

2nd Saturdays

january 13, 9 am

mcbride trail

Walk along the same rim trail that was the site of the Conservancy's very first nature walk 25 years ago with panoramic views over 191-acre Filiorium Reserve out to Catalina and beyond. Easy. RPV

february 10, 9 am

vicente bluff reserve

Follow the bluff top from Point Vicente to Oceanfront Estates, an area containing restored coastal sage scrub habitat. Great location for sighting whales. Easy. RPV

march 10, 9 am

linden h. chandler preserve

Experience this impressively restored 28-acre nature preserve with its lush oasis of riparian habitat and home for the rare Palos Verdes blue butterfly. Moderate. RHE

april 14, 9 am

forrestal reserve

Appreciate some of the best wildflower viewing and dramatic geological formations on the cliffs of this former basalt quarry. See the faults, folds and igneous intrusions visible in the sedimentary bedding. Moderate to strenuous. RPV

may 12, 9 am

white point nature preserve

View a premier example of our restoration of coastal sage scrub habitat and stop at a former gun emplacement to learn about the military history of the area. Don't miss the Nature Education Center with activities for the whole family. 2 1/2 hrs. Moderate. LA

White Point Nature Education Center & Preserve

1600 W Paseo Del Mar | San Pedro, CA 90731 | Tel: 310.561.0917

Hours: Wed, Sat & Sun 10 am - 4 pm

Third Wednesday Bird Walks: (Free-provided by Wild Birds Unlimited) 8:30 am

Nature Walks with Naturalist: Every third Saturday (Free) 9 am

Native Plant Sale: Every fourth Saturday 12 noon - 2 pm

Workshops & Presentations: Different topic each month - For dates and to RSVP: pvplc.org

George F Canyon Nature Center & Preserve

27305 Palos Verdes Drive East | Rolling Hills Estates, CA 90274 | Tel: 310.547.0862

Hours: Fri 1- 4 pm; Sat & Sun 10 am - 4 pm

First Saturday Family Hikes: Guided hikes through the canyon (Free) 9 am

Fourth Wednesday Bird Walks: (Free-provided by Wild Birds Unlimited) 8:30 am

Full Moon Hikes: Jul 28, Aug 24, Sep 21 and Oct 26. Must be age 9 and up (\$12 person).

For times and to RSVP: pvplc.org

june 9, 9 am

portuguese bend reserve

Hike Burma Road to Rattlesnake Trail. Enjoy views of Altamira Canyon. Strenuous. RPV

july 14, 4 pm

abalone cove tide pools

Visit the newly landscaped trails lined with drought tolerant plants and interpretive signage. Enjoy a walk down to explore the tide pools and pillow lava formations. Moderate. RPV

august 11, 9 am

friendship park

Take in some of the best harbor and Catalina views on the eastern side of the Peninsula. See habitat restored by the Conservancy for the Palos Verdes blue butterfly. Moderate. LACNTY

september 8, 9 am

pelican cove

Hike with us and admire picturesque ocean views and restored seaside buckwheat covered bluff tops that support the recovery of the rare El Segundo blue butterfly. Moderate. RPV

october 13, 9 am

alta vicente reserve

Explore 22-acre restoration site with cactus wren and gnatcatcher habitat with beautiful views of Catalina Island. Moderate to strenuous. RPV

november 10, 9 am

lower portuguese bend reserve

Follow Sandbox Trail ascending through grasses and low shrubs for nice views of the Pacific Ocean. Easy. RPV

december 8, 9 am

george f canyon

Wander along a willow filled canyon stream with coastal sage scrub restored habitat. Look down on the Peninsula's rare Catalina Schist from one of the few places you can see the rock exposed. Easy to moderate. RHE

january 12, 2019, 9 am

agua amarga reserve

Walk the trail, enjoy the view, and appreciate the results of many volunteers' trail and habitat restoration efforts in this quiet neighborhood canyon in the Agua Amarga Reserve. Moderate. RPV

Artists

Plein air artists will be painting on the preserves for the indicated walks.

Special event invitations are sent via email

To be added to our list and learn other ways to become involved in the Palos Verdes Peninsula Land Conservancy, please "join our mailing list" at pvplc.org.

2nd Saturdays

Join monthly outdoor walks held year-round for families, groups and individuals.

Led by naturalists, historians and geologists, all walks are family-oriented. Most are on dirt trails. Walks are usually one and a half to two hours. Longer walks are noted on the descriptions. Dogs on leash are welcome. Wear walking shoes with good traction and bring sun protection. Bring water. In case of rain, walks are cancelled. For more info: 310.541.7613 or visit www.pvplc.org to RSVP.

Preserve
Restore
Educate
Enjoy

Walkers A few "walk-only" groups will be led by expert trail users. Suited for those who wish to walk without interpretive stops.

