



Week-long/on-going

County	Organization	Time/Location	Project	Details	Registration required?
El Dorado	League to Save Lake Tahoe	At your convenience	Aquatic invasive plant survey (Eurasian watermilfoil, curlyleaf pondweed); testing Tahoe Citizen Science app	For California Invasive Species Action Week, the League will engage our trained Eyes on the Lake program volunteers in using the Tahoe Citizen Science App, developed by the U.C. Davis Tahoe Environmental Research Center, to report on presence or absence of aquatic invasive plants in the Lake Tahoe Basin. This effort will help beta-test the Eyes on the Lake feature of the Tahoe Citizen Science App so that updates can be made to improve the efficiency of volunteer- reporting of aquatic invasive plants using the App. Eyes on the Lake is a citizen science program designed to help prevent the spread of aquatic invasive species in Tahoe's waters. League scientists and engagement staff train community members on how to identify and report on the presence of aquatic plants found while out enjoying the Lake.	No; must have completed an Eyes on the Lake training within the last 3 years. Training opportunity available on 6/3.
		Lake Tahoe Basin			
Placer	California Department of Fish and Wildlife	8:00am – 12:00pm	Invasive watersnake removal	Join CDFW's Invasive Species Program staff to check traps and remove invasive (non-venomous) watersnakes (Nerodia sipedon) from an urban, open space area in Woodcreek Oaks. Learn about how these snakes got here, their status in California, and what we're doing about them. Bring your waders if you have them. For more information and directions, visit the registration page.	Yes; register HERE . Parental consent form required for volunteers under 18.
		Roseville			
Sacramento	California Department of Fish and Wildlife	All week	Invasive species education and youth art display	Visit with interpretive staff to learn about invasive species and their impacts. Enjoy some invasive species coloring sheets, watch invasive species educational videos, and check out our display of preserved invaders! Make sure you stop by to enjoy the CISAW youth art contest submissions on display!	No
		Nimbus Hatchery Visitor Center			

Statewide	California Department of Fish and Wildlife	At your convenience	Quagga/zebra mussel monitoring	Join CDFW's Invasive Species Program in a statewide citizen science effort to monitor for quagga mussels. Visit the citizen science page for instructions, to print data sheets, and to enter the results of your survey. Did you encounter any other aquatic invasive species? Tell us about those too!	No
		Any (fresh)waterbody			
Statewide (special interest in Placer, Sacramento, Yolo, and Los Angeles counties, and the Delta region)	California Department of Fish and Wildlife	Any time	California Nerodia Watch iNaturalist Project	Join the California Nerodia Watch project and help the Department of Fish and Wildlife monitor for the spread of existing <i>Nerodia</i> * watersnake populations, prevent the establishment of new populations, and facilitate rapid response management efforts to control or eradicate <i>Nerodia</i> watersnakes in California. * <i>Nerodia</i> are restricted in California, so take their pictures only, please! www.inaturalist.org/projects/california-nerodia-watch	Yes, register at iNaturalist.org or in the free app
		Wetlands, streams, canals, ponds, lakes, rivers			

Saturday, June 4th

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Del Norte	Towala Dune Stewards	10:00am – 12:00pm	European beachgrass removal	Volunteer restoration work at this site has borne fruit in the first Western Snowy Plover nest site at Tolowa in more than twenty years. Come out and help us continue the efforts to remove European beachgrass from this restoration site.	No
		Lake Earl Wildlife Area			
Fresno	CCC Watershed Stewards Program/San Joaquin River Parkway Conservation Trust	8:00am – 12:30pm Camp Pashayan 7695 N Weber Ave., Fresno, CA	Invasive plant removal and guided activities	On June 4th, National Trails Day, The Watershed Stewards Program will partner with the San Joaquin River Parkway Conservation Trust to lead a morning of activities at Camp Pashayan. The day will begin with a guided nature walk, followed by invasive weed removal and river cleanup. Additionally, there will be a geocache hunt, as well as a macroinvertebrate presentation, and fish print making for kids. A light brunch, water, and all tools will be provided! All individuals and groups are welcome.	Yes; visit www.tinyurl.com/RiverStewards

