

OUR YOUTH: OUR FOCUS

The Museum of the San Ramon Valley offers programs and exhibits for all ages.

The Museum of the San Ramon Valley's programs benefit all San Ramon Valley children. They include:

- Tassajara One-Room School Program for third graders.
- Indian Life Program for fourth graders.
- Local History Curriculum for third graders is a year long program that provides comprehensive curriculum for teachers and students. It incorporates Passport Booklets for local field trips to historical sites around the valley.
- Walking Tours: Alamo Pioneer Cemetery; Old Town Danville; and Museum Exhibits in the Danville Depot for all ages.

VOLUNTEER

All Museum exhibits and programs are supported by volunteers from our community. The Museum of the San Ramon Valley depends on families like yours to become members and volunteers, supporting our programs with both time and money. Visit the museum website or contact the museum to learn more.

Welcome to Tassajara's One-Room School



*Drawing by San Ramon Valley
Historical Society*

Tassajara Grammar School
1650 Finley Road, Tassajara Valley

The Tassajara One-Room School Program is sponsored by the Museum of the San Ramon Valley and supported by the Historical Society, and private donors. The program was designed by Mistress Joan Kurtz.

HISTORY

The Tassajara Grammar School and out buildings served valley students from 1889 to 1946. In the nineteenth century there were up to 42 students at the school. The teacher was paid \$75 a month and boarded with different families in the early years.

PROGRAM

The One-Room School Program provides the type of lessons which the school might have given in the 1880's. Third grade students will step back in time and learn to cipher, spell, recite, use pen and ink, and play traditional games. Museum volunteers teach this program.



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2019 SUMMARY

The Tassajara One-Room School Program has been under the very successful leadership of Joan and Don Kurtz for seventeen years.

- The 2019 program opened January 9th and closed May 24th.
- 2,230 third grade students and 800 parents attended the program.
- There were 30 active, enthusiastic docents teaching the students.
- Numerous volunteer superintendents opened and closed school each day.

DANVILLE DEPOT

The Museum of the San Ramon Valley was founded over thirty years ago. It works to interpret the valley's rich history by providing exhibits and programs and preserving archival collections.

June 2019 was the 20th anniversary of the current Museum being housed in the original railroad building.

MUSEUM HOURS

Tuesday through Friday from 1:00 to 4:00 p.m.
Saturday from 10:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.
Sunday from Noon to 3:00 p.m.