TRAIL MAINTENANCE SCHEDULE SEPTEMBER 2007 thru JANUARY 2008

SANTA MONICA MOUNTAINS TRAILS COUNCIL

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JOIN US!! ALL VOLUNTEERS INVITED - NO EXPERIENCE NECESSARY!!

- Call the listed leader to receive specific information about the trail and meeting place and to answer your questions.
 PLEASE let the leader know in advance of your intention to participate so that enough tools will be available.
 A parent or organization group leader must accompany volunteers under the age of 18.
- <u>Meeting places and times vary</u> as noted on the schedule below, and are <u>subject to change</u>, make sure when you call that you confirm the meeting time and place. We plan to end work at 2pm at the trailhead, please tell the leader when you call if you need to leave earlier. Keep in mind we often car pool, shuttle or hike to the actual work site.
- General information: Linda Palmer at 818-222-4531. If you can't reach the leader call Burt Elliott at 805-498-2475.
- **BRING**: water, lunch, work gloves, long sleeve shirt and eye protection. Sturdy shoes or boots and long pants <u>required</u>. We provide trail maintenance tools such as McLeods, Pulaskis, loppers, saws and mattocks.

9/1/07 8:30am Saturday FOSSIL TRAIL, PT. MUGU STATE PARK

Leader: Al Bandel 805-526-0970 Meet at Wendy Dr & Potrero Rd in Newbury Park for shuttle. From the 101 Freeway take Wendy Rd south to the end of the road at Potrero Rd.

9/8/07 8:30am Saturday MALIBU NATURE PRESERVE - Pepperdine Step Forward Day

Leader: Jerry Mitcham 805-492-6522 Meet at 33905 Pacific Coast Highway, one mile east of Leo Carrillo State Park. Based on predicted turnout of students Jerry will need at least 5 crew leaders to help direct the effort. This will be a short work day.

9/15/07 8:30am Saturday BONEY TRAIL (EAST OF SYCAMORE CYN), POINT MUGU STATE PARK

Leader: Pete Warden 805-277-3606 Meet at Wendy Dr & Potrero Rd in Newbury Park for shuttle. From the 101 Freeway take Wendy Rd south to the end of the road at Potrero Rd.

9/19/07 8:30am Wednesday HIDDEN POND TRAIL, POINT MUGU STATE PARK

Leaders: Tom Siebert 805-987-3437 / Norm Simmonds 805-523-7250 Meet at Wendy Dr & Potrero Rd in Newbury Park for shuttle. From the 101 Freeway take Wendy Rd south to the end of the road at Potrero Rd.

9/22/07 8:30am Saturday DEER LEG TRAIL TO MALIBU LAKE VISTA, MALIBU CREEK STATE PARK

Leader: Greg Sweel 310-452-4443 Meet at Reagan barn in the park. Enter via maintenance road just south of intersection of Mulholland and Cornell.

9/29/07 8:30am Saturday SPECIAL CONEJO OPEN SPACE PROJECT and CLU SERVICE DAY

Leader: Jerry Mitcham 805-492-6522 Contact Jerry for directions to the meeting place. All volunteers are welcome to help.

10/6/07 8:30am Saturday PROJECT WILL BE DETERMINED BY NEED

Leader: Al Bandel 805-526-0970 Contact Al for directions to the project meeting place.

10/13/07 7:30am Saturday 17TH Annual CONEJO OPEN SPACE TRAIL WORK DAY

Leader for SMMTC: Burt Elliott 805-498-2475 Meet at Conejo Community Center Park in Thousand Oaks. Exit 101 Freeway on Lynn Rd. north, right on Gainsborough Rd., right at the Conejo Valley Botanic Garden sign (just past the 7th Day Adventist Church). Breakfast snack. Thank you Bar-B-Que after the work. This is a great event with many volunteers.

10/17/07 8:30am Wednesday HIDDEN POND TRAIL, POINT MUGU STATE PARK

Leaders: Norm Simmonds 805-523-7250 / Tom Siebert 805-987-343 Meet at Wendy Dr & Potrero Rd in Newbury Park for shuttle. From the 101 Freeway take Wendy Rd south to the end of the road at Potrero Rd.

10/20/07 8:30am Saturday NICHOLAS FLAT, LEO CARRILLO STATE PARK

Leader: Tom Siebert 805-987-3437 Meet at the pull-out for the Malibu Springs Trail at the top of the hill before the end of Decker School Rd (not Lane). Joint project with the Sierra Club Task Force.

10/27/07 8:30am Saturday NICHOLAS FLAT, LEO CARRILLO STATE PARK

Leader: Norm Simmonds 805-523-7250 Meet at the pull-out at the top of the hill before the end of Decker School Rd.

11/3/07 8:30am Saturday BACKBONE TRAIL – CHAMBERLAIN TRAIL, PT. MUGU STATE PARK

Leader: Burt Elliott 805-498-247 Meet at Wendy Dr & Potrero Rd in Newbury Park for shuttle. From the 101 Freeway take Wendy Rd south to the end of the road at Potrero Rd.

