FEES AND CHARGES*

\$16
\$20
\$7
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* 2003—Fees are subject to change.

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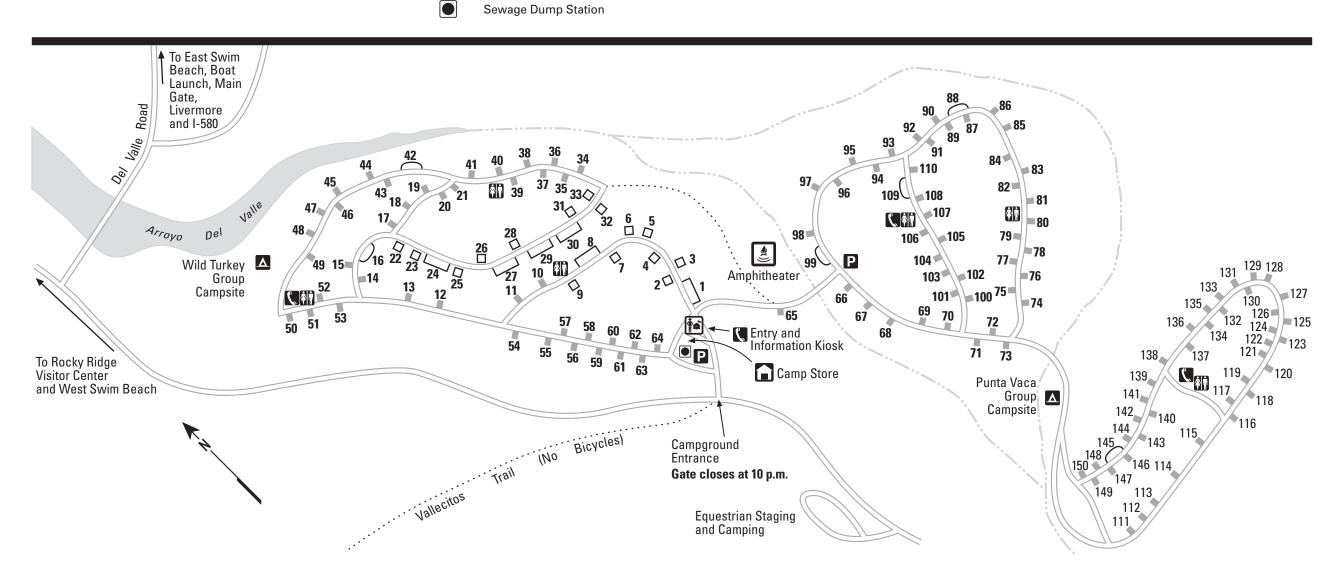
Parking for Camp Visitors

TO REACH THE PARK

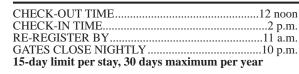
From Castro Valley, take Interstate 580 east to the North Livermore exit in Livermore. Go south on North Livermore through the city of Livermore. Turn right onto Mines Road and follow it for about five miles to its intersection with Del Valle Road. Take Del Valle Road up the hill (straight) to the park entrance. **From east of Livermore**, take I-580 west to the Vasco Road South exit. Follow Vasco Road south to Tesla Road and turn right. At Mines Road turn left and follow the directions above.

Del Valle





Del Valle CAMPGROUND



Camping

Family Camping 150 campsites are available year-round with provisions for both tent camping and motor homes. Twenty-one hookups are available for water and sewage (no electrical). The campground has restrooms, hot showers, picnic tables, and plenty of room to play. Check-in time is 2 p.m. Check-out time is 12 noon. Camping reservations may be made from one day to 12 weeks in advance by phoning the number in your area:

Oakland	(510) 562-2267
Livermore	(925) 373-0144
South Bay	(510) 538-6470
Contra Costa County	(925) 676-0192

Ohlone Wilderness Camping Backpack overnight camping sites are situated along the Ohlone Wilderness Trail, accessible at the western end of the Vallecitos Trail (near the Family Campground), at the southern end of Del Valle Regional Park. Phone (510) 562-2267 for reservations.

Group Camping The group camp areas listed below are available by reservation only. Make reservations at least three days in advance by phoning (510) 562-2267. Camping is hike-in only—vehicles may not be used to transport equipment. Parking passes are provided for groups leaving vehicles in the park overnight. Vehicles without passes will be cited and/or towed. Axes, hatchets, and saws are not permitted—bring pre-cut firewood, first-aid kit, and drinking water. Use only available fire pits. Picnic tables and chemical toilets are provided.

Venados Camp: On the east side of the lake, a one-mile hike from the boat ramp. Leave vehicles in the parking lot near the concession stand. Capacity 50. Hike-in only. **Hetch Hetchy Reservable Area**: A meadow on the east side of the lake well-suited for camporees. Capacity 150. Hike-in only.

Cedar Camp: located near the lake's south end, this camp is a .21-mile hike from the park entrance road. Capacity 50.Hike-in only

Wild Turkey Camp: Located in the Family Campground. Good for large groups. Stone fire circle in the amphitheater; group barbecue area. Capacity 100.

Punta Vaca Camp: Also in the Family Campground. Good for smaller groups. Less developed than Wild Turkey Camp. Capacity 75.

