

Date: Sunday, September 26th 2004

Location: Purisima Creek www.bahiker.com/southbayhikes/purisimahiggins.html

Who Went: Patrick H, Sam W, Ryan S, Ryan O, Mr. L and Mrs. U, Mr. O, and Mr. S

all did the whole hike. Christopher H (a Webelos scout from Pack 447),

Mr. and Mrs. H did about 4 ½ miles of the hike.

Summary: During this hike we hiked up a canyon on the Purisima Creek Trail,

around a ridge on the Soda Gulch Trail, the down the Harkin's Ridge Trail. The hike that lasted about seven miles. We didn't see the creek much, but we could hear it a lot. As we waited to start the hike, we shivered in the cool morning air. But once we started hiking, the weather warmed up. Sam W and Ryan O both were able to name and identify ten plants, and ten animals, along the hike so they were able to get advancements signed off. It was very dusty at one point so we all

had to be careful not to run and slide much. We all had fun on the hike.

Patrick Hamilton, Scribe