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1. Winter Preparations

SUP between NPS and County of Marin renewed for another 5 years to continue sediment basin management including routine and emergency work (for example, last Monday prior to continued impacts of recent atmospheric rivers). Maintenance crews continue to focus on storm damage clean-up, erosion control and other daily winter tasks for safety and access, resource protection. This joint information was shared by County of Marin rep at recent Stinson Beach Flood Advisory Board.

2. Siren Cafe's new contract starts March 1.

3. Annual Earth Day Celebration at Stinson with a beach clean-up and Zach Pine's Create With Nature program will be on Saturday April 20th

4. Points share at recent Maguire TownHall in West Marin with focus on traffic, crowds and congestion:

* Muir Woods Reservations system now in place for one year and has been overall a success meeting stated goals of reducing congestion on roads, moving parking out of unsafe and sensitive areas, eliminating over capacity visitation days and supporting a year round shuttle. In 2019 work will shift to habitat restoration for juvenile salmon in Redwood Creek, all under the banner of "Redwood Renewal"

* NPS promptly cleaned up and reopened Stinson Beach after significant flooding event Spring 2018 that closed this popular site and shifted parking into community. All available by Memorial Day!

* Effective use of CMS signage in Highway 101 corridor to alert visitors to new Muir Woods reservation system road closures on Highway 1 and storm impacts.

* OneTam collaborative undertakes planning for north end of Bolinas Lagoon, expand array of volunteer activities in the West Marin area.

5. Volunteer Habitat Restoration Days in Easkoot Creek: March 23, April 27, May 25

Join One Tam at Easkoot Creek at Stinson Beach, where we are removing invasive Cape Ivy to allow native plants and animals to thrive! Easkoot Creek is a small stream flowing from Mt. Tam into Bolinas Lagoon. Work involves removing weeds by hand and with tools, spreading mulch, and/ or planting. Please bring closed-toed shoes, long pants, sun protection, and a water bottle. Tools, gloves, snacks and water will be provided. Volunteers ages 10 and up are welcome.

Read our Youth Policy Guidelines (PDF) for youth under the age of 15. If this is your first time volunteering please come 10 minutes early to fill out paperwork, or bring the completed form.

Meeting Location: Stinson Beach central parking lot. Look for the One Tam truck! (google map)

No registration required, but RSVPs are appreciated!

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