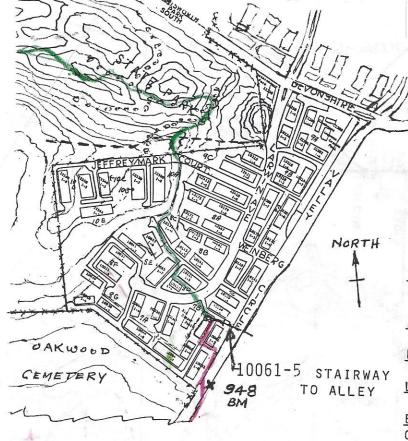
Hike SANTA SUSANA PASS HISTORIC STATE PARK TRAILS FROM D&D'S GARAGE IN ROCKPOINTE #413 Rescheduled DATE: 18 March 1998 GATHER at Before 0920

0900: Hot Chocolate/Coffee & Cookies? 0925: Photo Session 0930: Start HIKE DIRECTIONS: Use previous Flyer handed out/mailed for Hike of 2 February 1998. DISTANCE: Easy 6 or ?. ELEVATION LOSS less than ELEVATION GAIN: 940 to 960. LEADER: If a leader can be found; but otherwise the Wanderer will be followed.





GUIDE: AUTO CLUB MAP: SAN FERNANDO VALLEY AND THE MAP ON THE REVERSE SIDE.

SIMI HILLS HIKE FROM ROCKPOINTE

GATHER AT D&D'S DOLL HOUSE IN THE GARAGE ANY TIME BEFORE 0925. WHEN THE PHOTO SESSION BEGINS. ENTRY TO THE GARAGE VIA THE ALLEYWAY. HAVE A CUP OF COFFEE AND? AND TALK.

TRAILHEAD: WE WILL START AND END THE HIKE FROM THE GARAGE OF HEY! THAT IS WHERE DOROTHY & DAVID ENJOY ROCKPOINTE!

<u>DISTANCE</u>: WE WILL WANDER THROUGH THE HILLS FOR ABOUT SIX MILES OR MORE.

ELEVATION GAIN: ABOUT 460 TO 660 FEET

ELEVATION LOSS: ABOUT 440 OR 640 FEET

LEADER: WANDERER DAVID LILLBACK

EFFORT: EASY EXCEPT AT DEVIL'S SLIDE ON THE OLD STAGECOACH TRAIL CARVED OUT OF THE ROCK FACE OF THE HILLS IN 1860. NOW WEATHERED BOULDER STEPS.

DIRECTIONS: FROM THE INTERSTATE FREEWAYS I-5, I-210 OR I-405 EXIT ONTO THE WEST-BOUND STATE HWY 118. USE THE CAR POOL LANE UNTIL EXIT INDICATED FOR TOPANGA CANYON BLVD. TRAVEL SOUTH ON TOPANGA CANYON BLVD ABOUT 1.5 MILES. TURN RIGHT ONTO DEVONSHIRE STREET AND DRIVE WEST ABOUT 0.5 MILES TO VALLEY CIRCLE BLVD. GO STRAIGHT AND TURN LEFT ONTO LARWIN AVENUE. DRIVE PAST WEINBERG STREET AND FIND A PARKING PLACE NEAR THE BIG DIPPER POOL. THE ALLEY NEXT TO THE BIG DIPPER WILL LEAD TO THE GARAGE IN BACK OF TOWNHOUSE WHICH HAS TWO BLUE & WHITE STRIPED UMBRELLAS IN THE FRONT PATIO. YOU CAN COME THROUGH THE FRONT DOOR. IT WILL BE OPEN - NO ONE WILL HEAR THE BELL.

O.T.P.& OTHERS IN THE VALLEY; MAY USE LASSEN STREET TO THE INTERSECTION WITH VALLEY CIRCLE, BADEN AVENUE, ANDORA AVENUE AND THE ENTRANCE TO OAKWOOD. MAKE A SHARP RIGHT ONTO VALLEY CIRCLE. DRIVE UP TO WEINBERG STREET. TURN LEFT AND AGAIN LEFT ONTO LARWIN. PARK NEAR THE BIG DIPPER POOL OR PARK ON VALLEY CIRCLE BLVD NEAR THE STAIRWAY ON THE NORTHEAST SIDE OF 10061-5.

THE HIKE: MANY TRAILS IN THIS UNDEVELOPED STATE PARK LEAD TO NOWHERE. IN OUR WANDERINGS RED RIBBON STREAMERS WILL GUIDE THE O.T.P. TO GREATER HEIGHTS. FLOWERED RIBBON STREAMERS WILL BRING THE THIRSTY TO REFRESHMENTS & SNACKS.

WALK SOUTHWEST ALONG VALLEY CIRCLE PAST THE CEMETERY ENTRANCE TO THE GAP IN THE STATE PARK FENCING. RED STREAMERS WILL BE ATTACHED TO BUSHES ON THE LEFT. WHEN THERE ARE PARALLELING TRAILS BEAR TO THE LEFT UNLESS THERE ARE STREAMERS INDICATING DIFFERENTLY. [LATE ARRIVALS MAY CATCH UP THIS WAY].

HIKE ATTIRE: SHOULD THE WEATHER BE COOPERATIVE, SHORTS MAY BE WORN. THERE ARE NO THORNY BUSHES, NO POISON OAK OR OTHER NASTY GROWTHS. SHOULD THE DAY BEFORE WET THE BOULDERS, BE SURE TO WEAR BOOTS OR SHOES THAT WILL GRIP WELL.

COME AND ENJOY HAPPY WANDERING. DOROTHY WILL ENJOY SEEING YOU ALL.

