

SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

42 events; 33 are **FREE**; 29 are **Kids Friendly** events (24 of those are **FREE**)

Wednesday, March 16: 10am to 3pm, French Gulch **Nuui Cunni Craft Day**
[Nuui Cunni Native American Cultural Center](#)
French Gulch, 2600 Highway 155 on Lake Isabella between Lake Isabella & Wofford Heights. FEE: \$5 per person. INFO: (760) 549-0800 email nuuicunni@earthlink.net

Wednesday, March 16: 3:30 to 4:45pm
Kernville **Kids Friendly**
Kids' Recycled Art Workshop
[KRV Art Association](#) & Kernville United Methodist Church. [Rotary Club of KRV](#), 251 Big Blue Road, Kernville, CA 93238 Elaine Forge (909) 964-1395 laneyforge03@yahoo.com
FREE

Thursday, March 17: 9 to 11am

KRV Geotourism Workshop

[Kern River Valley Revitalization](#) & the [KRV Geotourism Collaborative](#) This workshop will assist individuals & teams to begin to enter nominations for [National Geographic's Sierra Nevada Geotourism MapGuide](#) **Southern Sierra section**. We'll do this online in Cerro Coso's Computer Lab Cerro Coso Community College Kern River Valley Campus, 5520 Lake Isabella Blvd. (enter off Erskine Creek Rd.), Lake Isabella [MAP](#). We'll also continue adding assets to nominate & to identify individuals & teams to work on compiling information to complete each of the nominations. [Identifying Geotourism assets to nominate & What Can I Nominate?](#) We will have a local volunteer editor to available to review content prior to submitting. We will have computers available for those that do not have internet access at home. Nominations to be submitted to Geotourism Editor at this workshop or from home or office by individuals. INFO: **Cynthia Allred** (760) 376-3848 cynthia@destinotravelcompany.com **FREE**

Thursday, March 17: 3:30pm, Lake Isabella

Kids Friendly Story Time: "The New 50 Simple Things Kids Can Do to Save the Earth"

by Valerie Cassity, the Forest Fairy. Each KRV family with an elementary school child can pick up a free copy of the book of the same title (while supplies last). [Kern County Library Kern River Valley Branch](#). 7054 Lake Isabella Blvd., Lake Isabella (760) 549-2083. **FREE**

Friday-Sunday, March 18-20: [SCHEDULE](#)

Keyesville **Kids Friendly**

[23rd Annual Keyesville Classic](#) Mountain Bike Stage Race. [keyesvilleclassic.com](#) This world-class event returns again to its race venue at the historic Keyesville Mining Area for its 23rd year in a row! Because of this long history, the race was granted "Classic" status in 1995 by the [National Off-Road Bicycle Association](#) becoming only 1 of 19 events nationwide to be awarded this prestigious title. Kernville's [Bionicon Bicycles](#) is teaming up once again with the [Southern Sierra Fat Tire Association](#) to promote & direct this year's race, with all proceeds being donated to local trail projects. Races: Cross Country, Downhill, Short Track, Trials, Beginner, Expert & Pro levels; Kids Race, Poker Ride. FEES: One Race: \$49; 2 Races: \$59; 3 Races (Stage Race) \$69. [ONLINE REGISTRATION](#). **KIDS COME OUT & RACE FOR FREE!** [Keyesville Special Management Area](#), off HWY 155 near the Kern River Bridge.

Friday, March 18: 3:30 to 4:45pm Kernville **Kids Friendly After School Recycled Art Workshop** [KRV Art Association](#) & [Rotary Club of KRV](#). [Kern County Library Kernville Branch](#) 48 Tobias St., Kernville. Each KRV family with an elementary school child can pick up a free copy of the book **["The New 50 Simple Things Kids Can Do to Save the Earth."](#)** Christine Pierce (760) 376-2249 **FREE**

Friday, March 18: 5 to 7:30pm, Wofford Heights **Kids Friendly**

"Opening Awards Dinner" Sponsored by **D.G. Flamand Books** [dgflamandbooks.com](#). Over \$2,000 in cash & other prizes will be awarded to 13 Kern River Valley children in the [Family Life Center](#) Gym, Oak Street & Sycamore Drive, 1 block N of Wofford Heights Blvd., Wofford Heights. Dinner is Corned-beef & cabbage, with carrots, onions & potatoes. A vegetarian option is available by special arrangement. Dessert is carrot cake. Each family attending with an elementary school kids can pick up a free copy of the book. Each KRV family attending with an elementary school child can pick up a free copy of the book **["The New 50 Simple Things Kids Can Do to Save the Earth"](#)** (while supplies last). Free **D.G. Flamand Books** 'Just Say No to Violence' T-shirts, first come, first served. Contact: (760) 333-4561 or LivingGreen@mchsi.com.