Los Angeles	Friends of Madrona Marsh Preserve	8:45am – 12:00pm	Habitat Restoration Program and invasive species programming	Would you like to help create and learn about different habitats? Help us remove non-native plants, replace them with locally grown native plants, and pick up trash left at the Preserve. Soon, the work you will have done will attract many birds, butterflies and other insects. Children under 14 must be accompanied by an adult. Participants must arrive on time and wear close-toed shoes. Snacks and drinks provided at 10:30 a.m.	Yes; call (310) 326-2774
		Madrona Marsh Preserve and Nature Center			
Los Angeles	Mountains Restoration Trust	9:00 – 11:00am	Red swamp crayfish removal	We will be removing the invasive Louisiana red swamp crayfish (<i>Procambarus clarkii</i>) from the Malibu Creek watershed. Volunteers will help to collect the crayfish from the traps, record data on the crayfish, re-set the traps, and pick up trash from in and around the creek. Location(s) may include: Lindero Creek in Thousand Oaks, Malibu Creek in Agoura Hills, and Medea Creek in Oak Park.	Yes; register at Eventbrite.com
		Tapia Park – 900 Las Virgenes Rd, Agoura Hills			
Mendocino/Sonoma	Mussel Dogs	8:00am – 4:00pm	Quagga/zebra mussel detection dog demonstration	Come to one of our boat inspection stations to learn why it's important to CLEAN, DRAIN, and DRY your watercraft, and meet Captain Korky, Popeye, Nemo or Moby....our Mussel Dogs!	No
		Lake Mendocino, north boat ramp; Lake Sonoma, public boat ramp			
Sacramento	Sacramento Valley Conservancy	9:00am – 1:00pm	Service day	Help improve Camp Pollock! Join us at the 11 acre, former Boy Scout Camp, located on the American River in the American River Parkway. Every Saturday volunteers team up with SVC staff to accomplish tasks including: painting, planting, weed eradication, construction, fence building, outreach, native plant garden maintenance and more. Volunteer days are held every Saturday from 9am-1pm at Camp Pollock. Please wear sturdy, closed toes shoes, hat, dress in layers and bring a water bottle and snack.	Yes; register HERE
		Camp Pollock			
San Francisco	Golden Gate Audubon Society	9:00am – 12:00pm	Invasive plant removal/habitat restoration	Join us to help a restored wetland in SF Bay by removing invasive and non-native weeds so that native plants, birds, butterflies, and other native wildlife can thrive. Take Third Street to Cargo Way first left onto Amador, this street makes a sharp right in an industrial area; the address is 480 Amador St. Turn into the gravel parking lot before the chain link fence on the left. Just ahead you will see a small sign next to white barriers. This is the entrance to Pier 94 . Park in front of the barriers. Use this Pier 94 map .	No
		Pier 94 San Francisco			

San Francisco, San Mateo, Marin	Golden Gate National Parks Conservancy	Varies by program	National Trails Day! Various programs offered	Celebrate National Trails Day in the Golden Gate National Parks and Mount Tamalpais! National Trails Day is the nation's largest celebration of trails and the outdoors. Here at Golden Gate, the Trails Forever Team, National Park Service, and our partners, One Tam , REI , and American Hiking Society , will host a series of trail projects throughout the park (Marin, San Mateo, and San Francisco). Help enhance our trail systems, meet fellow park lovers, and enjoy a celebration of our great park!	Yes; register HERE or visit the GGNPC-PSSF webpage
		Park-wide!			
Shasta	California Department of State Parks and Recreation	4:00pm and 8:00pm	Junior Rangers and Campfire Programs—youth outreach and education	Come to the Campfire Center and join us for the Junior Rangers Program (4:00pm) and the evening Campfire Program (8:00pm) to learn about invasive species and examples of local invaders.	No
		McArthur-Burney Falls Memorial State Park			
Siskiyou	National Park Service	9:00am – 3:00pm	National Trails Day! Weed Warriors invasive plant removal	Join us for an exciting opportunity to volunteer and help rangers maintain trails leading to caves along Cave Loop Road! Volunteers will help to perform minor maintenance on trails, making them better for all to enjoy! And, to kick off California Invasive Species Action Week (June 4-12), our staff "Weed Warriors" will be there to uproot any and all invasive plants found!	Yes; register HERE at Eventbrite
		Lava Beds National Monument			
Stanislaus	Mussel Dogs	8:00am – 2:00pm	Quagga/zebra mussel detection dog demonstration	Come to one of our boat inspection stations to learn why it's important to CLEAN, DRAIN, and DRY your watercraft, and meet Captain Korkey, Popeye, Nemo or Moby....our Mussel Dogs!	No
		Modesto Reservoir, main entrance			

