

# COMMUNITY TRAIL MAP

PLEASE STAY ON THE  
MARKED TRAILS

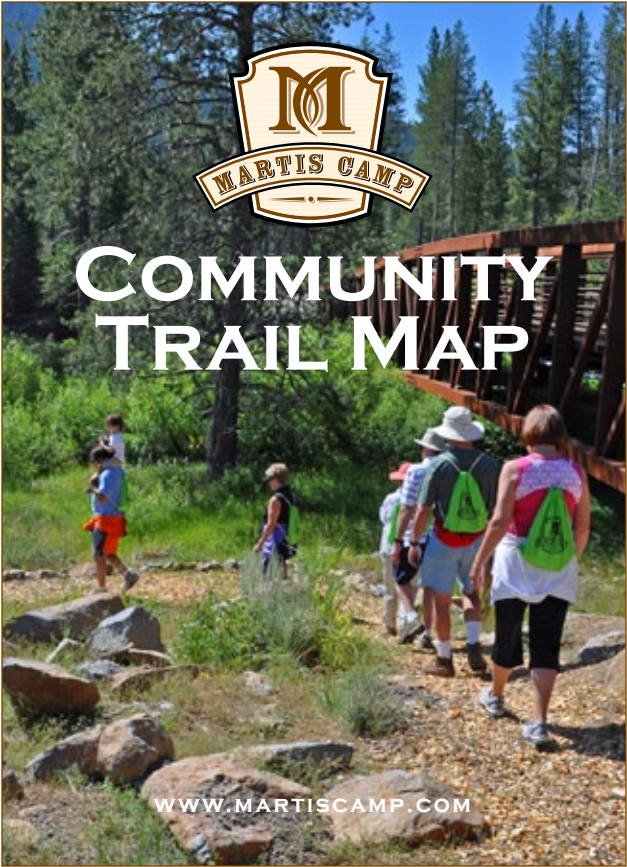


## LEGEND

- X BENCH
- PT PICNIC TABLE
- PUBLIC TRAIL
- PAVED PATH
- HIKING TRAIL

*Meadow Vista* ON-SITE TRAIL NAMES  
LAHONTAN ADJACENT PROPERTY  
SCHAFER MILL ROAD NAMES





MARTIS CAMP CONTACT INFORMATION

IN CASE OF EMERGENCY: DIAL 911

MARTIS CAMP GATEHOUSE: 530.550.6100

CAMP LODGE: 530.550.6000

FAMILY BARN: 530.550.6070

LOOKOUT LODGE: 530.550.6090

GOLF SHOP: 530.550.6020

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TRAIL TIPS

CARRY WATER!

PACK IT IN, PACK IT OUT.

There are lovely scenic benches and tables to rest, snack and picnic at. No trash receptacles are available on the trails.

DO NOT FEED THE WILDLIFE.

BOLLARDS (CONSERVATION EASEMENT MARKERS)

The posts along the creek mark the conservation easement. Please stay on trails.



CROSS CAMP

TRAILHEADS: Lost Library

LOWER: Across Fleur du Lac from Family Barn

UPPER: Corner of Fleur du Lac and Valhalla

GRADE: Easy, with golf course views

DISTANCE: 20 minutes each way

GATEHOUSE PATH

TRAILHEAD: Lost Library and Family Barn Concert Park Lake

GRADE: Easy - path paralleling Shaffer Mill Rd. is paved bike trail

DISTANCE: 30 minutes each way

PONDEROSA PATH

TRAILHEAD: Tanager Ridge and Upper Cross Camp access at the Practice Field

GRADE: Easy level trail along Practice Field, crosses Valhalla continuing to Tanager Ridge

DISTANCE: 30 minutes

SAGE FLAT

TRAILHEAD: Upper Cross Camp and Tanager Ridge - crosses Valhalla

GRADE: Easy

DISTANCE: 30 minutes

GENTLE JEFFREY

TRAILHEAD: Across Valhalla from Lost Library

GRADE: Level trail to water tank then merges to Sugar Pine Pull

DISTANCE: 15 minutes

SUGAR PINE PULL

TRAILHEAD: Gentle Jeffrey connects from Lost Library

GRADE: Medium - uphill climb from Lost Library

DISTANCE: 30 minutes

OLANA CUTOFF

TRAILHEAD: Olana Drive /Sugar Pine Pull/Tanager Ridge

GRADE: Medium - uphill

DISTANCE: 20 minutes

TANAGER RIDGE (PERIMETER TRAIL)

FROM: Sugar Pine Pull to Creekside/South Creek

TRAILHEAD: Sugar Pine Pull/Creekside /South Creek/ Perimeter Trail

GRADE: Easy/Medium; fairly level with a few ups and downs over rocky outcrops

CREEKSIDE

TRAIL HEAD: Metal bridge at # 15, N. Side of creek to Tanager Ridge

GRADE: Easy /medium

DISTANCE: 45 minutes each way

SOUTH CREEK

TRAILHEAD: From Family Barn – Martis Connection to metal bridge at # 15 cross bridge to south side of Martis Creek

