



Mentryville Day Hike
“Directions & Parking”

General Information

- Located in Santa Clarita Valley just North of Los Angeles
- Starting elevation 1608'
- Finishing elevation @ Summit 2741'
- 7.0 mile round trip hike from Mentryville to Towsley Peak summit.
- Last 2 miles up is steep switchbacks.
- Hiking surface old paved road or dirt fire road. Easy to moderate. Outstanding views @ Summit!



Safety First!

- Remote nature area. No water or services available. Be prepared with your essentials.
- Due to seasonal snakes, light hiking boots are recommended but not mandatory.
- Cell phone reception is good in most spots.
- Respect Wildlife! I have seen the following animals in this area: snakes, bobcat, mountain lion, coyote, hawks, lizards, and deer. *You're safest hiking in a group or with a partner.*



Driving Directions

- Take I-5 to South side of Valencia/Santa Clarita.
- Exit on Lyons Boulevard. Lyons turns into Pico Canyon on West side of I-5. Go west on Pico Canyon.
- Continue on Pico Canyon past The Old Road and shopping centers then past Stevenson Ranch subdivision (≈2.5 miles west of I-5).
- At end of large boulevard, road narrows into cone area—keep going on narrow paved road until the ‘Y’ intersection. Right ‘Y’ is private locked gate. Left ‘Y’ will be small parking area (no fees), or you can proceed up paved road another ½ mile to Mentryville parking (fee required).



