. Permit limits group size and permit costs (about \$10 per person) will be split among the group. This WTC outing is co-sponsored by SPS. Email Mat Kelliher at mkelliher746@gmail.com with contact and carpool info, recent conditioning and experience, including high-altitude experience, for trip status and details. JIMMY QUAN

**Leader:** Mat Kelliher, mkelliher746@gmail.com, 818-667-2490

#### 8:00 am - Mt Huntington and Mt Stanford (N)

##### Angeles Chp Wilderness Trainin Outing

MR: Third-class climb of Mt Huntington's NE ridge from Hilton Lakes and then a class 3 ridge traverse to Mt Stanford (N).

**Leader:** Regge Bulman, film185@fastmail.us

### Saturday, August 18, 2018 to Sunday, August 19, 2018

#### Florence Peak (12,438 ft)

##### Angeles Chp Wilderness Trainin Outing

I: Join us for an idyllic weekend in one of the most beautiful parts of Sequoia NP! Total two-day stats: 20mi & 4600ft. Sat morn we will stay on-trail for 7mi & 2600ft to make camp at Franklin Lakes. Sun morn we will rise early to summit Florence Pk (12,438) and take in the views of the Great Western Divide before signing the register and returning the way we came to break camp and hike back to the trailhead (13mi, 2000ft). Participants are encouraged to camp with us at the trailhead Fri night.

**Leader:** Megan Birdsill, mbirdsill@gmail.com

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## Sunday, August 19, 2018

#### Repeating Events

0:00 am Island Hopping in Channel Islands National Park, 2018

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## Monday, August 20, 2018

#### Repeating Events

7:00 pm Angeles/OC ICO Monthly Meeting

### Monday, August 20, 2018 to Saturday, August 25, 2018

#### Humphreys Basin Mule Pack

##### Angeles Chp Mule Section Outing

O: Humphreys Basin Mule Pack: Join us as hired packers carry gear of 50 lbs. per person while we hike separately with only our daypacks. Mon am hike from North Lake Trailhead 9 miles, 2,078' gain over Paiute Pass (11,423') to camp along the outlet stream from Lower Golden Trout Lake. Tues-Fri hike, photo, fish, or relax. Enjoy happy hour followed by a hearty soup every night with wine provided. Sat we hike out. Trip cost: \$395. Note the reservation/ cancel policy under the additional information link where you can find other info about mule packs. To apply, email with recent high altitude and distance conditioning and health to Co-leader: Cathie Miller.

**Leaders:** Catherine Miller, owlforever@sbcglobal.net, 310-326-8495; Kathy Viola, kviola826@gmail.com, 909-346-9653; James Fleming, 510-376-2455

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## Tuesday, August 21, 2018

#### Repeating Events

6:30 pm Fullerton Evening Hike

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## Wednesday, August 22, 2018

### Repeating Events

6:30 pm Steve Feld Punete Hills conditioning hike

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## Thursday, August 23, 2018

### Repeating Events

7:00 pm Griffith Park Night Conditioning Hikes & Potluck!

## Thursday, August 23, 2018 to Sunday, August 26, 2018

### Mammoth Eastern Sierra Bus Trip

#### Palos Verdes Group Outing

O: : Mammoth Eastern Sierra Bus Trip O: Yes! We are doing it again! Join us for four adventurous days of glorious hiking in the spectacular Eastern Sierra Nevada Mountains, land of towering pines, pristine mountain lakes, and snow-capped granite peaks. Participants must be able to hike 5-7 miles in hilly terrain at high altitude. We stay all three nights at the Quality Inn in Mammoth Lakes. Price includes bus, shared hotel room, breakfast each morning, driver's gratuity, and snacks. Depart early Thursday morning from South Bay and return Sunday night. There is a \$40 cancellation fee. If you cancel less than 30 days before departure, you will only receive a refund if the trip is full. To reserve your spot, send name, address, gender (M or F), roommate preference, phone, email, and check for \$440 payable to PVSB Sierra Club to: Minoo Hart, 411 Paseo De La Concha, Redondo Beach, CA 90277.TERRI STRAUB (). Co-leaders: Emile Fiesler & Kevin Schlunegger.

**Leader:** Minoo Hart, terristraub@hotmail.com, heartmaman@gmail.com, minimars2000@hotmail.com, 310-375-3340

### 8:00 am - Thu Moderate Hikers / Malibu Creek State Park

#### Angeles Chp Wilderness Advntr Outing

O: Moderately paced 8 mile 1000 gain hike including Lookout Trail with great views, Century Lake, and Reagan picnic area. Meet 8 am at Cornell & Mulholland dirt parking area (from 101 Ventura Fwy take Kanan Rd, exit 36, south mile, turn left on Cornell and veer to right continuing south 3 miles, past Paramount Ranch, to paved entrance of dirt parking area on east side of street just south of Mulholland Hwy).

**Leader:** Diane De Marco, hikerfive@gmail.com, 310-645-9442

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## Friday, August 24, 2018

### Repeating Events

7:00 pm Griffith Park Monthly Moonlit Hike and Potluck

## Friday, August 24, 2018 to Sunday, August 26, 2018

### Thousand Island Lake, Peak 10344

#### Angeles Chp Wilderness Trainin Outing

I: Friday backpack 8.5 miles, 2000 gain to camp at picturesque Thousand Island Lake in Ansel Adams Wilderness near Mammoth. Saturday climb cross country, class 2 route to Peak 10344, 6 mi rt, 800 gain. Sunday pack out. Shuttle fee of \$7 from Mammoth Mountain to Agnew Meadows trailhead required. Send email with contact info & recent conditioning to leader. Dwain Roque

**Leader:** Robert Myers, rmmymers@ix.netcom.com, 818-990-7722

### 7:30 am - Arrow Peak (12,939ft)

#### Angeles Chp Wilderness Advntr Outing

I: Arrow Peak (12,939ft): Grind of a climb over a pass to reach beautiful spot about which R.J. Secor writes: one of the finest (views) in the Sierra. And the view from the summit isnt bad either. Fri, start at 5,430 ft in the desert for very strenuous 6,000 feet climb to 11,360 ft Taboose Pass, then drop

to Bench Lake for total of 12 miles. Saturday, moderately strenuous 6 mi, 2,400 ft gain/loss off-trail ascent of SPS-listed Arrow Peak. Sunday, return to cars. Although pace will be moderate, must be in very strong physical condition and comfortable with steep, off-trail hiking. Snow cancels trip. Send \$10 permit fee, 2 SASE or email, H/W/cell phones, recent conditioning, experience, rideshare to leader.Co-Ldrs: Beth Epstein, Daniel Kinzek

**Leader:** Mark Alan Mitchell, markamitchell@att.net, 818-753-9328

### 8:00 am - (I) Cirque Peak (12,900 ft), Trail Peak (11,605 ft):

#### Angeles Chp Wilderness Trainin Outing

O: Cirque Peak (12,900 ft), Trail Peak (11,605 ft): Aug. 24-26 (Fri-Sun) Join us for a fun and scenic backpack in the Cottonwood Pass area. This trip offers a great introduction to Sierra backpacking, peak bagging and off-trail travel. We will start with an easy backpack from Horseshoe Meadows (-10,000 ft.) to Chicken Spring Lake (11,200 ft.) (4.4 mi., 1400 ft. gain). On Saturday, we will climb Cirque Peak, with an optional jaunt to nearby Trailmaster Peak (5.1 mi., 2250 ft. gain). On Sunday, we will hike back to the trailhead, stopping along the way to climb Trail Peak (8.4 mi., 1270 ft. gain). Counts as a WTC experience trip! Note that this trip is almost entirely above 10,000 ft. elevation. Email hiking resume including contact info, current conditioning, and altitude tolerance to Leaders K.C. Reid (k.c.reid8120@gmail.com) and Gina Sullivan (rmsulli29@yahoo.com).

