

Chapter Council Weekend: March 3-5, 2023
Hosted by Orange County Chapter

Board of Directors (March 3) and Chapter Council Meeting (March 4) Location: [Norman P. Murray Community and Senior Center](#), 4923 Veterans Way, Mission Viejo, CA 92692

Lodging Information:

The closest and some nice-location hotel venues include:

- The Hills Hotel, an IHG Hotel, Laguna Hills, 2.2 miles from the meeting site, from \$125, rated 7.5/10
- Laguna Hills Lodge, Laguna Hills, 4.5 miles from the meeting site, from \$109, rated 8.5/10
- Fairview Inn, Mission Viejo, 2.5 miles from the meeting site, from \$161, rated 7.8/10
- Best Western, San Juan Capistrano, 9 miles from the meeting site, from \$ 157, rated 7.8/10
- The Inn at the Mission, San Juan Capistrano, is 9 miles from the meeting site, from \$331, rated 8.6/10
- Dana Point Marina Inn, Dana Point, 12 miles from the meeting site, from \$197, rated 7.6/10
- DoubleTree Suites by Hilton, Dana Point, 12 miles from the meeting site, from \$211, rated 6.7/10
- **Ayres Hotel & Spa or Ayres Suites Mission Viejo 28951 / 28941 Los Alisos Blvd, Mission Viejo 6.5 mi. away but near Trabuco Canyon \$170 - \$190 rated 8.5/10**
- Ayres Hotel 24341 El Toro Rd, Laguna Woods 5.6 mi \$170 8.8/10

Friday, March 3, 5:30 PM: Dinner No-host at [Rose Canyon Cantina & Grill](#), 20722 Rose Canyon Road, Trabuco Canyon, CA.

Saturday, March 4, 7:30 PM: Evening Speaker: Bob Allen: **Habitats & and Habitat Gardening.** Bob will take a lighthearted look at habitats, habitat gardening, and some of the native critters that enrich our biodiversity. He is a southern California botanist, entomologist, author, photographer, and educator.

Sunday, March 5: Guided Field Trip and Local Attractions

- O'Neill Regional Park, 30892 Trabuco Canyon Road, Trabuco Canyon, CA 92679 Entrance fee \$5 on Sat/Sun. Park in main lot. **Meet at 9:00 AM.** Good plant diversity, moderate loop with short steep section. More info at [link here](#).
- Whiting Ranch: <https://www.ocparks.com/parks-trails/whiting-ranch-wilderness-park>
- Caspers Regional Park: <https://www.ocparks.com/caspers>
- Tree of Life Nursery next to Caspers Regional Park.
- Dana Point Harbor and Headlands hiking loop is 12 miles from the venue, with plenty of food and opportunities, and next to Doheny State Beach.