Friday, March 18: 6pm, Lake Isabella

Kids Friendly MUSICAL:
"Just Another Day" an original production by the Sierra Performing Arts Young People's Performing Arts Workshop Team. Written by **Mary Hanawalt**, it features original music score by **Mark Loseth**, **Helen Smoot** & **Mark McGuire**. To be presented at the Wallace School Cafeteria, 3240 Erskine Creek Rd, Lake Isabella. TICKETS: \$5 (Lap kids Free). Healthy Snacks will be available for purchase. sierraarts.net/JAD.pdf INFO: **Katie Hester** thefourhesters@mchsi.com (760) 223-6347.

Saturday-Friday, March 19-29: Lake Isabella, **Kids Friendly GREEN ART EXHIBIT: ART CAN RECYCLE US TO A BETTER PLACE** [Kern River Valley Arts Association](#). Winners of the Kids' Recycled Art Contest displayed around the library & in the conference room. Art will be displayed Tuesday & Thursday, 11am to 7pm & Saturday, 9am to 5pm. [Kern County Library Kern River Valley Branch](#). 7054 Lake Isabella Blvd., Lake Isabella (760) 549-2083. **FREE**

Saturday, March 19: 7am to 12pm, Southlake.

Kids Friendly. Locavorism & Garden Yoga.

Demystifying the multitude of options in preparing what YOU grow in YOUR garden, while striving to eat within a 100 mile radius of your home. If interested, simple yoga asana's & breath techniques will be offered so you can enjoy your garden to its fullest. 4645 Larsen Rd. Southlake. redrockholly@yahoo.com (661) 644-6061 Donation basis ([The Act of Giving](#)).

Saturday, March 19: 8am to Noon, Weldon

Kids Friendly "Habitat Restoration Workday for Living Green"

Audubon California Kern River Preserve kern.audubon.org, 18747 HWY 178, Weldon RSVP (760) 417-1149 srowe@audubon.org **FREE**

Saturday, March 19: 9am to 1pm, Wofford

Kids Friendly Lakeshore Farmers Market

Hosted by Kern Valley Growers Association, the Lakeshore Farmers Market features locally grown produce from Certified growers, & organic produce & fruit. The market boasts local craft artisans. [Kern Valley Growers Association Bake Sale](#). [Living Green KRV Festival](#) will have a table. Each KRV family attending with an elementary school child can pick up a free copy of the book *"The New 50 Simple Things Kids Can Do to Save the Earth"* (while supplies last). **Special Living Green events:** **Seed Swap, Canning Demonstration - canning jam, Flower Arranging, Solar Cooking & Solar Water Distilling.** A year round Market, they can enclose the Pavilion & turn on the patio heaters during inclement weather. We are handicapped accessible, with great views of the lake & mountains. Lakeshore Lodge, 7466 Wofford Heights Blvd (toward the lake, across from St. Jude's), Wofford Heights. INFO: David Dills (760) 793-7401 OnyxCollector@aol.com **FREE**

Saturday, March 19: 9am to 2pm, French

Kids Friendly Nuui Cunni Open to the Public: Native Plant Sale & Farmers' Market. [Nuui Cunni Native American Cultural Center](#).

nuuicunni.com. French Gulch, 2600 Highway 155 on Lake Isabella between Lake Isabella & Wofford Heights. INFO: (760) 549-0800 email nuuicunni@earthlink.net **FREE**

Saturday, March 19: 10am, Wofford Heights

Living Green Film Festival "The Cove"

(Australia, 2009, 92 min) is directed by the experienced National Geographic photographer Louie Psihoyos, who sets about to uncover a shocking (but regular) ritual on the Japanese coast: the herding & slaughter of thousands of bottlenose dolphins in the town of Taiji. **WARNING:** Not for the squeamish. The Reel Cinema, 6742 Wofford Heights Blvd., Wofford Heights. **FREE**