**Leader:** Regina Sullivan, rmsulli29@yahoo.com

## Friday, August 24, 2018 to Sunday, August 26, 2018

### Basin Mtn (13,181')

#### Angeles Chp Wilderness Trainin Outing

I: Follow in the footsteps of history by climbing the same route taken by Norman Clyde on his first ascent of Basin Mtn in 1930. Will carpool in high clearance vehicles to Horton Lakes trailhead near Bishop. Fri backpack 4 mi, 2100 ft to camp at Horton Lake, relax, explore, & happy hour. Sat XC climb to peak, 5 mi RT, 3200 ft gain. Sun break camp & pack out. Strenuous hike at altitude, conditioning required.

**Leader:** Molly Arevalo, mollyarevalo@gmail.com, 213-804-9526

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## Saturday, August 25, 2018

## Saturday, August 25, 2018 to Sunday, August 26, 2018

### Sawtooth Peak (N) (12,343')

#### Angeles Chp Wilderness Trainin Outing

I: Join us for a weekend in the gorgeous Mineral King area of Sequoia National Park. We'll climb Sawtooth Peak, an SPS peak with stunning 360 degree views. On Saturday morning, we'll meet in Mineral King and backpack at a moderate pace up to Lower Monarch Lake (4.5 miles with 2700 gain). We'll camp at the lake, where we can swim, fish, relax, and enjoy goodies at happy hour. Sunday morning, we'll hike first on trail up to Sawtooth Pass, then go cross-country to Sawtooth Peak via its northwest ridge (2.2 miles with 2300 gain). After a break on the peak to soak up the scenery, we'll head back to camp, pack up, and return to the cars. Permit limits group size. Priority given to WTC students. This trip is sponsored by WTC and SPS. Please send email with contact info, hiking resume, conditioning, and altitude experience to the leaders.

**Leader:** Kate Miller, miller.k8@gmail.com, 310-592-7965

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## Tuesday, August 28, 2018

### Repeating Events

6:30 pm Fullerton Evening Hike



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## Wednesday, August 29, 2018

### Repeating Events

6:30 pm Steve Feld Punete Hills conditioning hike

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## Thursday, August 30, 2018

### 8:00 am - Thu Moderate Hikers / Upper Zuma Canyon Backbone Trail, Zuma Ridge Rd

#### Angeles Chp Wilderness Advntr Outing

O: Moderately paced 8 mile 1400 gain hike on scenic trail through lovely canyon, then on fire road with great mountain and ocean views, to Buzzards Roost. Meet 8 am Newton Canyon Trailhead. From 101 Ventura Fwy take Kanan Rd exit, go south on Kanan Rd to paved trailhead parking area on west side just north of Tunnel 1 (3rd tunnel from 101 about 1 miles past Mulholland Hwy).

**Leader:** Diane De Marco, hikerfive@gmail.com, 310-645-9442

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## Saturday, September 1, 2018

### Saturday, September 01, 2018 to Monday, September 03, 2018

#### Catalina Island in Paradise 2018

#### Angeles Chp 20s & 30s Singles Outing

O: A fantastic 3-day Catalina Island vacation awaits you twenty-six miles across the ocean at Camp Emerald Bay. Camp Emerald Bay, a boy scout camp is located on the undeveloped West End of Catalina Island, has secluded beaches and coves and enjoys unparalleled access to the natural gems of Catalina's singular ecosystem. This camp is fully loaded (no roughing it on this trip) with great activities- no tents are required. All meals provided by camp staff.

**Leader:** Ron Domash, rdomash@yahoo.com, 818-891-1848

### Saturday, September 01, 2018 to Thursday, September 06, 2018

#### Rae Lakes Loop, Mount Bago (11870')

#### Angeles Chp Wilderness Trainin Outing

I: Rae Lakes Loop, Mount Bago (11870') - Join us on one of the most beautiful loop hikes in the Sierra. This trip has it all: stunning scenery, opportunities for swimming and fishing, and an SPS-listed peak. The six-day adventure starts in Kings Canyon and overlaps a section of the JMT, with camping at scenic lakes and beautiful meadows. We'll tag Mt. Bago from Charlotte Lake along the way. This outing qualifies as an experience trip for graduation. The entire trip is approximately 42.5 miles with 8100' gain at a relaxed pace. Email both leaders with your name and WTC Group Leader's name (if a current student) and your contact/carpool information. Hiking resume with recent experience and conditioning required. \$10 to cover permit and campground fees, payable to leader. Sharon Moore.

**Leader:** Jim Hagar, jhagar1@gmail.com, 818-468-6451

### Saturday, September 01, 2018 to Sunday, September 02, 2018

#### Mt. Silliman (11,188')

#### Angeles Chp Wilderness Trainin Outing

I: A perfect WTC experience trip to a beautiful peak in Sequoia National Park. We'll leave early Saturday morning from Twin Lakes trailhead in Lodgepole Campground (campsite available for Friday night), hiking on established trails, use trails, and class 2 granite slabs until we reach Silliman Lake, where we'll set up camp and enjoy a mellow happy hour. On Sunday, we'll climb up to the summit of Mt. Silliman to admire the views. We'll then

return to camp, pack up, and head out. Trip total: approx. 14 mi. RT with 4400 elev. gain. Permit limits group size to 12. Priority given to WTC students. Please email hiking resume with conditioning and altitude experience to the leader.

**Leader:** Gideon Strich, gideonstrich@yahoo.com

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## Tuesday, September 4, 2018

### Tuesday, September 04, 2018 to Tuesday, September 18, 2018

#### AT CAPACiTY O: Trans Swiss Trail, Switzerland TRIP FULL

#### Angeles Chapter Outing

O: Explore Switzerland by following the Swiss Trail from north to south, one of the last great outdoor adventures in this highly-developed country. We sample the best bits of this trail, and add short jaunts into neighbouring France, Germany, and Italy. We follow the trail by hiking about 10 miles most days, or rely on Swiss public transport, known for its punctuality, for part or all of the way\*. Our suitcases will be transported from hotel to hotel, and we'll just carry our daypacks. Trip includes economy air transportation from Los Angeles to Zurich, round trip; 13 nights lodging, breakfast and one main meal daily; local guides, all admissions to scheduled places; all transportation in Switzerland; and transportation by van of one suitcase. The estimated trip cost is \$5,500 for Sierra Club Members (\$5,600 for non-members). Please send check payable to Sierra Sage to leader. Leader: Ed Maurer, 24001 Salero Lane, Mission Viejo, CA 92691, or request a detailed itinerary from balois@cox.net. Co Leader: Helen Maurer

**Leaders:** Ed Maurer, balois@cox.net, 949-768-0417; Helen Maurer, 7gables@cox.net, 949-768-0417

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## Wednesday, September 5, 2018

### Repeating Events

6:30 pm Steve Feld Punete Hills conditioning hike

#### 9:00 am - Whiting Ranch

#### Orange County Group Outing

O: Roughly 5 mi, 800 gain hike in Whiting Ranch. We will meet in the secondary Ranch parking lot on Glenn Ranch Rd. From I-5, go E on El Toro to Portola, turn L, then R on Glenn Ranch Rd. Parking lot is on the L. The hike will take us by some lovely oak trees and up to the Four Corners area, where we will have an opportunity to break and enjoy the view. Meet 9:00 am. Bring water, snack, hiking boots. \$3.00 for parking and \$ for an optional lunch afterwards. Mike Sappingfield.