NOTE: This will be an extra long day due to the long hike to get to the work area. Plan to be back at the vehicles by 4 PM.

11/10/07 8:30am Saturday MALIBU SPRINGS TRAIL, NPS

Leader: Barry Dydyk 805-499-5627 Meet on Mulholland Hwy. about 3 miles from PCH. There is a small parking area so car pooling may be required, call the leader. Note: This is **not** the Malibu Springs Trail off Decker School Road.

11/14/07 8:30am Wednesday HIDDEN POND TRAIL, POINT MUGU STATE PARK

Leaders: Tom Siebert 805-987-3437 / Norm Simmonds 805-523-7250 Meet at Wendy Dr & Potrero Rd in Newbury Park for shuttle. From the 101 Freeway take Wendy Rd south to the end of the road at Potrero Rd.

11/17/07 8:30am Saturday LA JOLLA VALLEY LOOP TRAIL, PT. MUGU STATE PARK

Leader: Virginia Grue 805-493-4010 Meet at Chumash Trailhead across from gunnery range.

11/24/07 8:30am Saturday (NOTE LOCATION CHANGED FROM ORIGINAL SCHEDULE) FOSSIL AND OLD BONEY TRAILS, POINT MUGU STATE PARK Leader: Norm Simmonds 805-523-7250 Meeting place is same as 11/14/07 project.

12/1/07 8:30am Saturday PROJECT WILL BE DETERMINED BY NEED

Leader: Dave Edwards 805-985-3728 Contact Dave for directions to the meeting place.

12/8/07 8:30am Saturday BACKBONE TRAIL - RAY MILLER TRAIL, POINT MUGU STATE PARK

Leader: Virginia Grue 805-493-4010 Meet in La Jolla Canyon day parking lot. Be sure to get a trail worker card to display on the dashboard or you will get a parking ticket. Joint project with the Sierra Club Task Force.

12/15/07 8:30am Saturday BACKBONE TRAIL - HONDO CANYON (LOWER), TOPANGA STATE PARK

Leader: Greg Sweel 310-452-4443 Meet at the trailhead on Old Topanga Canyon Road about ½ mile NW from the junction with Topanga Canyon Blvd.

12/19/07 8:30am Wednesday HIDDEN POND TRAIL, POINT MUGU STATE PARK

Leaders: Norm Simmonds 805-523-7250 / Tom Siebert 805-987-343 Meeting place is same as 11/14/07 project.

12/22/07 8:30am Saturday PROJECT WILL BE DETERMINED BY NEED

Leader: Burt Elliott 805-498-2475 Contact Burt for directions to the meeting place.

12/29/07 8:30am Saturday BONEY TRAIL (EAST OF SYCAMORE CYN), POINT MUGU STATE PARK

Leader: Liz Baumann 805-277-3606 Meet at Wendy Dr & Potrero Rd in Newbury Park for shuttle. From the 101 Freeway take Wendy Rd south to the end of the road at Potrero Rd.

1/5/08 8:30am Saturday BACKBONE TRAIL - LOWER SADDLE PEAK TRAIL, MALIBU CREEK S.P.

Leader: Casey Gonzalez 323-222-4600 Meet at the pullout on Piuma Road about 3 miles from Las Virgenes Road. Joint project with the Sierra Club Task Force. Be careful crossing oncoming traffic to access the parking.

1/12/08 8:30am Saturday BASIC TRAIL MAINTENANCE WORKSHOP given by FRANK PADILLA

Contact Burt Elliott 805-498-2475 or Jerry Mitcham 805-492-6522 to register. Meet at the Malibu Creek State Park District Administration Building. Tell the attendant that you are there for the Trail Maintenance Workshop and get a parking pass and directions. Program will include classroom and field demonstration work so dress accordingly. Lunch will be provided.

1/16/08 8:30am Wednesday HIDDEN POND TRAIL, POINT MUGU STATE PARK

Leaders: Tom Siebert 805-987-3437 / Norm Simmonds 805-523-7250 Meet at Wendy Dr & Potrero Rd in Newbury Park for shuttle. From the 101 Freeway take Wendy Rd south to the end of the road at Potrero Rd.

1/19/08 8:30am Saturday GUADALASCA TRAIL, POINT MUGU STATE PARK

Leader: Pete Warden 805-277-3606 Meet at Wendy Dr & Potrero Rd in Newbury Park for shuttle. From the 101 Freeway take Wendy Rd south to the end of the road at Potrero Rd. This will be a joint project with CORBA.

1/26/08 8:30am Saturday LA JOLLA VALLEY LOOP TRAIL, POINT MUGU STATE PARK

Leader: Tom Siebert 805-987-3437 Meet in La Jolla Canyon day parking lot. Be sure to get a trail worker card to display on the dashboard or you will get a parking ticket.

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