



Managing the Land, Protecting the Future: **Ranching's Role in Conservation**

Date: April 24, 2025

Time: 9 AM - 4 PM

Location: Pine Valley, CA at
Rancho Corta Madera

Cost: \$15

Join us for an engaging field day, *Managing the Land, Protecting the Future: Ranching's Role in Conservation*, showcasing the intersection of ranching and conservation. Hosted by the Audubon Conservation Ranching Program, the Greater San Diego Resource Conservation District, and The Walker Family of Rancho Corta Madera, this event will highlight how responsible grazing and prescribed fire are critical tools for sustainable land management.

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Attendees will hear from a range of experts, including land managers, ecologists, conservationists, and representatives from key organizations in the field. The event will offer an immersive guided tour with stops in scenic meadows and fire break areas, featuring insightful talks at each stop. Attendees will also enjoy a networking lunch and a dynamic panel presentation with expert discussions.

We'll be covering a wide variety of topics, including:

- Grazing and prescribed fire as a vegetation management tool, with a focus on fire mitigation and enhancing biodiversity
- The benefits and challenges of ranching with non-traditional breeds
- Tools and programs for monitoring and adaptive management
- The importance of partnerships in responsible rangeland management

A BIG THANK YOU TO OUR PARTNERS AT THE CALIFORNIA CATTLE COUNCIL FOR MAKING THIS EVENT POSSIBLE!
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