**Leader:** Audrey Tomovich, ourmeandog@yahoo.com, 949-830-8936

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## Thursday, September 6, 2018

### 8:00 am - Thu Moderate Hikers / Hondo Canyon Backbone Trail & Fossil Ridge

#### Angeles Chp Wilderness Advntr Outing

O: Moderately paced 9 mile 1800 gain hike in scenic canyon and along ridge with great ocean, mountain and valley views. Meet 8 am at trailhead, located on Old Topanga Canyon Rd 0.4 mile west of intersection with Topanga Canyon Blvd. Limited roadside parking, so ridesharing is suggested.

**Leader:** Diane De Marco, hikerfive@gmail.com, 310-645-9442

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## Saturday, September 8, 2018

### Saturday, September 08, 2018 to Sunday, September 09, 2018

#### Thunderbolt Peak (14,003')

##### Angeles Chp Sierra Peaks Outing

ER: Thunderbolt Peak (14,003'): Climb one of the most spectacular and technical Mountaineers' Peaks. Early Saturday depart from South Lake Parking Lot Bishop Pass TH. Hike on trail to Bishop Pass, continue off trail to make camp on benches SE of Thunderbolt Pass (7mi, 3000' gain). Alpine start Sunday to climb Thunderbolt via Southwest Chute 1 (1mi, 1800' gain). We will return to camp and TH via same route. Technical Gear: climbing helmet, alpine harness, ATC, 2-standard & 1-double 6mm prusiks, 2-locking biners, 1-non-locking wire gate Biner. Mandatory alpine climbing skills: rappelling, ascending rope with prusiks, and climbing on class 4 terrain. Email climbing resume, and altitude training info to Ldr. Ldr. Philip Bates, Asst. Ldr. Neal Robbins.

**Leaders:** Phil Bates, philipabates@gmail.com, 949-786-8475; Neal Robbins, neal.robbins@l-3com.com, 310-540-5089

### Saturday, September 08, 2018 to Saturday, September 15, 2018

#### Grand Tetons and Yellowstone National Parks

##### Angeles Chapter Outing

O: Date of official opening for registration: October 1, 2017 Early Enrollment Period for Previous Trip Wait List People: September 16, 2017 to Sept 30, 2017 Join us for this 8 day, 7 night Bus excursion to the Grand Tetons and Yellowstone National Parks in Northwestern Wyoming. We will fly into Bozeman, MT where we will be picked up and transported as needed to and through both National Parks and back to Bozeman where we will fly home. Highlights of the trip include visiting Old Faithful Geyser and the many geysers and springs in the Upper, Middle, and Lower Geyser Basins, Grand Prismatic Spring, Fountain Paint Pot and many other hydro-thermal features. Wildlife abounds with the possibility of seeing Bison, Pronghorns, Elk, Deer, Moose, Black Bear, Grizzly Bears, Wolves, Coyotes, Osprey, and Eagles, as well as lots of squirrels and chipmunks and other creatures. We plan to visit natural features such as the Grand Canyon of the Yellowstone and its falls, Undine Falls, Tower Falls, Lewis Falls, Jenny Lake, the Grand Tetons and the upper Snake River. Trip includes all transportation in Montana and Wyoming, 7 nights lodging, all breakfasts and some picnic lunches, and all admissions to scheduled places. Trip does not include air fare to and from Montana and the remaining lunches and dinners and any optional admissions. Trip cost is \$1395 for Sierra Club Members (\$1495 for non-members). A few single rooms are available for an additional cost. A \$500 deposit will hold your place on the trip with the remainder due by June 1, 2018. For information and to apply, contact Leader: Mike Sappingfield at mikesapp@cox.net 949-768-3610) or write to him at P.O. Box 524, Lake Forest, CA 92609. Co

**Leaders:** Michael Sappingfield, mikesapp@cox.net, 949-768-3610, 949-633-6993; Patty Sappingfield, solanese@cox.net, 949-633-6993

### Saturday, September 08, 2018 to Sunday, September 09, 2018

#### Red Cones (9012 ft)

##### Angeles Chp Wilderness Trainin Outing

I: Spend a weekend near Mammoth Mountain as we go almost four miles on trail from Horseshoe Lake (8960 ft) over Mammoth Pass (9371 ft) to Upper Crater Meadow. The fun continues as we go to the Red Cones, rambling cross-country at every opportunity to practice navigating and route finding. Savor the sunset over happy hour before enjoying a night in the Ansel Adams Wilderness. We begin Sunday with further exploration of the area before hiking out. Send email with contact info and recent experience. Preference given to current WTC students.

**Leader:** Anne Mullins, hike2thepeak@gmail.com, 323-698-6455

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## Tuesday, September 11, 2018

### 6:30 pm - HPS Management Committee Meeting

#### Angeles Chp Hundred Peaks Club Support Event

O: starting at 6:30 pm. Contact HPS Chair, Coby King, for meeting location.

**Leader:** Coby King, cobyk@hpstrat.com, 818-313-8533

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## Wednesday, September 12, 2018

### Repeating Events

6:30 pm Steve Feld Punete Hills conditioning hike

### 9:00 am - Crystal Cove Beach Walk

#### Orange County Group Outing

O: An easy walk along the beach & bluff top in this beautiful State Park. Seven miles, 200' gain. Optional stop at Ruby's Date Shack for lunch. Meet 9:00 am at the SW corner of PCH & Cameo Shores, in Corona del Mar. Park along frontage road just inside entrance to Cameo Shores, or park on Cameo Highlands. Bring water, snack, walking shoes. Bathroom in park, not at trailhead. Kathy Fisher.

**Leader:** Peter Height, prheight1@cox.net, 949-713-4569

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## Thursday, September 13, 2018

### 8:00 am - Thu Moderate Hikers / Towsley Cyn, Santa Clarita Woodlands

#### Angeles Chp Wilderness Advntr Outing

O: Moderately paced 8 mile 1500 gain (optional 6 mile 1200 gain) hike with great vistas, a chilly narrows, diverse plant life and tar seeps. Meet 8 am at Ed Davis Park in Santa Susana Mtns. Take Calgrove Blvd, exit 166, from Interstate 5, turn west under the freeway and take the Old Road south mile to Ed Davis Park on right, drive past Santa Clarita rideshare parking area outside entrance, go through gate and park in large dirt parking area 100 yds beyond the gate.

**Leader:** Mimi Knights, 661-253-3414

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## Saturday, September 15, 2018

### Saturday, September 15, 2018 to Sunday, September 16, 2018

#### McGee Creek Canyon Exploration

##### Angeles Chp Wilderness Trainin Outing

I: Join us for this leisurely backpacking trip in the John Muir Wilderness. Saturday we will backpack 5.8 miles, 2,500' elevation gain to our campsite at Steelhead Lake (10,350'). Activities will include cross-country navigation practice, enjoying the lake, and Saturday evening happy hour. Sunday morning we will do additional navigation practice as we return to the trailhead. Trip is geared to WTC students who need an experience trip. Send email with contact info & recent conditioning to leader. Bernie Fox.

