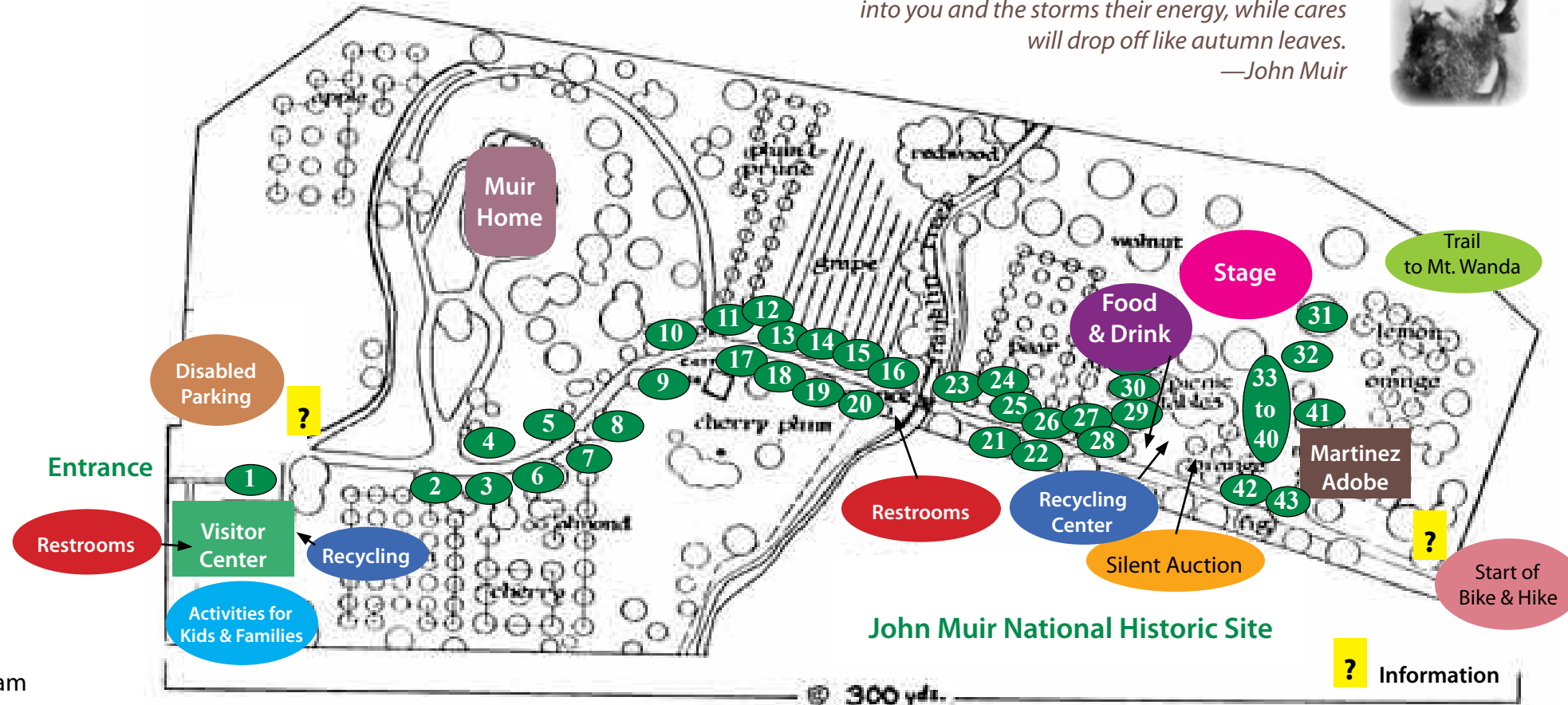


## Exhibitors

- 1 California Native Plant Society
- 2 John Muir Association
- 3 Master Gardeners
- 4 The Gardens at Heather Farm
- 5 East Bay Bicycle Coalition
- 6 Sierra Club, Delta Regional Group
- 7 Mt. Diablo Audubon Society
- 8 Bay Area Ridge Trail Council
- 9 Save Mount Diablo
- 10 Access Adventure
- 11 Contra Costa Water District
- 12 Worth A Dam
- 13 Bay Area Air Quality Management District
- 14 Muir Heritage Land Trust
- 15 Environmental Studies Academy
- 16 National Park Service  
Inventory & Monitoring
- 17 PG&E
- 18 REI
- 19 American Chemical Society
- 20 Friends of Alhambra Creek
- 21 Contra Costa County Green Business Program
- 22 The Rarus Institute/Solar Schoolhouse
- 23 Central Contra Costa Sanitary District
- 24 511 Contra Costa
- 25 Shell Oil Products/Community Awareness  
Emergency Response
- 26 Contra Costa Certified Farmers' Markets
- 27 City of Martinez
- 28 John Muir Mountain Day Camp
- 29 Concord Naval Weapons Station  
Neighborhood Alliance
- 30 Contra Costa County Farm Bureau
- 31 Martinez Arts Association – MUIRAL
- 32 Cal Revels
- 33 Pinnacles National Monument
- 34 Muir Woods National Monument



Climb the mountains and get their good tidings.  
Nature's peace will flow into you as sunshine flows  
into trees. The winds will blow their own freshness  
into you and the storms their energy, while cares  
will drop off like autumn leaves.  
—John Muir



## Thanks to Our Earth Day Sponsors



## ...and to Our Earth Day Partners



- 35 Pt. Reyes National Seashore
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- 37 Yosemite National Park
- 38 San Francisco Maritime National Historical Park
- 39 Juan Bautista de Anza National Historic Trail
- 40 US Fish and Wildlife Service Antioch Dunes National Wildlife Refuge
- 41 Alhambra Creek Watershed/Environmental Oral History Project of Martinez
- 42 East Bay Regional Park District
- 43 Martinez Chamber of Commerce

**Recycling**

Please bring all of your recyclables and compostables to the Recycling Center (see map)!

