

Other Field Trip Opportunities

Martha Walker Native Habitat Garden

This garden has been developed by the local California Native Plant Society and Skyline Park to show California native flora and fauna in an attractive garden setting. The garden also demonstrates awareness of plant community bio-systems. Educational groups admitted free. Call Skyline Wilderness Park 707-252-0481.

In the Marsh on Mare Island

In the Marsh on Mare Island is a free educator-led field trip for grades K-6. It actively involves students in hands-on, small group investigations into the habitats and wildlife of the North Bay. Phone 707-562-2473 for information and reservations.

The Sharpsteen Museum

The Sharpsteen Museum's permanent exhibits are designed to present the history of the upper Napa Valley with an emphasis on the people and changes brought by immigration and development. Admission is free for ages 12 and under. The museum is located in Calistoga. Hours are 11am-4pm Monday-Saturday. Visit the website at www.sharpsteen-museum.org. Phone 707-942-5911.

Silverado Museum

A unique museum that displays thousands of artifacts from Robert Louis Stevenson. Robert Louis Stevenson was the author of Treasure Island and Kidnapped. Hours are 12-4pm everyday except Monday. Admission is by donation. Location is 1490 Library Street, St. Helena. Phone 707-963-3757.

di Rosa Preserve: Art & Nature

With more than 2,100 works by some 800 Bay Area artists the di Rosa Preserve: Art & Nature spans more than 216 acres. Located in the heart of the Carneros region of Napa Valley, visual art in many forms is displayed in harmony with nature in a magnificent outdoor arena that includes an outdoor sculpture meadow, ancient olive grove, a 35-acre lake, hiking trails to the top of Milliken Peak and more. School and youth groups are discounted to \$3 per student and are offered October through May every Tuesday and Thursday at 9:30 am. In addition, tours are free every Wednesday at 9:30 am. Reservations are required. Please see our website: www.dirosapreserve.org. Phone 707-226-5991 for more information and reservations.

Useful Environmental Web Sites

FOR TEACHERS:

- Acorn Naturalists: www.acorn-group.com
Adopt-A-Watershed: www.adopt-a-watershed.org
Association for Environmental & Outdoor Education: www.aeoe.org
Bureau of Land Management: www.blm.gov (*look under Get Involved*)
California Integrated Waste Management Board: www.calrecycle.ca.gov/Education/
California Native Plant Society: www.cnps.org/cnps/education/
California Regional Environmental Education Community: www.creec.org
Care 2: www.care2.com
Center for Environmental Education: www.cee-ane.org
EE-Link: www.eelink.net
Environmental Protection Agency: www.epa.gov/teachers
Green Teacher: www.greenteacher.com
National Environmental Education & Training Foundation: www.neetf.org
North American Association for Environmental Education: www.naaee.org
Project Learning Tree: www.plt.org
U.S. Geological Survey: <http://education.usgs.gov/>
Water Education Foundation: www.water-ed.org

FOR KIDS:

- Bureau of Land Management: www.blm.gov (*look under Get Involved*)
California Integrated Waste Management Board: www.calrecycle.ca.gov/Kids
Earth's 911: www.earth911.org/master.asp
Earth Force: www.earthforce.org
Energy Quest: www.energyquest.ca.gov
Environmental Protection Agency: www.epa.gov/kids
Exploring the Environment: www.cotf.edu/ete
USDA: www.agclassroom.org/student/