**Leader:** Robert Myers, rmmys@ix.netcom.com

### Saturday, September 15, 2018 to Sunday, September 16, 2018

#### Mt. Silliman 11,193'

##### Angeles Chp Wilderness Trainin Outing

I: Mt. Silliman 11,193' in Sequoia NP

**Leader:** Kristi Postema, kristijoy7@gmail.com, 808-670-0574

**SCHEDULE OF ACTIVITIES**

## Saturday, September 15, 2018 to Saturday, September 22, 2018

### Northern Sierra - Pacific Crest Trail Backpack Trip

#### Angeles Chp Wilderness Advntr Outing

O: : Northern Sierras - Pacific Crest Trail Backpack Trip from Sonora Pass to Echo Summit. We will begin our adventure at Sonora Pass (Hwy 108) and travel through the Carson-Iceberg Wilderness in the Humboldt-Toiyabe Natl Forest, and the Mokelumne Wilderness of the Stanislaus Natl Forest. The trip will cross Ebbetts Pass (Hwy 4), Carson Pass (Hwy 88) and end at Echo Summit (Hwy 50) near Lake Tahoe. This trip covers PCT miles 1017-1090. Strenuous, but moderately paced, 7 days, 73 miles, one-way. Typical day has 10-12 miles with 2500-3000 gain and loss. Permit limits group size. Trip does not qualify as a WTC Experience Trip. Participants will share in expense of wilderness permit. Car shuttle set up at beginning of the trip. Send email with cell phone, home city, recent, conditioning and backpack experience to jeannstar@sbcglobal.net Pat Arredondo, Jeffery Taylor, and Jerry Grenard.

**Leader:** Ted Lubeshkoff, jeannstar@sbcglobal.net, 626-447-5690

## Monday, September 17, 2018

### Repeating Events

7:00 pm Angeles/OC ICO Monthly Meeting

## Wednesday, September 19, 2018

### Repeating Events

6:30 pm Steve Feld Punete Hills conditioning hike

### 9:30 am - Bolsa Chica Ecological Reserve Hike

#### Orange County Group Outing

O: Easy paced, reasonably flat 5 mi hike, approx. 3 hrs. Newcomers welcome. Enjoy the natural beauty of Bolsa Chica, one of the last remaining wetland ecosystems in Southern California. Meet 9:30 am. From Warner Avenue in Huntington Beach, turn S on Bolsa Chica Street to the end of the street and trailhead (Brightwater). Park on the street. Bring camera, water, sun protection, hat, light hiking boots; rain does not cancel. No Bathrooms at the trailhead. Kathy Fisher.

**Leader:** Donna Specht, donnaspecht@juno.com, 714-963-6345

## Thursday, September 20, 2018

### 8:00 am - Thu Moderate Hikers / Caballero Canyon, Topanga State Park

#### Angeles Chp Wilderness Advntr Outing

O: Moderately paced 8 - 10 mile hike in northern Topanga State Park. Meet 8 am at Caballero trailhead in Tarzana (from 101 Ventura Fwy take Reseda Blvd, exit 23, go south 2 miles to east side across from Braemar Country Club entrance).

**Leader:** Diane De Marco, hikerfive@gmail.com, 310-645-9442

## Thursday, September 20, 2018 to Sunday, September 23, 2018

### Four Gables (12,720')

#### Angeles Chp Wilderness Trainin Outing

I: Join us for a fun four-day backpack in the beautiful John Muir Wilderness. On Thursday we will hike in from the Horton Lakes trailhead and set up camp at Lower Horton Lake (4.5 mi, 2280 gain). Friday move to a higher camp at Upper Horton Lake (1.4 mi, 960 gain). Saturday climb Four Gables via South Ridge, a strenuous class 2 talus slope (7.2 mi r/t, 2300 gain), then back to camp for happy hour. Pack out on Sunday morning. High clearance, 4WD/AWD vehicles are required to reach the trailhead. Spaces limited,

### SCHEDULE OF ACTIVITIES

priority given to 2018 WTC students

**Leader:** Rachel Glegg, rachel.dorman@gmail.com, 310-985-2826

## Friday, September 21, 2018

### Repeating Events

7:00 pm Griffith Park Monthly Moonlit Hike and Potluck

## Saturday, September 22, 2018

## Saturday, September 22, 2018 to Sunday, September 23, 2018

### Chocolate Pk 11682ft

#### Angeles Chp Wilderness Trainin Outing

I: Sierra Nevada appreciation trip with great views. NOTE- changed date.

**Leader:** Will McWhinney, willmcw@gmail.com, 323-221-0202

### 8:30 am - Saturdays in the Santa Monicas #9 - Solstice Canyon

#### Angeles Chp SMMTF Subcom Outing

O: Join us on a moderate 7 miles 2000 gain loop history filled hike, on TRW trail to Rising Sun Trail to Sostomo trail and Deer Valley halo loop trail and then back to Tropical Terrace for lunch alongside the shady haunted ruins of (Roberts Ranch family home) and Solstice Canyon Falls, then back along the canyon through oak and walnut groves by the stream stopping at Keller hunting cabin ruins.

**Leader:** Ron Rosien, glendon3@aol.com, 310-474-0349

## Sunday, September 23, 2018

### Repeating Events

0:00 am Island Hopping in Channel Islands National Park, 2018

### 7:00 am - Navigation: Mt. Pinos Navigation Noodle

#### Angeles Ch Leadership Training Outing

I: Navigation: Mt. Pinos Navigation Noodle: Navigation Noodle in Los Padres National Forest for either checkout or practice to satisfy Basic (I/M) or Advanced (E) level navigation requirements. Send email with contact info, navigation experience/training, any WTC, leader rating, rideshare, to leader.

**Leaders:** Robert M Myers, rmmymers@ix.netcom.com; Ann Shields, apedreschi@sbcglobal.net

## Tuesday, September 25, 2018

### Repeating Events

7:00 pm Griffith Park Night Conditioning Hikes & Potluck!

## Wednesday, September 26, 2018

### 9:00 am - Dana Point Harbor to Strands Beach

#### Orange County Group Outing

O: Moderately-paced 6.7 mi partial loop walk with 600' gain/loss. Walk begins up stairs to the Bluff Trail where we have views of beautiful Dana Point Harbor and beyond. Proceed onto dirt path around the headlands and down stairs to the Strands beach where we walk along the water's edge. Next we walk up alongside the Monarch Beach Golf Course. We later head back down to the sand and return via more stairs to head back to the harbor. Meet 9:00 am at the parking lot at the NW corner of Golden Lantern and Dana Point Harbor Drive. Bring 1 qt water, snacks, good walking shoes. Water refills and bathrooms available along the way. Lunch in harbor following



walk for those interested.

**Leader:** Linda Ledger, linda.ledger@me.com, 949-444-1285

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## Thursday, September 27, 2018

### 8:00 am - Thu Moderate Hikers / Las Virgenes Canyon

#### *Angeles Chp Wilderness Advntr Outing*

O: Moderately paced 8-9 mile 800 to 1200 gain hike in delightful canyon, with various options depending on weather. Meet 8 am at trailhead kiosk. From 101 Ventura Fwy take Las Virgenes Rd, exit 32, north 1+ mile to end, street parking.

