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. The Environmental Education Center is open Tues-Sun from 10am-4:30pm. The Little Farm is open daily from 8:30am-4pm.

Program Key:

Parking fee may apply =
Wheelchair accessible =
Online registration =

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All programs meet at the Environmental Education Center unless otherwise noted. Accommodation will be made for visitors with disabilities upon advance request.

Programs requiring registration have a symbol after the program name. Use the listed course number when making reservations by phone (1-888-EBPARKS opt. 2) or at our registration website, ebparksonline.com. All other programs are drop-in only. For more information on drop-in programs call 510-544-2233 or email tnarea@ebparks.org

MONDAY BIRDING

Various Parks
Anthony Fisher
9am-noon, Mon, Apr 8, 15, 22 & 29
Birding for all!

Apr 8: Kennedy Grove, Hills!
Apr 15: Sobrante Ridge, Coach Drive, Hills.
Apr 29: Tilden Nature Area, meet at the visitor center, Hills.

THE OVER-THE-HILLS GANG

Various Parks
Anthony Fisher
10am-12:30pm, Tue, Apr 2 & 23

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.

April 2: Contra Loma, Large parking area near swim lagoon (parking fee)
April 23: Tilden Park, Steam Trains overflow lot – Search for flowers on this hilly walk.

CREATURE FEATURE

Interpretive Staff
10:30-11am, Every Sat in Apr

From reptiles to rabbits, cockroaches to cows, you’ll be amazed and mystified upon meeting our featured animal ambassador! Meet at the front desk in the visitor center.
COFFEE WITH THE BIRDS
Martha Arlette Cerda
1-2 pm, Sat, Apr 6
Join us for an afternoon coffee break and leisurely walk along the oak woodlands to see which birds are hanging out! Birders of all levels are welcome. We will have some binoculars to share, if you have your own pair, please bring them. Bring your own coffee mug, we will provide coffee or hot cocoa! 7+yrs. Parent participation required.

POWERFUL POLLINATORS
Melissa Fowlks
11:15-12:30pm, Sat Apr. 6 & 20
Peruse the garden, bask in the sun, and identify who and what a pollinator is, some of our local pollinator species might surprise you! Meet at the Kid's Garden.

FUN ON THE FARM
Interpretive Staff
2-3pm, Every Sat in Apr
Get the inside scoop on the latest happenings at the Little Farm! What are the chickens saying? Why are goats so cute? Meet on the Farm near the chicken coop.

SUNDAY STORYTIME
Interpretive Staff
10:30-11am, Every Sun in Apr
Gather 'round for a wonderful children's book read aloud. Meet at the front desk of the visitor center.
SOUNDS IN NATURE/SONIDOS EN LA NATURALEZA
Martha Arlette Cerda
3-4pm, Sat, Apr 13

The natural world is full of sounds all year round - from chirps, screeches, and buzzing, to drumming! Tune in to listen and appreciate some of the most beautiful sounds in nature in community. Each session we will explore different unexpected sounds heard across Tilden Nature Area. This program is bilingual in Spanish/English. All ages. Parent participation required.

Programa Bilingüe - ¡CURIOSAS CABRAS!
Paula Urtecho
10-11am, Sun, Apr 14

¿Quiénes son los animales más traviesos de La Granjita? ¡Las cabras, por supuesto! Ven a conocer nuestras cabras encantadoras, aprender sobre ellas y darles un paseo en correa. No hay registro, para info (510) 544-2233.

Who are the sassiest animals on the Little Farm? The goats, of course! Come and meet our charming goats, learn about them and take them on a leisurely stroll.

GARDEN HELPERS
Paula Urtecho
11am-Noon, Sun, Apr 14 & 28

There's plenty to do in the Spring Garden, from weeding to planting. Come and get your hands dirty – it's far more fun than it sounds!

TILDEN TOTS
Melissa Fowlks
10:30-11:30am, Wed, Apr 17

Bring the littlest ones to the park to explore! Do an activity, meet some animals, and listen along to a story. Meet outside the visitor center.
**WILDFLOWERS WITH A VIEW**
Tilden Regional Park – Steam Trains Overflow Parking Lot
Paula Urtecho
10am-12:30pm, Sun, Apr 21
There is quite a display of wildflowers on the Seaview Trail in the Spring! Shall we see what’s blooming while taking in sweeping views of the San Francisco Bay? Wear clothing layers and sturdy shoes. Hiking poles might be handy. Bring plenty of water and a snack.

**HIKE AND STORYTIME**
Various Parks
Melissa Fowlks
11am-12:30pm, Thu, Apr 25
Join Naturalist Melissa and Librarians Deborah & Sheila in nature exploration activities, and a themed Storytime. **Apr 25:** Tilden Nature Area. Meet at the Environmental Education Center (EEC).