

October was certainly a busy month for our Point Lobos Docents with a myriad of events and happenings. Thanks to our esteemed photographers and writers for the following articles they contributed.

Indian Days

From Rick Petit (including the wonderful photo)



October 5-7 and 19-21 were Indian Days (somehow I doubt they were called that- but I'm not sure how they were referred to) up San Jose Creek Canyon, just north of Point Lobos.

Reid Woodward and Chuck and some docent volunteers welcomed third-graders from Carmel River and Tularcitos and Captain Cooper schools to learn about the Rumsien people. Chuck talked about village life, Reid told stories of Coyote, and the kids made tule mats and covered the frames of the ruks.

Heerman's Gulls



From Pat Bova

During my 'Whalers Cabin' shift, I met Jeff Armstrong, a visitor from the San Francisco Bay area. He was sitting on the rocks near the boat ramp at Whalers cove. The Heermanns gulls were performing and/or resting providing quite a show! Jeff agreed to share his fine photography with Point Lobos, and here is his generous offering.



*note...I have visited this same location several times over the past month. These gulls seem to be in a perpetual "napping position", with heads under their wing. Thanks to Jeff Armstrong for such great timing with his action shots!