

You're Invited to

# California Wildlife Day!

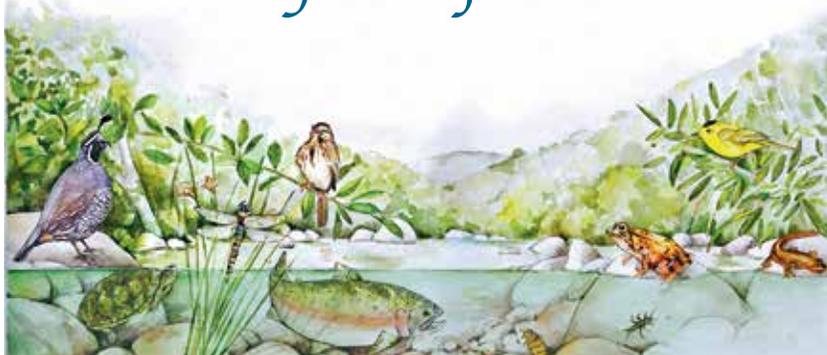
Saturday, March 23, 2019 from 10 am-3 pm  
at Palo Corona Regional Park, 4860 Carmel Valley Road, Carmel

Come rain or shine!

*Be a part of this second annual California Wildlife Day celebration at the new MPRPD site!  
California Wildlife Day will be recognized on the Spring Equinox of each year.*

Join us for this special celebration of California's wildlife with the theme "**Weaving Community**," opening with an Ohlone blessing and rededication of the land as sacred open space. Discover your connection to the land, river and wildlife through presentations and art, poetry and science exhibits by students and experts, nature walks, live music and activities for all ages.

*Let nature and the wilderness  
be your inspiration.*



Artwork by Emily Underwood

**FREE**  
to the  
public!

For more information: visit [mprpd.org/california-wildlife-day](http://mprpd.org/california-wildlife-day) or email [nelson@mprpd.org](mailto:nelson@mprpd.org) or call 831-372-3196 ext. 102 or ext. 109.

Co-hosted by the Monterey Peninsula Regional Park District and the Carmel River Watershed Conservancy. Sponsored by the Pacific Grove Museum of Natural History, the Santa Lucia Conservancy, G16 Coalition, and the Carmel Valley Association.

# Carmel River Watershed Conservancy



*Nature and wilderness are a source of inspiration, education, and physical, emotional, and spiritual well-being. Many state and non-profit organizations work to promote environmental awareness and stewardship and will collaborate to provide opportunities for education and service for California Wildlife Day.*

The **Carmel River Watershed Conservancy (CRWC)** is one of those organizations. The mission of the CRWC is protection of natural resources that form the Carmel River Watershed including threatened species of steelhead trout and California red-legged frogs. The Conservancy balances environmental protection and the diverse needs of the Community. This is accomplished by exemplifying integrity, inclusiveness, education and mutual respect. Please help us continue to protect the natural resources that form the Carmel River Watershed.

## **Want to get involved with the CRWC?**

**Volunteer:** The Carmel River Watershed Conservancy always welcomes volunteering by local residents and those who consider themselves stewards of the Carmel River. We participate with Carmel River Steelhead Association (CRSA) members and the Monterey Peninsula Water Management District staff in fish rescues when the river flows begin to trap or isolate steelhead. Also, CRWC periodically works with

other organizations in cleanup activities along the river and in tributary streams and creeks.

**Tour:** CRWC is now conducting watershed tours in several locations along the Carmel River for a nominal fee, or gratis to school or college student groups. If you are interested in participating in such watershed tours, please contact Lorin Letendre at [letendre@sbcglobal.net](mailto:letendre@sbcglobal.net).

**Learn:** Your actions make a difference. Three of the many resources available are *Carmel River Watershed Stewardship Manual*, *How to Protect and Enhance the Carmel River and Your Property*, and *Ways to Conserve Water*, each available on the CRWC website at [CarmelRiverWatershed.org/watershed-care](http://CarmelRiverWatershed.org/watershed-care). Also, learn more about CA Wildlife Day by visiting our website.

**Donate:** 100% of donations go to preserving the Carmel River Watershed. The CRWC is a 501(c)(3) nonprofit, tax ID 77-0548869. Visit [CarmelRiverWatershed.org/GetInvolved/donation](http://CarmelRiverWatershed.org/GetInvolved/donation).

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