

Driving Directions- 2025 EB Hills Trails Benefit Ride & Hike

Aug 26- Sept. 1

To Es Anderson Equestrian Camp in Tilden Park: (Tues night-Thurs a.m.)

Enter in Google Maps: E S Anderson Equestrian Camp, Wildcat Canyon Rd, Berkeley, CA 94708

Note: Camp will open at 2 pm on Tuesday. Should you arrive earlier than that, you may park in the large parking area directly across from the entrance to Es Anderson. We should have someone at the gate when you arrive, but if you get there and the gate is locked, EBRPD will give us combination a few days before the event and we will send it out to all participants.

From Highway 24: Unfortunately there is a major wash out of Wildcat Canyon Road between Inspiration Point and San Pablo Dam Road. Therefore it will be impossible to drive directly from the Hwy 24 exit in Orinda to the horse camp. Therefore use these alternative directions instead:

From Hwy 24: (Note: From the West (Berkeley or Oakland) this alternative is better for cars-it is more direct, but somewhat curvier for trailers.) From Highway 24 take the Fish Ranch Road exit. If coming through the tunnel, stay in extreme right lane in the right hand tunnel or you will miss this exit just east of the tunnel. From the tunnel, bear right from the exit and turn right over the freeway and proceed up the hill. From Highway 24 West, take the Fish Ranch Road exit and turn right at the stop sign. Either way take Fish Ranch up the hill and turn right at Grizzly Peak Blvd. Continue on Grizzly Peak, past the Lomas Cantadas entrance (Steam Trains); turn right onto the second right turn off Grizzly Peak, South Park Drive. Go down the hill and bear right at the stop sign onto Wildcat Canyon Road. The horse camp is a little over half a mile down Wildcat Canyon Road, on the right, opposite a clear parking area on the opposite side of the road. Use this parking area to approach the driveway (a sharp right) to the horse camp, or enter the camp very carefully with a trailer..

To Sibley Volcanic Preserve Skyline Staging Area

Enter in Google Maps: 6800 Skyline Blvd, Oakland CA 94611

From Highway 24: Get off 24 at the Fish Ranch Road exit, the first exit East of the Caldecott Tunnel. If coming from Oakland be sure to get in the right lane of the right hand tunnel, or you will miss the exit. From that direction, follow the exit which passes over 24, and continue on Fish Ranch Road .8 miles to the top of the hill, and then turn left on Grizzly Peak Blvd., and continue for 2.4 miles. When Grizzly Peak Blvd. ends at Skyline Blvd, turn left, go .1 miles and enter the Sibley Staging Area on the left, or, if full, park on the road.

From Es Anderson Horse Camp: At the bottom of the Equestrian Camp driveway, turn left on Wildcat Canyon Road, and go .7 miles. Turn left on Shasta Road and go .3 miles. Turn left onto Golf Course Drive and go .9 miles. Turn left onto Grizzly Peak and go 5.4 miles till it ends at Skyline Blvd., and turn left, go .1 miles and enter the Sibley Staging Area on the left, or, if full, park on the road.

To Sequoia Arena in Joaquin Miller Park: (Thursday a.m.-Saturday a.m.)

Enter in Google Maps: Sequoia Arena, Skyline Blvd, Oakland, CA 94611

Note—the directions below apply during the ride, when somebody will be there to open the gate. Otherwise a trailer may have a big problem turning around when the gate is locked. Also, if you are just coming for the day, parking is available just across Skyline Blvd behind the Metropolitan Horsemen's Association Clubhouse at the Redwood Bowl Staging Area.

From Es Anderson Horse Camp: Note: Wildcat Canyon Road is closed between Es Anderson Camp and Orinda. So Turn left from the camp driveway onto Wildcat Canyon road, and go .8 miles to South Park Drive. Turn left and proceed about 1 mile to Grizzly Peak Blvd. Turn left and go 1.4 miles to Fish Ranch Road. Turn left and go .7 miles to the 24W entrance. Get on Highway 24W and go 2 miles to Exit 5A, to Highway 13/Hayward. After 3.2 miles, get off at exit 2, and turn left 2x onto Joaquin Miller Road,. Proceed uphill 1.2 miles to Skyline Blvd. Turn left and go 1.3 miles to the entrance for Sequoia Arena on your left. Once in the Sequoia Arena driveway immediately bear right. Go.1 mile to the yellow gate (just past the rest rooms on your right), where you will be guided to your parking space

From Sibley Staging Area: Exit the parking lot and turn left. Go 4.2 miles and turn left into the entrance for Sequoia Arena on your right. Once in the Sequoia Arena driveway immediately bear right. Go.1 mile to the yellow gate (just past the rest rooms on your right), where you will be guided to your parking space

