Place: La Jolla Canyon.

Date: 11/08/06 Time: 9:30 AM

Located approx 34 miles west (north) of Santa Monica on PCH. You must pass Sycamore Canyon before arriving at La Jolla Canyon.

Note: At this time, due to fire hazard, the parking lot is officially closed so you must park on PCH and walk in to the official closed parking lot.

## Hiking Alternatives:

- 1): To La Jolla Canyon "walk in" camp sites and "Andy Gump" toilets- approx 2 miles one way with 500 ft elevation gain.
- 2) Overlook Trail with other combinations-approx 6-8 miles round trip and 600-800 ft elevation gain.
- 3) Other trail combinations-5-6 miles with 500/800 ft elevation gains.

Trail maps will be provided the day of the hike.

The rest rooms are open and fresh water is available. On Sunday (10/29/06) there were many groups of hikers. By and large, the trails are dry and hard packed dirt. I hope to bring coolers to the picnic tables at the closed parking lot.

Your Intrepid Leader, Ron Piekunka.