



# Sightseeing & Attractions

*Discover Oakland and Berkeley's captivating mix of modern and historic activities. The city has an abundance of intriguing, enlightening, and just plain fun things to see and do for people of all ages and interests.*

## THE CAMPANILE-UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA AT BERKELEY CAMPUS

An enduring symbol of UC Berkeley, Sather Tower, known as the Campanile, was completed in 1914 and stands 307 feet tall. The Campanile, with its spectacular views and singing bells, is the world's third largest bell and clock tower and by far, the most famous building at UC Berkeley. From the open-air observation deck atop the 30 story tower, you can see all of Berkeley and beyond. An elevator ride to the observation platform at the 200-foot level provides visitors with a spectacular view of the entire Bay Area and of the campus. Visitor Services, 101 University Hall, 2200 University Ave, Berkeley, Ca. 510.642.5215 • [berkeley.edu/visitors/campanile.html](http://berkeley.edu/visitors/campanile.html)

## EAST BAY REGIONAL PARKS

From sunlit shores to shade-covered hillsides, the East Bay Regional Park District spans more than 97,000 acres in Alameda and Contra Costa Counties, offering experiences as diverse as the land itself. Hiking, swimming, kayaking, picnicking, whatever your pleasure is you can find it on one of the many state parks in the East Bay. We recommend Tilden Park in Berkeley if you only have time to visit one. Visit the website for the complete list of parks, locations and activities available. • [ebparks.org](http://ebparks.org)

## GOLDEN GATE FIELDS RACETRACK

Thoroughbred racing at this track features the sport's top jockeys and horses. Racing season runs from November through March, and the track is open Wednesday through Sunday 1100 Eastshore Hwy., Albany, 510.559.7300 • [ggfields.com](http://ggfields.com)

## THE HORNET AIRCRAFT CARRIER MUSEUM

The Hornet is one of a handful of aircraft carriers that have been thoughtfully restored and moored permanently as a museum to allow everyone to experience the awesome size and power of one of the Navy's greatest battleships. The Hornet participated in two of the greatest events of the 20th century-World War II and the Apollo 11 manned space mission. Self-tours and guided tours are available. 707 W. Hornet Ave, Alameda Point, Alameda, Ca. • [uss-hornet.org](http://uss-hornet.org)

## LAKE MERRITT BOATING CENTER

The City of Oakland offers beginner, intermediate and advanced watersports classes. You can also enjoy the parks around the lake, walking, jogging or visiting Fairyland. 568 Bellevue Ave, Oakland, Ca. 510.238.2196 • [oaklandnet.com/parks/programs/boating.asp](http://oaklandnet.com/parks/programs/boating.asp)

## Notes

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