2018 nature walks



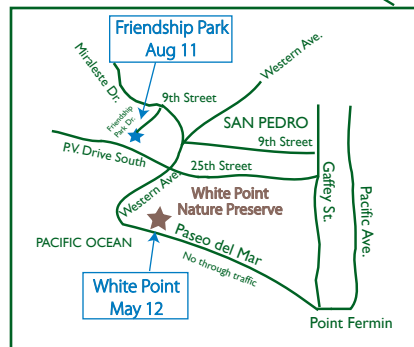
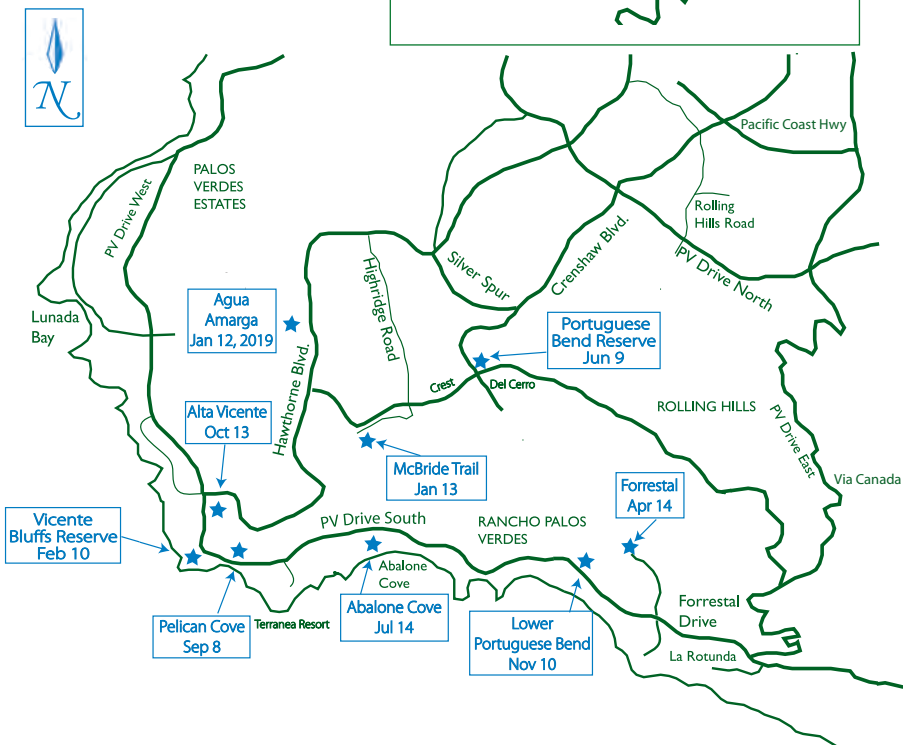
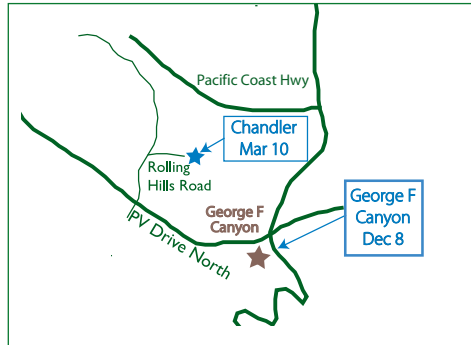
Nature Center Locations

White Point Nature Education Center and Preserve is located at 1600 W. Paseo del Mar, San Pedro, CA 90731, on the north side of Paseo del Mar off Western Avenue.
Telephone: 310.561.0917

George F Canyon Nature Center and Preserve is located at 27305 Palos Verdes Dr. East, Rolling Hills Estates, CA 90274 at the southwest corner of Palos Verdes Dr. East and Palos Verdes Dr. North. George F Canyon is owned by Rolling Hills Estates.
Telephone: 310.547.0862

Trail maps

Discover the preserves. View and download trail maps online at: pvplc.org



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Directions & Parking

January 13, 9 am McBride Trail – 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. RPV

February 10, 9 am Vicente Bluff Reserve – Park in dirt lot at Point Vicente in front of Lighthouse. 31501 Palos Verdes Dr. West, RPV

March 10, 9 am Linden H. Chandler Preserve - Parking instructions will be provided upon RSVP. RHE

April 14, 9 am Forrestal Reserve - Park along Forrestal Dr. or park in lot at Ladera Linda Community Center. Meet near gate. 32201 Forrestal Drive, RPV

May 12, 9 am White Point Nature Preserve – 1600 W. Paseo del Mar, San Pedro. Access available only from Western Ave. Follow Western Ave. to the ocean, then turn left onto Paseo del Mar. Drive 1/2 mile to parking lot on left. Meet at Nature Center. LA

June 9, 9 am Portuguese Bend Reserve – Parking details provided at www.pvplc.org or 310.541.7613.

July 14, 4 pm Abalone Cove tide pools - Park in lot at Abalone Cove Shoreline Park, 5970 Palos Verdes Dr. South across from Wayfarer's Chapel. The parking fee will be waived. RPV

August 11, 9 am Friendship Park - 1850 W. 9th Street, San Pedro. Drive up to the parking lot; entrance is near corner of Western and 9th. LACNTY.

September 8, 9 am Pelican Cove - Park in Pelican Cove parking lot located at 31300 Palos Verdes Dr. S, RPV

October 13, 9 am Alta Vicente Reserve - Park at Rancho Palos Verdes City Hall - 30940 Hawthorne Blvd, RPV

November 10, 9 am Lower Portuguese Bend Reserve - 4545 Palos Verdes Dr S, Rancho Palos Verdes, CA 90275. Please park in the dirt lot off Palos Verdes Drive South, west of Schooner Drive.

December 8, 9 am George F Canyon - 27305 Palos Verdes Dr. East, RHE. Park in lot. Additional parking available off Palos Verdes Dr. East near the intersection with Palos Verdes Dr. North, RHE

January 12, 2019 9 am Agua Amarga Reserve – On Hawthorne turn west onto Verde Ridge Rd, right on El Rodeo, left on King Harbor Rd. Park on street and meet at Rock Park Drive cul-de-sac.