Saturday, March 19: Noon, Wofford Heights

Kids Friendly Living Green Film Festival "Fuel"

(USA, 2008, 112 min) is the in-depth personal journey of filmmaker & eco-evangelist Josh Tickell, who takes us on a fast-paced road trip into America's dependence on foreign oil. FUEL looks into our future offering hope via a wide-range of renewable energy & bio-fuels. Winner of the Sundance Audience Award. The Reel Cinema, 6742 Wofford Heights Blvd., Wofford Heights. **FREE**

Saturday, March 19: 12:30 to 2pm, Weldon

Kids Friendly "Afternoon Wildflower Walk"

led by Naturalist Alison '[Nature Ali](#)' Sheehey. Copies of '[Nature Ali](#)' Kern River Valley Wildflower Guide will be for sale at major Living Green Festival events for \$5. Audubon California Kern River Preserve kern.audubon.org, 18747 HWY 178, Weldon RSVP (760) 417-1149 srowe@audubon.org **FREE**

Saturday, March 19: 2 to 5pm, Wofford Heights **Green High Tea & Fashion Show** **SOLD OUT** 2nd annual event for the greener women of the Kern River Valley. Goal is to encourage our community to shop locally & go green by buying recycled, gently worn, & vintage clothing from our local vendors. Fashions featured will be from all recycled, gently worn, vintage & natural fiber clothing. The clothing will come from Local Thrift, Vintage, Antique, & Specialty Stores & Donations from our friends. Models will include all generations of our attractive KRV women. **Family Life Center Gym**, Oak Street & Sycamore Drive, 1 block N of Wofford Heights Blvd., Wofford Heights. **TICKETS:** \$10. This event has a waiting list. Contact **Darlene Wolowiec** (760) 376-3738 (818) 590-7175 darfan2000@hotmail.com.

Saturday, March 19: 6pm, Lake Isabella **Kids Friendly MUSICAL:** **"Just Another Day"** an original production by the Sierra Performing Arts Young People's Performing Arts Workshop Team. Written by **Mary Hanawalt**, it features original music score by **Mark Loseth, Helen Smoot & Mark McGuire**. To be presented at the Wallace School Cafeteria, 3240 Erskine Creek Rd, Lake Isabella. **TICKETS:** \$5 (Lap kids Free). Healthy Snacks will be available for purchase. sierraarts.net/JAD.pdf **INFO:** **Katie Hester** (760) 223-6347 thefourhesters@mchsi.com.

Sunday, March 20: 12:20pm, Kernville **Kids Friendly Kids' Green Film** **"Bear with Me"** (Canada, 2000, 96 min) is a family-oriented heartwarming tale about little Emily & her Bear companion, Masha, that makes this film very well worth watching with very beautiful & spectacular scenery. Each KRV family attending with an elementary school child can pick up a free copy of the book **"The New 50 Simple Things Kids Can Do to Save the Earth"** (while supplies last). [First Baptist Church of Kernville](#), 46 Valley View Drive (next to Pizza Barn where you'll get 10% off if you mention 'Living Green'), Kernville (760) 376-6403, **FREE**

Sunday, March 20: 2:10pm, Kernville **Kids Friendly Kids' Green Film** **"Furry Vengeance"** (USA, 2010, 97 min) Sometimes, 4 legs are better than 2 as in this comedy for the whole family. Dan (Brendan Fraser) just moved his wife & son to the woods to take a new job with a supposedly eco-friendly housing development. But the fur & Dan's temper is sure to fly when the local critters learn of the bleak plans for their forest home & stop at nothing to halt construction. Each KRV family attending with an elementary school child can pick up a free copy of the book **"The New 50 Simple Things Kids Can Do to Save the Earth"** (while supplies last). [First Baptist Church of Kernville](#), 46 Valley View Drive (next to Pizza Barn), Kernville (760) 376-6403, **FREE**

