



Town of Portola Valley
Special Nature and Science Committee Meeting
Tuesday, April 14, 2009 – 5:00 pm
Historic Schoolhouse
765 Portola Road, Portola Valley, CA

➔ Note: Special Meeting time of 5:00 p.m.

MEETING AGENDA

1. Call to Order
2. Oral Communications (Anyone wanting to address the committee OR anyone wanting to speak on something that is not on the agenda)
3. Approval of minutes of February 10, 2009 meeting
4. Reports:
 - a. Installation of shelves in closet
 - b. Nature and Science classes – Spring Session: “Habitats” and classroom use
 - c. Status of discussions with Portola Valley School District
 - d. Government forms: Federal complete and received; State submitted
 - e. Check received from NSF for \$500 for earthquake presentation returned
5. Response to Town Council and staff requests:
 - a. Discussion and decisions regarding archival material and freezer
 - b. Review of our charter including meeting time
6. Planning:
 - a. Earthquake program based on internet class – NSF funding now uncertain
 - b. Star Party
 - c. Paul’s talk on the geology of oil
 - d. Leslie’s talk on climate changing project, ice911
 - e. Ideas for use of the pictorial inventory on the computer
7. Budget:
 - a. Decide on budget for 2009-2010
8. Publicity:
 - a. Town website revision for Committee input
 - b. Advertising committee-sponsored programs
 - c. Website for class registrations
 - d. PV Forum
 - e. Tuesday Post for schools
9. Other reports including Sub-Committee/Liaison Reports
 - a. Climate Protection Task Force
 - b. Conservation Committee
 - c. Sudden Oak Death Study Group
 - d. Portola Valley Garden Club
10. Adjournment – next meeting scheduled for June 9, 2009 at 4:00 p.m.