FROM TANAGER RIDGE: Crosses the flat bridge thru Buttercup Glen. The perimeter trail cuts uphill a bit further along. To stay on South Creek trail follow the creek and Martis Camp private trail signs and arrows. Cross Schaffer Creek at South Creek cutoff sign or continue on to Perimeter Trail

GRADE: Medium

DISTANCE: 1 hour each way

MARTIS CONNECTION

TRAIL HEAD: South end of Family Barn parking lot to Metal Bridge on # 15 access to Creekside, South creek, Mill Site Meander and Big Rock Meadow

GRADE: Easy, short trail but uphill returning to Barn

DISTANCE: 15 minutes

MILL SITE MEANDER

TRAILHEAD: Northeast side of metal bridge. Follow trail along #11 to cart path and then down dirt road before cutoff to creek.

To Loop to Big Rock Meadow, cross Martis Creek at west end of trail and follow signs crossing Schaffer Mill Road to Big Rock Meadow trail

GRADE: Medium

DISTANCE: 1 hour each way

BIG ROCK MEADOW

TRAILHEAD: Northeast side of metal bridge. Follow trail along #11 to cart path turn right across creek to Big Rock Meadow trail sign on left. Trail is on south side of creek

TO LOOP TO MILL SITE MEANDER: Cross Schaffer Mill Road and continue on to creek crossing.

GRADE: Medium

DISTANCE: 1 hour each way

WILDLANDS WANDER - LOOKOUT LODGE

FROM: Hunter's Camp and Perimeter Trail junction/Lookout Lodge

TRAILHEAD: Martis Connection to Hunter's Camp and accessible from Lookout Lodge and Ehram Drive

GRADE: Advanced – Wildlands Wander follows a chipped dirt road

DISTANCE: 3-4 hours

PERIMETER TRAIL

North Perimeter, Tanager Ridge and South Perimeter trails around boundary of property marked in red and purple on the map

GRADE: Advanced

HUNTER’S CAMP

TRAILHEAD: From Family Barn – Martis Connection to metal bridge at #15. Cross bridge to southeast side of Martis Creek/Perimeter Trail. Trail crosses through hazard on #13.

GRADE: Medium/Advanced – an uphill climb to Perimeter Trail

DISTANCE: 45 minutes each way

FAUNA

A few of our forest friends...

Black Bear, Coyote, Deer, Raccoon, Porcupine, Lodgepole Chipmunks, Western Gray squirrel, Golden Mantled Ground squirrel, Brush Rabbit

BEAR FACTS

If you encounter a bear in the woods, remember - this is his territory but he’s happy to share! Do not run, let him know you are there – make some noise! Make eye contact but don't stare. Pick up small children who may run and keep them calm. Appreciate the experience and move on with respect and confidence.

BIRDS

Western Tanager, Mountain Bluebird, Song sparrow, Cassin Finch, Tree swallow, American Robin, Western Wood Peewee, Yellow Rumped Warbler (Butter Butt), Stellar Jay, Osprey, Mountain Chickadee, Nuthatch, Bald Eagle, Hairy Woodpecker, Downy Woodpecker

FLORA

Common Conifers

PONDEROSA PINE – PINUS PONDEROSA

Long needles three to a bunch; on the cones prickles point outward – “Prickly Ponderosa”

JEFFREY PINE – PINUS JEFFREYI

Similar to Ponderosa with a bit larger beehive shaped cone. On the Jeffrey cones prickles curve inward; “Gentle Jeffrey” and the bark smells like vanilla or maybe butterscotch.

SUGAR PINE – PINUS LAMBERTIANA

5 needles per bunch. Cones grow over a foot long!

LODEPOLE PINE – PINUS CONTORTA

Only pine in Sierra with 2 needles. Small cones with long prickles

WHITE FIR – ABIES CONCOLOR

Single needles; flat cones grow upright on branches

FLOWERS

So many! Here are a few favorites....

MOUNTAIN PENNYROYAL – MONARDELLA ODORATISSIMA

Mint Family. All mints have square stems! Pennyroyal has opposite leaves all along the stem. Pinkish fuzzy flowers common along dry trails.

MULE’S EARS –WYETHIAS MOLLIS

Big yellow sunflower type with densely wooly gray colored leaves. Common in dry areas.

LUPINE – PEA FAMILY

Five or more varieties found on trail. Range from light pink to dark purple . Palmately compound leaves. Flowers on stalk - bloom from bottom up. Dry, wet and forested areas

MEADOW LARKSPUR – DELPHINIUM NUTTALLIANUM

Purple flower, palmately compound leaves. Grows smaller in dry areas and can grow quite large in wet areas. Giant Mountain Larkspur grows along creek up to six feet tall.

INDIAN PAINTBRUSH – CASTILLEJA NANA

Orange to purplish. Partly parasitic on the roots of neighboring plants like sagebrush.

PENSTEMMON

We have five species of this lovely tubular flower ranging in color from firecracker red to azure blue.

CRIMSON COLUMBINE – AGUILLEGIA FORMOSA