

Saturday, February 10, 2018

Animal Olympics Family Walk

9:00 am – 11:00 am

The Richard and Donna O'Neill Conservancy

Think you are stronger than an ant? Or faster than a rabbit? Find out how your abilities measure up to the amazing animals of Orange County and even meet some of our animal friends!

Activities and craft geared for ages 6 - 11 years, but all ages (6 and up) are welcome to participate.

Ages: 6 and up

Adult: \$5.00

Child: \$5.00

Supporter: Free

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Saturday Trail Clearing and Weeding

8:00 am – 11:30 am

The Richard and Donna O'Neill Conservancy

Volunteer to spend a few hours in beautiful surroundings helping make The Reserve trails accessible to our visitors. Join the crew dedicated to protecting our native ecosystems by maintaining trails and eliminating weeds. Volunteer efforts make an impact! Drinks and snacks provided. (BRING: Work gloves if you have them).

Ages: 10 and up

Volunteers: Free

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Saturday, February 17, 2018

Astronomy Night

Orange County Stars

6:30 pm – 8:30 pm

The Richard and Donna O'Neill Conservancy

Visitors traveling to sparsely populated areas are usually delighted to discover how many more stars are visible than at home. If you've not yet caught a glimpse of the Milky Way, come out to *The Reserve* for Astronomy Night where you can still view many more celestial phenomena than elsewhere in urbanized Orange County!

Enjoy an evening outdoors, as you gaze into the heavens, learn the constellations, and peer through the telescopes of our volunteer astronomers. *Reserve* astronomers are all volunteers who enthusiastically share their telescopes and expert sky knowledge with you. (BRING: Warm clothing, Red cellophaned flashlight, binoculars, optional beach chair.)

Ages: 8 and up

Adult: \$10.00

Child: \$5.00

Supporter: Free

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Tuesday, February 20, 2018

Lecture: Wildflowers from A to Z – (Almost) Everything You Want to Know about Local Native Wildflowers

7:00 pm – 8:30 pm

Guest House in Rancho Mission Viejo

After winter rains, The Reserve teems with an endless array of wildflowers. Join us as botanist Tony Bomkamp presents interesting facts (with photos) about many of the most picturesque wildflowers popping up along our hillsides and in our back country.

Ages: 8 and up

General Admission: Free

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Saturday, February 24, 2018

Shooting Stars Wildflower Walk

8:00 am – 11:00 am

The Richard and Donna O'Neill Conservancy

Local wildflower expert Bob Allen will lead an exploration of The Reserve looking for early wildflowers like the Padre Shooting Star. Learn to identify blooms and savor the smells, sights, sounds and breathtaking beauty of winter.

Ages: 8 and up

Adult: \$10.00

Child: \$5.00

Supporter: Free

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