Sunday, March 20: 4pm, Kernville

**Kids Friendly Kern Valley
Orchestra Spring Concert** by the

Kern Valley Community Orchestra Association. The selections to be performed include 'Russian Sailor's Dance,' 'Eine Kleine Nachtmusik,' 'Washington Post March,' 'Old Timers' Waltz, a medley of Leroy Anderson favorites, & more, including 'The Elephant' by Camille Saint-Saëns. **Paul Decker** will solo on the Tuba, accompanied by **Bruce Brady** on the piano. Donations will be accepted at the door & children are admitted at no charge. The "**Sing Out**" **Youth Chorus** of Kernville United Methodist Church will be singing 'It's a Small World' just before the intermission. Strings & clarinets and keyboard using a music box sound patch will accompany the choir. **Gary Geivet** will conduct the ensemble while the choir sings. Light refreshments at intermission. [Kernville Elementary School](http://www.kernvilleelementaryschool.org), 13350 Sierra Way, Kernville. New musicians always welcome! Each KRV family attending with an elementary school child can pick up a free copy of the book "**The New 50 Simple Things Kids Can Do to Save the Earth**" (while supplies last). INFO: **Rick Fankhauser** (760) 379-1616 rickfan44@yahoo.com.

Thursday, March 24: 3:30pm, Lake Isabella

Kids Friendly Omnipresent

Puppeteers present a 40-minute show, "**Beyond the Heap: a Trash to treasure Tale.**" [Kern County Library, Kern River Valley Branch](http://www.kerncountylibrary.org), 7054 Lake Isabella Blvd., Lake Isabella. Each KRV family attending with an elementary school child can pick up a free copy of the book "**The New 50 Simple Things Kids Can Do to Save the Earth**" (while supplies last). (760) 549-2083. **FREE**

Thursday, March 24: 4 to 8:45pm, Wofford

Heights **Kids Friendly Kern
Valley Greenstock Music Fest**

4-4:45pm: Gary Amstutz & Crew This jam band will thrill & delight with classics that have been adapted with a green theme. You never know who will show up to add to the music, but it's always a masterpiece! **5-5:45pm: Cold Steel** This trio of talented musicians keeps the crowd rocking with classic rock favorites & a little country. **6-6:45pm: Chaz Brown** Australian singer-songwriter Chaz Brown delivers poignant lyrics with a beautiful voice & mellow style on his acoustic guitar. A can't miss performer! **7-7:45pm: Acoustic River** New band in the KRV, Acoustic River will delight the audience with their acoustic rock covers with some original works thrown in. The band consists of Valerie Cassity, Scott Costa, Joan Desmond, & Erik Nichols. **8-8:45pm: Allasso** This country rock Christian band has just released their first album, Turn to Jesus, after being signed for a record deal, & proves that green is not a red or blue issue, but a human issue. What would Jesus do? Go see Allasso! [Kern Valley Elks Lodge](http://www.kernvalleyelks.org), 6708 Wofford Heights Blvd., Wofford Heights. Each KRV family attending with an elementary school child can pick up a free copy of the book "**The New 50 Simple Things Kids Can Do to Save the Earth**" (while supplies last). It's sandwich night at the lodge. Lodge members will be on hand to help visitors buy a drink, if need be.

FREE (except food & drink).

Saturday, March 26: 9am to 1pm, Wofford Heights **Kids Friendly Lakeshore Farmers Market** Hosted by Kern Valley Growers Association, the Lakeshore Farmers Market features locally grown produce from Certified growers, & organic produce & fruit. The market boasts local craft artisans. [KRV Community Emergency Response Team](#) [krvcert.com](#) **Bake Sale. Special Living Green events: Seed Swap, Flower Arranging & Jerky Making demonstration.** Musicians performing: [Lost Hills](#) [losthillsmusic.com](#). A year round Market, they can enclose the Pavilion & turn on the patio heaters during inclement weather. We are handicapped accessible, with great views of the lake & mountains. Lakeshore Lodge, 7466 Wofford Heights Blvd (toward the lake, across from St. Jude's), Wofford Heights. INFO: [David Dills](#) (760) 793-7401
OnyxCollector@aol.com **FREE**

Saturday, March 26: 9am to 2pm, French Gulch **Kids Friendly Nuui Cunni Open to the Public: Native Plant Sale & Farmers' Market.** [Nuui Cunni Native American Cultural Center.](#) [nuuicunni.com](#). French Gulch, 2600 Highway 155 on Lake Isabella between Lake Isabella & Wofford Heights. INFO: (760) 549-0800 email nuuicunni@earthlink.net **FREE**

