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## Upcoming Events



Sip, savor, and support conservation at *Evening Under the Oaks*, SRT's biggest event of the year! On **Thursday, October 1**, Kaweah Oaks Preserve hosts an elegant gathering filled with live music, craft beer brewed from elderberries harvested right here at the preserve, a live auction, and stories that remind us why this land is worth protecting. Every ticket supports vital conservation work in our region. Space is limited, and this night will sell out. Registration closes Thursday, September 24.

[Reserve Your Spot Now](#)



## The Holiday Market

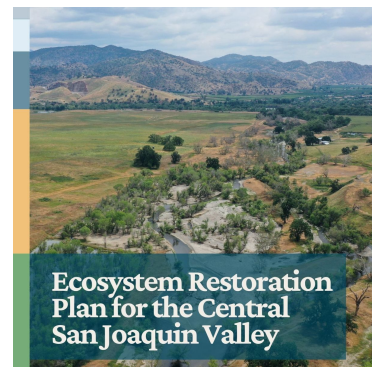
Mark your calendar: The Holiday Market returns **December 4–6**. The oaks at Kaweah Oaks Preserve are about to glow again in a twinkling winter village for three nights only: local artisans, live music, hayrides, and food and drink under the trees. Pre-sale tickets for Currents subscribers is live NOW. Use password **SRTCcurrents** to access tickets. General access begins on Tuesday, September 15.

[Get Pre-Sale Tickets](#)

## Ecosystem Restoration Plan

If you haven't already, check out the new landscape-scale ecosystem restoration plan built for the Central San Joaquin Valley by the people who know it best. This Ecosystem Restoration Plan identifies over 2 million acres of priority restoration opportunities across Madera, Fresno, Tulare, and Kings counties, and provides practical guidance for

landowners, organizations, and community members ready to take action. Explore the full plan, interactive StoryMap, and executive summary through the button below.



**Explore the Plan**



## AmeriCorps Opportunities at SRT

The next Sierra Nevada AmeriCorps Partnership (SNAP) term is coming up, and Sequoia Riverlands Trust is one of SNAP's host sites! SNAP Members at SRT gain hands-on experience while supporting conservation, environmental education, community engagement, and stewardship projects throughout the region. Applications are open now, and interested applicants are encouraged to apply as soon as possible.

**Learn More & Apply**

## Take Action at Home

### Get to Know Your Backyard Biodiversity

California is home to an incredible diversity of plants and animals, from familiar backyard birds to insects and other wildlife that are easy to overlook. During [California Biodiversity Week](#), take a closer look at the species living around you. You don't have to travel far to find biodiversity. Your backyard, neighborhood, or local park can be a great place to start.

As the [Autumnal Equinox](#) arrives on September 22, look for signs of the changing season. Keep an eye out for birds passing through, insects visiting flowers, changing leaves, or other seasonal activity. You can use [iNaturalist](#) to photograph and identify what you find while contributing observations that help scientists better understand the natural world.

Taking a few minutes to notice the wildlife around you can turn an everyday walk or afternoon outside into an opportunity to learn more about the biodiversity of the Central Valley.

# Volunteer Opportunities



## Volunteer Days at Dry Creek Nursery

Volunteer at [Dry Creek Nursery](#) on **Fridays, September 4, 11, 18, and 25** from 9:00–11:30 AM and help grow native, drought-tolerant plants that support local restoration efforts. Tasks are tailored for all ages and experience levels from transplanting and weeding to organizing and light maintenance. Learn more and RSVP for a volunteer day through the button below.

**RSVP HERE**



## Stewardship Day at Kaweah Oaks

Head to [Kaweah Oaks Preserve](#) on **Saturday, September 19**, from 8:00 AM–11:00 AM for a Stewardship Day focused on giving back to the land and community. Whether it's clearing trails, picking up litter, or helping with habitat restoration, volunteers play a big part in keeping this special place healthy and welcoming for all.

**RSVP HERE**

## Looking for other ways to serve?

Whether you're into planting, trail work, or teaching kids about nature, there's a volunteer opportunity waiting for you. Sequoia Riverlands Trust offers a variety of ways to give back—no matter your age, ability, or experience level.

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# Save the Date

**Friday, September 4–Monday, September 7**

Office Closed for Labor Day

**Friday, September 11–Sunday, September 13**

[Dark Sky Festival](#)

**Saturday, September 12–Sunday, September 20**

Latino Conservation Week

**Saturday, October 17**

[Pride Visalia](#)



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