Sunday, June 5th

Alameda	Friends of Five Creeks	10:00am – 12:30pm	Perennial pepperweed removal	<p>Enjoy the Bay and help the environment west of Strawberry Creek, Berkeley. Join Friends of Five Creeks in removing invasive perennial pepperweed from the Bay Shore west of the mouth of Strawberry Creek. Pepperweed threatens habitat all around the Bay! We've made great strides by tarping large patches, but we need to keep up pressure so seeds and eroding roots can't spread this invader. You'll also learn about local ecology, history, and challenges from sea-level rise. All ages welcome; tools, gloves, snacks, and good company provided. Meet on the south side of University Ave. west of I-880; you'll see our table and vehicles. AC Transit 51B stops across University nearby.</p> <p>Easy walk or bike ride on the Bay Trail or the pedestrian/bicycle bridge from Aquatic Park. Full info and link to maps at www.fivecreeks.org/calendar.shtml</p>	No
		Bay Shore west of Strawberry Creek			
Mendocino/ Sonoma	Mussel Dogs	8:00am – 4:00pm	Quagga/zebra mussel detection dog demonstration	<p>Come to one of our boat inspection stations to learn why it's important to CLEAN, DRAIN, and DRY your watercraft, and meet Captain Korky, Popeye, Nemo or Moby....our Mussel Dogs!</p>	No
		Lake Mendocino, north boat ramp; Lake Sonoma, public boat ramp			
Orange	Bolsa Chica Land Trust	9:00am – 12:00pm	Invasive and non-native plant removal	<p>The Stewards meet (rain or shine) to restore native plant habitat at the Bolsa Chica Ecological Reserve. Our goal is to restore the degraded former farm land to a sustainable native habitat of California grasslands and Coastal Sage Scrub. We meet at the Reserve parking lot located at the corner of Warner Avenue and Pacific Coast Highway (the entrance is on Warner Avenue, 3842 Warner Ave, Huntington Beach). We supply the tools/equipment, water and some snacks for the volunteers. We ask that volunteers wear long pants and closed-toed shoes that can get dirty along with sunscreen since we will be in the sun the whole morning. We also ask that everyone under 14 be accompanied by a parent or guardian. Please try to carpool if possible because our parking lot is very small.</p>	No
		Bolsa Chica Ecological Reserve			

Stanislaus	Mussel Dogs	8:00am – 2:00pm	Quagga/zebra mussel detection dog demonstration	Come to one of our boat inspection stations to learn why it's important to CLEAN, DRAIN, and DRY your watercraft, and meet Captain Korky, Popeye, Nemo or Moby....our Mussel Dogs!	No
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Monday, June 6th

Working on it!

