

**Jim Baird & Sam Rich are retiring with a combined 60 years of State Park service.**

We would like to say thank you to our friends and families for all they have done for us and California State Parks over the past 30 years.

***What: Retirement pot-luck and bar-b-que***

***When: Saturday September 29<sup>th</sup> from noon to 4 PM***

***Where: Patrick's Point State Park, Red Alder group picnic area.***

We will provide hamburgers, garden burgers, and soft drinks. Please bring a side dish, salad, or desert to share. If you want to bar-b-que some other meat or have another beverage, bring it with you.

Please RSVP with the requested information on the page below.

**Jim Baird and Sam Rich Retirement Party**

**RSVP by September 20<sup>th</sup>**

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Number in party attending \_\_\_\_\_

Number of burgers \_\_\_\_\_, garden burgers \_\_\_\_\_ and sodas \_\_\_\_\_ desired.

An estimate is helpful for purchasing purposes.

Please RSVP to Jeanne or Jim Baird at P.O. Box 668, Hydesville, CA 95547 (707)-768-2177, or [jabaird@suddenlink.net](mailto:jabaird@suddenlink.net)

If you have questions please contact Jeanne or Jim at the address above. If you cannot make the party but would like to send a card to Jim or Sam please use the mailing address above.

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Camping is available at Patrick's Point State Park. Reservations would not be necessary for the Abalone campground, but would be advisable for the Agate Beach campground.

The Abalone Campground can comfortably handle trailers or motor homes up to 24 feet, slightly larger will work. The Agate Beach campground can handle trailers or motor homes up to 32 feet. Both campgrounds are tent friendly.

**Patrick's Point State Park, Location/Directions** – 25 miles north of Eureka on highway 101, take the Patrick's Point Drive exit (approximately 6 miles north of Trinidad). Continue ½ mile to park entrance and follow the signs to the Red Alder group day use area.

If it turns out to be a *rainy day*, we will use the North Coast Redwoods District headquarters office in Eureka as a *back up location*. The district office is located on the grounds of Fort Humboldt State Historic Park. **Location/Directions** - South side of Eureka, just off HWY 101 on a grassy bluff across highway 101 from the Bayshore Mall. Turn East on Highland Ave. 1 block, then left into Fort Humboldt. The district office is located about 30 minutes south of Patrick's Point State Park.