



PARKS FOR ALL FOREVER™

OUR MISSION

The Golden Gate National Parks Conservancy is the nonprofit membership organization created to preserve the Golden Gate National Parks, enhance the experiences of park visitors, and build a community dedicated to conserving the parks for the future.

OUR PARTNERS

The Parks Conservancy is proud to partner with the National Park Service and the Presidio Trust in ensuring the sustained vitality of the Golden Gate National Parks for this and future generations.

FACTS AT A GLANCE

- Established **1981**
- More than **13,500 members**
- Providing **\$110 million in support** to the Parks since Conservancy's inception
- Coordinating **19,000 volunteers** annually for conservation efforts
- Stewarding **80,400 acres** across more than 30 spectacular park sites
- Fostering environmental awareness in **18,000 schoolchildren** every year
- Protecting **1,200 plant and animal species**, including endangered species like the San Francisco garter snake
- Growing over **140,000 native plants** each year for restoration work parkwide
- Counting **30,000 raptors** yearly, at the Golden Gate Raptor Observatory
- Leading as **one of the most effective park partners** in the nation

CURRENT PROJECTS & KEY ACCOMPLISHMENTS

Alcatraz Revitalization—\$3.5 million project featuring a refurbished Cellhouse, new audio tour, additional interpretive displays, restored gardens, expanded museum store

Community-based Stewardship—Conservation in the Parks through Golden Gate Raptor Observatory, Site Stewardship work, Native Plant Nurseries, and volunteer programs

Crissy Field Center—Educational center that reaches out to the Bay Area's diverse communities through innovative programs and workshops

Crissy Field Restoration—\$34 million community project that transformed Crissy Field from an abandoned military site to a beloved parkland

Fort Baker—Completion of "post to park" conversion in 2008, with opening of Cavallo Point—The Lodge at the Golden Gate, and founding of the Institute at the Golden Gate as a catalyst for environmental change

Lands End—Restoration of the forest at Lands End and improvements to the Coastal Trail and scenic overlooks

Mori Point—Creation of habitat for endangered species and improved trail experiences at one of the Parks' newest sites in San Mateo County

Presidio of San Francisco—Historic effort to help the Presidio reach its full potential as a national park for all, through trail and bikeway improvements, construction of overlooks, and enhancements at Rob Hill Campground

Trails Forever—Parkwide initiative to build a world-class trail system while protecting precious natural spaces

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