

NATURALIST PROGRAMS

(PROGRAMS MEET AT ENVIRONMENTAL EDUCATION CENTER UNLESS OTHERWISE NOTED)

The Tilden Nature Area is a 740 acre preserve containing 10 miles of hiking trails, a small lake, several ponds and the Little Farm. This area is ideal for nature study. We invite you to relax and enjoy this gentle place in your Regional Parks.

The Environmental Education Center is open Tues-Sun 10am-5pm. The exhibits tell the "Story of the Wildcat Creek Watershed." You can travel the imaginary journey down the length of the creek. The Little Farm is open daily; the best time to visit is 8:30am-3:30pm. There are no entry fees. For more information, call 510-544-2233 or e-mail tnarea@ebparks.org.

- Ⓟ Parking fee may apply
- ♿ Wheelchair accessible
- 📄 Online Registration available

Accommodation will be made for visitors with disabilities upon advance request. For assistance call 510-544-2233 or e-mail tnarea@ebparks.org



FAMILY RESTORATION DAY!!

Bethany Facendini, Naturalist

10:30am-Noon, Sun., Nov. 1

Join other families who care about the environment on this action-oriented program. Learn about nature's interrelationships through interactive games, and help remove invasive plants. Make a difference while having fun!
8+yrs



TILDEN NATURE THEATER ♿

Bethany Facendini, Naturalist

2-4pm, Sun, Nov. 1, 22

You bring your family and we'll supply the fun, naturally! Nature games, a movie, popcorn, and cider await you on this winter afternoon.

TUESDAYS FOR THE BIRDS

Bethany Facendini, Naturalist

7:30-9:30am, Tue., Nov. 3, 10, 17, 24

VARIOUS PARKS Share your enthusiasm for bird life on a tranquil walk through various Bay Area parklands! All levels of birding experience welcome. Call (510) 544-2233 for specific meeting locations. Bring water, field guides, and binoculars or scopes. Rain cancels.

Nov. 3 Cull Canyon Recreation Area

Nov. 10 Richmond Bay Trail – Landfill Loop ♿

Nov. 17 Martin Luther King Regional Shoreline – Garretson Point ♿

Nov. 24 Briones Regional Park – Bear Creek Staging Area

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COMPASS 101

L. Sanders, Interpretive Student Aide
2-3:30pm, Sat., Nov. 7

Learn the basics of reading a compass and using it to determine direction. Then help to build and follow your very own treasure hunt using these awesome new skills! 7+yrs



RAPTORS FROM RIDGES!

Bethany Facendini, Naturalist
10am-2pm, Sun., Nov. 8, 15

Calling all beginning and experienced birders who will soar to new heights on these strenuous 8-mile hikes in search of birds of prey. Bring sunscreen, water and a lunch.

Nov. 8 Crockett Hills Regional Park

**Nov. 15 Briones Regional Park – Bear
Creek Staging Area**

TILDEN TOTS

Course #22635 & #22636
Linda Yemoto, Naturalist

10-11:30am, Tue., Nov. 10; Thu., Nov. 12

Join an outdoor, nature adventure program for 3-4 year olds, each accompanied by an adult (grandparents welcome!) This month we'll search the Nature Area looking for signs of animals.

Reg. Required: 1-888-EBPARKS, (1-888-327-2757, option 2,3)

Fee: \$6 (non-res. \$8)

TILDEN EXPLORERS!

Course #22637 & #22638

Linda Yemoto, Naturalist

3:15-4:45pm, Tue., Nov. 10; Fri., Nov. 13

Join an after-school nature adventure for 5-7 year olds, who may be accompanied by an adult. No younger siblings please. We'll learn about the mammals that live in Tilden Park.

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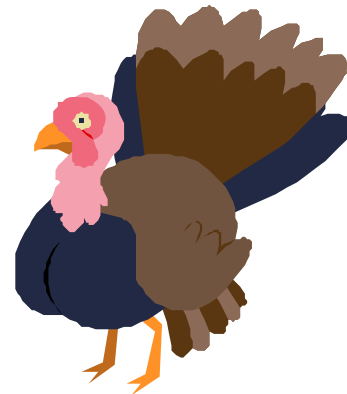
Fee: \$6 (non-res. \$8)

TURKEY GOBBLE GOBBLE &

Julia Anderson, Interpretive Student Aide

1:30-3pm, Sat., Nov. 14

Come out to the Little Farm to meet and greet those birds that go "gobble gobble." Learn about the different types of turkeys, their history, and create a turkey craft! 5+yrs



SPINNING A YARN STORYTELLING &

James Wilson, Naturalist

3-4:30pm, Sat., Nov. 14

Cozy up on the Little Farm to watch wool being spun and listen to a tale—probably a tall one! Discover the mesmerizing art of spinning wool.



TILDEN MINI-RANGERS

Course #22639

James Wilson, Naturalist
3:30-5:30pm, Tue., Nov. 17

Do you like hiking, conservation, and nature-based activities? This program is for you! It's designed for kids 8-12 years old, unaccompanied by parents. Dress to ramble and get dirty; bring a snack.

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

CLOSE THE FARM

Interpretive Staff

3:30-4:30pm, Sat., Nov. 21

Help us close the Little Farm and tuck the animals in for the night.

NATURE, NEWS, AND NOSH! ☿

Bethany Facendini, Naturalist

10-11am, Sun., Nov. 22

Come by to enjoy a fireside cup of coffee or hot cocoa while getting the latest information on wildlife sightings, thriving native plants, and treasured trails. Bring your own mug.

THE OVER-THE-HILLS-GANG

Tilden Park – Inspiration Point

Dave Zuckermann

10am-12:30pm, Tue, Nov 24

Hikers 55 years and older interested in nature study, history, fitness, and fun are invited to join this series of monthly excursions exploring the Regional Parks.

MINI FARMERS!

Course #22641

Interpretive Staff

10-11:30am, Sat., Nov. 28

A farm exploration program for kids ages 4-6 years. We'll explore the Little Farm, care for animals, and try some farm chores. Wear boots, and dress to get dirty!

Reg. Required: 1-888-EBPARKS, (1-888-327-2757, option 2,3)

Fee: \$6 (non-res. \$8)

WORKING WITH WOOL CRAFT ☿

James Wilson, Naturalist

2-3:30, Sat., Nov. 28

Watch as the spinning wheel turns carded wool into yarn. Have a whirl with a drop spindle and create a felted holiday ornament of your very own to take home!

FIRESIDE STORYTIME

L. Sanders, Interpretive Student Aide

10:30-11:30am, Sun., Nov. 29

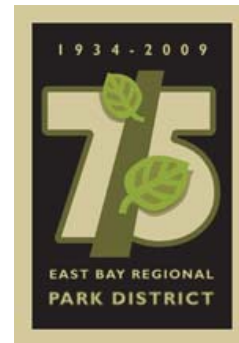
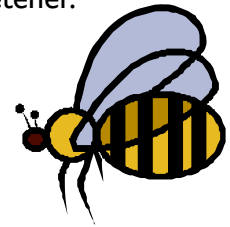
Come warm yourself by the fire and sip hot cocoa while listening to some nature stories.


THE BUZZZ ABOUT BEES

Morgan Evans, Interpretive Student Aide

2-3pm, Sun., Nov. 29

Come investigate the natural, cultural and culinary sides of honey. We'll learn how it's made, taste different varieties and enjoy a treat created with nature's sweetener.



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