**Leader:** Ted Mattock, mattockman@gmail.com, 818-222-5581

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## Friday, September 28, 2018

### Friday, September 28, 2018 to Sunday, September 30, 2018

#### Pioneer Basin (10,400')

#### *Angeles Chp Wilderness Trainin Outing*

I: Explore the upper reaches in the John Muir Wilderness above Rock Creek Lake on this strenuous three-day trip. Pioneer Basin is surrounded by four peaks named after the Big Four California businessmen who backed the construction of the first transcontinental railroad - Stanford, Hopkins, Crocker, and Huntington. Starting at Mosquito Flat TH (10,270') we ascend 1800' over 5.5 mi. to reach Mono Pass (12,070') and then 2.5 mi. more to the lowest of the Pioneer basin lakes to set camp for two nights (10,400'). On day two we will meander on trail and cross country to visit the Pioneer Basin Lakes, fine-tune navigation skills and possibly ascend peak 12,404' before returning for happy hour. We'll stop at Ruby Lake before heading home on day three. Send email with contact info and recent experience to Preference given to current WTC students.

**Leader:** Jon Stinzel, jon.stinzel@gmail.com, 818-468-7503

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## Saturday, September 29, 2018

### Saturday, September 29, 2018 to Sunday, September 30, 2018

#### Harwood Lodge Fall Festival

#### *Angeles Chp Orange Cty Singles Outing*

O: Enjoy clear mountain air, hiking, music, relaxation, blue skies and beautiful mountain views and celebrate the beginning of Fall at Harwood Lodge. Musicians bring your instruments. Newcomers welcome. Includes hikes to the Waterfall and a special Geology hike with Jay Schneider. Includes Saturday and Sunday hikes, Happy Hour, lodge fees, Saturday night dinner. Sunday breakfast, hike, shared chores and check out by 3pm. [http://angeles.sierraclub.org/harwood\\_lodge](http://angeles.sierraclub.org/harwood_lodge) Send 1 self addressed stamped envelope OR e mail address, phones, address, carpool info, \$60 with Sierra Club# or \$75 non-member (check payable OCSS to Reservationist/Co Leaders: Richard Boothe, Jay Schneider, Karen Belville, Joel Kenyon, Julie Garner

**Leader:** Donna Specht, donnaspecht@juno.com, 714-963-6345

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## Wednesday, October 3, 2018

### 9:00 am - Laurel, Camarillo, South Stagecoach Loop

#### *Orange County Group Outing*

O: 5.5 mi, 500 gain. Route includes a moderate climb up Lower Laurel Cyn Trail, then continuing on an easy Upper Laurel Cyn Trail under the Toll Rd, then descending on Camarillo Trail to S Stagecoach Trail, under the Toll Rd & back to the Willow Staging Area. Meet 9:00 AM, so give yourself time to park & pay \$3 parking fee (or OC Park Pass). From I-5 Fwy, W on El Toro

Rd to the junction of Laguna Cyn Rd, turn L. Entrance is about 100 yds on your R into the Willow parking area. Bring 1 qt water,

**Leader:** Michael Sappingfield, mikesapp@cox.net, 949-633-6993

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## Saturday, October 6, 2018

### Saturday, October 06, 2018 to Sunday, October 07, 2018

#### Last Chance Mountain (8,456 ft)

#### *Angeles Chp Desert Peaks Outing*

I: We are off to Last Chance Mtn (8,456 ft) as your last chance for a graduation trip. It is in super secluded northern Death Valley NP just a few miles from the Nevada state line. Total two-day stats: 15 mi & 3700 ft. Sat afternoon we will hike in on dirt road through the abandoned mines for 3.5 mi & 1300 ft to make camp and tell ghost stories over happy hour among the ruins. Sun morn we will rise early to summit, sign the register and return the way we came to break camp and hike back to the trailhead (11 mi, 2400 ft). Participants should be comfortable on 2nd class terrain and be prepared to carry in all water (6-8 liters). A National Park pass is required to enter the park. This WTC Outing is co-sponsored by DPS. For consideration please send hiking resume and current conditioning to leader.Saveria Tilden

**Leader:** Megan Birdsill, mbirdsill@gmail.com

### 7:00 am - Wild View Peak (7258 ft), Pine Mtn Ridge (7440 ft+)

#### *Angeles Chp Hundred Peaks Outing*

I: Wild View Peak (7258 ft), Pine Mtn Ridge (7440 ft+) - Join us for a hike to one of the most remote and pristine areas in LA County. Along with stunning views of the northern face of San Antonio Ridge, from its crest to the depths of Upper Fish Fork, we will enjoy a panorama of magnificent peaks Baldy, Big Iron, Ross, and Baden-Powell included. Totals for the day will be about 8 miles rt with 1600 feet of gain. High-clearance vehicles advised. Please bring liquids, lugsoles, layers, lunch and hat. Contact peterdoggett@aol.com for trip details. Leaders Peter & Ignacia Doggett; Jin Oak Chung

**Leader:** Peter Doggett, peterdoggett@aol.com, 818-840-8748

### Saturday, October 06, 2018 to Sunday, October 07, 2018

#### "Really Last Chance" Graduation Trip

#### *Angeles Chp Wilderness Trainin Outing*

I: Easy paced backpacking trip in scenic California desert. We will take exploratory cross-country routes in the Queen Valley area, taking in a peak along the way. Satisfy WTC requirements on this really last chance graduation trip. 9 mile rt, 1000 gain. Send email (preferred) or sase, with contact info & recent conditioning to leader.Ann Pedreschi Shields

**Leader:** Robert Myers, rmmys@ix.netcom.com

### Saturday, October 06, 2018 to Sunday, October 07, 2018

#### Last Chance Mountain (8,456ft)

#### *Angeles Chp Wilderness Trainin Outing*

I: We are off to Last Chance Mtn (8,456ft) as your last chance for a graduation trip. It is in super secluded northern Death Valley NP just a few miles from the Nevada state line. Total two-day stats: 15mi & 3700ft. Sat afternoon we will hike in on dirt road through the abandoned mines for 3.5mi & 1300ft to make camp and tell ghost stories over happy hour among the ruins. Sun morn we will rise early to summit, sign the register and return the way we came to break camp and hike back to the trailhead (11mi, 2400ft).

**Leader:** Megan Birdsill, mbirdsill@gmail.com

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## Sunday, October 7, 2018

### 7:00 am - Throop Pk, Mount Burnham, Mt Baden-Powell, Ross Mtn

#### *Angeles Chp Hundred Peaks Outing*

I: Throop Pk (9138 ft), Mount Burnham (8997 ft), Mt Baden-Powell (9399 ft), Ross Mtn (7402 ft) - This challenging hike starts with the well-defined Boy Scout trail; meets and follows the pretty PCT trail as we gain the first, second and third peak on our way to our ultimate destination, a use trail descent to Ross Mountain. We are rewarded with spectacular views of stout summits that rise from stalwart ridges extending in all directions, of the steep wild canyons that split them, and the rivers and streams that cut those canyons -- Mine Gulch southeast of Baden-Powell; Prairie Fork southwest of Blue Ridge; Copter Ridge descending eastward accompanying Iron Fork to the San Gabriel River; and San Antonio Ridge, traveling from Baldy to Big Iron and ushering Fish Fork towards the Narrows. More adventure follows as we turn our gaze to the daunting 2000 foot ascent to regain Baden-Powell. Totals for this four peak venture are 14 miles rt with 4620 feet of gain. May change to a car shuttle, resulting in less miles and less gain. Please bring liquids, lugsoles, layers, lunch, headlamp and hat. Contact peterdoggett@aol.com for trip details. Leaders Peter & Ignacia Doggett; Jin Oak Chung

**Leader:** Peter Doggett, peterdoggett@aol.com, 818-840-8748

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## Wednesday, October 10, 2018

### 9:00 am - Peters Canyon Loop Hike

#### *Orange County Group Outing*

O: Easy-paced 6 mi rt, 700' gain/loss loop hike around the reservoir and over rolling hills. On the return we'll enjoy the shady canyon beneath the willow, black cottonwood, and sycamore. Meet 9:00 am at the corner of Jamboree and Canyon View (from I-5 Fwy, N on Jamboree, or from 55 fwy, E on Chapman, S on Jamboree. Then take Canyon View into parking area.) Bring water, snacks, light hiking boots, \$3 for parking or have permit. Rain, park closure (www.ocparks.com), cancels. Linda Ledger.

