



## September 26, 2020 National Public Lands Day (NPLD)

The theme for NPLD 2020 is "**More Ways to Connect to Nature.**"

Due to social distancing requirements remaining in place, many public lands sites will be unable to host large, in-person NPLD events. Cahuilla Lodge will be hosting a virtual celebration including an online presentation over Facebook Live featuring a guest speaker during this year's NPLD on **September 26, 2020**.

Cahuilla Lodge will also be sharing videos of various areas that offer great hiking and paddling opportunities. [Click here for Cahuilla Lodge's Facebook page.](#)

### **Cahuilla Lodge NPLD Signature Event - Presentation on Restoration of Public Lands and Protection of Natural Resources by Mona Daniels**

Mona Daniels, from the Needles office of the Bureau of Land Management will be giving a presentation about restoration of public lands and protection of natural resources at 6 PM, September 26. This presentation is open to all Scouts, Scouters and their families. You can watch by signing into our Zoom meeting or via Facebook live on Cahuilla Lodge's Facebook page.

Join Zoom Meeting at 6:00 PM

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/81904765831?pwd=d2twdG9BbXB3TFIhSXJhWDdoNXZqdz09>

Meeting ID: 819 0476 5831

Passcode: Publicland

### **Host a Hike on NPLD**

OA Chapters of Cahuilla Lodge are encouraged to host a hike in their respective areas for their members or local troops for NPLD on September 26. Please remember you must practice social distancing and that hikes must comply with CIEC's guidelines that have been established for in-person scouting activities during the Covid-19 outbreak. For more information and for the required forms for in-person scouting activities, please visit CIEC's Restart Scouting page at <http://www.ciecbsa.org/council-info/restart-scouting-be-covid-19-compliant/73382>

If you have any photos that you'd like to share with us from your Scouting activities on September 26, then please email [acachapter@gmail.com](mailto:acachapter@gmail.com) with a short description of your photos and we'll post them on Cahuilla Lodge's Facebook page.