

FRIENDS OF SANTA TERESA PARK 2022 Speaker Series



August 4, 2022, 7-8 pm

PRESENTS: Michael Cox Local Historian and Geologist

Santa Teresa and Bernal Mines: Yesterday and Today (On Zoom)

Michael Cox gives fascinating and humorous presentations about Santa Teresa Park and Almaden Quicksilver Park's natural geology and mining history.

You will not want to miss Mike's slideshow about his experiences, starting as an eighteenyear-old in the New Almaden mines and exploring the various deep tunnels and shafts. Then, as an adult and professional geologist, the Santa Clara County Park and Recreation Department hired him to document the mines and close up the various mine portals to make the newly-acquired property safe for the public.

Also, Mike is one of the founding members of the New Almaden Quicksilver County Park Association, which started the first mercury museum in the United States. Another reason you don't want to miss the presentation is that it includes slides of local land formations with current Google overlays to show various historic landmarks in real-time.

When: Join us on Thursday, August 4, 2022, at 7 Pm.

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