

CANYON VIEW TRAIL

TUESDAY,

MARCH 5, 2024

DIFFICULTY: Easy

ELEVATION CHANGE: Some easy ups and downs. Starting elevation, approx. 1200 ft.

HIKE DISTANCE: Between 3 and 4 miles

GENERAL LOCATION: Auburn

DESCRIPTION: A short drive and a short, but beautiful hike. The Preserve was purchased by Placer Land Trust in 2003 and the 1st trails opened in 2013. The area is full of oaks, pines, a tiny stream and a brief view of the Sierras. The trails are packed dirt and dip into canyons so there are some gradual downs and ups. We will start the hike with a 30 minute hike beside the Auburn Canal. We will have a snack break to get fueled up for the ascent back to the cars.

TRAVEL TIME/DISTANCE: 30 minutes driving time and 16 miles one way. A donation of \$4 is suggested for riders. Driving directions — see below and print before coming to the hike, if driving.

HIKE LEADER: Barb Proffitt **SWEEP:** Chris Gomes

SPECIAL NOTES:

FACILITIES: No bathrooms at the trailhead. We will use the bathrooms at Orchard Creek or the Fitness Center before leaving Lincoln Hills.

PREPARATION FOR HIKE:

- 1) If you have any health issues, please consider your condition before hiking.
- 2) Bring a copy of your ID (driver's license), health card, and an emergency contact name and phone number with you on the hike.
- 3) Always bring 2 pairs of shoes, along with a plastic bag to store your dusty hiking boots after the hike.
- 4) Bring water, a snack (no lunch needed), and hiking boots or athletic shoes.

RISKS: Too much fun

QUESTIONS: Call Barb

MEETING TIME: 8:45 AM **LEAVING TIME:** 9:00 AM

Driving Directions to Canyon View Trailhead

Take Sierra College Blvd. and turn left onto English Colony Way to Taylor. Turn left onto Taylor and drive until you reach Hwy. 80. Drive east on 80 to Auburn.

Exit #122 Bowman and turn right to the stop sign, then an immediate left onto Lincoln Way, and then an immediate left and park at the Park-n-Ride Lot. The trailhead is across the street from the lower end of the Park-n-Ride.