

The following disclaimer and guidelines and resource links form the foundation for all Dog Lovers and Hiking Hounds of Sacramento events. Version 2011-10-30

Disclaimer:

Each person who participates accepts responsibility for making any determinations regarding their and their dog(s) safety, conduct and well-being; recognizes possible hazards attending outdoor activities; and accepts responsibility for all risks and liability associated with their and their dog(s) behaviour.

Everyone:

- Only friendly, social, and non-aggressive dogs. If you're not sure if your dog is "friendly, social, and non-aggressive", you're welcome to bring them and see. Some dogs naturally like to "play-fight" and that's okay! Unwelcome/unprovoked attacking and dominating isn't. You're responsible for your dog so please make sure you have control of them and can contain them.

- Know and adhere to Leave No Trace (LNT) at all times. Encouraging others to do so is appreciated.

Please carry bags and pick up after your dogs on all meetups!

- Passengers in carpools – Please reimburse the carpool driver \$4 driver per hour driven.

- Please pay the annual fee if you have attended two meetups. If you do not pay your annual fee after two meet ups, I will be forced to remove you from the group.

Organizers:

- Post a detailed description of the meetup on the website. If you are comfortable with posting and have a cell phone, it's helpful to post this in case people get lost trying to find the meetup location.

- Please make certain that your attendees have responded "yes" to the group guidelines (under profile question #5 – click on the member to see their profile) prior to attending the meetup. Contact them if they have not. This is for your protection (although there are some generic protections provided by being a part of Meetup, most groups take his approach as well).

Participants

- Read the meetup description carefully. Be prepared physically and bring the proper equipment and trail supplies necessary for the hike. You are being unfair to other participants if you don't do this.

- If you RSVP yes please show-up.

- Stay with your group..

- Rate your hike and provide a comment on your experience.

- Contact your organizer / leader directly with any questions, comments or concerns.

- Uploading and sharing pictures of your experience is appreciated.

- Thank your host! We are all volunteers and organization take effort and time – we need to appreciate folks who are willing to take on this task!

- Please pay your annual fee so I can keep this meetup going!

LNT Organization Home Page: <http://www.lnt.org>