



De Portola Park is located on 12 ½ acres at 25615 Lazy Meadow Drive. Nestled in a lovely South Torrance neighborhood, the park is named for Gaspar de Portola, a military attaché to Father Serra. The nearby land is believed to have been the site of an old Spanish Mission. More recently, the land was used as a sand and gravel quarry. The acreage was acquired by the City in 1973 and dedicated on October 6, 1979.

De Portola Park provides recreational opportunities for the residents of Country Hills and Walteria neighborhoods. Its landscaped rolling hills afford residents with peaceful settings for quiet meditation.

The park contains a baseball diamond widely used by the City's softball leagues. Other amenities include a well shaded picnic area, children's play equipment and a basketball court. A jogging track can be accessed from three different park entrances and is .38 miles.