

DECEMBER 2019

HIKES / WALKS / BIKE RIDES



Please RSVP to retirees@uci.edu or 949-824-7769 at least one day prior to the scheduled event. These hikes offer retirees, emeriti and their guests the opportunity to explore local parks and trails. We'll provide the group leader. Bring water, sunscreen, camera and a hat.

Note: rains may necessitate cancellation due to park closure.



HIKE

December 4

Whiting Ranch, Red Rock Canyon - (9:00 am)

This out-and-back 4+ mile hike is always a popular one. We begin on the Borrego Canyon Trail through a cool, peaceful oak woodland. We turn off through a dry creek bed to arrive at the Red Rocks which evoke the wildlands of southern Utah. After exploring the rocks, we'll return to our starting point refreshed and invigorated.

The small parking lot at the trailhead is \$3 per vehicle. If space is not available, you can use the nearby shopping center lots. For navigation, use 26701 Portola Parkway, Foothill Ranch.

**CANCELED
DUE TO RAIN**



WALK

December 11

Lower Back Bay Trail - (9:30 am)

The 98% flat trail will take you along the lower Newport Back Bay to Shellmaker Island, the home of the UCI Crew team. At Shellmaker, we will take a brief tour of the Crew team boathouse and then return on the Back Bay trail. This 6 mile out and back walk is considered "easy". Please bring water and sun protection.

Meet at the Vista Point trail head of the Back Bay Loop trail (near the corner of Jamboree Rd & East Bluff).

Parking Info: Free street parking on East Bluff

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