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# Los Gatos Creek Trail

This trail passes through the jurisdictions of the Santa Clara County Parks and Recreation Department, Town of Los Gatos, City of Campbell, and City of San Jose. Visitors are responsible for all regulations applicable to each jurisdiction; verify trail use and other rules with posted signage.

**County Park Hours:** 8 am until sunset  
**Vasona Ranger Station:** 408-355-2375  
**Los Gatos Parks & Public Works:** 408-399-5770  
**Valley Water:** 408-265-2600

**Trail Hours:** Sunrise to sunset  
**San Jose Parks, Recreation & Neighborhood Services:** 408-535-3570  
**Campbell Recreation & Community Services:** 408-866-2014  
**In an emergency, call 911.**

Fees are collected for vehicles at Lexington Reservoir, Vasona Lake, and Los Gatos Creek County Parks. Los Gatos Creek County Park also offers a \$2.00 hourly option for vehicles. Boat launching and boat inspection fees are collected at Lexington Reservoir. Fees are also required for group picnic reservations at all parks. Fee schedules are posted at entrance stations. No fees collected at trailheads.

**Dogs/Pets:** Allowed on a 6 foot (or less) leash on the Los Gatos Creek Trail and in the County parks along the trail. Pets not allowed in water, casting ponds enclosure, Vasona playground and Campbell Park. Off-leash dog park is located at Los Gatos Creek County Park.

**Fishing:** Permitted in Lexington Reservoir, Vasona Lake, and at ponds and seasonally in creek at Los Gatos Creek County Park. License required for all persons 16 or older. Only artificial lures with barbless hooks may be used (no bait or lures with scent).

**Bicycling:** ANSI/Snell approved helmets required for all bicyclists and passengers of bicycles under 18 years old. Bicyclists of all ages must wear helmets on unpaved trails. Observe 15 mph speed limit. Yield to pedestrians and ride cautiously in single file.

**Boating:** Regulations vary by park. See maps for Lexington Reservoir, Vasona and Los Gatos Creek County Parks, visit parkhere.org/boating or call 408-355-2201 for details.

**Fires:** Permitted in designated barbeque pits only. No fires on open ground. No wood gathering.

**Weapons:** Firearms, air guns, archery equipment, paintball guns, and slingshots are prohibited.

**Alcohol:** Permitted in picnic and beach areas. All alcohol laws strictly enforced.

**Wildlife:** Collecting of plant specimens or animals, other than caught fish, is not permitted. Do not feed wildlife.

**Swimming:** Prohibited in all lakes, streams, and reservoirs.

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| Entry Kiosk                   | Ranger Office                | Paved Hiking / Equestrian / Bicycling       | 40 ft Contour                |
| Pay Station Machine           | Play Area                    | Paved Hiking Only                           | 200 ft Contour               |
| Trailhead w/ Parking Lot      | Dog Park                     | Unpaved Hiking / Equestrian / Bicycling     | Canal                        |
| Trailhead w/ Roadside Parking | Boat Launch Ramp             | Unpaved Hiking / Bicycling                  | Stream                       |
| Parking Area                  | Dam                          | Unpaved Hiking Only                         | Minor Stream                 |
| Restroom                      | Bay Area Ridge Trail         | Service Road (no public access)             | Lake                         |
| Reservable Group Picnic Site  | Juan Bautista de Anza Trail  | Private Road                                | Santa Clara County Park      |
| Picnic Area                   | Trail Length Reference Point | Light Rail Station                          | Closed to Public             |
|                               |                              | VTA Green Line (Old Ironsides - Winchester) | Other Park or Protected Land |
|                               |                              |   | City Limits                  |