



GOLD!!!

Let our museum staff take you back in time, not to your parent's time, or even your grandparent's time...all the way back to the late 1800's when the little village of Pinacate was born. Did you know that there was gold mine in Perris Valley? Gold was what brought folks to our (then) San Jacinto Plains. Do you know where those people came from? Would you know how to extract gold from solid rock? Do you know what an arrastra is?

Learn the answers to these questions and much more. This event is fun for adults, kids, families. Presenters will explain mining techniques, share archival photos, and explain mining tools and methods. Families can view mining exhibits and children can pan for gold. Children (or parents) might even enjoy mining for chocolate chips on a cookie dig!

PERRIS VALLEY HISTORICAL MUSEUM

at the Old Santa Fe Depot, 4th & "D" Streets, Perris

Saturday, March 27th

Museum opens at 12:00 PM

