

**Igneous Petrology Field Trip 1: Peninsular Ranges Batholith
April 29-30, 2006**

**Be at the loading dock on the 1st floor of Geology at 5:45 AM on Saturday,
April 29.**

General Information:

We will be camping at the Potrero campgrounds (San Diego County Park) on the evening of April 29.

- In late April, the average high is 72-77 F, average low 37-41 F: Dress accordingly!! It snowed at one of our stops this weekend.
- The website for the campground says there are restrooms and hot showers available. Bring your own towel, etc.
- We will divide ourselves into ~3 food groups. Each group is responsible for bringing 2 lunches, one breakfast (Sun morning – if you're not a morning person you might want to bring something to eat in the van), and one dinner for themselves. Some cooking equipment will be available for dinner and breakfast.

Things you need to bring:

For the whole trip in general:

- Some money for snacks and emergencies
- Your health insurance card / info
- A valid form of ID like your driver's license*****
- Your brain: you need it to think and participate (and have fun!)

For class:

- Handlens
- A magnet (preferably a pen-shaped magnet or one on a string)
- Camera, if you have one (with back-up batteries, or film). We will make a poster for the hallway for each trip – the more pictures the better!
- Rock hammer, pick, or small sledge, if you have one.
- Sample bags (plastic zip bags with labels will work ok – bring a marker to identify your rocks)
- A notebook and pens/pencils to write and draw with. Yellow Rite-in-the-Rain notebooks are available in the Geology office for \$17.97 each. Checks to UC Regents.
- Water bottles
- Snacks
- Sun protection: hats, sunglasses, sunscreen.
- Closed-toe boots and/or sturdy shoes. We won't be going on any epic treks, but this is rattlesnake country and we will be scurrying through brush at times.
- A day pack (again, we're not going too far from the vehicles, but you'll want to keep your stuff together in the van).

For camping:

- Flashlight
- Sleeping bag and pad
- Tent (Let's try to share tents! Especially if someone has a big one!)
- Toiletries/medicine, towel if you want to take a shower
- Comfy or light shoes/sneakers/sandals (optional)
- Jacket/sweater, etc. because it will get cold at night

This list is not intended to be comprehensive. If you have questions about these items or about what else you should bring, please ask me.