



# EMERSON HIKING & OUTINGS

DATES/TIMES FOR EUUC MEET-UP	COORDINATORS FOR ACTIVITY SHOWN IN PARENTHESES
<b>JANUARY 23</b> Saturday / 8:00 AM	<b><u>HIKE: Ahmanson Ranch (Upper Las Virgenes Cyn. Open Space Preserve)</u></b> Hike in Ahmanson Ranch area starting from Las Virgenes Canyon Road. 5 mi. round trip; dogs permitted on leash. (Heather Medvitz)
<b>FEBRUARY 20</b> Saturday / 8:00 AM	<b><u>HIKE: Mugu Peak</u></b> Hike up Mugu Peak from the ocean side. Giant coreopsis may be in bloom. Typically great views from the peak. 4 mi. round trip. (Dave Margerum)
<b>MARCH 6</b> Saturday / 8:00 AM	<b><u>HIKE: Malibu Creek to Rock Peak</u></b> Hike the Backbone Trail west from Malibu Canyon Road to Rock Peak (elev. 2,049 ft.). Enjoy the wildflowers and explore fossils just below Rock Peak. 5 mi. round trip. (Dave Margerum)
<b>MARCH 20</b> Saturday / 8:00 AM <i>Adventure Pass for cars</i>	<b><u>OUTING: Anacapa Island Boat Trip (Channel Islands National Park)</u></b> Boat trip to Anacapa Island. Whale watching, walks around the island: enjoy the flowers, birds, cliffs, etc. (Jon Fish) [Advanced payment required by February 20 for group rates of \$41 per adult and \$28 per child.]
<b>APRIL 10</b> Saturday / 8:00 AM <i>Adventure Pass for cars</i>	<b><u>HIKE: Sturtevant Falls &amp; Spruce Grove Trail Camp (San Gabriel Mtns.)</u></b> A short hike to the impressive Sturtevant Falls, which drop about 50' nearly straight down into a pond, then up to Spruce Grove Trail Camp. About 8 mi. round trip. (Dave Margerum)
<b>APRIL 24</b> Saturday / 8:00 AM	<b><u>HIKE: Chatsworth - Old Stagecoach Road</u></b> Hike Chatsworth Stagecoach trail, above Chatsworth Park. Great historical hike, sandstone rock formations, impressive city views. Dogs permitted on leash. About 5 mi. round trip. (Phil Davis)
<b>MAY 15</b> Saturday / 8:00 AM	<b><u>HIKE: Solstice Canyon Trail</u></b> Hike Solstice Canyon trails: 2.6 mi. RT to Keller house and the tropical terrace waterfall, with another optional 4 mi. loop on the Sostomo Trail. (Paul Markowitz)
<b>JUNE 12</b> Saturday / 8:00 AM <i>Adventure Pass for cars</i>	<b><u>HIKE: Cooper Canyon to Buckhorn Camp (Angeles Natl. Forest)</u></b> Hike Cooper Canyon to Buckhorn Camp: looking for "new" wild flowers in the burn area. 5 miles round trip; 900' elevation loss and gain at (Dave Margerum)
<b>JULY 17</b> Saturday / 8:00 AM <i>Adventure Pass for cars</i>	<b><u>HIKE: Mt. Pinos (Los Padres National Forest)</u></b> Hike to Mt. Pinos (3 mi. RT) and explore the adjacent hills to the west. It is a total of 9 mi. RT to the camp area; we will be hiking at 8,300 ft. elev. (Dave Margerum)
<b>AUGUST (TBD)</b> Saturday Afternoon/Evening <i>Advanced Reservations</i>	<b><u>OUTING: Concert at Disney Hall</u></b> A concert at Disney Hall, featuring public transportation via the Orange and Red Lines, and "Orchestra View" (behind the orchestra!); carpool options for those who prefer driving. Details forthcoming as Disney Hall's 2010 schedule is announced. Will require reservations and pre-payment. (Jon Fish)
<b>SEPTEMBER 17-19</b> Friday – Sunday <i>Advanced Reservations</i>	<b><u>OUTING: Weekend in Mammoth/Virginia Lakes Area (Mono County, CA)</u></b> Sleeping accommodations for up to 9 guests provided by the Hakes and Zetterbaums. Hikes, etc. will be planned by the group. Enjoy the Fall (8000' elevation) mountain weather. (Audrey Hake and Martha Zetterbaum)
<b>OCTOBER 8-10</b> Friday through Sunday <i>Advanced Reservations</i>	<b><u>OUTING: UU Cluster Weekend at Camp deBenneville Pines</u></b> Join many Emersonians and fellow UUs from the San Fernando Valley and beyond, in the annual 3-day UU Cluster Weekend at Camp deBenneville Pines (San Gorgonio Mts). Choice of several great hikes on Saturday; many other activities for adults and children alike.
<b>NOVEMBER</b>	<b><i>Event details to be announced.</i></b>