



BACKPACKING CHALLENGE

grades 7-12 and adult

Forbush Flats May 7-8 (1 night) \$45
1.7 miles each way

Sat May 7 1:30 pm: meet at Cold Springs Trailhead, East Camino Cielo
(Santa Barbara area)

Sun May 8 11 am: back at trailhead

The hike: Down into a canyon to a pleasant camp by a creek, used to be the old Forbush homestead. There is a picnic table & outhouse (without the house). We will filter water from the creek to drink, and cook our meals on backpacking stoves.

Gear: Borrow a pack, tent, sleeping bag & sleeping pad for free!

Challenge Requirement

1. Girls only: Happy Trails Councils Own Patch (watch video & complete quiz)
Separate registration (\$5)
2. Girls and adults: Training hike on your own: at least 2 miles, with hills!
3. Girls & adults: Zoom Pack check April 28 7:30-8:30 pm
4. Overnight trip!

- Girls must sign up with a CPR/First Aid trained adult (\$45)
- Registration fees include breakfast & dinner, borrowed backpacking gear, and patch

- Minimum participants: 5 girls
- Maximum: 10 girls
- Girls must be accompanied by an adult
- Reg. deadline April 9
- Refunds available only when event is cancelled

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Matilija Camp May 21-22 (1 night) \$45

4.5 mi each way (or 1.5 mi shorter option)

Sat May 21 9:00 am: meet at Matilija Trailhead (past Ojai)

Sun May 22 10:00 am: back at trailhead

The hike: starts out on a dirt road, turns off after 0.7 mi, and then follows the Upper North Fork of Matilija creek. Both the upper and lower camps are at nice shady spots along the creek. We'll pack a lunch, and cook our dinner and breakfast, and filter water from the creek to drink. This camp does not have an outhouse, so we'll learn how to go behind a bush.

Gear: Borrow a pack, tent, sleeping bag & sleeping pad for free!

Challenge Requirement

1. Girls only: Happy Trails Councils Own Patch (watch video & complete quiz; patch is separate purchase)
2. Girls and adults: Training hike on your own: at least 3 miles, with hills!
3. Girls & adults: Zoom Pack check May 12 7:30-8:30 pm
4. Overnight trip!

- Girls must sign up with a CPR/First Aid trained adult (\$45)
- Registration fees include breakfast & dinner, borrowed backpacking gear, and patch

- Minimum participants: 5 girls
- Maximum: 10 girls
- Girls must be accompanied by an adult
- Reg. deadline April 20
- Refunds available only when event is cancelled

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Adult BACKPACKING TRAINING

Jan 29
8:00-10:00 am

Classroom Training - Zoom

Local trip planning * GSCCC requirements * Safety * Packing List
& Gear * Meals

- Adults only, must be registered GS (Overnight Training repeats are welcome!)
- Refunds available only when event is cancelled
- Min/max participants: 5
- Reg. deadline: Jan 28

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