

NATURALIST PROGRAMS

NEW YEAR'S DAY BUTTERFLY WALKS &

11:30am and 1:30pm, Sunday, January 1

Interpretive Staff

Start the year off right with an inspiring visit to a monarch butterfly over-wintering site. Discover the amazing migration of these tiny creatures and how they survive the long cold season in our eucalyptus trees. We'll use spotting scopes to see these magnificent creatures up close and personal. Meet at the Granary.



TODDLER TIME &

11:00-11:30am

Ira Bletz

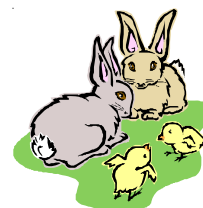
Bring the tiny tots out for an exciting morning at the farm. Each day we'll meet and learn all about a new animal friend through stories, chores and fun. (1-4 yrs.)

January 10 - Goats

January 17 - Chickens

January 24 - Sheep

January 31 - Rabbits



January Weekend Programs at a Glance

Saturday

Sunday

December 31

Marvelous Monarchs – 11am-12:30pm
Monarch Butterfly Walks – 1:30pm
Animal Feeding – 3pm

January 1

New Year's Day Butterfly Walks – 11:30am
New Year's Day Butterfly Walks – 1:30pm
Animal Feeding – 3pm

January 7

Meet the Monarchs – 11am-Noon
Monarch Butterfly Walks – 1:30pm
Animal Feeding – 3pm



January 8

Monarchs for Kids – 11am-12:30pm
Monarch Butterfly Walks – 1:30pm
Animal Feeding – 3pm

January 14

Monarchs for Kids – 11am-12:30pm
Monarch Butterfly Walks – 1:30pm
Animal Feeding – 3pm

January 15

Ardenwood Bird Census – 8-9:30am
Meet the Monarchs – 11am-Noon
Monarch Butterfly Walks – 1:30pm
Animal Feeding – 3pm

January 21

Meet the Monarchs – 11am-Noon
Monarch Butterfly Walks – 1:30pm
Animal Feeding – 3pm



January 22

Monarchs for Kids – 11am-12:30pm
Monarch Butterfly Walks – 1:30pm
Animal Feeding – 3pm

January 28

Monarchs for Kids – 11am-12:30pm
Monarch Butterfly Walks – 1:30pm
Animal Feeding – 3pm

January 29

Ardenwood Bird Census – 8-9:30am
Meet the Monarchs – 11am-Noon
Monarch Butterfly Walks – 1:30pm
Animal Feeding – 3pm

ONGOING PROGRAMS

VISIT THE MONARCHS &

2pm, Every Thursday and Friday
Interpretive Staff

Drop in and visit Ardenwood's monarch overwintering site! Take a short, easy stroll to the eucalyptus grove. We'll search for clusters of butterflies and learn about the mysterious migration of these majestic insects. Meet at the Train Station Visitor Center.



look for overwintering monarchs in Ardenwood's eucalyptus forest. Meet at the Granary.

MONARCH BUTTERFLY WALKS &

1:30pm
Interpretive Staff

Tour Ardenwood's monarch overwintering site on an easy stroll of less than a mile. Search for clusters of butterflies hanging from eucalyptus branches and learn about the mysterious migration of these majestic insects. Meet at the Granary.

ANIMAL FEEDING &

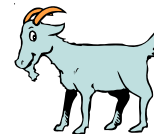
3pm, Thursday through Sunday
Interpretive Staff

Check for eggs, and bring hay to the livestock. Learn all the animals' favorite foods as we help tuck them in for the evening. Meet at the Chicken Coop.



ANIMAL FEEDING &

3pm
Interpretive Staff
See description on the left.
Meet at the Chicken Coop.



PROGRAM SCHEDULE WEEKENDS IN JANUARY

SUNDAY, JANUARY 1

NEWYEAR'S DAY BUTTERFLY WALKS &

11:30am and 1:30pm
Interpretive Staff
See description on page 1.



MONARCHS FOR KIDS &

11am-12:30pm
Trent Pearce
Young children will enjoy an interactive puppet show all about monarch eggs, caterpillars, chrysalides and butterflies. Then they'll take a short hike to see these amazing insects in action. Meet at the Granary. (3-6 yrs.)



ANIMAL FEEDING &

3pm
Interpretive Staff
See description above.
Meet at the Chicken Coop.

MONARCH BUTTERFLY WALKS &

1:30pm
Interpretive Staff
See description above.

