Two threads of local history intertwine to establish the identity of Rancho Sierra Vista/Satwiwa. Ranch structures and introduced grasses represent centuries of the ranching era, while native plants reflect an environment that Chumash Indians lived in for thousands of years.

The gentle slopes offer trails that picnickers, hikers, bikers, and equestrians enjoy during every season. Big Sycamore Canyon Trail descends from Satwiwa to the Pacific Ocean along a historic Chumash trade route.

The Satwiwa Loop Trail is designated for hikers only, and meanders through an area considered sacred by the Chumash. Keep an eye out for deer and coyote in the coastal sage scrub, hawks and falcons soaring overhead, and sweeping views of Boney Mountain and Sycamore Canyon. Follow all trail guidelines by only biking or horseback riding on designated trails.

Rancho Sierra Vista/Satwiwa features the Satwiwa Native American Indian Culture Center. Native Americans, representing Native cultures from throughout the United States, lead workshops, presentations, and art shows throughout the year. Call for information on accessible parking: 805-370-2301.

The May 2013 Springs Fire burned much of Point Mugu State Park and portions of Rancho Sierra Vista/Satwiwa. Whether recreating on foot, bike or horseback, be on the lookout for signs of plants, soil, and animals recovering from the effects of this wildfire.

Rancho Sierra Vista/Satwiwa
Main entrance is at intersection of Lynn Road and Via Goleta.
Newbury Park CA 91320

The main parking area is open from 8:00 a.m. – sunset.

Please call the visitor center at 805-370-2301 for hours.

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Call 911. For a ranger, call Santa Monica Dispatch at 805-370-2399.
Much of Point Mugu State Park and Rancho Sierra Vista burned in the May 2013 Springs Fire. Please help the park recover by staying on trails and following information on posted signs.

**Big Sycamore Canyon Trail**
8.0 miles one way—Enjoy this trek from Rancho Sierra Vista/Satwiwa through Big Sycamore Canyon in Point Mugu State Park to the ocean. This is a multi-use trail. Please exercise extreme caution when traveling on the steep hill, which leads from Rancho Sierra Vista/Satwiwa into Point Mugu State Park. Be alert for occasional authorized vehicles on the road. Pets are not allowed after the pavement ends.

**Satwiwa Loop Trail**
1.5 miles; no bikes, no equestrians—Stroll through grasslands and chaparral of the Satwiwa Native American Indian Natural Area. The natural area was set aside for the preservation and celebration of Native American cultures.

**Wendy Trail**
1.2 miles—This multi-use trail provides access to Rancho Sierra Vista/Satwiwa from the Wendy Drive Trailhead. A half-mile-long connector trail provides access to the Los Robles multi-use trail across Potrero Road. At this junction, take the trail on the left. Follow this narrow trail for 100 yards to the waterfall. Dogs are not allowed on backcountry trails in Point Mugu State Park.

**Juan Bautista de Anza Historic Trail**
2.4 miles—The Juan Bautista de Anza National Historic Trail preserves the story of the Anza expedition and trail, which extends 1,200 miles from Nogales, Arizona, to San Francisco. While the historic trail extends well beyond the national recreation area, part of the trail crosses Rancho Sierra Vista. The route enters at Wendy Trail, continues over Ranch Overlook Trail, and exits at the park entrance. For more information, visit www.nps.gov/juba.