

## Social Saturdays and Sundays

Weekend meetups at specified locations depending on age, interests, and cognitive abilities of the group with:

# SOCIAL OUTINGS INTO COMMUNITY VIRTUAL INSTRUCTIONAL AND SOCIAL SESSIONS

Designed to address emotional needs and safety concerns with re-entry into social situations coming out of the pandemic. Community activities follow covid protocols and are:

MEANINGFUL CHALLENGING SAFE FUN

See reverse side for Summer 2021 Schedule. Regional Center clients may use out-of-home respite hours. Cost per session:

\$110/3:1 Staffing Ratio \$140/2:1 Staffing Ratio \$160/1:1 Staffing Ratio

\$60/Supplemental Daily Rate for Regional Center









### **SUMMER 2021 SCHEDULE**

#### **ALL ABOUT ANIMALS**

This visit will be our introduction to the Animal Assisted Happiness Smile Farm. We will have the opportunity to mingle with goats, pigs, sheep, bunnies, mini horses, and many more. Lunch will take place in the pavilion, and we will learn in depth about two of the most popular animals on the farm, the alpacas, and do some alpaca art.

#### JAPAN—EMPIRE OF THE SUN

We will explore all about this beautiful country in the Pacific. After making our way through the gardens and the beautiful exhibits, we will rest and have our lunch. Then we will practice the art of origami and learn some common Japanese words.

#### SAN JOSE—WAY BACK WHEN

It might be Silicon Valley now, but it was orchards and farms for centuries in the past. San Jose History Park will take us back, so we can explore how life was for our South Bay ancestors. We will see how they worked and how they played. We will have our lunch on the picnic tables and then create some leather art of our own to take home.

#### **ANIMALS AND THE CREATIVE ARTS**

Horses are one of the most depicted animals in all art forms. This visit will concentrate on the large animal area - the mini horses, alpacas, and donkey pen. We will learn about caring for these bigger farm friends, and then after lunch, we will create equine art of our own.

#### SILICON VALLEY TECHNOLOGY

Tech - it's all about tech - let's see what makes this place one of the most innovative spots on the planet! What is a microchip? How did the internet start? Many questions will be answered. We will have lunch outdoors at Discovery Meadows Park, and then we will have a fun trivia game and make some tech t-shirts!

#### **ANIMALS SCIENCE AND DISCOVERY**

Animals fit into so many categories of science and pose so many questions that we humans can't even answer yet. Let's look at science on the farm, have lunch, and do some science experiments of our own.

AAH SMILE FARM
Saturday, June 5th
Adults Ages 16+
Sunday, June 6th
Kids/Teens/Young Adults
Ages 5-22

#### JAPANESE FRIENDSHIP GARDENS

Saturday, June 12th
Kids/Teens/Young Adults
Ages 5-22
Sunday, June 13th
Adults Ages 16+

SAN JOSE HISTORY PARK Saturday, July 10th Adults Ages 16+ Sunday, July 11th Kids/Teens/Young Adults Ages 5-22

AAH SMILE FARM
Saturday, July 24th
Kids/Teens/Young Adults
Ages 5-22
Sunday, July 25th
Adults Ages 16+

The Tech Museum
Saturday, July 17th
ALTITUDE Kids/Teens/Young
Adults Ages 9-18
Sunday, July 18th
ALTITUDE Young Adults Ages
18-30
Saturday, August 7th
Adults Ages 16+
Sunday, August 8th
Kids/Teens/Young Adults
Ages 5-22

AAH SMILE FARM
Saturday, August 21st
Kids/Teens/Young Adults
Ages 5-22
Sunday, August 22nd
Adults Ages 16+

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