



Hello CCCMB Community,

As spring trail season continues, CCCMB volunteers have been hard at work across the Central Coast making improvements, maintaining trails, and connecting with the community. From ongoing projects at Botanicals and Montana de Oro to upcoming volunteer days and local events, we're excited to share a few highlights from the past month and what's coming up next.

Upcoming Trail Workday: Sapwi – Saturday, May 16th

We're heading back out to Sapwi! Grab your gloves and join us on Saturday, May 16, for our next trail workday! We're charging ahead on this challenging project, and every volunteer day makes a huge difference.

Last month's workday, we cleared brush out to Jackass Canyon. Now we've got only about a tenth of a mile of dirt work left to reach it, and hitting the canyon marks the halfway point (by effort) of the whole project. Huge milestone! Let's keep the momentum rolling - we need you out there!

Raffle + Big Thanks to Our Sponsors! As a thank you for volunteering, we'll be raffling off gift cards from these awesome local supporters:

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Sandwiches provided!

When you RSVP, tell us what kind of deli sandwich you'd like so we can have lunch ready and keep you fueled for the day

Can't stay all day? No problem!

Come for a full day or a half day, note "half day" in the comments box when you sign up.

Workday details:

- Tools provided
 - Bring gloves and sturdy workwear
 - Days are getting longer and hot in the afternoon, please bring extra water (2-3 liters), sunscreen, and a good hat for sun and heat protection.
 - Meet at the Santa Margarita Lake Marina
 - Start: 7:45 AM, Wrap up: ~4:00 PM
- Sign up: bit.ly/3CMBwrk

Can't make it that weekend? - **We're also looking for weekday Sapwi Trail volunteers.** Reach out to kenny@cccmb.org for more information.



Progress Update: Botanicals Trail Project

Work continues at Botanicals as volunteers keep making steady progress on the new trail improvements. During our most recent workday, crews spent time moving dirt, shaping the trail, and refining a new berm to improve both flow and sustainability.

It's been exciting to watch this project come together week by week, and every volunteer day helps move it forward. Huge thanks to everyone who has come out to dig, shape, and support the effort.

To help out on this project, reach out to Eneko Alonso - eneko@cccmb.org



Ongoing Trail Work at Montana de Oro

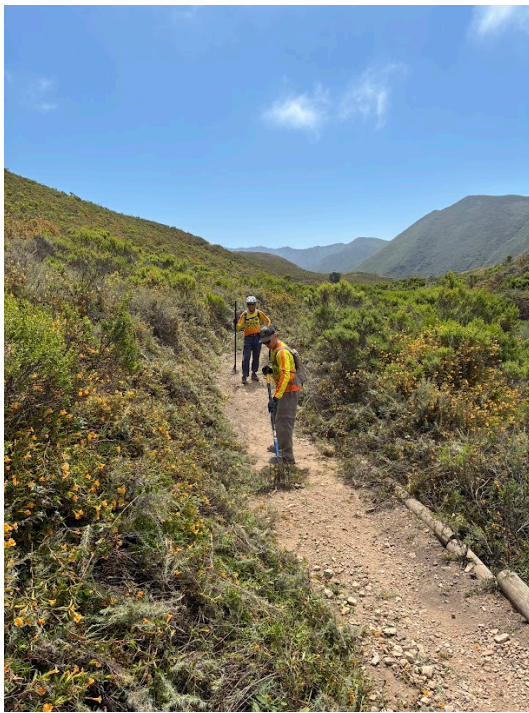
Trail work continues to move forward at Montana de Oro as volunteers tackle important brushing and maintenance projects throughout the park. Since February 1st, progress has depended heavily on required bird nesting surveys before crews are able to begin work in certain areas.

During our last Board meeting, we had the opportunity to speak with California State Parks Ranger and Environmental Scientist Jeff Ebner about the ongoing effort to map MDO terrain and trails using drone-based GIS technology. Their team has been working hard to develop an app that will allow trail users to easily report hazards, maintenance issues, and other areas needing attention while enjoying State Parks trails.

Recently, volunteers received approval to complete a brushing project along Beebe Trail, helping improve trail access and visibility. Work is also actively underway on the lower half of Canyon View Trail after an earlier scheduled April workday was postponed due to rain.

Current progress on Canyon View has been steady but slow, with small volunteer crews heading out multiple days each week to continue clearing and maintaining the trail corridor. Additional survey requests are still being submitted for the upper half of the trail and other surrounding areas as work continues to expand.

**Want to join us at Montana De Oro? Reach out to Jim Atchison-
jim@cccmb.org**



Community Outreach

CCCMB was excited to have a booth at the Laguna Lake MTB Skills Camp, where we connected with local riders, trail users, and community members about ongoing trail projects and volunteer opportunities.

Thank you to everyone who stopped by to chat, ask questions, and learn more about the work being done to improve and maintain trails across the Central Coast. We always appreciate the opportunity to share what CCCMB is working on and welcome new people into the trail community.



Can't Make It to Special Workdays?

Don't forget, we also have a regular weekly work schedule for anyone who wants to get involved outside of our larger volunteer days. Whether you can spare a

couple of hours after work or want to make trail building part of your routine, there are plenty of opportunities to lend a hand.

Weekly trail work is a great way to learn trail-building skills, meet fellow riders and volunteers, and help keep local trails in great shape year-round.

Our ongoing weekly work schedule can be found here -

<https://www.cccmb.org/cccmb-events>

The best way to stay in the know about what's coming up is to follow us on social media.

Find us on:

- Facebook - <https://www.facebook.com/CCCMBslo>
- Instagram - https://www.instagram.com/cccmb_slo/

Thank you for continuing to support local trails and the community that keeps them running strong.

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