Campground Rules

It is the camper's responsibility to **know and follow these campground rules**:

• Camping is allowed only in designated areas.

• **Only two motor vehicles** may occupy the same campsite. There is a fee for the second vehicle.

• Motor vehicles are restricted to main paved roads. All camping vehicles are restricted to the asphalt pad provided at the campsite.

• A maximum of 10 persons may occupy any single campsite.

• **Persons under 18** years of age must have **written consent to camp**, signed by a parent or guardian, unless accompanied by a parent or guardian or other competent adult leadership.

• **Quiet hours** are from 10 p.m. to 7 a.m. Amplification equipment and generators that disturb other campers will not be allowed at any hour.

• Del Valle Regional Park is **closed north of the bridge during posted hours**. Water activity is prohibited at night.

• All pets shall be contained within a vehicle or tent, or securely leashed and under the immediate control of a person at all times. Maximum leash length is six feet. Persons with noisy or vicious animals will be required to leave the park.

• Waste water must be disposed of only at the Sanitary Dump Station (see campground map on reverse).

• Wood collection is prohibited. Ground fires are not allowed except in the fire pits provided. Campfires must be attended at all times.

• No firearms, fireworks, or weapons of any kind are allowed in the park.

• No alcoholic beverages except beer and wine are allowed in the park. Users must be 21 years or older.

• Rope swings, hammocks, or other activities that require hanging ropes from trees are prohibited. Trees are damaged by hanging ropes.

Recreation

Hiking and Horseback Riding Miles of scenic hiking and riding trails can be found on the east side of Lake Del Valle just north of the main parking and swim area. Hikers are permitted in all areas of the park except the restricted area at the dam.

Equestrian Staging The equestrian camping and staging area at the south end of the campground access road, near the campground entrance, is for equestrians who will be riding the Ohlone Wilderness Trail. Facilities include eight corrals, a chemical toilet, picnic tables and a barbecue. Call (510) 562-2267 for information and reservations.

Picnicking Picnic sites with barbecue units are provided in many areas of the park. No ground fires are permitted. Fires are permitted in personal cooking units as explained in the park rules.

Group Picnicking For large groups, advance reservations may be made by phoning (510) 562-2267. We suggest that you see these areas before reserving. Reservable picnic areas are Lichen Bark, Gray Pine, School House Flats, Oak Point, Cedar Mountain View, Eagles View, Arroyo Mocho, Fiesta Grande, Agua Vista, Beach View, Coyote Corner, and Shady Oaks.

Fishing Fishing is prime at Del Valle during the winter months, with regular trout plants from October through May by the California Department of Fish and Game, and trophy plants supported by fees from the East Bay Regional Park District Fishing Access Permit sales. Largemouth and smallmouth bass bite well in the spring and summer, as do a variety of panfish.

A Calfornia State Fishing License with stamps (available at most sport and bait shops) and a Park District Daily Fishing Access Permit are required for all fishers age 16 and above. Park District daily permits may be purchased for \$3 at the park entrance kiosk or the boat ramp concession. Senior Fishing Access Permits, good for one year from date of purchase, are available for \$70 to disabled persons and those age 62 and older.

Fishing is permitted only during during posted park operating hours. **Fishing is not permitted** in the stream entering the lake except during the regular State trout season (see State fishing regulations), and the limit is five fish per day per person.

Recreation

Naturalist Services East Bay Regional Park District naturalists present **campfire programs** in the Family Campground amphitheater on Friday and Saturday evenings from Memorial Day to Labor Day. For information call (925) 862-2601. Park District naturalists also give **guided boat tours** of the lake May through September, in addition to special moonlight, birding, and charter boat tours. Call (925) 862-2601 for information

Boating and Boat Rentals All watercraft must be off the lake at the boat ramp one-half hour before sundown. Private vehicles left in the parking lot after the park closes may be cited and/or towed. The speed limit on the lake surface is 10 mph. Any size boat may be launched. Boats, operators, and passengers must meet and observe all applicable Coast Guard, State, and Federal safety requirements and regulations. **Watercraft registration**: \$3 for trailered boats; \$2 for car-top or inflatable boats.

The East-side boat launch area offers food, bait and tackle, and firewood. Also available are rental bicycles, sailboats, Hobie Cats, windsurfers, canoes, rowboats, pedal boats, motor boats, patio boats, and lake tours. Hours and rates are posted at the boat launch area. Call the numbers below for information:

Boating and fishing	(925) 449-5201
Windsurfing	(925) 455-4008

Swimming Swimming is permitted south of the boat ramp only in designated areas of the east and west beaches. Open lake swimming is allowed north of the boat launch as shown on the park map. Lifeguards are on duty only from 11 a.m. to 6 p.m., May through September. Check at the main entrance and bulletin boards for specific schedule of operation. No lifeguards are on duty for open lake swimming.

Swim at your own risk. Children should not swim or wade without an adult in attendance.

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Del Valle Park Information	
Family Camping	See "Family Camping"
Group Camping	(510) 562-2267
Ohlone Wilderness Camping	(510) 562-2267
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EBRPD Headquarters	(510) 635-0135