From 580 North (from Hayward): Take the Highway 13 exit and then get off at Joaquin Miller Road/Lincoln Ave. Turn right at the stop sign and proceed uphill on Joaquin Miller Road 1.2 miles. Turn left at light on to Skyline Blvd., toward the Chabot Space and Science Center. Proceed 1.3 miles to the sign for Sequoia Arena on your left and turn into the driveway. If you have reached the Metropolitan Horsemen's Association clubhouse or the Chabot Space and Science Center on your right on Skyline, you have gone just past the Sequoia turnoff, so turn around and go back. Once in the Sequoia Arena driveway immediately bear right. Go .1 mile to the yellow gate (just past the rest rooms on your left), where you will be guided to your parking space. (If gate is closed, park at the rest rooms or at the gate and walk past the gate, continue straight on the paved road, bearing right when it forks, and it then curves around to the arena)

From Highway 13 in Oakland: Exit at Joaquin Miller Road/Lincoln Ave. and proceed East uphill on Joaquin Miller Road 1.2 miles. At the first light, turn left on to Skyline Blvd., toward the Chabot Space and Science Center. Proceed 1.3 miles to the sign for Sequoia Arena on your left and turn into the driveway. If you have reached the Metropolitan Horsemen's Association clubhouse or the Chabot Space and Science Center on your right on Skyline, you have gone just past the Sequoia turnoff on the left, so turn around and go back. Once in the Sequoia Arena driveway immediately bear right. Go .1 mile to the yellow gate (just past the rest rooms on your left), where you will be guided to your parking space. (If gate is closed, park at the rest rooms or at the gate and walk past the gate, continue straight on the paved road, bearing right when it forks, and it then curves around to the arena)

To Skyline Gate Staging Area in Redwood Park Thurs a.m. –start of short hike.

Enter in Google Maps: Skyline Gate Staging Area

From Es Anderson Horse Camp: Turn left from the camp driveway onto Wildcat Canyon road, and go .8 miles to South Park Drive. Turn left and proceed about 1 mile to Grizzly Peak Blvd. Turn Left on Grizzly Peak Blvd, and continue on Grizzly Peak for 3.8 miles. Turn left at End of Grizzly Peak onto Skyline Blvd. and go 1.7 miles to Skyline Gate on the left. If lot is full, park on Skyline just outside the gate or on Pine Hills Drive just outside the parking lot.

From Berkeley or Oakland: Take Hwy 13 to Joaquin Miller Road exit. Turn left onto Joaquin Miller Rd. Go .44 miles to Skyline Blvd. Turn left on Skyline Blvd and go 3.1 miles to Skyline Gate on the right side.

To Bort Meadow Staging Area in Anthony Chabot Park: (Sat a.m. to Monday)

Enter in Google Maps: Bort Meadow Staging Area, Redwood Rd, Oakland, CA 94619

Note: We should have someone at the gate when you arrive, but ask for lock combo before you go.

From Sequoia Arena: Turn right on to Skyline Blvd at the Sequoia Arena entrance and proceed 1.2 miles to the light at the intersection with Joaquin Miller Road. Turn left there, remaining on Skyline, and go to the next light. There turn left onto Redwood Road. Continue straight on Redwood for about 4.5 miles, to the entrance to the Bort Meadow Staging Area on the right side of the road. . Gate is on the left of the roadside parking lot, go downhill and follow signs to parking for Bort Meadow.

From Highway 24 in Alameda County, exit to Highway 13 South just West of the Caldecott Tunnel. Drive about 4 miles south and exit at Redwood Road-35th Avenue. Turn left onto Redwood and drive East uphill about 1 mile to the junction with Skyline Boulevard. Stay in the left lane, and continue straight on Redwood for about 4.5 miles, to the entrance to the Bort Meadow Staging Area on the right side of the road. Gate is on the left of the roadside parking lot, go downhill and follow signs to parking for Bort Meadow.

From Highway 580 in Oakland: Exit on 35th Avenue and turn East, towards the hills. Drive past Hwy. 13 and then uphill about 1 mile to the junction with Skyline Boulevard. Stay in the left lane, and continue straight on Redwood for about 4.5 miles, to the entrance to the Bort Meadow Staging Area on the right side of the road. . Gate is on the left of the roadside parking lot, go downhill and follow signs to parking for Bort Meadow.

From Highway 580 in Castro Valley: Take the Castro Valley exit. Turn left at the traffic light onto E. Castro Valley Blvd. Go 1.2 miles to the intersection of Redwood Road—there is a large Safeway on the corner. Turn right onto Redwood Rd. Go 6.6 miles to Bort Meadow entrance on your left. Go through gate, down the hill, bearing right. Gate is on the left of the roadside parking lot, go downhill and follow signs to parking for Bort Meadow.