



THE EXPLORERS CLUB NORTHERN CALIFORNIA CHAPTER

JOIN US AS A SIRDAR*

We invite you to become a Sirdar of the Northern California Chapter of the Explorers Club. You are eligible to become a Sirdar if you have an interest in some field of scientific exploration and the furtherance of scientific knowledge of the world. Evidence of such interest and/or activities must be set forth in your application. The application must include the name of a Club member who supports the application and be approved by the Chapter Chair or by the Chair's designee.

As a Sirdar, you will receive notification (via e-mail) of all chapter events. Chapter events generally include monthly meetings, field trips, the annual member holiday party, and the annual member picnic, as well as other special events. You will be welcome to attend all such Northern California Chapter events on the same basis as Explorers Club members. Sirdar membership does not imply or entitle you to the privileges of membership in The Explorers Club headquartered in New York City. Please note that a Sirdar may not vote nor hold any Chapter office but may provide other services to the Chapter.

If you believe that your exploration interests and activities would qualify you for membership in The Explorers Club we urge you to consider joining. Application details are available at <http://www.explorers.org>. Should you wish to make formal application to The Explorers Club, we will do all we can to assist you, including helping to identify sponsors and providing support during the application process. For more information on Club membership and its rewards, please contact any officer of the Northern California Chapter.

Sirdar dues are \$50/calendar year. Checks should be made payable to The Explorers Club, Northern California Chapter.

Mail your completed application with your check to:

Anna Freitas, Treasurer
161 Camino Posada
Walnut Creek, CA. 94595

* Originally a Persian and Indian word meaning a person of high rank, one holding a responsible position. In Explorers Club expeditions, a Sirdar plays a vital role by providing support for the expedition, especially in India and the Himalayan regions.



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SIRDAR APPLICATION FORM**

Date: _____

Name: Mr. Ms. Dr. Other

(First) (Middle) (Last) (Appellation, if any)

E-mail address: _____

(All notices and Newsletters will be sent to Sirdars via e-mail)

Interest(s) or Activities in Exploration: _____

Sponsor's Name: _____ Phone or Email: _____

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OPTIONAL INFORMATION:

Occupation: _____

Preferred Address: _____
(street) (city) (state) (zip)

Personal Website (if any) : _____

Preferred Telephone:

Home: _____ Business: _____ Cell: _____

Approved by: _____ (Chapter Chair or Designee) Date: _____