



LOS SERENOS DE POINT VICENTE 2018 NATURE HIKES



Sunday, January 14, 2:00 PM ~ Abalone Cove Shoreline Park*

Tour the tide pools teeming with fascinating marine life. *Moderate to Strenuous*

Sunday, January 28, 1:00 PM ~ Abalone Cove Shoreline Park*

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Saturday, February 17, 10:00 AM ~ Ocean Trails Reserve (East Portal & Gnatcatcher Trails)

Walk through coastal sage habitat along the eastern bluff of the Reserve. Enjoy coastal views, see WW II sites and possible gray whale sightings. *Moderate*. (Park on La Rotonda Dr. at Twin Harbors View Dr.–1st left.)

Saturday, March 24, 9:00 AM ~ Forrestal Nature Reserve

Walk through coastal sage scrub habitat. Learn about the local geology. *Moderate to Strenuous* (park at gate on Forrestal Drive).



Saturday, April 14, 10 AM - 4 PM ~ Whale of a Day (at PVIC)

Fun, food, entertainment, education. On the grounds of PVIC. Bring the family and friends. FREE! (Parking at City Hall, 30940 Hawthorne Blvd. ~ also FREE.)

Saturday, April 21, 10:00 AM ~ McBride Trail (New)

Enjoy this easy walk along the McBride Trail, featuring spectacular panoramic views of the Palos Verdes Peninsula and Catalina Island. Learn about the native coastal sage scrub habitat along with a lesson on the rich history of the Palos Verdes area. (See parking instructions on map on back.)

NOTE: For those seeking a challenge, we will also be offering a strenuous docent-led hike on the Three Sisters Trail starting at the same location.



Saturday, May 5, 9:00 AM ~ Alta Vicente Reserve

Walk the Alta Vicente trail through coastal sage habitat. Enjoy the wild flowers, visit one of the original Japanese farms, and see WW II and cold war installations. *Moderate to Strenuous*. (Meet at the RPV City Hall)



Saturday, June 16, 9:00 AM ~ Ocean Trails Reserve (Lake View & Catalina Trails)

Walk the public trail system and enjoy the vistas and summer blooming habitat. *Moderate*. (Park & meet in lot at the end of La Rotonda Drive)



Saturday, July 14, 10:00 AM ~ PVIC / Vicente Bluff Reserve / PV Lighthouse

Join us for a tour of the Point Vicente Interpretive Center museum, the native plant garden and a walk along the spectacular bluff top at the Vicente Bluff Reserve followed by a tour of the Point Vicente Lighthouse hosted by the Coast Guard Auxillary. *Easy*.



Saturday, August 11, 10:00 AM ~ PVIC / Vicente Bluff Reserve / PV Lighthouse

Join us for a tour of the Point Vicente Interpretive Center museum, the native plant garden and a walk along the spectacular bluff top at the Vicente Bluff Reserve followed by a tour of the Point Vicente Lighthouse hosted by the Coast Guard Auxillary. *Easy*.



Saturday, September 15, 9 AM - NOON ~ Abalone Cove Shoreline Park* (Coastal Cleanup Day)

International Coastal Cleanup Day. Bring the family to help clean the beach. Gloves and trash bags provided.

Saturday, October 20, 10:00 AM ~ Ocean Trails Reserve (Sunrise/Sunset Trails)

Walk the switchback trail to the beach. Learn about local geology and fall blooming habitat. Stay to watch the sunset from beautiful Founders Park. *Moderate*. (Park to left of Trump National Club House in public lot at end of Trump National Drive.)



Saturday, November 24, 2:30 PM ~ Abalone Cove Shoreline Park*

Tour the tide pools teeming with fascinating marine life. *Moderate to Strenuous*.

Saturday, December 8, 2:30 PM ~ Abalone Cove Shoreline Park*

Tour the tide pools teeming with fascinating marine life. *Moderate to Strenuous*



*** Wear sturdy shoes as part of the walk will be on cobblestones. All events are free to the public and take approximately 2 hours. Wear sun protection and bring water. Any parking fees will be waived up to 45 minutes prior to the event and 30 minutes after. Call 310-544-5375 for more information and/or directions or visit our website at <http://www.losserenos.org>.**

[MAP ON BACK]

***NOTE: RAIN CANCELS A HIKE!**

The hikes are co-sponsored by the City of Rancho Palos Verdes.

**Following a rain, check trailalerts.rpvca.gov for closures*

Map showing McBride Trail -

Parking Instructions - Meet at the end of Ocean Terrace Dr. ~ Drive south on Highridge Rd., cross Crest Rd., then turn right on Ocean Terrace Dr and park at the end of the street.



Map showing RPV City Hall (Alta Vicente Reserve), Point Vicente Interpretive Center, and Abalone Cove Park



Map showing Forrestal Nature Reserve/Ladera Linda and Ocean Trails Reserve at Trump National Golf Club



NOTE: Maps are NOT to scale and are to be used as a guideline for the location of the parks.