

CALLING ALL PHOTOGRAPHERS!

18TH ANNUAL SUTTER BUTTES CALENDAR PHOTO CONTEST

Show us your unique perspective of our region! Deadline for submissions will be Friday, April 28, 2023.

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SUTTER BUTTES REGIONAL LAND TRUST

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OUR MISSION

The mission of the Sutter Buttes Regional Land Trust is to protect and maintain the natural and agricultural resources of the Sutter Buttes and the surrounding region for present and future generations.

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FALL 2022

This year has flown by and the holidays quickly approaching. I find myself feeling especially thankful thinking about all the things we have been able to accomplish. It took a lot of effort to bounce back from COVID and resume our normal outreach and fundraising efforts. It felt good to get back into our groove. Your involvement and generous support of the Sutter Buttes Regional Land Trust has helped motivate and encourage us to continue to push forward, protecting the lands that matter to our communities.

As I look back on 2022, we have the opportunity to reflect on all the good work we have done together. We want to share our success stories with you so we might celebrate together. Here are just a few ways that we made a difference this year:

- Renewed our land trust accreditation through the Land Trust Alliance
- Monitored 617 acres of preserved land
- Published our annual Sutter Buttes calendar and showcased our new and improved exhibit at the Sutter County museum.
- Hosted our annual "Partner Hike" to connect with local organizations, businesses, and partners
- Co-hosted the "Walnut Harvesting Experience" with the Fedora family in Meridian, CA.
- Hosted our annual Sunset Serenade silent auction amongst the Valley Oaks in the Sutter Buttes.
- Updated our website with a new and exciting look
- Welcomed new Board member, Ben Chandler

We are grateful to you for all the ways you have supported and participated with us throughout the year - generous donations, new members, and adventures in the Sutter Buttes. Together, we are preserving our beautiful lands for future generations to enjoy, while there's still time.

Please make a gift to the Sutter Buttes Regional Land Trust so we can continue our important conservation work. Your gift can ensure our nation's irreplaceable lands are protected in perpetuity. During this holiday season, your support of the Sutter Buttes Regional Land Trust is the best gift you can give yourself - and the future generations who will have the chance to enjoy the lands you're helping to save.

Happy Holidays! And thank you for all you do to protect the lands we love and need.

Sincerely,

Alyssa Lindman

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Let's continue this momentum together in the New Year!

WE DID IT!!

We are so excited to announce we have recently received our renewed accreditation with the nationwide Land Trust Accreditation Commission, after having completed a rigorous year-long application review process that meets all national standards and practices of the Land Trust Alliance. This recognition provides assurances to the local community that the Sutter Buttes Regional Land Trust's conservation easement lands will be protected forever.

SBRLT is part of a network of over 450 accredited land trusts across the nation, who are committed to professional excellence and maintaining the public's trust in its conservation work. "Renewing our accreditation shows Sutter Buttes Regional Land Trust's ongoing commitment to permanent land conservation in Yuba, Sutter, and Colusa counties," said Alyssa Lindman, Executive Director. "We are a stronger organization than ever for having gone through the rigorous accreditation renewal process. Our strength means special places - such as

Fedora Farms and North Butte - will be protected forever, making our region an even greater place for us and our children."

From rivers and conifer forests to oak woodlands and agricultural fields, each part of our region plays a role in supporting our diverse environment - ranging from food production and storm water filtration to wildlife habitat, scenic views and recreation. We recognize conservation of our working and wild land resources is essential to our community's quality of life for generations to come. The Land Trust Accreditation helps us to ensure permanence in our conservation of open lands, ensuring they truly are protected forever.

For more info visit www.sutterbutteslandtrust.org or www.landtrustaccreditation.org



Welcome New Board Member Ben Chandler

BEN CHANDLER serves as Board Director for SBRLT. He grew up in Oregon, with meaningful summers in the Sierra Nevada lakes and forests, and farmlands of California's Central Valley. Open spaces and farmland have been the source of his grounding and joy, in California and around

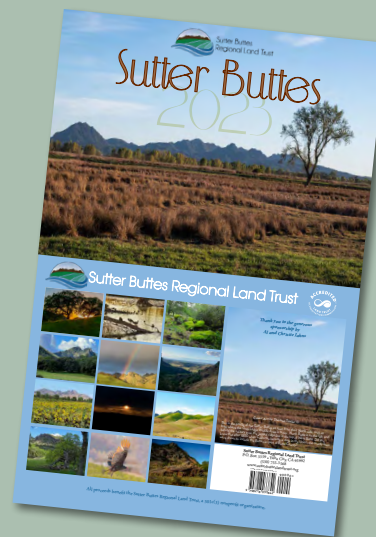
the world. After working in the greater Bay Area and overseas, he relocated to Butte County in 2018 and works for the State of California. Ben continues to enjoy spending time outdoors, and especially being active with ranch activities in the Sutter Buttes.



