



PACK 1015 HIKE
Coyote Hills Regional Park
Saturday, December 3, 2016
10am-12pm



Coyote Hills Regional Park is one of our local treasures! It's just a 30 minute drive from Alameda and has so much to offer. Come explore the park's sweeping Bay views and boardwalks through rich marshland. We'll see gorgeous water birds, learn about the Ohlone Indians, climb huge boulders, and see how many Cub Scouts we can fit in the branches of an enormous live oak tree.

The Coyote Hills Visitor Center has great dioramas and educational displays about the Ohlone Indians and local wildlife. There is also a beautiful bird and butterfly nectar garden adjacent to the Visitor Center. Come for the hike, then stay and explore as long as you want!

This is a moderately strenuous hike with some uphill climbing, and opportunities for both rock- and tree-climbing. Scouts should wear sturdy footwear.

Directions: We will meet at the Coyote Hills Regional Park Visitor Center at 10am. The park is located at 8000 Patterson Ranch Road, Fremont, CA 94555. The main entrance is at the west end of Patterson Ranch Road/Commerce Drive in Fremont. From I-880 South, take Highway 84 west, exit at Paseo Padre Parkway, turn right, and drive north about one mile. Turn left on Patterson Ranch Road. This is the park's entrance road and will take you to the visitor center. There is a \$5/vehicle entrance fee, so consider carpooling.

What to wear and bring:

- Wear Class A uniform or Scout T-shirts/sweatshirt
- Sturdy closed-toed shoes (sneakers or hiking shoes) with socks
- Long pants
- Warm layers or sunscreen/hat depending on the weather
- Water and a snack
- Binoculars

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When one tugs at a single thing in Nature, he finds it attached to the rest of the world . (John Muir)