

## Spring & Summer '23 Highlander Hike Calendar



### **January – Pacific Pipe Indoor Climbing**

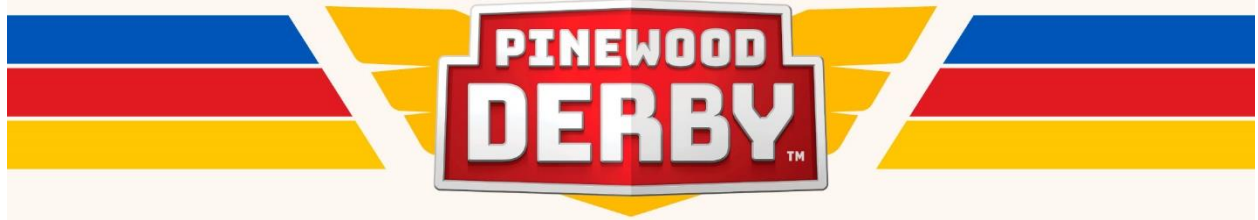
**When:** Saturday, January 21<sup>st</sup> at 10am – 12pm & 12 – 2pm

**What:** Come out to the awesome and colorful Pacific Pipe Indoor Climbing Gym for a couple hours of fun! Learn the knots and safety checks you need to climb, how to boulder, and get to tackle the towering walls with the help of your parents and leaders.

**Where:** 2140 Mandela Parkway, Oakland, CA 94607

#### **Specifics:**

- Cost for kids (12 and under) is \$30 for a day pass and gear (harness & shoes)
- Parking is limited in the lot at the front – there is a dirt lot behind the warehouse off 20<sup>th</sup> street that has plenty of room to park
- Parents/youth chaperones are free if they aren't climbing



## **February – Pinewood Derby**

**When:** Saturday, February 4<sup>th</sup> from 9am – 1:45pm

**What:** Come by the Piedmont Community Church Gymnasium to race your fast, colorful, and creative car against your Cub Scout peers!

**Where:** Piedmont Community Church Gymnasium, 400 Highland Ave, Piedmont, CA 94611

**Specifics:**

- The Practice Race is on Saturday, January 28<sup>th</sup>, from 10am – 12pm
- The Adult Race is on Friday, February 3<sup>rd</sup> from 8 – 11pm



## **March – Piedmont Historic Heritage Walk**

**When:** Saturday, March 18<sup>th</sup> from 9 – 11am

**What:** Join us for a guided walk along the streets of Piedmont and learn about the city's beginnings through its past residents, classical houses, and heritage trees.

**Where:** City of Piedmont – Meet at the Scout Office (10 Highland Way)

### **Specifics:**

- Bring comfortable shoes as we'll be walking up and down along the streets of Piedmont



### **April – Chabot Space & Science Center – Odyssey Overnight**

**When:** Saturday, April 22<sup>nd</sup> at 5:30pm – Sunday, April 23<sup>rd</sup> at 9:30am

**What:** Come to the Chabot Space & Science Center after hours for a night of Space Exploration! Enjoy a themed workshop, planetarium show, scavenger hunt, sky workshop, and telescope viewing.

**Where:** 10000 Skyline Blvd, Oakland, CA 94619

**Specifics:**

- Breakfast & Dinner included



## May – Bike Fest

**When:** Saturday, May 13<sup>th</sup> from 10am – 2pm

**What:** Bring your bike for a morning of fun! Test your skills by riding through various obstacle courses. Get your bike tuned up and your helmet checked. Learn the rules of the road and how to stay safe while cycling next to cars. Get lunch while you're out and have the chance to win awesome prizes!

**Where:** Location TBD (will be in Piedmont at an Elementary School)



## **June – Cub Scout Day Camp**

**When:** Monday, June 12<sup>th</sup> – Friday, June 16<sup>th</sup> from 1 – 5:30pm each day

**What:** A week of half-days full of fun scouting activities, STEM, arts and crafts, and archery! 2023's theme is Off to the Races!

**Where:** Dracena Quarry Park, 130 Dracena Ave, Piedmont, CA 94611

## **July – Fourth of July Parade**

**When:** Tuesday, July 4<sup>th</sup> from 10:30am – 12pm

**What:** March in Piedmont's Annual 4<sup>th</sup> of July Parade! Play a kazoo in the Council's traditional kazoo band and pass out candy to the parade-goers as you make your way down Highland Avenue.

**Where:** Meet at the intersection of Park and Mesa to join the parade queue.

Cub Scouts that participate in four or more Highlander Hikes through the program year receive the Highlander Hiker patch. If you complete four or more across multiple years, you'll receive a year related rocker patch!

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Stay tuned for further information on the Highlander Hike series via event pages on the Piedmont Council website (link below). As we approach the events, those pages will have detailed information, in addition to places to register and/or purchase tickets!

Questions? Contact District Executive Eris Turner at [eturner@piedmontbsa.org](mailto:eturner@piedmontbsa.org).

For additional events, visit the Council calendar: <https://www.piedmontbsa.org/events/>