Saturday, March 26: 10am, Wofford Heights **Central & Southern California Premiere *Living Green Film Festival* "[Green Fire: Aldo Leopold & a Land Ethic for Our Time](#)"** (USA, 2011, 72 min) Sponsored by the [U.S. Forest Service](#). The 1st full-length, HiDef documentary film ever made about legendary environmentalist [Aldo Leopold](#), *Green Fire* highlights Leopold's extraordinary career, tracing how he influenced the modern environmental movement. Leopold remains relevant today, inspiring projects all over the world that connect people & land. [Aldo Leopold](#) (1887-1948) was an American ecologist, forester, & environmentalist. He was a professor at the Univ. of Wisconsin & is best known for his book [A Sand County Almanac](#) (1949), which sold 2,000,000+ million copies after his death. The Reel Cinema, 6742 Wofford Heights Blvd., Wofford Heights. **FREE**

Saturday, March 26: 10am to 4pm, Wofford Heights **Kids Friendly Green Expo** Featuring many green vendors, including solar & wind contractors & [SCE's Mobile Energy Unit](#). Check our website livinggreenkrv.org/green-expo/ for complete list of Green Expo vendors. Oak Street & Sycamore Drive, 1 block N of Wofford Heights Blvd., Wofford Heights. Those arriving first will get a free reusable grocery shopping bag. There will be a Silent Auction & raffles during this event. 8 to 11am, Fundraiser BREAKFAST for R.E.V.A (Responsible, Ethical Volunteers for Animals) for \$5. 11am & 2:30pm LUNCH in the Café: Lake Isabella's **Beyond Juice** will be providing smoothies & sandwiches for \$5 each. Lake Isabella's **Beyond Juice** will be providing **LUNCH** for \$6. Weldon musician **Eleanore Fahey** performs in the Café during lunch. Cerro Coso Phi Theta Kappa honors student club will give away cotton denim clothing & extol the use of clothes-lines for drying clothes; contact person **Terri Jo Kumar** (760) 378-3728 terrijokumar@yahoo.com. Each KRV family attending with an elementary school child can pick up a free copy of the book "**The New 50 Simple Things Kids Can Do to Save the Earth**" (while supplies last). Chairs: **Luz & Ryan Polcik**. (661) 803-2012 luz.polcik@edwardjones.com **FREE**

Saturday, March 26: 11:25am, Wofford Heights **Kids Friendly Living Green Film Festival "Garbage Warrior"** (UK, 2007, 90 min) is a feature-length documentary film telling the epic story of maverick US architect *Michael Reynolds* & his fight to introduce radically sustainable housing. An extraordinary tale of triumph over bureaucracy, *Garbage Warrior* is above all an intimate portrait of an extraordinary individual & his dream of changing the world. The Reel Cinema, 6742 Wofford Heights Blvd., Wofford Heights. **FREE**

Saturday, March 26: 1pm, Wofford Heights **Kids Friendly Living Green Film Festival "The Age of Stupid"** (New Zealand, 2009, 92 min) The year is 2055. The Earth is devastated. One man remains in "The Global Archive," a vast storage facility protecting all of humanity's collective achievements. Based on mainstream scientific projections from the present day, *THE AGE OF STUPID* focuses on the archivist as he tries to work out why we didn't save ourselves while we still had the chance. He flips through a startling array of news clips, interviews & scientific reports from our current time, each its own warning sign of the destruction that is looming if we don't change our current consumption practices. The Reel Cinema, 6742 Wofford Heights Blvd., Wofford Heights. **FREE**

Sunday, March 27: 11am to 3m, Lake Isabella **Sustainable Architecture Open House** Presented by **Nancy Shebesta** Architect & Principal of Sustainable Architecture. 3700 Suhre Street, Lake Isabella. (760) 549-0075. **FREE**

Sunday, March 21: 8 to 10 am, Weldon **Kids Friendly Wildflower Walk** led by [Audubon Kern River Preserve](#) Outreach Director [Alison Sheehey](#). Kern River Preserve, 18747 Hwy. 178, Weldon. NOTE: We'll have Nature Ali's excellent [Kern River Valley Wildflower Guide](#) for sale for \$5 at major events. **FREE**

Sunday, March 27: 10am, Lake Isabella

GARDEN TALK: "Native Medicinal Plants & their Uses Garden"

