COYOTE HILLS
NATURALIST PROGRAMS
MARCH 2020

All programs meet at this Visitor Center unless otherwise noted.

DISCOVERY DAYS ® ⚛
10:30am-3:30pm, Every Saturday & Sunday
Enhance your park adventure with hands-on exploration or crafts the whole family will enjoy. Come at 11:00am for an introduction to the topic of the week or participate at your own pace.

BIRD WALK ®
Quarry Lakes Regional Park
8-10am, Saturday, March 7
Kristina Parkison, Naturalist
The Bay Area bursts with bird life! New and experienced birders alike join us as we discover patterns of behavior, migration, and habitat. Meet at Isherwood Staging Area. 8+yrs.

CART OF CURiosITIES ® ⚛
1-2:30pm, Saturday, March 7
Kristina Parkison, Naturalist
The Curiosity Cart, filled with wonders of cultural and natural history, is hidden somewhere within the park. Find it and discover the secrets it shares!

SSNAKES, SSTORIES AND SSPIRALS ® ⚛
10-noon and 1-2:30, Sunday, March 8
Dino Labiste, Naturalist
Meet a snake that makes Coyote Hills its home. Learn about unique snake adaptations and how these slithering reptiles have become part of our folklore. Create a snake spiral craft to take home.

WEEKDAY BIRD WALK ®
Various Parks
7:30-9:30am, Tue, Mar 10, Garin (Meet at Visitor Center)
7:30-9:30am, Tue, Mar 24, Vargas Plateau Regional Park
Interpretive Staff
Share your enthusiasm for bird life on a tranquil walk through various Bay Area parklands! All levels of birding experience welcome. Bring water, sunscreen, and binoculars or scopes. 12+yrs.

PHLOWER PHOTOGRAPHY ® ⚛
9:30-11am, Saturday, March 14
Course #28116
Kristina Parkison, Naturalist & Don Jedlovec
Photographer Don Jedlovec teaches tips and tricks needed to get professional images of floral jewels in the Butterfly Garden. In addition, learn how to attract avian and insect pollinators to your garden. 12+yrs
Reg. Required: 1-888-327-2757

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HHPH Healthy Parks Healthy People programs offer low impact exercise.
OHLONE VILLAGE SITE TOUR
10-noon and 1:30-3:30, Sunday, March 1
1:30-3:30pm Saturday, March 14
Interpretive Staff
Walk one-half mile through vibrant marsh habitat to a more than 2,000-year-old Ohlone village site. Learn about Ohlone cultures, past to present. Tour a reconstructed shade structure, pit house and sweat house. Meet at the Visitor Center

AMAZING AMPHIBIANS
10-noon and 1-3pm, Sunday, March 15
Dino Labiste, Naturalist
Salamanders, frogs, and newts, oh my! Learn all about these fascinating creatures that live in water and on land. Join us on a walk to the marsh as we hear stories of adaptations and metamorphosis. Enjoy the chance to make your own frog craft. Parent participation required

CANINE CAPERS WALK
Garin Regional Park, Red Barn Visitor Center
9-11am, Saturday, March 21
Course #28306
Kristina Parkison, Naturalist
The restorative effect of spending time outdoors with a friend, furry or otherwise, is well-known! Join this monthly adventure to nurture our inner and outer-selves by exploring and learning about the natural world around us as we hike park trails. 8+yrs
Reg. Required: 1-888-327-2757

NECTAR GARDEN FUN DAY
Coyote Hills Nectar Garden
1-3pm, Saturday, March 21
Come face-to-face with a caterpillar, chrysalis, or butterfly during this drop-in program. Make a butterfly-themed gift and learn how to garden with plants that attract butterflies. Parent participation required

CORDAGE & PINE NUT BEAD MAKING
10-noon and 1:30-3:30pm, Sunday, March 22
Dino Labiste, Naturalist
The ability to twist, twine, or braid fibers into cordage allowed indigenous cultures to tie their world together. Learn the techniques of gathering, extracting, and plying fibers to create cordage. Practice the efficient method of leg rolling dogbane fibers and string some pine nut beads. 9+yrs. Parent participation required

WONDROUS WORLD OF ANIMAL SENSES
10-noon & 1:30-3:30pm, Sunday, March 29
Dino Labiste, Naturalist
Imagine sticking your tongue out to smell the air or tasting your dinner by walking on it. Sound strange? These are all part of how some animals sense their environment. Join us for activities and experiments as we learn about animal super senses.