

## NATURALIST PROGRAMS

All programs are held at this Visitor Center unless otherwise noted. The Visitor Center is open weekends with exhibits and a sales area. Call for hours. For additional information contact us at (510) 544-3249 or [visit@ebparks.org](mailto:visit@ebparks.org).

Sunol-Ohlone Regional Wilderness, P.O. Box 82, Sunol, CA 94586  
Accommodation will be made for visitors with disabilities upon request.

Ⓟ Parking fee may apply

### OUTDOOR DISCOVERIES Ⓟ



Children 3-5 years and a parent or adult friend are invited to make adventurous discoveries in the wilderness together. We'll explore a different topic each week.

**Reg. Required:** 1-888-EBPARKS (1-888-327-2757). Fee: \$6 (non-res. \$8).

Wear grubby play clothes and closed-toed shoes that can get wet, muddy, painty and generally dirty. \$3 non-Outdoor Discoveries aged sibling if they participate in craft or food activities payable on the day of the program at the park. Class meets rain, shine and fire closure days unless otherwise notified.

### APRIL FOOLERY

#### Course # 23594

Katie Colbert

10-11:30, Thu, Apr 1

Can we fool Mother Nature? Maybe not, but let's see how plants and animals fool each other.

### THE HOLE TRUTH

#### Course # 23595

Katie Colbert

10-11:30, Thu, Apr 8

Holey moley! Who makes those "snake" holes anyway? Find out as we learn to explore these and other wilderness hideouts safely.



### PETALS AN POLLINATION

#### Course # 23596

Katie Colbert

10-11:30, Thu, Apr 15

Pow does the pollen go from bloom to bloom and why is the world abuzz about it? We'll delve into the reason for a flower today.



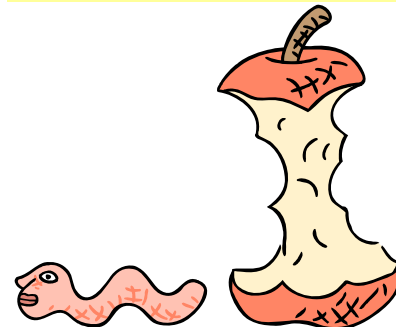
### EARTH (WORM) DAY

#### Course # 23597

Katie Colbert

10-11:30, Thu, Apr 22

Celebrate earth day with the tiny, mighty worm! Make life greener by creating a worm-composter to use at home for kitchen and garden waste. Bring 10 gallon plastic tub with lid and newspaper.



calendar of events

## 2<sup>nd</sup> ANNUAL PLEIN AIR PAINT OUT

### Ⓟ Course # 23704

Dino

8am-2:30pm or early bird 6:30am, Sat, Apr 3  
Join fellow artists for an open air paint-out in the wilderness! Let nature inspire you to capture the light, shadow and vibrant spring colors among stands of wildflowers. All two-dimensional mediums accepted. People's Choice Awards at day's end.

**Reg. Required:** 1-888-EBPARKS

(1-888-327-2757, option 2, 3)

Fee: \$15 (non-res. \$17), early-bird option \$20 (non-res. \$22)

### IMMERSE YOURSELF IN NATURE Ⓟ

Anthony Fisher

9-noon, Sun, Apr 11

Animal tracks, silence, mud, birds, scat, seeing, hearing, smelling. Includes 30 minutes of still sitting. Be prepared to exercise your attention. 10+ yrs

### FIRE! Ⓟ

#### Course #23702

Anthony Fisher

12-3pm, Sun, Apr 11

Ancient and more modern methods of firestarting, including hand drill, bow drill, flint and steel and more. Bring a lunch item to roast over our results. Ages 12+

**Reg. Required:** 1-888-EBPARKS

(1-888-327-2757, option 2, 3)

Fee: \$10 (non-res. \$12)

### MONDAY MORN WITH WILDFLOWERS Ⓟ

Interpretive Staff

9-11am, Mon, Apr 12

The hills and valleys are alive with springtime blooms. Learn wildflower identification and lore on this 1 1/2 mile ramble. 7+ yrs

### MAGUIRE PEAK-HIKE Ⓟ

Trail Gail

8am-2pm, Sat, Apr 17

Explore a hidden corner of Sunol, and view two reservoirs, woodlands, flowers and grasslands. To top it off (literally), you can make an ascent of Maguire Peaks summit(1688'). 11 miles. 7+yrs

### VALLEY NATURE RIDE Ⓟ

#### Course # 23649-50

Interpretive Staff

10-10:45am, Sun, Apr 4, 25

Enjoy an introduction to the cultural and natural history of Sunol Regional Wilderness, and then mount up for a horseback ride. 6+yrs.

**Reg. Required:** 1-888-EBPARKS

(1-888-327-2757, options 2, 1)

Fee: \$25 (non-res. \$29)



### \*\*\*\*\*OTHER PARKS\*\*\*\*\*

#### BRUSHY PEAK - HIKE Ⓟ

Brushy Peak

Trail Gail

8:30am-1pm, Sat, Mar 6

From Native Americans to the Bohemian Club, many have experienced this place. Today we'll walk, and explore just what makes it so special. Bring sack lunch & water. 7+yrs

#### MONDAY BIRDING Ⓟ

Various parks

Anthony Fisher

9-11:30am Mon, Apr 5, 19

Easy birding walks of ~2 miles, mostly flat terrain. **Apr 5:** Shadow Cliffs, you'll see me.

**Apr 19:** Arroyo Del Valle, parking lot at the end of Arroyo Rd, Livermore. Drop-in programs.



#### WOMEN ON COMMON GROUND Ⓟ

Various Parks

Katie Colbert

These are naturalist-led programs for women who love the outdoors but whose concern for personal safety keeps them from enjoying their own parks. For a complete schedule, contact (510) 544-3243, [kcolbert@ebparks.org](mailto:kcolbert@ebparks.org), or write Sunol Wilderness, P.O. Box 82, Sunol, CA 94586.

#### SUNRISE AND MOONRISE FROM FLAG HILL

Sunol

6-9:30am, Sun, Apr 4

Rise with the birds this morning for an invigorating uphill hike. Weather willing, we'll watch the sun dance for joy on a distant ridge top. We'll share a sunrise snack and wander back looking for wildflowers and other miraculous things. Reserve by noon, Thu, Apr 1.

