

**MEDIA ALERT & PHOTO OPP:**

**History San José to Host *Yard Sale in the Park*  
Partners with Goodwill of Silicon Valley  
Free Admission to History Park  
This Sunday, October 13, 10 a.m. to 2 p.m.**

*San Jose, CA – October 8, 2013* --- The Yard Sale in the Park is Sunday, October 13, from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m., and History San José, in partnership with Goodwill of Silicon Valley, will host a park-wide yard sale. The best bargain at the *Yard Sale in the Park* is free admission to History Park.

Goodwill of Silicon Valley will be on hand throughout the event. The unsold items that don't go home with their owners have the option of being donated to those people who may be able to use them.

"We're delighted to be a part of Yard Sale in the Park this Sunday," said Mike Fox, CEO of Goodwill of Silicon Valley. "We appreciate the opportunity to partner with History San José in this family friendly and fun event."

The public can browse of other people's stuff: used lamps, grandma's china, toys, and anything else taking up space at home, can be sold. History San José will also be offering history books, as well as other items.

"We are always thrilled to have History Park filled with people, but to include other nonprofit partners who do good works like Goodwill of Silicon Valley is an honor," stated Alida Bray, President and CEO of History San José.

Trolley rides will be available, and of course, San Jose's own Treat ice cream is available for purchase in O'Brien's Ice Cream Parlor.

For more information call 408 287-2290 or visit [www.historysanjose.org](http://www.historysanjose.org)  
History Park is located at 1650 Senter Road, between Phelan and Keyes at the south end of Kelley Park in San José, CA 95112. For GPS tracking, History Park is at 635 Phelan Road in San José, CA 95112.

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**About History San José:**

History San José is a non-profit organization that collects, preserves and celebrates the stories of diversity and innovation in San José and the Santa Clara Valley. HSJ manages one of the largest and most

comprehensive regional history collections in the State of California, from 1784 Spanish governmental records to twenty-first century Silicon Valley technology.

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History Park at Kelley Park is located at 1650 Senter Road, between Phelan & Keyes in San Jose. For GPS mapping use 635 Phelan Avenue. City parking is available for \$6. For more information visit [historysanjose.org](http://historysanjose.org) or call 408 287 2290.

### **About Goodwill of Silicon Valley:**

Founded in Santa Clara County in 1926, Goodwill of Silicon Valley (GWSV) is part of Goodwill Industries International, a federation of over 200 autonomous, community-based Goodwill organizations worldwide. Together they are one of the largest social service organizations in the world. GWSV is dedicated to improving employment opportunities, increasing standards of living, providing economic independence, and restoring our clients sense of self value; through workforce creation, vocational training and environmental stewardship. To find out more information about GWSV visit them at [goodwillsv.org](http://goodwillsv.org) or find them on Facebook at <https://www.facebook.com/goodwillsv>