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Hike: Solstice Canyon

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To Trail head: Drive North on Pacific Coast Highway. Turn Right on Corral Canyon Road. Drive about 0.2 mile and enter the gate to Solstice Canyon Park. There is fee for parking.

Hike: There are 5 designated trails there. Pick one or more which suits to your hiking level.

1. Dry Canyon Trail. Easy 1.2 miles. 150-foot waterfall.
2. TRW Loop Trail. Easy 1.5 miles. Hike through many oak trees. May see some woodpeckers, Peregrine Falcons, and Red Tailed Hawks.
3. Solstice Canyon Trail. Easy 2.1 miles. View some of Malibu's past history.
4. Rising Sun Trail. Moderate 3 miles. Scenic views of the ocean along the trail.
5. Sostomo Trail / Deer Valley Loop. Moderate to strenuous 7 miles. Breathtaking scenic view of Pacific Ocean.

Suggestion: Start by taking Solstice Canyon Trail and come back on the TRW Trail or the Rising Sun Trail.