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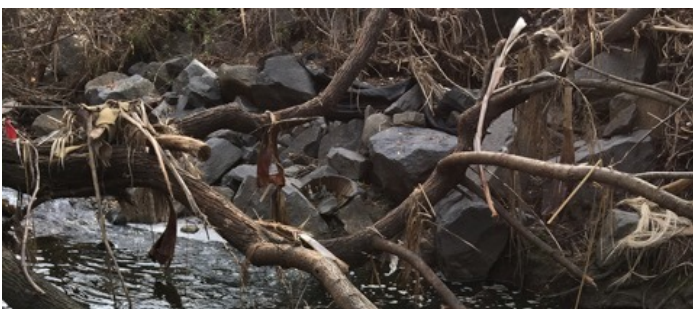
Some Stories On Our Ongoing Efforts to Preserve and Protect North County Coastal Lands

33 Bags of Eucalyptus Debris Removed from Village H in Carlsbad



A small but enthusiastic group of volunteers had a successful day removing eucalyptus debris from our Village H restoration site. Many thanks to Markus of CNLM for all of their work on this site over the last two years. This one has been a particular challenge because of the adjacent stands of eucalyptus trees and their impact on our native plants.

Visible Signs of Pollution in Our Watersheds After a Storm



Feb Activities

Feb 6, 13, 20 and 27 Sat 10AM - 1PM Hawkwatch in Ramona

This annual event will continue on every Sat through Feb- rain or shine. This is a great family opportunity to learn about and observe raptors in the Ramona grasslands. Program starts promptly at 10 am so arrive a bit early. Event is held at the beautiful Begent Ranch at the Ramona Grasslands, 18528 Highland Valley Rd., Ramona, CA 92065. See the link for details and directions. <http://wildlife-research.org/hawkwatch.html>

Feb 20 Sat 8:30 - 11:30 AM

La Costa Southern Preserve Trailwork This is the regular City of Carlsbad trails volunteer work session. Work will include trail repair, vegetation trimming, litter pick-up and sign installation. Wear closed-toe shoes, long-sleeved shirt, sunscreen and bring gloves. Rain Cancels. Meet at the trail head at Corte Claro and Paseo Encino. Directions at <http://www.carlsbadca.gov/civicax/filebank/blobdload.aspx?BlobID=29965>

Feb 23 Tuesday Special Election in Carlsbad

We oppose this project to build a mega mall along the south shore of the Agua Hedionda Lagoon.

Upcoming Events:

March 19 Sat

Annual BVAS Birdhouse Auction

May 21, 2016 Saturday

5th Annual Endangered Species Day Event



Our recent storms provided a visual reminder of the pollutants in our local streams. Those soap bubbles are lovely, but certainly not the kinds of things we want in our watersheds. This photo was taken at Buena Vista Creek at 1 of 3 sites where we regularly monitor water quality in support of the San Diego Coastkeeper Water Quality Monitoring Program.

Guest Lecturer Janell Cannon Teaching at Our California Naturalist Certification Course



This ongoing 40-hour course, given by Preserva Calavera's Paige DeCino and Karen Merrill, combines a science curriculum with guest lecturers, field trips and project-based learning to explore the unique

lecturers, field trips and project based learning to explore the unique ecology and natural history of coastal north San Diego County.

Our all-volunteer organization can not do what we do without your help. Your time, talent and donation can make a difference right in your own backyard. Call or email us to see how else you could get involved.

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