

# Annual Hikanbyke Picnic

Date: Sunday September 24, 2023

Time: Picnic at 12:00 noon, after the completion of the activities

Location: Pleasant Hill Park, in “downtown” Pleasant Hill



See activity times and descriptions below. Food & picnic and socializing begin at noon, after the activities. We encourage everyone to get outdoors with your friends before the picnic begins. Please come early and participate in one of these activities with your friends.

This is “the” Hikanbyke potluck of the year. Bring your favorite dish to share, your beverage (we have an alcohol permit for this event), and a barbeque item. Main dishes and substantial side dishes are always in demand. Appetizers, side dishes, main dishes, and desserts are all welcome. Be creative!

The club will supply charcoal for grilling on the park’s grills, paper & plastic ware, and we will have some ice available. Water is available at the park.

Some members have volunteered to watch your coolers and guard/setup the picnic area while the rest of us are participating in the activities.

**DIRECTIONS:** From the north, on I-680, exit at the Gregory Lane off ramp. Continue west 1 long block to Cleaveland Rd. PH Park is at the intersection on your right. From the south, on I-680 exit on Contra Costa Blvd. Follow for several blocks and turn left on Gregory Lane, then continue as above. Look for Hikanbyke banner and Fun!. You can unload from the Senior Center Parking lot which is closest to Picnic Area #2, but we are **NOT ALLOWED TO PARK IN THE SENIOR CENTER PARKING LOT**. We need to park in the parking lot on the corner of Cleveland and Gregory.

## ACTIVITIES

**Moderate bike:** Ed and Carol Addison have volunteered to lead a 20 mile bike ride from the Pleasant Hill Park to the Carquinez Trail. Plan to meet at the park at 9:15 a.m. for a 9:30 a.m. departure. More details to follow on Google Groups.

**Casual Walk:** Diane Savard will lead a casual walk starting at 10:00 to 11:00-11:30 on the Contra Costa Trail for those wanting to get in some steps prior to the picnic.