**Leader:** Sharon Kirk, sl.kirk@sbcglobal.net, 714-376-3197

### 6:30 pm - Advanced Mountaineering Program (Fall 2018):

#### **Knots & Basic Safety Systems**

#### *Angeles Ch Leadership Training Outing*

ER: First of four climbing workshops aimed at developing skills for 3rd, 4th, and 5th class climbing both as a participant or a future Sierra Club M and E leader. This will be an indoor workshop held in the evening reviewing ropes, harnesses, helmets, basic climbing gear, and knots in preparation for later workshops. All participants must have prior roped climbing experience and commit to all four classes.

**Leader:** Matthew Hengst, matthew.hengst@gmail.com

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## Saturday, October 13, 2018

### Saturday, October 13, 2018 to Saturday, October 20, 2018

#### **Expedition: The Coast and Fjords of Norway**

#### *Angeles Chapter Outing*

C: Angeles Chapter members have followed us from Alaska to Iceland and now we are following 66 degrees N. to Norway. Our journey begins in Bergen northbound along the rugged coastline, through pristine and dramatic landscapes, world famous fjords, the start of the Northern Light season, numerous UNESCO sites, and cross the Arctic Circle to the far frontier of Kirkenes. (Is that Russia?) Our 590 passenger expedition ship offers an intimate experience focused on Norway's specific history, culture, and natural wonders. She is actually a working ship the coast of Norway depends on for moving people, freight, cars and post. This will definitely be a departure

from your mainstream luxury ocean liners. Our vessels can fit through the fjords where you can get up close and personal with the extraordinary surroundings. The sailing from Bergen begins on October 13, 2018 and ends on October 19, 2018. Contact Leaders for current cabin Availability. Cabin cost includes full board (3 meals a day), port fees and taxes and onboard expedition teams will teach and lecture on all things Norway. Tipping is not customary on our ship, but tip box is available. We will assist in matching roommates. Single Supplement available. For the land portion, you can choose the Sierra Club exclusive contracted package or custom arrangements can be made. Our tour agent is ready to help. Our land package is \$1,735 double occupancy. It wraps around the sail dates, October 10-13 and October 19-20, and includes transfers, hotels, Norway in a Nutshell Train Ride, Kirkenes flight to Oslo. All Cabins go fast, Book Soon. Cabins not under deposit guaranteed until December 1, 2017. Afterward, new bookings are on request. For itinerary, deposit info, cancel policy, port excursions, contact Leader: Donna Specht. Co Leader: Sridhar Gullapalli

**Leaders:** Donna Specht, donnaspecht@juno.com, 714-963-6345; Sridhar Gullapalli, sridhar\_gullapalli@yahoo.com, 310-821-3900

### Saturday, October 13, 2018 to Friday, October 19, 2018

#### **Expedition: The Coast and Fjords of Norway**

#### *Angeles Chp Orange Cty Singles Outing*

C: Angeles Chapter members have followed us from Alaska to Iceland and now we are following 66 degrees N. to Norway. Our journey begins in Bergen northbound along the rugged coastline, through pristine and dramatic landscapes, world famous fjords, the start of the Northern Light season, numerous UNESCO sites, and cross the Arctic Circle to the far frontier of Kirkenes. (Is that Russia?) Our 590 passenger expedition ship offers an intimate experience focused on Norway's specific history, culture, and natural wonders. She is actually a working ship the coast of Norway depends on for moving people, freight, cars and post. This will definitely be a departure from your mainstream luxury ocean liners. Our vessels can fit through the fjords where you can get up close and personal with the extraordinary surroundings. The sailing from Bergen begins on October 13, 2018 and ends on October 19, 2018. Our Select Inside cabins begin at \$1,461 double occupancy, with Polar Outside and Superior Outside cabins available. Cabin cost includes full board (3 meals a day), port fees and taxes and onboard expedition teams will teach and lecture on all things Norway. Tipping is not customary on our ship, but tip box is available. We will assist in matching roommates. Single Supplement available. For the land portion, you can choose the Sierra Club exclusive contracted package or custom arrangements can be made. Our tour agent is ready to help. Our land package is \$1,735 double occupancy. It wraps around the sail dates, October 10-13 and October 19-20, and includes transfers, hotels, Norway in a Nutshell Train Ride, Kirkenes flight to Oslo. All Cabins go fast, Book Soon. Cabins not under deposit guaranteed until December 1, 2017. Afterward, new bookings are on request. For itinerary, deposit info, cancel policy, port excursions, contact Leader: Donna Specht. Co Leader: Sridhar Gullapalli

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### 8:00 am - Saturdays in the Santa Monicas #10 - Sandstone Sextet.

#### *Angeles Chp SMMTF Subcom Outing*

O: Join us on a strenuous hike from the Mishe Mokwa trailhead to 6 peaks: 9 mi, 2,700' gain. Here's your chance to get six peaks (2,800' to 3,111') in one day on a strenuous hike at a moderate pace to: Sandstone (highest point in the Santa Monica Mountains), Boney, Exchange, Tri-Peaks, Pop Top, and Big Dome peaks. Return on the Mishe Mokwa portion of the Backbone Trail, passing Split, Echo, and Balanced Rocks.

**Leader:** Robert Cody, bcodyman@aol.com, 310-410-9172

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**8:00 am - Advanced Mountaineering Program (Fall 2018):  
Belay Skills**

*Angeles Ch Leadership Training Outing*

ER: Second of four climbing workshops aimed at developing skills for 3rd, 4th, and 5th class climbing both as a participant or a future Sierra Club M and E leader. This workshop will focus on belaying and related principles starting with standard sport climbing all the way up to advanced techniques to move large groups across dangerous terrain. All participants must have prior roped climbing experience and commit to all four classes.

**Leader:** Matthew Hengst, matthew.hengst@gmail.com

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**Monday, October 15, 2018**

**Repeating Events**

7:00 pm Angeles/OC ICO Monthly Meeting

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**Wednesday, October 17, 2018**

**8:30 am - Serrano Creek Trail**

*Orange County Group Outing*

O: Short hike- 4.7 mi, 590' gain OR Long hike- 11 mi, 690' gain. Both starting at Heritage Park in Lake Forest, we meander on the trail in Serrano Creek Park, cross Trabuco Rd and continue along a shady suburban trail, climbing gently toward Foothill Ranch. The short hike ends before we cross Rancho Pkwy, and participants return to the starting point by public transportation (OCTA Bus #177.) The longer hike continues into Whiting Ranch following Live Oak Trail and returning on Serrano Creek Trail all the way back to Trabuco Rd with a stop for lunch (picnic or eatery) in Foothill Ranch en route. Meet 8:30 am at the Heritage Hill parking lot on Serrano Rd, less than a block north off Lake Forest Dr (west of the intersection of Lake Forest Dr & Trabuco Rd.) Walking shoes OK for these hikes. Rain cancels.

