



Monday, Dec. 3, 2018, at 8:00 AM Monserate Mountain Preserve



Join the Valley Center Trails Association (VCTA) for a strenuous 3 1/3-mile out-and-back hike at the Monserate Mountain Preserve, which is maintained by the Fallbrook Land Conservancy. The hike starts at the Preserve parking area and gains over 1000 feet of elevation. Bring water, and wear appropriate sun protection and footwear - there is little to no shade on the trail. This hike ascends steeply and continuously. Views are spectacular on a clear day. Allow three hours for the hike and 35 minutes or more to drive to the trailhead. The hike will be led by Anita Noone.

To get to the trailhead, take Route 76 east out of Pauma Valley. Stay on 76 for 11.7 miles, then turn right onto Horse Ranch Creek Road. There is free parking along the road, opposite the trailhead, on the left. Hike begins as soon as waivers are signed, at approximately 8:05. Everyone is welcome and no pre-registration is required.

Heavy rain during 24 hours before hike or steady rain one hour in advance of start time cancels hike. Check the VC Trails Facebook page for updates. Questions? Email Anita at anitanoone@gmail.com.

Valley Center Trails Assn., Inc., is a 501(c)(3) organization dedicated to the creation of non-motorized trails and pathways in Valley Center. More info at vctrails.org.