

# TILDEN NATURE AREA

## APRIL 2024 NATURALIST PROGRAMS

All programs meet at the environmental Education Center unless otherwise noted. Accommodation will be made for visitors with disabilities upon advance request.

Programs requiring registration have a 📍 symbol after the program name. Use the listed course number when making reservations by phone (1-888-EBPARKS opt. 2) or at our registration website, [ebparks.com](http://ebparks.com). All other programs are drop-in only. For more information on drop-in programs call 510-544-2233 or email [tnarea@ebparks.org](mailto:tnarea@ebparks.org)

### THE OVER-THE-HILLS GANG

Various Parks

Anthony Fisher

10am-12:30pm, Tue, Apr 2 & 23

Hikers 55 years and older interested in nature study, history, fitness, and fun are invited to join this series of monthly excursions exploring the Regional Parks.

**April 2:** Contra Loma, Large parking area near swim lagoon (parking fee)

**April 23:** Tilden Park, Steam Trains overflow lot – Search for flowers on this hilly walk.



### CREATURE FEATURE

Interpretive Staff

10:30-11am, Every Sat in Apr

From reptiles to rabbits, cockroaches to cows, you'll be amazed and mystified upon meeting our featured animal ambassador! Meet at the front desk in the visitor center.



### FUN ON THE FARM

Interpretive Staff

2-3pm, Every Sat in Apr

Get the inside scoop on the latest happenings at the Little Farm! What are the chickens saying? Why are goats so cute? Meet on the Farm near the chicken coop.



### POWERFUL POLLINATORS

Melissa Fowlks

11:15-12:30pm, Sat Apr. 6 & 20

Peruse the garden, bask in the sun, and identify who and what a pollinator is, some of our local pollinator species might surprise you!

Meet at the Kid's Garden.

### The Tilden Nature Area

is a 740-acre preserve containing 10 miles of hiking trails, a small lake, several ponds and the Little Farm. This area is ideal for nature study. The Environmental Education Center is open Tues-Sun from 10am-4:30pm. The Little Farm is open daily from 8:30am-4pm.

### Program Key:

🅑 = Parking fee may apply

♿ = Wheelchair accessible

📍 = Online registration

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## MARCH-APRIL 2024 NATURALIST PROGRAMS



### COFFEE WITH THE BIRDS

Martha Arlette Cerda

1-2 pm, Sat, Apr 6

Join us for an afternoon coffee break and leisurely walk along the oak woodlands to see which birds are hanging out! Birders of all levels are welcome. We will have some binoculars to share, if you have your own pair, please bring them. Bring your own coffee mug, we will provide coffee or hot cocoa!

7+yrs. Parent participation required.



### SUNDAY STORYTIME

Interpretive Staff

10:30-11am, Every Sun in Apr

Gather 'round for a wonderful children's book read aloud. Meet at the front desk of the visitor center.



### SOUNDS IN NATURE/ SONIDOS EN LA NATURALEZA

Martha Arlette Cerda

3-4pm, Sat, Apr 13

The natural world is full of sounds all year round - from chirps, screeches, and buzzing, to drumming! Tune in to listen and appreciate some of the most beautiful sounds in nature in community. Each session we will explore different unexpected sounds heard across Tilden Nature Area. This program is bilingual in Spanish/English.

All ages. Parent participation required.



(en español) 3-4pm, Sáb, 13 de abril

¡El mundo natural está lleno de sonidos durante todo el año - desde chirridos, chillidos, zumbidos, hasta tambores! Disfrute algunos de los sonidos más bellos de la naturaleza en comunidad. En cada sesión exploraremos diferentes sonidos inesperados que se escuchan en Tilden Nature Area. Este programa es bilingüe en español/inglés. Para todas las edades. Se requiere la participación de los padres.



### PROGRAMA BILINGUE - ¡CURIOSAS CABRAS!

Paula Urtecho

10-11am, Sun, Apr 14

¿Quiénes son los animales más traviesos de La Granjita? ¡Las cabras, por supuesto! Ven a conocer nuestras cabras encantadoras, aprender sobre ellas y darles un paseo en correa.

No hay registro, para info (510) 544-2233.



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### GARDEN HELPERS

Paula Urtecho

11am-Noon, Sun, Apr 14 & 28

There's plenty to do in the Spring Garden, from weeding to planting. Come and get your hands dirty – it's far more fun than it sounds!

### TILDEN TOTS

Melissa Fowlks

10:30-11:30am, Wed, Apr 17

Bring the littlest ones to the park to explore! Do an activity, meet some animals, and listen along to a story. Meet outside the visitor center.



### AFTERNOON ART AT THE FARM/ TARDEADA DE ARTE EN LA GRANJA

Martha Arlette Cerda

3-4 pm, Sat, Apr 20

Explore, learn, and create! Spend the afternoon meeting the farm animals through art. We will use our imagination and creativity to capture what goes on around the barn. This program is bilingual in Spanish/English. All ages. Parent participation required.



(en español) 3-4 pm, Sáb, 20 de abril

¡Explora, aprende y crea! Pasa la tarde conociendo a los animales de la granja a través del arte! Usaremos nuestra imaginación y creatividad para capturar lo que pasa alrededor del granero. Este programa es bilingüe en español/inglés. Para todas las edades. Se requiere la participación de los padres. No se requiere inscripción. Para información, llame al (510) 544-2233.

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### WILDFLOWERS WITH A VIEW

Tilden Regional Park – Steam Trains Overflow Parking Lot

Paula Urtecho

10am-12:30pm, Sun, Apr 21

There is quite a display of wildflowers on the Seaview Trail in the Spring! Shall we see what's blooming while taking in sweeping views of the San Francisco Bay? Wear clothing layers and sturdy shoes. Hiking poles might be handy. Bring plenty of water and a snack.



### HIKE AND STORYTIME

Various Parks

Melissa Fowlks

11am-12:30pm, Thu, Apr 25

Join Naturalist Melissa and Librarians Deborah & Sheila in nature exploration activities, and a themed Storytime.

**Apr 25:** Tilden Nature Area. Meet at the Environmental Education Center (EEC).