Methods of gathering & storing by **Terri Gallion**. 1st of 5 casual gardening talks organized by the [Kern River Valley Garden Group](#) an informal group of California's Kern River Valley gardeners interested in promoting the use of low water, fire-safe & native plants. Propagation of plants that are native to the Kern River Valley & difficult to find commercially is a special interest of the group which meets 2nd Tuesday each month & has special tours from time to time. Garden Group info: Shirley Real (760) 379-1129 Vets Room 2 (you can enter off the large parking lot behind the Kern River Veterans/Senior Building, 6405 Lake Isabella Blvd., Lake Isabella. Copies of seed catalogs & special magazines FREE for the taking (till they run out). **FREE**

Sunday, March 27: 11 to 4pm, Lake Isabella

Kids Friendly "Kern Valley

Community Faire" the 2nd Annual celebration of local clubs, groups, fraternal organizations, services, government agencies & their volunteers. The South Fork Women's Club will provide a healthy **LUNCH** \$6 (including dessert & drink). **Face-painting** by [Denise Bedford Peters](#) as well as "**Kids Re-Use, Too**" children's clothing/toy/book exchange on hand as well. **Drop items off at Miss Michelle's Schoolhouse, 409 Sirretta Street, Kernville Monday through Friday 7:30-4:30.** For more information call Linda Block (310) 871-8795. Cerro Coso Phi Theta Kappa honors student club will give away cotton denim clothing & extol the use of clothes-lines for drying clothes; contact person **Terri Jo Kumar** (760) 378-3728 terrijokumar@yahoo.com. **2010 KV Community Faire Application.** The 2010 Living Green Raffle prizes will be selected at the end of the day. Chair: **Nancy Puckett** (760) 379-2556 napucke@zeus.kern.org. Each KRV family attending with an elementary school child can pick up a free copy of the book "**The New 50 Simple Things Kids Can Do to Save the Earth**" (while supplies last). Kern River Veterans/Senior Building, 6405 Lake Isabella Blvd., Lake Isabella. **FREE**

Sunday, March 27: 11 to 4pm, Lake Isabella

Kids Friendly "Kids Re-Use, Too"

Children's clothing/toy/book exchange Co-chairs: Linda Block linda_block@hotmail.com & Michelle Maring Mmm4peace@aol.com. Kern River Veterans/Senior Building, 6405 Lake Isabella Blvd., Lake Isabella. **Drop items off at Miss Michelle's Schoolhouse, 409 Sirretta Street, Kernville Monday through Friday 7:30-4:30.** For more information call (310) 871-8795. **FREE**

Sunday, March 27: 11 to 4pm, Lake Isabella

Kids Friendly

"Kids Re-Use, Rock & Roll" Creating instruments & then music from common re-useable (formerly disposable) items. Co-chairs: Jack Nadler Jnadlermd@pol.net & Linda Block linda_block@hotmail.com Kern River Veterans/Senior Building, 6405 Lake Isabella Blvd., Lake Isabella. **FREE**

Sunday, March 27: 11 to 4pm, Lake Isabella

Kids Friendly Kids' Green Films

"Sesame Street: Love the Earth"

(USA, 2008, 45 min) Elmo, Zoe, & Baby Bear venture into Bear National Park with Papa Bear in search of the elusive Blue-Feathered Swallow so they can earn their Bird-Watching Badges. While looking for the swallow, they have fun discovering beautiful things in nature! They also learn that there are some simple things they can do to keep nature beautiful & clean: putting trash where it belongs, recycling, reusing things & saving water. Shown on the hour: 11am, Noon, 1pm, 2pm & 3pm Kern River Veterans/Senior Building, 6405 Lake Isabella Blvd., Lake Isabella. **FREE**

Sunday, March 27: 11am, Lake Isabella

GARDEN TALK: Terri Gallion. Continues

with **"Recipes & How to Create Potions & Salves from Native Medicinal Plants"** 2nd of 5 casual gardening talks organized by the [Kern River Valley Garden Group](#) an informal group of California's Kern River Valley gardeners interested in promoting the use of low water, fire-safe & native plants. Propagation of plants that are native to the Kern River Valley & difficult to find commercially is a special interest of the group which meets 2nd Tuesday each month & has special tours from time to time. Garden Group info: Shirley Real (760) 379-1129 Vets Room 2 (you can enter off the large parking lot behind the Kern River Veterans/Senior Building, 6405 Lake Isabella Blvd., Lake Isabella. Copies of seed catalogs & special magazines FREE for the taking (till they run out). **FREE**