SATURDAY, JANUARY 7

MEET THE MONARCHS &

11am-noon
Christina Garcia
Discover the life cycle of the monarch butterfly during a 20-minute slide show. Learn about the incredible journey these tiny animals make each year and the increasing threats to their survival. Afterwards, take a short hike to

ANIMAL FEEDING &

3pm
Interpretive Staff
See description on the left
Meet at the Chicken Coop.



SATURDAY, JANUARY 14

MONARCHS FOR KIDS &

11am-12:30pm
Christina Garcia
See description above.



calendar of events

CONT., SATURDAY, JANUARY 14

MONARCH BUTTERFLY WALKS ☼

1:30pm

Interpretive Staff

See description on page 2.

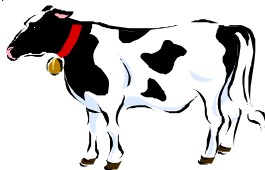
ANIMAL FEEDING ☼

3pm

Interpretive Staff

See description on page 2.

Meet at the Chicken Coop.



SUNDAY, JANUARY 15

ARDENWOOD BIRD CENSUS ☼

8-9:30am

Trent Pearce

Do you like birds? Join our citizen science project by documenting the bird life in our gardens, groves and orchards. Bring your binoculars. Birders of all ages & abilities welcome!

MEET THE MONARCHS ☼

11am-noon

Trent Pearce

See description on page 2.



MONARCH BUTTERFLY WALKS ☼

1:30pm

Interpretive Staff

See description on page 2.

ANIMAL FEEDING ☼

3pm

Interpretive Staff

See description on page 2.

Meet at the Chicken Coop.

SATURDAY, JANUARY 21

MEET THE MONARCHS ☼

11am-noon

Christina Garcia

See description on page 2.



MONARCH BUTTERFLY WALKS ☼

1:30pm

Interpretive Staff

See description on page 2.

ANIMAL FEEDING ☼

3pm

Interpretive Staff

See description on page 2.

Meet at the Chicken Coop.



SUNDAY, JANUARY 22

MONARCHS FOR KIDS ☼

11am-12:30pm

Trent Pearce

See description on page 2.



MONARCH BUTTERFLY WALKS ☼

1:30pm

Interpretive Staff

See description on page 2.

ANIMAL FEEDING ☼

3pm

Interpretive Staff

See description on page 2.

Meet at the Chicken Coop.

SATURDAY, JANUARY 28

MONARCHS FOR KIDS ☼

11am-12:30pm

Christina Garcia

See description on page 2.



MONARCH BUTTERFLY WALKS ☼

1:30pm

Interpretive Staff

See description on page 2.

ANIMAL FEEDING ☼

3pm

Interpretive Staff

See description on page 2.

Meet at the Chicken Coop.



SUNDAY, JANUARY 29

ARDENWOOD BIRD CENSUS ♿

8-9:30am

Trent Pearce

See description on page 3.

MEET THE MONARCHS ♿

11am-noon

Trent Pearce

See description on page 2.



MONARCH BUTTERFLY WALKS ♿

1:30pm

Interpretive Staff

See description on page 2.

ANIMAL FEEDING ♿

3pm

Interpretive Staff

See description on page 2.

Meet at the Chicken Coop.



2012 SPECIAL EVENTS

TARTAN DAY SCOTTISH FAIR
APRIL 15th

SHEEP SHEARING DAY
APRIL 22nd

FREE DAY OPEN HOUSE
MAY 28th

INDEPENDENCE DAY CELEBRATION
JULY 4th

CAJUN-ZYDECO FESTIVAL
AUGUST 11th

HISTORIC RAIL FAIR
SEPTEMBER 1st-3rd

HARVEST FESTIVAL
OCTOBER 13th & 14th

CHRISTMAS AT ARDENWOOD
DECEMBER 1st & 2nd



East Bay 
Regional Park District
ARDENWOOD HISTORIC FARM
34600 ARDENWOOD BLVD.
FREMONT, CA 94555
(510) 544-2797
E-mail: awvisit@ebparks.org
Visit us on the web and register
online for some programs at
www.ebparks.org

Ardenwood is open Tuesday-Sunday from 10am-4pm. House tours are available by reservation only (call 510-791-4196). Blacksmithing demonstrations and train rides will return in April. Admission fees apply. For program and fee info: 510-544-2797, e-mail awvisit@ebparks.org or www.ebparks.org.

♿ Wheelchair accessible
♿ Online Registration available