Here are the four most important steps of your hikes —

**Step 1:** (recommended) Download the map using Avenza Maps app (or any other geolocating map app) before you leave for the park.

**Step 2:** Find a great scenic spot on your adventure and take a selfie. We will accept this photo as your destination point for your commemorative t-shirt or bandana.

**Step 3:** Tag your photo with the hashtag #PixInParks, as well as the hashtag for the particular location where the photo was taken (see photos below for where to take your Pix and what hashtags to use).

**Step 4:** Come into the Santa Clara County Parks and Recreation Administration Office at 298 Garden Hill Drive, Los Gatos, 95032 to receive your T-Shirt or Bandana (while supplies last) during normal business hours (Mon–Fri, 8–5). Be sure to bring your phone or camera with all seven photos, especially if you don’t use Instagram.

**Deadline to complete the PixInParks Challenge and claim your T-shirt or Bandana (while supplies last) is December 15, 2020.** Follow #PixInParks on Instagram to view awesome gallery!
**#CoyoteLakeHarveyBear**

10840 Coyote Reservoir Rd Gilroy, CA 95020  
(408) 842-7800  
Parking Fee

**Martin Murphy Trail**

**Trail Length: 2.0 miles (loop)**

**Degree of difficulty: EASY**

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**Park Notes**

- Features a 635-acre lake, provides the county’s only shoreline camping, boat launch facilities and trails. For boating information, visit www.parkhere.org or call (408) 355-2200.
- Abundant hiking, biking and equestrian trails winding through oak studded canyons and on top of grassy ridge lines providing spectacular views of the South Santa Clara Valley.

**Trail Info & Highlights**

- Unshaded paved loop with gravel shoulder for horses, almost totally flat.
- Wildlife viewing, horses and cattle grazing, raptors, songbirds.
- Portable toilets at parking lot, benches along the trail.
- Scenic view of hills, large open fields covered with annual grasses and valley oaks.
- Cattle are utilized for land management. Please leave cattle gates as you find them.

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**#ChitactacAdams**

10001 Watsonville Rd., Gilroy, 95020  
(408)842-2341  
No Parking Fee

**Interpretive Trail**

**Trail Length: 1/4 mile (loop)**

**Degree of difficulty: EASY**

*Trail is wheelchair-accessible to its halfway point (to stairs). Wheelchairs can go as far as Station E and back, and then go out from the opposite end (to stairs) and back*

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**Park Notes:**

- A peaceful walk along the interpretive trail reveals a series of bilingual interpretive signs about the Adams School, village life and structures, petroglyphs (rock art), bedrock mortars, and an interpretive shelter reminiscent of an Ohlone Round House.

**Trail Info & Highlights:**

- Interpretive signs on path.
- Uvas Creek runs next to the park.
- Petroglyphs
- Interpretive shelter
#LosGatosCreek
1250 Dell Ave Campbell, CA 95008
(408) 356-2729
Parking Fee

Los Gatos Creek Trail

Trail Length: 2.6 miles (paved, partial loop)

Degree of difficulty: EASY

Park Notes:
- 11-mile paved Los Gatos Creek Trail passes through Lexington, Vasona and Los Gatos Creek County Parks and portions of Town of Los Gatos, City of Campbell, City of San Jose.
- Recreational opportunities for walkers, joggers, bicyclists, skaters, non-motorized scooters and nature lovers.
- Popular amenities within Los Gatos Creek County Park include off-leash dog park, multiple fishing ponds.

Trail Info & Highlights:
- Asphalt paved trail runs alongside Los Gatos Creek
- PAR course along portion of trail
- Picnic tables, restrooms, water fountains at Los Gatos Creek County Park trailhead and Campbell Park
- Benches and interpretive signs in park and along trail.
- Heavy foot and bicycle traffic during early morning hours and on weekends, especially spring through fall.
- Watch for wildlife such as ducks, geese, great blue herons, egrets, belted kingfishers, cormorants, grebes, raccoons, toads and turtles.

#SantaTeresa
260 Bernal Rd. San Jose, CA 95119
(408) 225-0225
Parking Fee

Ranch and Santa Teresa Springs Trail

Trail Length: 0.3 miles

Degree of difficulty: EASY

Park Notes:
- Bernal-Gulnac-Joice Ranch highlights loving and working on a family ranch more than 100 years ago; Ranch site open daily, but the buildings is only open Fridays 10am-4pm and Saturdays 11am-5pm; tours available by reservation other days at (408)226-5453.

Trail Info & Highlights:
- Picnic tables, restrooms, water fountain, interpretive signs at trailhead.
- Outstanding views of south San Jose all the way north to San Francisco.
- Serpentine habitat with endangered plant and animal species and spectacular wildflower displays.
- *Dogs, bikes and horses allowed on park trails, but not allowed on ranch pathways except at restrooms and trailhead.
- **Wheelchair/stroller note: Park trails not suitable for wheelchairs and lightweight strollers; pathways around Ranch and Santa Teresa Spring are accessible and can be substituted for trail route.
Park Notes:
• Park is nestled in the Santa Cruz Mountains.
• Picnic tables and restrooms are found in the trailhead.
• Payphones are located in the park entrance. Phone reception is weak so it is highly recommended to download the Avenza Map App to assure trail accuracy.

Trail Info & Highlights:
• Cool dampness in the early morning hours with slight fog (depending on the time of the year).
• The trail is mostly shaded as you walk among large oak, pine, and redwoods.
• Moss-covered boulders occur along the trail.
• Enjoy valley view in one section of the trail.
• Listen for birds and see squirrels and deer.

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Park Notes:
• Dirt parking lot for trailers and cars
• Picnic Tables

Trail Info & Highlights:
• Oak woodlands, 50% shade
• Historic sites: Spanishtown, Rotary Furnace
• View of Mt. Umunhum
• Trail is a section of the Bay Area Ridge Trail & the Juan Bautista de Anza Trail (National Historic Trail)
#EdLevin

3100 Calaveras Rd., Milpitas, 95035
(408)262-6980
Parking Fee

Spring Valley Trail

Trail Length: 0.5 miles (paved loop)
Degree of difficulty: EASY

Park Notes:
• Expansive lawn areas for picnicking and play.
• Unique park features include off-leash dog park for large and small dogs, children’s playground, 18-hole golf-course (springvalleygolfcourse.com), hand-gliding facilities, two fishing ponds.

Trail Info & Highlights:
• Fishing in Spring Valley Pond (youth only, under 16 years old)
• Visitor Center nearby
• Restroom and water fountain on trail.
• Interpretive signs on path.
• Picnic areas with shade throughout loop; no significant shade cover on trail.

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