

# ***Up Your Creek!***

The electronic newsletter of the Alameda Creek Alliance

## **Sunol Pizza Party for Sinbad Creek This Sunday**

Sunol residents: please join us this Sunday afternoon for a wine and pizza kickoff of restoration planning for Sinbad Creek in Sunol. The Alameda Creek Alliance is seeking input from Sunol residents and civic groups to help develop a community-led restoration plan for Sinbad Creek. Bring your ideas and questions about preservation and enhancement of Sinbad Creek. Learn about opportunities for restoring steelhead trout habitat in Sunol.

**Picnic and community forum on Sinbad Creek on Sunday, September 29 at Sunol Community Park, from 3 to 5 pm.** Free refreshments and wood-fired oven pizza!

Please RSVP to Ralph Boniello at [Ralph@alamedacreek.org](mailto:Ralph@alamedacreek.org)

## **Teachers and Volunteers Wanted for Trout in the Classroom Program**

The Alameda Creek Alliance sponsors a Trout in the Classroom program to provide a unique learning experience for students attending schools within the Alameda Creek watershed. Students are given the opportunity to witness rainbow trout hatching right before their eyes in a special aquarium located in their very own classroom. Learn more about our [Trout in the Classroom program](#).

Contact Derrell Bridgman at [Derrell@alamedacreek.org](mailto:Derrell@alamedacreek.org)

## **Sunol Harvest Festival October 6**

Come enjoy the beautiful Sunol Valley and celebrate the harvest season at the Sunol AgPark Harvest Festival on Sunday, October 6 from 10 am to 4 pm. Come by the Alameda Creek Alliance booth.

This event is an opportunity to enjoy an outing to the Sunol Water Temple AgPark, a partnership between the SFPUC and SAGE (Sustainable Agriculture Education). The Sunol AgPark fosters sustainable farming and public education programs while protecting natural resources in the Alameda Creek watershed. The AgPark is home to seven small-scale organic farming enterprises that produce delicious, fresh food for diverse Bay Area communities. The AgPark also provides hands-on environmental education for over 2,000 school children each year (almost all from under-served schools), service learning and job training for youth, and volunteer and natural resource stewardship opportunities for community members.

Download a [flyer](#) for the Harvest Festival.

Learn more about [SAGE](#)

## **Regional Salmon News**

**[Carmel Valley's San Clemente Dam Stabilized for Massive Removal Project](#)**

KSBW News – September 24, 2013

**[Outside Review Raises Questions About Key Delta Tunnel Claims](#)**

Stockton Record - September 20, 2013

**[Study Points Way to Steelhead Restoration in Arroyos](#)**

Livermore Independent – September 13, 2013

**[For Northern California Rivers, Luck Is Not a Plan](#)**

San Francisco Chronicle opinion – September 11, 2013

**[Discovery of Young Coho Salmon in Russian River Tributary Heralded](#)**

Santa Rosa Press Democrat - September 8, 2013

**[Salmon Heading to Spawn Past Elwha Dam Site](#)**

Seattle Times – September 8, 2013

**[Barrier Removed From Peninsula Creek Allows Endangered Fish to Migrate](#)**

CBS News – September 5, 2013

**[First Chinook Salmon of Year Returns to Russian River](#)**

Santa Rosa Press Democrat – September 4, 2013

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