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Simi Peak from Oak Canyon Park

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Distance: 5.2-7.4miles RT

Elevation gain: 1200 ft.

Leader: Ralph Shoukry

Directions to Trailhead: From 101 freeway in Thousand Oaks area, go north on Lindero Canyon several miles to Kanan road, turn right and go about 1 mile past the Oak Park Canyon Community center to Hollytree drive. At the signal light and turn left. After several 100 yards turn left into Oak Canyon Community Park, then turn left again into the parking lot overlooking lake.

The Hike: The first segment is about 0.6 miles along the lake where there are ducks, fish, turtles and many birds to identify. You will see several spring fed waterfalls and we will cross the stream several times. As we leave the Park after 1 mile we will reach the China Flat Trail head and go up to China flat, then Simi Peak and a loop trail back to Oak Canyon Park.