Sunday, March 27: Noon, Lake Isabella

GARDEN TALK: "Handy & Unusual Propagation

Methods" by Shirley Real. 3rd of 5 casual gardening talks organized by the [Kern River Valley Garden Group](#) an informal group of California's Kern River Valley gardeners interested in promoting the use of low water, fire-safe & native plants. Propagation of plants that are native to the Kern River Valley & difficult to find commercially is a special interest of the group which meets 2nd Tuesday each month & has special tours from time to time. Garden Group info: Shirley Real (760) 379-1129 Vets Room 2 (you can enter off the large parking lot behind the Kern River Veterans/Senior Building, 6405 Lake Isabella Blvd., Lake Isabella. Copies of seed catalogs & special magazines FREE for the taking (till they run out). **FREE**

Sunday, March 27: 1pm, Lake Isabella

GARDEN TALK: "Rare, Endangered & At Risk Wild Flowers"

by Kernville Forest Service employee Steve Anderson., presenting a slide show & PowerPoint presentation created by Sequoia National Forest Botanist Fletcher Linton 4th of 5 casual gardening talks organized by the [Kern River Valley Garden Group](#) An informal group of California's Kern River Valley gardeners interested in promoting the use of low water, fire-safe & native plants. Propagation of plants that are native to the Kern River Valley & difficult to find commercially is a special interest of the group which meets 2nd Tuesday each month & has special tours from time to time. Garden Group info: Shirley Real (760) 379-1129 Vets Room 2 (you can enter off the large parking lot behind the Kern River Veterans/Senior Building, 6405 Lake Isabella Blvd., Lake Isabella. Copies of seed catalogs & special magazines FREE for the taking (till they run out). **FREE**

Sunday, March 27: 2pm, Lake Isabella

GARDEN TALK: "Tips on Growing Prize-winning Patio & Container Plants"

by Shirley Real. 3rd of 5 casual gardening talks organized by the [Kern River Valley Garden Group](#) An informal group of California's Kern River Valley gardeners interested in promoting the use of low water, fire-safe & native plants. Propagation of plants that are native to the Kern River Valley & difficult to find commercially is a special interest of the group which meets 2nd Tuesday each month & has special tours from time to time. Garden Group info: Shirley Real (760) 379-1129 Vets Room 2 (you can enter off the large parking lot behind the Kern River Veterans/Senior Building, 6405 Lake Isabella Blvd., Lake Isabella. Copies of seed catalogs & special magazines FREE for the taking (till they run out). **FREE**

Saturday, April 2: 8am, Kernville **Kids Friendly "Rotary Run to Eradicate Polio 'The Final Inch'"**

a 5K & 10K race & 1K Kids Fun Run organized by the Rotary Club of Kern River Valley in association with the Living Green Kern River Valley Festival, & Run-4-A-Way. For the kids, there is a **FREE** 1K race; for the older runners, there will be a 5K & 10K road race. To be held in [Kernville](#), between the [Kern Valley Golf Course](#) [Headquarters] & the [Kern Valley Airport](#) (5k) & back (10k). All proceeds to be donated to [Rotary International Foundation's Polio Plus Fund](#) & the [Rotary Club of Kern River Valley](#). Registration: \$30 tinyurl.com/Rotary-KRV-Run-Signup Flyer: tinyurl.com/Rotary-KRV-Run-Flyer. All participants receive an event T-shirt & pin, ego friendly water bottle & a finishing medal. Trophies to overall 1st place male & female races in 5K & 10K races. INFO: (760) 223-0269.

Saturday, April 2 Sunset 7:16pm,

Fairview Helispot, 13 miles N of Kernville **Kids Friendly**

DARK SKY STAR PARTY The [Kern River Valley Astronomy Club](#)

invites you to join in & celebrate the KRV's status as one of the 2 darkest nights left on a moonless night along the N fork of the Kern River. INFO: Rich Burdge Day: (760) 376-1291; Evening: (760) 376-6290 richburdge@aol.com **FREE**
