



Guadalupe-Nipomo Dunes Center

1055 Guadalupe Street
Guadalupe, CA 93454
805-343-2455 x 201

Visitor Center Hours:
Wednesday through Sunday: 10am-4pm

Walks, Hikes, and Events Calendar ~ Summer 2009

Please check our website, www.dunescenter.org, for the most up-to-date information.

Hikes and Walks

Saturday June 20th 10am-12pm Dunes Center Education Station

Dunes Center docents will be stationed on the Oso Flaco Lake Bridge to discuss skulls, scats, and tracks with guests of all ages; we especially encourage families to join us for an interactive activity. **OF J S/W B/C E**

Saturday, June 20th at 10am: Guadalupe City Walk and Talk

Meet at the Dunes Center and join Shirley Boydston, Guadalupe Historical Society Member, for this fascinating walking tour of our historic small town. Expect an enthralling hour with this longtime Guadalupe resident. **DC J E**

Sunday, June 28th at 3pm: Dunes Center Book Club

Join the Dunes Center Book Club around the fireplace at the Dunes Center to discuss *Through Indian Eyes* by Alvin Josephy. **DC**

Saturday, July 11th from 10am to 12:30pm: Dunes Cleanup at Pismo State Beach Dunes Preserve

Following the Fourth of July, there is often a lot of litter in our parks. We are organizing a group to go out into this beautiful part of the dunes to pick some of it up. If you are interested, please contact the Dunes Center, 805.343.2455 or info@dunescenter.org.

Sunday, July 12th at 6:30pm Dunes Photography Hike

Photographer and Dunes Center docent Jules Reuter will guide you to capture unique shadows, textures, and images of the dunes. Bring a camera (point and shoot or SLR), tripod, and your Edward Weston persona. Wind, rain, and fog cancel. Please check the Dunes Center website, www.dunescenter.org, for the latest hike information. **PDR J S/W C E**

OF – Oso Flaco Lake, 3 miles north of Guadalupe on Hwy 1 then 3 miles west on Oso Flaco Lake Road

NWR – National Wildlife Refuge 3 miles north of Guadalupe on Hwy 1 then 2.5 miles west on Oso Flaco Lake Road turn south on Beigle Road

RGDP – Rancho Guadalupe Dunes Preserve, end of West Main Street (Hwy 166)

DC – Dunes Center

PDR – Pacific Dunes Ranch & RV Resort, 1207 Silver Spur Place, Oceano

Effort: E = Easy, M = Moderate, S = Strenuous

Bring: S/W = Snack/Water, SL = Sack Lunch, J = Jacket, B/C = Binoculars/Camera, \$\$ = Parking Fee

Saturday, July 18th 10am-12pm Dunes Center Education Station

Dunes Center docents will be stationed on the Oso Flaco Lake Bridge to discuss skulls, scats, and tracks with guests of all ages; we especially encourage families to join us for an interactive activity. **OF J S/W B/C E**

Saturday, July 25th at 10am: Guadalupe City Walk and Talk

Meet at the Dunes Center and join Shirley Boydston, Guadalupe Historical Society Member, for this fascinating walking tour of our historic small town. Expect an enthralling hour with this longtime Guadalupe resident. **DC J E**

Wednesday, August 5th at 6pm: Full Moon Dune Walk at Oso Flaco Lake

Join Dunes Center staff members and volunteers on a full moon walk at this beautiful natural area. We will walk out to the beach as the sun sets and return to the parking area in the moonlight. Families with children welcome. Please bring a flashlight. **OF J S/W B/C E**

Sunday, August 9th at 3pm: The Dunes Center Book Club

The Book Club will discuss *Alex & Me: How a Scientist and a Parrot Uncovered a Hidden World of Animal Intelligence ---and Formed a Deep Bond in the Process* by Irene Pepperberg Subtitle.

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Saturday, August 22nd at 10am: Guadalupe City Walk and Talk

Meet at the Dunes Center and join Shirley Boydston, Guadalupe Historical Society Member, for this fascinating walking tour of our historic small town. Expect an enthralling hour with this longtime Guadalupe resident. **DC J E**

Saturday, August 29th, 10am-12pm Dunes Center Education Station

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Friday September 4th at 5:30pm: Full Moon Hike, Location TBD.

Join Dunes Center staff members and volunteers on a full moon walk location TBD. Families with children welcome. Please bring a flashlight. **OF J S/W B/C E**

Sunday, September 20th at 3pm: The Dunes Center Book Club

Krakatoa--The Day the World Exploded, by Simon Winchester ---our discussion will be on September 20.

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Friday, October 9th, 12pm Shotgun Start, The Dunes Center's 3rd Annual Coreopsis Cup Golf Tournament at Monarch Dunes Golf Course in Nipomo, CA.

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