Please go check out our new website!! [Click here](#)

GIVING TUESDAY NOV 29TH

2022 SUTTER BUTTES REGIONAL LAND TRUST CALENDARS



Typically available for 1 for \$20 (plus shipping) or 2 for \$30 (plus shipping), this Giving Tuesday we will have a special BOGO offer of buy 1 for \$20 and receive a second calendar free! Go to www.sutterbutteslandtrust.org/giving-tuesday

Regular Calendar sales: www.sutterbutteslandtrust.org/calendars

Join and Support

TOGETHER WE CAN PROTECT THE LAND THAT DEFINES OUR HERITAGE

For the past 33 years the Sutter Buttes Regional Land Trust (SBRLT), has worked to protect the land and natural resources of the Sutter Buttes and the surrounding region.

The goals of SBRLT are to identify and protect important land, including wildlife habitat, open space, cultural or historical places, and agricultural lands. SBRLT works with landowners to facilitate the preservation of their property through a conservation easement agreement that protects the land forever, ensuring it can never be developed.

Consider Supporting Sutter Buttes Regional Land Trust Today



MEMBERSHIP

Your membership will help protect the land within the Sutter Buttes and beyond, help maintain the Pacific Flyway for migrating waterfowl, as well as, preserve important agricultural lands that support our local farming and economy.

[Click here for more info](#)

PLANNED GIVING

With a planned gift, you can make a financial commitment to assist in our conservation programs and at the same time receive meaningful tax and financial benefits for yourself and your heirs.

[Click here for more info](#)

VOLUNTEER

SBRLT needs active volunteers! Please tell us about yourself, your interests, and how you might like to help us pursue our conservation and stewardship goals.

[Click here for more info](#)

SPONSORSHIP HELPS

Sponsorship is important to the Sutter Buttes Regional Land Trust. It helps to fund the events and fundraisers that help the land trust to continue with its efforts to safeguard the lands and resources that define our region, community and heritage.

If you or someone you know wants to partner with the land trust in it's continuing efforts please contact us today for more information.

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MIDDLE MOUNTAIN INTERPRETIVE HIKES 2022-23 FALL-WINTER HIKE SCHEDULE

Nov. 6 - Sunday	Summit*	Dean Place/N Butte	5
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Nov. 12 - Saturday	Brockman Challenge	Brockman	5
Nov. 12 - Saturday	Sacred Manner	Dean Place	2
Nov. 13 - Sunday	Geology	Dean Place	4
Nov. 19 - Saturday	Summit*	Dean Place/N Butte	5
Nov. 20 - Sunday	Explore Ancient Arts	Shaeffer Ranch	1
Nov. 27 - Sunday	Dean Ridge	Dean Place	3
Dec. 3 - Saturday	Summit*	Dean Place/N Butte	5
Dec. 4 - Sunday	Birds	Dean Place	2
Dec. 10 - Saturday	Tres Picos*	Dean Place/N Butte	6
Dec. 11 - Sunday	Shaeffer East	Shaeffer Ranch	3
Jan. 7 - Saturday	Moonlight Stroll	Dean Place	2
Jan. 8 - Sunday	Summit*	Dean Place/N Butte	5
Jan. 15 - Sunday	Shaeffer Double	Shaeffer Ranch	5
Jan. 21 - Saturday	Summit*	Dean Place/N Butte	5
Jan. 22 - Sunday	Brockman Canyon	Brockman	3/4
Feb. 4 - Saturday	Brockman Canyon	Brockman	3/4
Feb. 11 - Saturday	Shaeffer West	Shaeffer Ranch	3
Feb. 19 - Sunday	Shaeffer East	Shaeffer Ranch	3

For more information visit www.middlemountainhikes.org

MEMBERSHIP BENEFITS

If it weren't for the generous donations from our members, the Sutter Buttes Regional Land Trust wouldn't be able to continue to make a difference in our region. Because of YOUR direct support, SBRLT has been able to provide managing and monitoring services for 4 easements and 2 in-fee properties, with more currently in negotiations.

Do you want to hike the Sutter Buttes? Many of our membership levels come with discounts and gift certificates for Middle Mountain Interpretive Hikes who provide guided hike tours most weekends from October through May. Gift certificates can also be given as gifts.

Join & Support Today. Together we can protect the land that defines our heritage.

LEVEL	MEMBERSHIP BENEFIT
\$25 Donor	Newsletters and Event Info
\$50 Friend	10% off a hike, Event Info, Newsletters
\$100 Associate	One hike certificate, Event Info, Newsletters
\$250 Sponsor	Two hike certificates, Event Info, Newsletters
\$500 Conservator	Four hike certificates, Event Info, Newsletters
\$1,000 Patron	Six hike certificates, Event Info, Newsletters
\$2,500 Benefactor	1 charter hike for 10, Event Info, Newsletters
\$5,000 Corporate	2 charter hikes for 10, Event Info, Newsletters

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