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McGrath State Beach Car Camp June 5 to 7, 2009

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CLASSIFICATION: Very Easy (Is it real camping?) **COST:** \$10.00 per person

TRIP LIMIT: 24 people maximum

DESCRIPTION: **The Endless Summer Car Camp Revisited!** McGrath State Beach is located near Ventura, about a 90-minute drive from Pasadena. The campground is located on the beach at the estuary of the Santa Clara River next to the Ventura Harbor. Activities include beach-combing, swimming, exploring or just relaxing at the beach. The Ventura Harbor has the Channel Islands Visitor Center, shops and restaurants. The weather should be nice during the day, but nights can be chilly. Usually, there is some fog in the morning that burns off by early afternoon.

There is no set schedule for the trip. You can drive up on Friday (after work) or Saturday morning. You will have Saturday and Sunday to explore or just relax.

Warning - The main gate closes at 10pm. Late Arrivals Will Be Locked Out!

After breaking camp on Sunday, there should be time for some final activities before the drive home. There are several produce stands and outlet malls along the way home.

BRING: The normal car camping equipment -- tent, sleeping bag, stove, cooking utensils, food, and layered clothing. Bring a dish for the Happy Hour on Saturday.

PRE-TRIP MEETING: Wed, June 3, 2009 in Conference Room 168-427 from 12 noon to 1:00 PM. Be there or be represented or make prior arrangements with the trip leader. Make your reservations (send in your check) early.

If there is sufficient early interest, I will try to get additional campsites. Please RSVP early, if you are interested.

If you have any questions, please call the Trip Leader.

Hiking + Members: Please make a copy of this flyer and post on your local bulletin board. Thanks!

Fill in and return to Gary Block at M/S 168-200 with your check made payable to JPL Hiking +

Yes! I want to go to the Endless Summer Car Camp

Name: _____

Phone: _____ Email: _____

_____ Adults and _____ Children (names on back) Enclosed is my check for: _____