



TOPANGA CANYON DOCENTS

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Thank you for enrolling in the Topanga Canyon Docents 2019 Docent Training Course. We welcome you and look forward to meeting you on Saturday, September 14.

The classes will be held inside the Topanga State Park Visitor Center at Trippet Ranch (20828 Entrada Rd, Topanga 90290), but we will also venture outside to explore the park. The Visitor Center is just up a short trail from the parking lot. Please use the enclosed parking pass for park entry and leave it displayed on the dashboard of your car.

Classes begin at 9:30 a.m. On September 14, please arrive 15-20 minutes early to allow time for completing the registration process which includes necessary forms for California State Parks. There will be coffee, fruit and pastries available. We break for lunch from noon to 1 p.m., and then continue with the afternoon session until 3:30 p.m. Please bring your own lunch.

The six Saturday classes are September 14, 28; October 12, 26; and November 9, 23. There are five Interpretive Walks and a Visitor Center Orientation held at 9:30 AM on the following Sundays: September 22, October 6, October 20, November 3, and November 17.

Come dressed for easy hiking (closed toe shoes) and bring a three ring binder with dividers along with note-taking supplies. We'll give you a folder with the complete schedule of speakers and topics, maps and information. The instructors will also have handouts that pertain to their topics.

We hope you will have an exciting and enjoyable fall! If you have questions, please contact our registration coordinator, Karin Benson, at 310-455-3143 or karinbens@gmail.com.

Sincerely,

Patricia Hill, President
Topanga Canyon Docents