Heading West on Pico Canyon

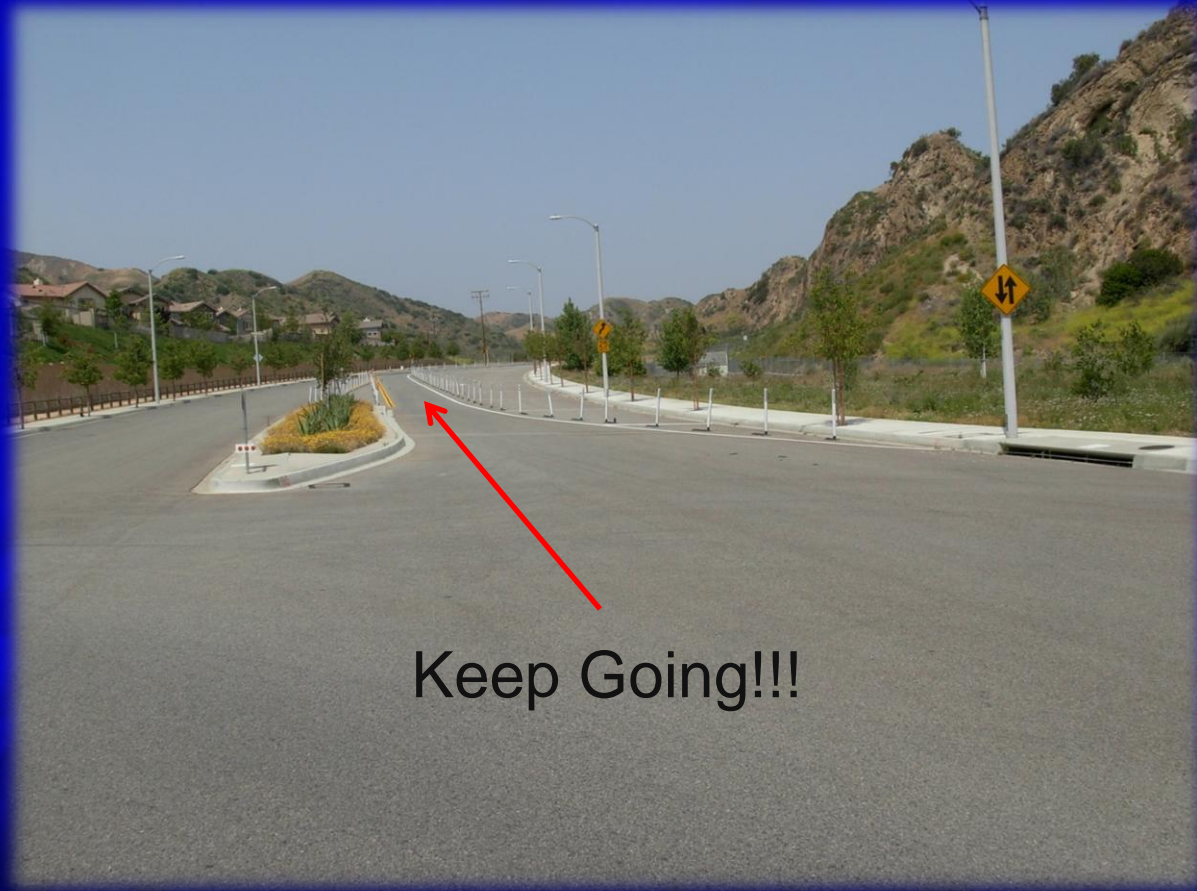


Cross The
Old Road
& head
West away
from I-5
about 2.5
miles

Keep going West on Pico Canyon past The Old Road, shopping centers, and Stevenson Ranch.



End of Divided Pico Canyon Road



Keep Going!!!

Keep going west on narrow paved road for $\approx 3/4$ mile until you come to 'Y' intersection.



“Free” Parking Area @ Left ‘Y’



Mentryville is
 $\approx \frac{1}{2}$ mile walk

Park here because it's FREE!



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If you park here, make sure to pay fee!

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Home of Standard Oil Founder Charles Mentry



Mentryville's Felton School



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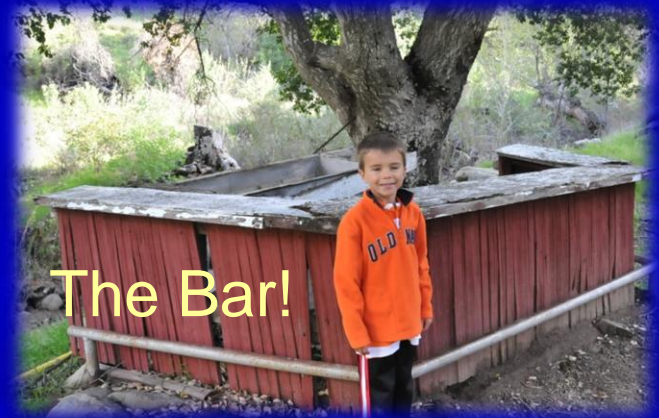
Road leaving Mentryville towards campground.
Easy walk and popular for families.



Mentryville's BBQ/Park Area



BBQ Area



The Bar!



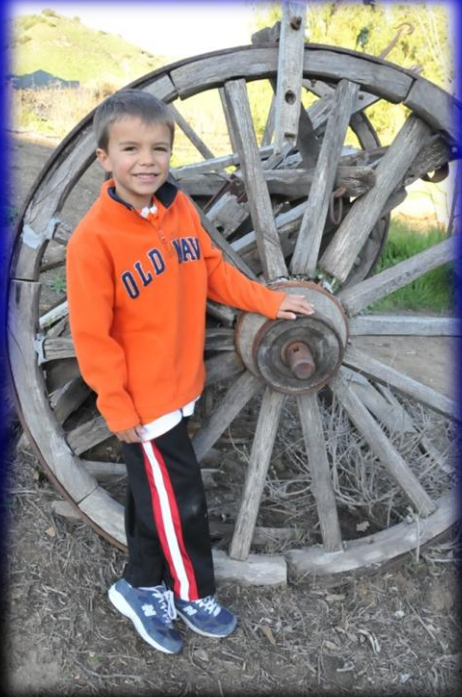
Band Stand & Dance area



The Lounge!



Mentryville's Vintage Oil Equipment



Mentryville-Los Angeles County

For more information on Mentryville and other healthy hiking tips, please visit:

www.ronjones.org/Weblinks/Hiking-Mentryville.html



See y'all on the trail!

