

July 28, 2026 Hard Hike – Diablo Foothills Regional Park, Alamo 9:30 a.m.

Hike Description – This is a 4.4-mile loop hike originating from the Diablo Foothills Regional Park trailhead at the end of Livorna Road in Alamo. We go up the Foothills Trail, skirting Twin Ponds to the right, looping right on the Briones Mt. Diablo Trail, jogging right briefly on the Stonegate Trail to catch the Hanging Valley Trail. The final leg of the hike takes the Alamo Trail back to the trailhead. Total elevation gain is 780 feet. The trails are largely open and unshaded, so we have an earlier start time of 9:30. Gorgeous views abound.

Directions to Trailhead – From Walnut Creek, take 680 south to the Livorna exit, then head east up Livorna about 1.4 miles to the trailhead and parking spaces on the left. No restrooms or water available at this site.

What to bring – Water, sturdy boots, trekking poles, hat, and sunblock.

Optional lunch – Round Table Pizza; Alamo Plaza n.w. corner, (Danville Blvd. & Stone Valley Rd.)

Hike Leader & Coordinator – Carl Ludwig, cludwig171@gmail.com, 415.350.7372.

AllTrails map: <https://www.alltrails.com/explore/recording/afternoon-hike-39cd7b4--394?p=-1&sh=ls05uy>