Tuesday, June 7th

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Alameda	Friends of Five Creeks	10:00am – 12:00pm	Invasive plant removal	Friends of Five Creeks' Weekday Weed Warriors will tackle invasive plants on the Berkeley Bay shore. Email f5creeks@gmail.com for information and directions.	Yes; email f5creeks@gmail.com
		Berkeley Bay Shore			

Wednesday, June 8th

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Contra Costa	Calflora	10:00am – 2:00pm	Invasive plant survey; Learn to upload, edit, and publish data in Calflora's database.	<p>We will hike in Tilden Park and take plant observations before practicing uploading and editing. Bring an android device with Observer Pro loaded on it already and logged in with your Calflora login. Or bring an iPhone with Calflora's Observer app and plant lists already downloaded. If you don't have a smart phone, Cynthia can bring one for you to use. Also bring layers, water, lunch, and a laptop if you have one (for the editing part).</p> <p>10:00-10:20: get set up with android devices 10:20 – 12:00: hike and take plant observations using Calflora's Observer Pro 12-12:45: eat lunch (bring lunch with you) 12:45-1:00: drive to Lawrence Hall of Science 1:00 - 2:00: upload, edit, and publish at Lawrence Hall of Science. The Lawrence Hall of Science has a café with wi-fi we can use, and it's close by so that's where we'll go for the uploading, editing, and publishing part.</p>	Yes; Register with Cynthia Powell cpowell@calflora.org to make sure there's space
		Tilden Regional Park (East Bay Regional Park District) Meet at the Tilden Park steam train parking lot.			

Marin	Golden Gate National Parks Conservancy, Park Stewardship Marin	1:00pm – 4:00pm	Invasive plant removal	Help restore critical habitats in Marin! Whether it be protecting an endangered species, restoring a historic feature, or improving a trail, community support is the key to ensuring the long term protection of these unique park sites. Work day events include a combination of hands-on service and short natural or cultural history lessons. Come out and lend a hand!	Yes; register HERE or visit the GGNPC-PSM webpage
		Muir Beach Meet at the parking lot.			

Thursday, June 9th

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El Dorado	California Department of Parks and Recreation	9:00 – 12:30	Cheatgrass removal	We are looking for 15 volunteers to help us reduce invasive species pressure on the native plant community – aka, pull weeds, specifically cheatgrass! Event volunteers will be part of a long-term restoration project started in 2014. Bring a hat, gloves, sunscreen, water and a lunch if you want to have a picnic on the beach after the event.	Yes; register with California State Parks Foundation at http://calparks.org/help/park-champions/
		Ed Z'berg Sugar Pine Point State Park			
San Francisco	Golden Gate National Parks Conservancy, Park Stewardship San Francisco	1:00pm – 4:00pm	Invasive annual grass removal	Become a Park Steward and help restore unique San Francisco coastal habitat. Volunteer activities focus on weeding in the summer and planting in the winter, as well as seed collection and landscape beautification. We have projects suitable for volunteers of all ages and activity levels. Join us for an afternoon of outdoor fun and hands-on education. All ages welcome.	Yes; register HERE or visit the GGNPC-PSSF webpage
		Presidio Coastal Bluffs			

Friday, June 10th

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Humboldt/ Siskiyou	Mid Klamath Watershed Council	9:00am	Restoration raft trip: oblong spurge removal	Join the Mid Klamath Watershed Council in it's effort to eradicate the invasive oblong spurge from the middle Klamath River on Friday, June 10th. Please meet at the Panamnik Building in Orleans (38150 Hwy 96) at 9am. We expect to be off the river by 5pm. Lunch, tools and gloves are provided.	Yes; contact Tanya Chapple at Tanya@mwkc.org to reserve your spot
		Middle Klamath River			

