

Hidden Villa Field Trip
Sunday, December 4
9 am – ~11 am

Join us for a moderate field trip at Hidden Villa, which will showcase a few of our local habitats. We will meet in front of the HV Hostel at 9 am (park in the main lot). The hike will take about two to three hours, depending on interest and weather. Hidden Villa has a \$10 parking fee, please pay at the entrance kiosk.

We will stroll through the farm, then take the Creek Trail along Adobe Creek, a cool and shady riparian path. From there we will head up Grapevine Trail into chaparral. We'll loop back on the Hostel Trail along a ridge top and past Elephant Hill, before descending to our finish. The trail is about 2.5 miles with 430 ft of elevation gain, a moderate hike. Map and trails: <https://www.hiddenvilla.org/visit/hiking-trails/>.

Chapter member Katie Gallagher has created a plant list:
https://www.calflora.org/app/ipl/ix?loc_id=gpi254

Please bring water, snack, hat, sunscreen and wear good hiking shoes since it may be a bit muddy. Heavy rain cancels.

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