

- Provide a picnic area and shelter for small groups (up to 50 people)
- Add drinking fountain
- Provide portable restroom
- Add a children’s play area, including play equipment and an open lawn area (designed to reflect the natural ambiance of the park site)
- Add adult fitness equipment, including an exercise course and climbing boulders

SCHWEITZER GROVE NATURE AREA

Schweitzer Grove Nature Area is a 17.2-acre nature area. A large portion of the site is covered by a eucalyptus grove. There is also an area with an oak restoration project underway. The setting and mature trees make it ideal for passive uses and nature areas.

RECOMMENDATIONS FOR MAINTENANCE

- Improve drainage in places
- Clear diseased and dead vegetation
- Maintain the native oaks

RECOMMENDATIONS FOR IMPROVEMENTS

- Provide directional signage at San Juan and Sumter Drive. If signage results in excessive parking on Sumter, consider adding a small parking lot somewhere within the Nature Grove
- Add dog walking features (dog drinking fountain and pet waste station)
- Add park signage
- Build soft-surface, multi-use trails for walking, and jogging
- Add benches or boulders for sitting

SUTTER – JENSEN COMMUNITY PARK

The Sutter Park site is a 10.8-acre undeveloped community park that also contains the Jensen Botanical Garden, the Carmichael Community Garden, the Garfield House, and the former Property, for a total of 19.5 acres. The Charles C. Jensen Botanical Garden is a community botanical garden with small paths that meander around planted areas and over a creek. Currently recognized as individual