**Leader:** Helen Maurer, 7gables@cox.net, 949-768-0417

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**Saturday, October 20, 2018**

**Repeating Events**

8:00 am Navigation: Beginning Navigation Clinic

**8:00 am - Advanced Mountaineering Program (Fall 2018):  
Rappelling**

*Angeles Ch Leadership Training Outing*

ER: Third of four climbing workshops aimed at developing skills for 3rd, 4th, and 5th class climbing both as a participant or a future Sierra Club M and E leader. This workshop will focus on rappelling using a variety of techniques with a heavy emphasis on redundancy, safety, and efficiency. All participants must have prior roped climbing experience and commit to all four classes.

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**Sunday, October 21, 2018**

**Repeating Events**

0:00 am Island Hopping in Channel Islands National Park, 2018

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**Wednesday, October 24, 2018**

**9:00 am - Bear Canyon Loop**

*Orange County Group Outing*

O: 7 mi, 1000' gain up from the Candy Store through chaparral and oaks and wildflowers, then up the ridge to 4 Corners and back by shady Pigeon Springs. Meet 9:00 am at the South Orange County rideshare point (Bravo Burger on Ortega) or 9:30 am across from the Candy Store on Ortega Hwy, parking lot with Forest Service Pass. Bring 2 qts water, snack/lunch, hiking shoes/lugsoles. Ldr: Kathy Fisher. Asst: Sherri Sisson.

**Leader:** Kathleen Fisher, fisher.k@mac.com, 714-812-5708

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**Saturday, October 27, 2018**

**6:30 am - One Day Bus Trip to Idyllwild**

*West Los Angeles Group Outing*

O: Join us for one of the WLA Groups famous one day bus trips to beautiful Idyllwild in the crisp clean air of the San Jacinto Mountains. We will have guided tours of the Idyllwild nature center and the Idyllwild historical society museum. After the tours, you will have time to browse the town and have lunch with many options from sandwiches in the local market to fine dining. Be sure to check out the shops that sell ice cream, candies and delicious bakery items.

**Leader:** Paul Cutter, patecu@sbcglobal.net, 310-837-5269

**8:00 am - 21st Backbone Trail Festival #1 - Will Rogers to  
Temescal Ridge**

*Angeles Chp SMMTF Subcom Outing*

O: Come join us as we hike the entire Backbone Trail (67 miles) in eight hikes over eight consecutive Sundays. Our first Backbone Trail in the Santa Monica Mountains will be 10 miles with 2000 elevation gain on the BBT from the start at Will Rogers Park. We will first hike up to Inspiration Point then along Rodgers Road past Temescal Peak. Then we will leave the BBT taking the Temescal Ridge Trail for 3 miles to our car shuttle point at the Temescal Ridge Trailhead.

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**Saturday, October 27, 2018 to Sunday, October 28,  
2018**

**Advanced Mountaineering Program (Fall 2018): Anchors &  
Systems**

*Angeles Ch Leadership Training Outing*

ER: Fourth of four climbing workshops aimed at developing skills for 3rd, 4th, and 5th class climbing both as a participant or a future Sierra Club M and E leader. This weekend completes the series of amP workshops at Joshua Tree National Park and focuses on building anchors and applying previously learned skills in real world climbing situations with multiple participants. All participants must have prior roped climbing experience and commit to all four classes.

**Leader:** Matthew Hengst, matthew.hengst@gmail.com

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**Sunday, October 28, 2018**

**8:00 am - 21st Backbone Trail Festival #2 - Temescal Ridge  
to Trippet Ranch**

*Angeles Chp SMMTF Subcom Outing*

O: Our second Backbone Trail hike in the Santa Monica Mountains will be 8 miles on the BBT with 1000 elevation gain from Temescal Ridge to Trippet Ranch. We will start at the Temescal Ridge Trailhead taking the Temescal Ridge Trail for 3 miles to pick up the Backbone Trail. We will then take the BBT past Hub and Eagle Junctions to Musch Camp. We will then



take the Musch Trail finishing at Trippet State Park, our car shuttle point.  
**Leader:** Tejinder Dhillon, tejinder.k.dhillon@gmail.com, 646-300-1896

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## Wednesday, October 31, 2018

### 9:00 am - Buck Gully

#### *Orange County Group Outing*

O: Buck Gully: 5 mi, 200 gain loop hike up the gully and back on Bobcat Trail, exploring this cool coastal canyon hidden in Corona del Mar. Meet 9:00 am at the parking lot at the corner of Marguerite Ave and 5th Av. Turn E from PCH onto Marguerite: the parking lot is across the street from the Oasis Senior Center at 801 Narcissis in Corona del Mar. Bring snack, water, sturdy walking shoes.

**Leader:** Sylvia Stevenson, sjstevenson2828@yahoo.com, 949-616-2765

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## Saturday, November 3, 2018

### 8:00 am - 21st Backbone Trail Festival #3 - Trippet Ranch to Lois Ewen Overlook

#### *Angeles Chp SMMTF Subcom Outing*

O: Our third Backbone Trail hike in the Santa Monica Mountains will be 7 miles with 2000 elevation gain on the BBT from Topanga Canyon to the Lois Ewen Overlook. We will hike from Trippet Ranch to behind Topanga Canyon School passing across Old Topanga Canyon Road to take Hondo Canyon and then the Fossil Ridge Trail to the Lois Ewen Overlook. We will then leave the Backbone Trail for a lunch with views at the Topanga Overlook.

**Leader:** Ron Rosien, glendon3@aol.com, 310-474-0349

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## Sunday, November 4, 2018

### 8:00 am - 21st Backbone Trail Festival #4 - Lois Ewen Overlook to Tapia Park

#### *Angeles Chp SMMTF Subcom Outing*

O: Our fourth Backbone Trail hike in the Santa Monica Mountains will be 7 miles with 600 elevation gain on the BBT going from Lois Ewen Overlook to Tapia Park. The hike will climb past Saddle Peak and then descend along the Saddle Peak Trail crossing Piuma Road to the Piuma Ridge Trail where it intersects at Piuma and Las Virgenes.

**Leader:** Jessica Brozyna, jessicabrozyna@gmail.com, 716-560-3140

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## Saturday, November 10, 2018

### Repeating Events

0:00 am Rock: Sheep Pass/Indian Cove Joshua Tree Rock Checkoff & Practice

### 8:00 am - 21st Backbone Trail Festival #5 - Tapia Park to Latigo Canyon

#### *Angeles Chp SMMTF Subcom Outing*

O: Our fifth Backbone Trail hike in the Santa Monica Mountains will be 10 miles with 2000 elevation gain on the BBT going from the Tapia Park area to the Latigo Canyon Trailhead. We will take the Mesa Peak Trail though the upper Corral and Solstice Canyon areas.

