



Riverside County Regional Park and Open-Space District

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Enjoy Outdoor Activities at the Gilman Ranch & Wagon Museum

November 17, 2020 – Banning, CA – The Gilman Ranch & Wagon Museum is open to the public for outdoor recreation! Riverside County Regional Park & Open-Space District follows a strict COVID-19 Closure and Reopening Plan, which adheres to state and county health guidelines. Based on this plan, Gilman Ranch & Wagon Museum remains open to the public with some limitations. Gilman Ranch features a native plant garden and historic orchards, with other outdoor things to see and do. The Bobcat Hiking Trail at the Ranch features breath-catching views of the San Geronio Pass and has recently been improved thanks to the hard work of Supervisor Hewitt's District V Youth Advisory Committee. Although the interior spaces of the Wagon Museum and Ranch House remain closed due to the County's current COVID-19 status, the historic outbuildings and archaeological sites remain open and are viewable to the public. The Ranch is the perfect place for a picnic with family and friends at a safe distance.

All visitors to the Ranch are required to maintain social distancing. Groups of 10 or more are discouraged. So, pack a picnic and bring your hiking boots to the Gilman Ranch, open the second and fourth Saturdays of each month from 10 a.m. until 4 p.m. Entry fee is only \$4 per person and \$1 per leashed dog.

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About The Riverside County Regional Park and Open-Space District

Our Mission is to acquire, protect, develop, manage, and interpret for the inspiration, use and enjoyment of all people, a well-balanced system of park related places of outstanding scenic, recreational, and historic importance. Our Vision is to be the regional leader in improving lives through people, parks, places and programs. www.rivcoparks.org

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