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Junior Ranger Programs to be Offered at Sonoma State Historic Park & Petaluma Adobe State Historic Park

California State Parks, in cooperation with the Sonoma/Petaluma State Historic Parks Association, will present a brand new **Junior Ranger Program** at Sonoma State Historic Park and Petaluma Adobe State Historic Park this August. This is the first time the Junior Ranger Program has been offered here.

The Junior Ranger Program is a statewide educational program in which children age 7 to 12 may participate. The program offers a creative and educational, hands-on experience, and will engage the child's interests in various subjects pertaining to California's rich history and environment. It emphasizes stewardship of resources and connects park issues to global concerns. Badges, certificates, and patches are awarded to participants as they progress through the program. Children are able to discover the rich natural and cultural heritage preserved in California State Parks through this exciting program.

The Junior Ranger Program is included with the purchase of a Park Day Use Pass (\$3 for adults, \$2 for children age 6 to 17). Children, age 7 to 12, are welcomed to join our Junior Ranger Program on any or all of the following dates and times:

- August 4th– Sonoma Barracks 11:00 a.m. to Noon
- August 4th– Sonoma Barracks 2:00 p.m. to 3:00 p.m.
- August 11th– General Vallejo Home 11:00 a.m. to Noon
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- August 17th– Mission Sonoma 11:00 a.m. to Noon
- August 17th– Mission Sonoma 2:00 p.m. to 3:00 p.m.
- August 18th– General Vallejo Home 11:00 a.m. to Noon
- August 18th– Sonoma Barracks 2:00 p.m. to 3:00 p.m.
- August 25th– Petaluma Adobe SHP 11:00 a.m. to Noon
- August 25th– Petaluma Adobe SHP 2:00 p.m. to 3:00 p.m.

Sonoma State Historic Park:

- General Vallejo Home: 363 3rd Street West, Sonoma, CA 95476
- Mission SF Solano (Sonoma Mission): 114 East Spain Street, Sonoma, CA 95476
- Sonoma Barracks: 36 Spain Street, Sonoma, CA 95476

Petaluma Adobe State Historic Park: 3325 Adobe Road, Petaluma, CA 94954

California State Parks supports equal access. Prior to arrival, visitors who need assistance should contact: Supervising Ranger, Vincent Anibale (707) 938-9553 or vincent.anibale@parks.ca.gov

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