USDA Forest Service Los Angeles River Ranger District

California Trails Day 2005

DATE: April 16, 2005, meet at 8:00 a.m., registration: 8:00 to 8:30 am
LOCATION: **Meet at the Wildwood Picnic Area Parking Lot (Day Use Area)**
DIRECTIONS: From 210 Fwy in La Canada, go west on 210 Fwy (7 mi), exit at Sunland Blvd and go east (right turn) to Oro Vista Ave. (6 blocks). Turn left (north) onto Oro Vista Avenue (beware of dips and sharp 90 deg. turn). Proceed east 5.5 mi to Wildwood Picnic Area, turn right and proceed down the hill to the parking area. Allow 1/2-Hour Driving Time from the 210 Fwy. Carpool if possible.

The USDA Forest Service and associated LARRD volunteer organizations will celebrate California Trails Day on April 16, 2005. The celebration will include 4-6 hours of trail work on the Wildwood-Stoneyvale Area trails, and a barbecue lunch at the Wildwood Picnic Area. This event is organized by the volunteer groups of the Los Angeles River Ranger District. Lunch will be held at Wildwood Picnic Area and will include a short ceremony about California Trails Day. Lunch will be served at 1:00 PM. Activities will end at 3:30 PM

This activity is open to all volunteers, including sponsored groups. Those who are volunteering for trail work for the first time, please identify yourself to the registrar, so we can arrange for a Trail Boss to provide instruction and proper tools. Please bring personal equipment listed below.

Personal Equipment to Wear while working:

Work Gloves, Work Shoes, Work Clothes (long sleeve shirts and long pants), sun protection hat, Water (2 Qt's.), snacks. Lunch will be provided at Wildwood Picnic Area.

For Additional Information, contact one of the following:

USDA Forest Service, LA River Ranger District, Little Tujunga Ranger Station

(T-S, 7am – 4pm): Howard Okamoto
Recreation Officer
(818) 899-1900 X229

(M-F, 9am-6pm): Kathie Reilly
JPL Trail Builders
(818) 354-8321

(Evenings): John Horton
Leader Training
(310) 375-5032

Bob Shockley
BSA Trail Activities
(310) 417-3186. (daytime)

JPL for carpooling: Meet at 7:00 AM at ball diamonds parking lot in the lower part of Hahamonga Park. Get off the 210 freeway at the Berkshire off-ramp and follow the signs for JPL and Hahamonga Park. Once you turn into the park, go down the driveway, make a right at the bottom and look for us in the parking lot by the ball diamonds. . We will sign in and form carpools, leaving at 7:10 sharp, returning when it's over. The leaders always take passengers, but make sure you have plenty of gas in case we need more drivers (riders can give drivers $1 towards gas). If you need to leave early, you can deive directly to Wildwood Picnic area.