

AGE OF AQUINAS

a Bay Area group for Christian singles 40+

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TONIGHT Star Party: Saturday, May 15, 7:30 pm

TOMORROW Sunnyvale Singers Concert: Sunday, May 16, 3:00 pm

Next Astronomy Lecture: Wednesday, May 19, 5:45 pm

Next Shoreline hike: Saturday, May 22, 9:00 am

Hike Report - Shoreline:

The Canada Geese are gradually moving back into the neighborhood. We saw several families with goslings from toddlers to teenagers. Not like it was a month ago though. We also spotted a pair of Red-tailed Hawks sitting atop a tree along the path by the lake. But the real treat of the day was a nesting Killdeer between the trail and the lakeshore. Don't know if that's a real great location, but there were eggs in the nest!



Out along the path to the "benchmark" the swarming bugs were annoying. But as long as you didn't breath through your mouth, they weren't a huge problem. Back at the café we met up with some more and had coffee, tea, or breakfast, and a great deal of fellowship.

Hike Report - Edgewood:

Report courtesy of Josephine:

Starting a little late today there were lots of butterflies and colorful flowers!



Coming up: Tonight is the first summer star party of the season. Then tomorrow is the Sunnyvale Singers' Spring Concert. Wednesday is the last Astronomy Lecture, and next Saturday is the next regular hike at Shoreline, See details below. AND DON'T FORGET....

There are still many opportunities to contribute your time and talents to Age of Aquinas activities. You can take on as much or as little as you want. If you're interested in finding out more about this important ministry, email Randy at age-of-aquinas@paloaltocatholic.org or call: 408.739.2881. Thank you!

TONIGHT! Sat., May 15, 2010, 7:30 pm: PAS Summer Star Party, Foothill Park, Palo Alto

Sponsored by Peninsula Astronomical Society.

Don't miss the **FIRST** Peninsula Astronomical Society monthly summer Star Party of the season. Bring your telescope and/or binoculars (if you have them) and a picnic dinner. While the sun sets and twilight deepens, we'll have our picnic and get our telescopes set up. Dress warmly in layers. Clear nights can get chilly.

Time: 7:30 gathering at the Park'n'Ride. *Please note:* New admittance policy since 2009: *The Park entrance will close at 8:00 pm, so don't be late or you won't get in!*

Admission: FREE!!

Location: Meet at the Park'n'Ride at I-280 and Page Mill Rd west of Palo Alto. From there we'll carpool to Foothill Park. Any car with a telescope or a Palo Alto resident aboard gets in free. Or you can just tell them at the gate that you are an amateur astronomer participating in the public star party. We will be joining the [Peninsula Astronomical Society](http://www.pas-astronomy.org) for this month's summer star party.

Map: http://maps.yahoo.com/maps_result?addr=i-280+%26+page+mill+rd&csz=los+altos+ca+94022

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