Thanks to the Alhambra High School Earth Club for their assistance.

# John Muir Birthday–Earth Day Celebration

Presented by the National Park Service and the John Muir Association

**Schedule of Events**  
**April 18, 2009**



- 10:00 a.m. John Muir Birthday–Earth Day Celebration Gates Open
- 10:00 a.m. First Silent Auction Opens—Bidding closes at 12:30 p.m. (see map)
- 10:30 a.m. FRONT GATE — Horse-Drawn Carriage and Bagpiper Procession Begins
- 10:30 a.m. BACK GATE — Bicycle ride sponsored by Bay Area Ridge Trail Council
- 10:45 a.m. BACK GATE — Hike in the hills sponsored by Bay Area Ridge Trail Council
- 11:00 a.m. STAGE — Piedmont Highlanders Pipe Band
- 11:30 a.m. STAGE — John Muir Birthday–Earth Day Welcome  
 Martha Lee, Superintendent, John Muir National Historic Site  
 John Muir (Ranger Frank Helling)  
 JoAnne Dunec, President, John Muir Association
- 11:30 a.m. Mt. Wanda Nature Walk — Meet Ranger Abel at front steps of the Adobe
- Noon STAGE — Recycled Fashion Show, John Swett Elementary School
- 12:45 p.m. STAGE — Music by Extended Roots
- 1:00 p.m. Second Silent Auction Opens—Bidding closes at 3:00 p.m. (see map)
- 1:15 p.m. STAGE — Piedmont Highlanders Pipe Band
- 1:45 p.m. STAGE — **Featured Speaker Gary Bogue**
- 2:00 p.m. STAGE — JOHN MUIR BIRTHDAY CELEBRATION  
 Music! Cake! John Muir (Frank Helling) Tells Tales  
 Supervisor Gayle Uilkema, Martinez Mayor Rob Schroder
- 2:45 p.m. STAGE — Piedmont Highlanders Pipe Band
- 3:15 p.m. STAGE — Music by Extended Roots
- 4:00 p.m. John Muir Birthday–Earth Day Celebration Ends

## At the Visitor Center:

California Native Plant Garden Tours  
 Bookstore

**Activities for kids and families with a Ranger**  
 (From 10:30 to 3:30—check board at entrance for schedule)

## At the Muir House:

Live music by Spinning Wheel, Cal Revels and  
 Patty Helling at the piano  
 Self-guided tours



Gary Bogue will talk about "Animals in the Urban Wilderness" at 1:45 p.m. at the Stage.

Shuttles to parking lots every 15 minutes at bus stop in front of Visitor Center

John Muir Association (#2)  
 I pledge to reduce waste, and to reuse or recycle what I can

Muir Woods National Monument (#34)  
 I pledge to visit and support our national parks as often as possible

Central Contra Costa Sanitary District (#23)  
 I pledge to keep pollutants from entering the sanitary sewer and disposing of hazardous materials at a hazardous waste collection facility

Bay Area Air Quality Management District (#13)  
 I pledge to sign up for Spare-the-Air e-mail alerts and make a change whenever possible

Cal Revels (#32)  
 I pledge to participate in at least one event that celebrates and supports the environment of Earth and nature this year

John Muir Mountain Day Camp (#28)  
 I pledge to exercise outdoors at least once a week

Master Gardeners (#3)  
 I pledge to use drought tolerant varieties when selecting plants for my garden

California Native Plant Society (#1)  
 I pledge to plant at least one native plant

Rahus Institute (#22)  
 I pledge to incorporate alternative energy into my life by using a clothes line part of the time, running the air conditioning less or using solar energy to heat my home, hot water or to cook

Contra Costa County Green Business Program (#21)  
 I pledge to increase my use of Contra Costa Certified Green Businesses

Contra Costa Certified Farmers' Markets (#26)  
 I pledge to buy local produce whenever I can

Sierra Club – Delta Regional Group (#6)  
 I pledge to become educated and active in environmental policy issues by signing up for free e-mail newsletters from the Sierra Club or advocacy organization of my choice

Muir Heritage Land Trust (#14)  
 I pledge to visit and support local open space this year

## Collect stamps for your chance to win a National Parks Pass! Take Action Challenge

Please take time at the pledge booths to learn how you and your family can take simple steps to reduce your impact on our natural resources. Many people taking small steps can add up.

To earn a stamp in the spaces above, make your pledge by signing your name to the pledge poster at participating booths. Collect all of the stamps, and you are eligible to enter a drawing for a National Parks Pass, good at all national parks in the country for one year (an \$80 value).

When all the spaces are stamped above, fill out the coupon and turn in at the **John Muir Association booth (# 2)** for your chance to win!

Please enter me in a drawing to win a National Parks and Federal Recreational Lands Pass, good for a full year. I have made my pledges to help create a healthy planet, and completed filling in my stamps. (Please print clearly.)

Name \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_ Number and Street \_\_\_\_\_ City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Phone (\_\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ I'd like to receive notice of next year's Earth Day (Pls check) \_\_\_\_\_  
 Area Code \_\_\_\_\_

How did you hear about today's John Muir Birthday–Earth Day Celebration? Please specify where applicable:

Newspaper \_\_\_\_\_ Radio \_\_\_\_\_ School \_\_\_\_\_ Friends \_\_\_\_\_  
 Website \_\_\_\_\_ Flyer/Poster \_\_\_\_\_ Muir Site Banner \_\_\_\_\_ Other (pls. specify) \_\_\_\_\_