

Canyon Keepers Events Schedule, 2016

JUNIOR RANGER TRAINING

MAY 11th, 2016

Junior Rangers is a statewide program for children who enjoy exploring the natural world in which they live.

Training for those who wish to volunteer with the Junior Rangers Program is next Wednesday, May 11th, from 6 to 8:30pm at the Murphy House. It is available to those members who have already completed Canyon Keepers training and also new members who will complete their Canyon Keeper training by July 1st, 2016.

Jr. Ranger programs are held on weekends throughout the summer.

From June 4th to July 2nd, programs are held at Auburn State Recreation Area (ASRA) HQ on Saturday mornings. These programs are designed for children from 4 to 12 years of age.

From July 9th until Labor Day, programs are held at Upper Lake Clementine every Saturday and Sunday at 3pm and are open to children of all ages and their parents.

Volunteer opportunities are available in both supporting roles and in leader or co-leader roles.

Please SIGN UP for the training (or more information) by phoning or emailing Sue Groghan.

530-878-6008 suegroghan@gmail.com

The training will be led by Samantha Vigil, ASRA Interpretive Specialist.

NEW CK VOLUNTEERS TRAINING

May 14th, 2016

If you, or anyone you know, is interested in becoming an active volunteer with Canyon Keepers and go through our volunteer training, please notify Jim LoBue at senorbogus@sbcglobal.net. This year's training session will take place at:

New CK Volunteer Docent Training

Saturday, May 14

9:00 am until approximately 3:00 pm

Murphy House at the ASRA Headquarters

501 El Dorado Street (Highway 49 about 1 mile south of Downtown Auburn)

At this session new volunteers will get registered with State Parks and will learn a wide range of useful information about the history, physical features, recreation opportunities and operation of ASRA; rules and regulations of the park; safety hazards and strategies for dealing with these situations; strategies for successful interactions with the public; as well as the various activities of Canyon Keepers and how volunteers can participate in the various activities. We will also cover some interpretation topics and take a field trip in the park.

We only hold this training session once a year, so now is the opportunity to get involved. If anyone wishes to do the training but has a conflict on May 14, please let me know. We are planning to set up a makeup training for those people. If you have questions, please send them to: senorbogus@sbcglobal.net or call 530-887-8335.

-Jim LoBue