Marin	National Park Service	9:00am – 12:00pm	Invasive plant removal (French broom)	Listed on the Federal Endangered Species list in 1976 and protected under the Endangered Species Act, the remaining population of the mission blue butterfly can now be found only around a few locations in the San Francisco Bay area. Here you can help restore critical habitat for the endangered mission blue butterfly by removing tough invasive plant species, like French broom. Please join us as a volunteer for a morning of fun outdoor activity and learning about the ecology of the mission blue butterflies and the coastal grassland habitat that supports them.	Yes; contact Jeremiah Jolley by 4pm on June 9. (415) 289-1839 or Jeremiah_Jolley@nps.gov
		Fort Baker, Golden Gate National Recreation Area			
Monterey	California Department of State Parks and Recreation	9:00am – 12:00pm	Invasive plant removal/native plant nursery	Asilomar State Beach holds a volunteer work day every Friday, 9 – noon. Join us to pull weeds (iceplant, thistles, non-native grasses) or work in the native plant nursery. Meet at Asilomar Sector office, 804 Crocker Ave., Pacific Grove	Yes; on-site registration
		Asilomar State Beach			
Sacramento	American River Parkway Foundation	9:00am – 12:00pm	Invasive plant removal (red sesbania)	Join us and help remove invasive plants such as Red Sesbania from the William B. Pond area. Meet at our office located at 5700 Arden Way at 9am. Volunteers should bring water, wear closed toed shoes and comfortable clothes, sunscreen, and extra gloves if they have them. Children under 14 are welcome, but must be accompanied by an adult. Youth ages 15-17 are welcome unattended, but must provide a signed Youth Liability Waiver .	No
		William B Pond Recreation Area, Carmichael			

Saturday, June 11th

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Alameda	Save The Bay	9:00am – 12:00pm	Invasive plant removal	Join us to help remove invasive and weedy species (mustards, radish, thistles) from within our restoration site. No experience necessary. Gloves, tools and instruction provided. Event is led by Save The Bay staff certified in first aid and CPR. Children under the age of 16 must be accompanied by a parent or guardian.	Yes; register HERE or visit the website
		Palo Alto Baylands			

Los Angeles	Friends of Gardena Willows Wetland Preserve	9:00am – 12:00pm	Lecture/Q&A: Native Alternatives to Invasive Garden Plants	Come to the Gardena Willows Wetland Preserve to enjoy a lecture and informal Q&A session with Dr. Connie Vadheim. Learn about garden plants that become invasive pests (like Ivy, Pampas Grass & Mexican Feather Grass) and see some great native alternatives. Bring your questions. Access through Arthur Johnson Park, 1200 W 170 th St., Gardena.	No
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		Tapia Park – 900 Las Virgenes Rd, Agoura Hills			
Los Angeles	Palos Verdes Peninsula Land Conservancy	9:00am – 12:00pm	Native plant maintenance; invasive plant removal	Help care for the White Point Native Plant Demonstration Garden by removing invasive weeds, watering native plants, grooming trails and more. White Point is located at 1600 W. Paseo del Mar in San Pedro. Enter the free parking lot from the Western Blvd as it turns into Paseo del Mar. We are located at the end of the road on the left-hand side. We will be working outdoors, so please wear closed toe shoes, sun protection and be sure to bring drinking water.	Yes; register HERE
		White Point Nature Preserve			
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Los Angeles	Friends of Gardena Willows Wetland Preserve	1:00pm – 4:00pm	Second Sunday Stroll	Like other local Preserves, invasive species (plants & animals) are an important problem at the Gardena Willows. Join us to celebrate the CISAW and take a walk through the Gardena Willows Wetland Preserve with Kelley Dawdy. Be sure to wear sturdy walking shoes, a hat, sunscreen and insect repellent and bring your camera. Also, check out our invasive species posters, coloring, and games! Access through Arthur Johnson Park, 1200 W 170 th St., Gardena.	No
		Gardena Willows Wetland Preserve			
Marin	National Park Service	9:00am – 1:00pm	Invasive plant control	Join the Habitat Restoration Program's monthly workday to help control high-priority invasive plant species at scenic locations in Point Reyes NS on Sunday, June 12, 2016. Meet at the Bear Valley Visitor Center at 9 a.m., carpool to work site; work until 1 p.m, then (optional) have lunch on site. Tools, gloves, and training provided. Minimum age of 9 with parent/guardian present; contact to discuss participation of youth ages 12-17 without parent present.	Yes; Contact Ellen Hamingson at (415) 464-5196 or Ellen_Hamingson@nps.gov before 4 p.m. on Thursday, June 9.
		Point Reyes National Seashore			

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