

AGE OF AQUINAS

a Bay Area group for Christian singles 40+

Next Shoreline hike: Saturday, November 1, 9:00 am

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Hike Report:

There were about 15 people at this morning's hike. The weather was spectacularly gorgeous. It's still very warm here, unseasonably so, which we all love! Anyway, we saw a Northern Harrier, approx 100 Northern Shovelers, approx 100 White Pelicans, and the usual Coots, Canada Geese, Night Herons, Mallards, Crows, Snowy Egrets, and a few Brown Pelicans.



There were loads of photographers out also, with their gargantuan lenses. Everyone was hale and hearty, and the usual good time was had by all!

Next Saturday is a *first Saturday*, so if Edgewood Park is more convenient for you, be sure to make the 9:00 hike there. For more information on this and other upcoming events, see <http://paltoaltocatholic.org/aofa.html>.

Every Saturday in October 2008, 9 am: Shoreline Park Hike & Coffee

Meet at *Lakeside Cafe* in Mountain View's Shoreline Park at 9 am. We'll start off from there and walk for about a half hour, then turn around and walk a half hour back to the café for coffee and/or brunch about 10:00 or 10:15 am. You don't have to make the hike to come to coffee! The hikes go on regardless of temperature, sky condition, or precipitation state!

Directions to Lakeside Café:

From northbound 101, take the Shoreline Blvd exit (**CAUTION!** Slow down! Tight off-ramp curve!) and turn right at the light (NOTE: No right on red).

From southbound 101, take the Shoreline Blvd exit and turn left at the light.

Once on Shoreline Blvd, follow it about 2 miles to the Lakeside Cafe parking lot. We will gather near the breezeway between the cafe and the aquatic center.

Map: http://maps.yahoo.com/maps_result?addr=3160+n+shoreline+blvd&csz=mountain+view+ca++94043

More information: Visit <http://paltoaltocatholic.org/aofa.html>, call Randy on 408.739.2881 or Email: age-of-aquinas@paltoaltocatholic.org.

***** These hikes are every Saturday *****

Saturday, November 1, 2008 @ 9:00 am: Edgewood Park Hike and Lunch

Meet at the INNER parking lot inside the entrance to Edgewood Park at 9 am. This is a hike that will take you up and down, in sun and shade, amidst grasses, trees and wildflowers, for about 2 hours. Afterwards we'll decide where to go for breakfast/lunch/brunch. *We always hike, rain or shine!*

Directions to Edgewood Park:

From the 101, take the Whipple Ave exit and travel through town West to Alameda de Las Pulgas. There turn right and go about 1/4 mile to Edgewood Rd. There turn left and follow Edgewood about 2 miles to the Park Entrance on your left.

Map:

http://maps.yahoo.com/maps_result.php?q1=us-101+%26+whipple+ave%2C+redwood+city%2C+ca+94063.

From I-280, take the Edgewood Road exit and go East toward Redwood City about 1/2 mile to the park entrance on your right.

Map:

http://maps.yahoo.com/maps_result.php?q1=i-280+%26+edgewood+rd%2C+redwood+city%2C+ca+94062.

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***** Hikes are the 1st & 3rd Saturdays of the month*****