**Leader:** Ernest Scheuer, ems728@gmail.com, 310-689-8241

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## Sunday, November 11, 2018

### 8:00 am - 21st Backbone Trail Festival #6 - Latigo Canyon to Encinal Canyon

#### *Angeles Chp SMMTF Subcom Outing*

O: Our sixth Backbone Trail hike will be 7 miles with 700 gain on the BBT through Newton, Zuma, and Trancas Canyons. We will start at the Latigo Canyon Trailhead taking the Backbone Trail across Kanan Road then taking the Zuma Canyon Trail over to Encinal Canyon.

**Leader:** Ken Beauchene, kbeau71@verizon.net, 310-570-3589

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## Tuesday, November 13, 2018

### Repeating Events

6:30 pm HPS Management Committee Meeting

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## Saturday, November 17, 2018

### Repeating Events

7:00 am Navigation: Warren Point Navigation Noodle

### 8:00 am - 21st Backbone Trail Festival #7 - Encinal Canyon to Mishe Mokwa

#### *Angeles Chp SMMTF Subcom Outing*

O: Our seventh Backbone Trail hike in the Santa Monica Mountains is 10 miles with 1400 elevation gain on the BBT. We will take the Etz Meloy Trail, the newest addition to the BBT, starting at the Encinal Canyon trailhead. We will cross the Mulholland Highway and then take the Etz Moloy Trail, with views of Triunfo Pass and the Boney Mountains, to end at the Mishe Mokwa Trailhead.

**Leader:** Alison Boyle, alisoniboyle@icloud.com, 310-994-1019

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## Sunday, November 18, 2018

### Repeating Events

7:00 am Navigation: Warren Point Navigation Noodle

### 8:00 am - 21st Backbone Trail Festival #8 - Mishe Mokwa to La Jolla Canyon

#### *Angeles Chp SMMTF Subcom Outing*

O: Our eighth and last Backbone Trail hike in the Santa Monica Mountains will be 17 miles with 2500' gain on the BBT on the Sandstone Peak, Chamberlain, Blue Canyon, Wood Canyon, and Ray Miller Trails before finishing the La Jolla Campground.

**Leader:** Craig Percy, r.craig.percy@gmail.com, 818-851-9239

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## Monday, November 19, 2018

### Repeating Events

7:00 pm Angeles/OC ICO Monthly Meeting

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## Friday, November 23, 2018

### Repeating Events

7:00 pm Griffith Park Monthly Moonlit Hike and Potluck

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## Saturday, November 24, 2018

### 8:00 am - Saturdays in the Santa Monicas #11 - Danielson Monument

#### Angeles Chp SMMTF Subcom Outing

O: Work the Thanksgiving Turkey stuffing out of your system by joining us on a moderate 9 miles 1500 gain loop hike in the Boney Mountain Wilderness on the Upper Sycamore Canyon, Fossil, and Old Boney trails with a side trip to the Danielson Monument.

**Leader:** Jessica Brozyna, jessicabrozyna@gmail.com, 716-560-3140

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## Saturday, December 8, 2018

### 8:00 am - Saturdays in the Santa Monicas #12 - Griffith Park Peaklets

#### Angeles Chp SMMTF Subcom Outing

O: Join us our 7th annual trek of Griffith Park, the finest city park in the country. This is a strenuous hike of 13 miles at a moderate pace with 3500 feet elevation gain on scrambles to nine or more different peaklets. Plan to spend most of the day hiking at a moderate pace. We will hike from Burbank Peak to Beacon Hill passing by Bee Rock, the Hollywood Sign, Dantes View, and the Old Zoo.

**Leader:** Robert Cody, bcodyman@aol.com, 310-410-9172

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## Sunday, December 9, 2018

### 7:00 am - Navigation: Warren Point Navigation Noodle

#### Angeles Ch Leadership Training Outing

I: Navigation: Warren Point Navigation Noodle: Navigation noodle at Warren Point for either checkoff or practice to satisfy the basic (I/M) level or Advanced (E) level navigation requirements. To participate, send email with contact info, navigation experience/training, any WTC, leader rating, rideshare to leader.

**Leaders:** Robert M Myers, rmmymers@ix.netcom.com; Ann Shields, apedreschi@sbcglobal.net

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## Monday, December 17, 2018

### Repeating Events

7:00 pm Angeles/OC ICO Monthly Meeting

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## Friday, December 21, 2018

### Repeating Events

7:00 pm Griffith Park Monthly Moonlit Hike and Potluck

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**Airport-Marina:** US Bank parking lot, SE corner Lincoln and Mindanao Way, Marina del Rey.

**Antelope Valley-Lancaster:** Park-and-Ride lot on N side of Avenue K, just W of Antelope Valley Fwy (CA 14). Turn into Park-and-Ride at Avenue S traffic light, meet at back fence east of bus stop.

**Antelope Valley-Palmdale:** Avenue S exit, Park-and-Ride lot E of Antelope Valley Fwy (CA 14) as near as possible to Avenue S traffic light entrance.

**Azusa:** On Santa Fe St. just E of Azusa Ave, one block N of Foothill, just before the railroad tracks.

**Canyon Country:** Vons parking lot next to Soledad Cyn Rd. Sand Cyn Rd exit from Hwy 14.

**Corona:** Park-and-Ride on Main St N exit from 91 Fwy.

**Diamond Bar:** Park-and-Ride lot, Diamond Bar Blvd, N of Pomona Fwy (Hwy 60).

**East San Gabriel Valley:** Albertsons W parking lot, Westfield West Covina Shopping Center, W Covina; N on Citrus St 0.2 mi from San Bernardino Fwy (I-10) to Workman Ave.

**Fairplex:** Park-and-Ride N of San Bernardino Fwy N (I-10) in Pomona, exit Fairplex Dr., go N, turn right on Gillette Rd.

**La Cañada:** Angeles Crest Hwy (Hwy 2), Just N of Foothill Fwy (I-210). Park on Angeles Crest Hwy only.

**Long Beach:** North side of E Atherton St (across from the CSULB Recycling Center) between N Britton Dr and Fanwood Ave in Long Beach.

**Malibu:** Malibu Civic Center. If lot not available, park on street. From Pacific Coast Hwy, N on Webb Way, R on Civic Center Way.

**Mount Baldy:** Park-and-Ride, NE corner of Mills Ave and Mt Baldy Rd. Baseline exit from I-210 Fwy, 0.6 mi W on Baseline, 1.1 mi N on Mills Ave, Claremont.

**Orange County, North:** Park-and-Ride, E side of Tustin Ave just S of Lincoln Ave, Orange.

**Orange County, South:** Ortega Plaza parking lot SE corner, Ortega Hwy/Rancho Viejo, San Juan Capistrano.

**Pacific Palisades:** Los Lions Dr at Sunset Blvd, 1/4 mi from PCH.

**San Fernando Valley:** West side of Balboa Blvd, north of Burbank Blvd, Encino.

**Santa Clarita:** Entrance to Ed Davis/Towsley Cyn Park. I-5 exit Calgrove, W to the Old Road, S to park entrance.

**South Bay:** East side of Vermont Ave, north of Artesia Blvd; use Artesia West exit from Harbor Fwy, Gardena.

**Sylmar:** Encinitas Ave, S of Roxford St; Roxford exit from Golden St Fwy (I-5).

**Tustin:** Redhill Ave on N side (fwy side) of Stater Bros Market, just SW of Redhill Ave exit from Santa Ana Fwy.

**Verdugo Hills:** Joslyn Adult Center, 1301 W Olive, Burbank. Park in rear lot next to Clark St.

**West LA:** Federal Building parking lot 11000 Wilshire Blvd, visitors section, Veteran S of Wilshire.

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