

CARRIZO CANYON

SATURDAY: 12.31.2023 | 10:00 AM

DIFFICULTY: EASY/MODERATE

DISTANCE: 3 MILES | 400 FT ELEVATION GAIN

Meet at the fitness and tennis center at 10 AM. We will caravan from the club and park at the Art Smith Trail parking lot, across the street from the Santa Rosa Visitor Center in Palm Desert off Hwy 74.

This hike is only open three months of the year, October, November, and December. Carrizo Canyon shows off some of the most interesting and diverse geologic history in the Coachella Valley. A big horn sheep sighting is almost guaranteed! A sandy walk through the canyon with some boulders to navigate toward the end with a total of 413 feet of elevation gain. Pack a snack or light lunch, as there is a nice spot at the dry waterfall to sit and take in the views.

Transportation will not be provided by the Club,

however, carpooling may be available among the attendees.

Closed-toed shoes, hats, sunglasses and sunscreen are recommended. Please hydrate the evening before, bring plenty of water, and dress in layers.