

EAST BAY ACTIVITIES

Entertainment

Sleep Train Pavilion - Open-air facility offers a wide range of music and shows surrounded by lush, green lawns, 2000 Kirker Pass Road off of Highway 4, Concord. For more information, call (925) 676-8742.

Regional Center for the Arts - A local performing arts center featuring two stages, located in downtown Walnut Creek on Mt. Diablo and Main Street, one mile south of the hotel. For more information, call (925) 295-1400.

Shopping

Broadway Plaza - An exclusive outdoor shopping mall in downtown Walnut Creek, featuring over 100 boutique and specialty shops including Nordstrom, Macys and more, all within one mile south of the hotel. For more information, call (925) 939-7600.

Barnes & Noble – Conveniently located across from Broadway Plaza, peruse library of books. For more information, call (925) 947-0373.

Office Max – Need those last minute supplies? Right up the street on North Main Street. For more information, call (925) 934-8867.

Stoneridge Mall – A traditional indoor mall featuring Nordstrom, Macy's, J.C. Penney and much more. Located in Pleasanton. For more information, call (925) 463-2778.

Sunvalley Mall – A two-level mall with 150 stores located on Interstate 680 and Willow Pass Road in Concord. For more information, call (925) 825-2042.

Sports and Recreation

Mt. Diablo State Park - 20,000 acres of forest and grand vistas for outdoor recreation. 3,849 feet at its highest point, 170 miles of hiking trail and 55 campsites. For more information, call (925) 837-2525.

Waterworld California - Premiere Family Water Park features 20 acres of wet 'n' wild attractions, 1950 Waterworld Parkway, Concord. For more information, call (925) 609-1364.

Six Flags Discovery Kingdom - Educational, rides & entertainment, interaction with exotic animals & marine mammals. For more information, call (707) 643-6722.

Golf - Boundary Oaks Golf Course 18-hole municipal golf course with lighted driving range (925) 934-6211. Diablo Hills Golf Course 9-hole public golf course. For more information, call (925) 939-7372, Oakhurst Country Club - (925) 672-9737.

Jogging - The Canal Trail is a "multi-use trail" used by hikers, joggers and bicycle riders.

Oakland Coliseum – A 30 minute BART ride to the home of the Oakland A's and Golden State Warriors. Host of many Concerts and sporting events. For more information, call (510) 569-2121.

AT&T Park – AT&T Park, with breathtaking views and classic design is the home of the San Francisco Giants. For more information, call (415) 972-2000.

Touring

Wine Country, Napa Valley & Sonoma - Just 45 minutes away. Wine tasting daily. For more information, call Napa Valley Chamber of Commerce - (707) 226-7455, or Sonoma Valley Visitors Bureau - (707) 996-1090.

San Francisco - PIER 39, Union Square, China Town, Coit Tower, Haight Ashbury, only a 45 minute drive over the Bay Bridge and 40 minutes on BART. San Francisco Convention & Visitors Bureau - (415) 674-6900.

Livermore Wineries – The home of Wente Brothers Winery. Only 45 minutes south on 680, east on 580.

Heather Farm Garden Center - Site of extensive demonstration gardens teaching gardening techniques. 1540 Marchbanks Drive - For more information, call (925) 947-1679.

Jelly Belly Factory – Tour the Jelly Belly Factory at 1 Jelly Belly Lane in Fairfield. For more information, call (707) 428-2838.

Lindsay Wildlife Museum – A museum where people connect with wildlife and an exhibit hall with over 50 species of live native wild animals. For more information, call (925) 935-1978.

Muir Woods – Located in Mill Valley and an hour and a half ride to the coastal waters of Marin County. The best tree lovers monument found in all forests of the world. For more information, call (415) 338-2595.

Blackhawk Museum – This facility encompasses nearly 70,000 square feet with four exhibition galleries, an Automotive Reference Library & Museum Store. Hours: Wednesday thru Sunday 10:00am to 5:00pm. 3700 Blackhawk Plaza Circle • Danville, CA 94506 • 925.736.2277 • Fax: 925.736.4818 •

Day Trips

Yosemite National Park - South on Interstate 5, approximately 4 hours.

Monterey/Carmel – South on Highway 680 to Highway 101, approximately 2 hours.

San Jose – South on Highway 680, approximately 1 hour.