

Registration

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Per person number amount

Early Registration (by August 28):
\$80.00 x _____ = _____

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Persons who, because of a special need or condition, would like to request an accommodation should contact Courtney Smith at (509) 758-8012 as soon as possible, but no later than 48 hours before the event, so that appropriate arrangements can be made.



We would like to extend a special thanks to the National Park Service and the Nez Perce Tribe for their participation and the Asotin County Conservation District for sponsoring the Asotin Creek Fisheries and Water Quality Tour



Ms Simon-Smolenski's presentation is supported by the Idaho Humanities Council

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Rangelands at the Confluence

*Pacific Northwest Section
Society for Range Management
Fall/Winter Meeting
September 16-18, 2009*



Society for Range Management
Washington Chapter

A workshop for those seeking to conserve, manage and improve their lands

The confluence of the Clearwater and Snake Rivers, near Clarkston, Washington has been a landmark since prehistoric times. Called "Tsemínicum", or the "meeting of the waters" by the Nez Perce, it is a location to reflect on our past travels and future directions.



The meeting will be centered at the: Quality Inn, 700 Port Drive, Clarkston, WA
Amenities and services can be viewed at: qualityinnclarkston.com

Agenda

Wednesday - September 16

6:00 - 9:00 PM No-Host Social
Conference Center - Quality Inn

Thursday - September 17

8:00 - 12:00 AM Advisory Council/Board of Director's Meeting
Sternwheel Ballroom, Quality Inn

8:00 - 12:00 AM Lapwai and Spaulding ID Tour
(Transportation Provided)

8:30 - 9:30 Nez Perce Biocontrol Center
Paul Brusven, Coordinator

9:45 - 10:30 Traditional Use of Native Plants
Nez Perce National Park Interpretive Staff

Agenda cont...

Thursday cont...

10:30 - 11:15 Current Tribal Natural Resource Issues
Aaron Miles, Director, Nez Perce Tribe, Natural Resources Division

11:15 - 12:00 Tour Nat. Park Service Visitor's Center

12:00 - 2:00 PM 2012 Society Meeting Working Lunch, PNW and Idaho Sections,
Sternwheel Ballroom, Quality Inn

12:30 - 1:30 Lunch; Convention Center, Quality Inn

1:30 - 2:15 Pullman USDA-NRCS Plant Materials Center
Mark Stannard, PMC Manager

2:15 - 3:00 Bighorn Sheep Recovery
Paul Wik, Regional Fish & Wildlife Biologist, Washington Dept. Fish & Wildlife, Clarkston

3:00 - 3:30 Break

3:30 - 4:15 Native Seed Propagation & Restoration Practices
Jerry Benson, BFI Native Seed, Moses Lake, WA

4:00 - 5:00 Student Plant ID Contest
Sternwheel Ballroom, Quality Inn

4:15 - 5:00 CRP and Beyond: Dryland Pasture Management
Steve Van Vleet, Extension Educator for Agriculture & Nat. Res., Colfax, WA

5:00 - 6:30 Plant Identification Contest
Sternwheeler Room, Quality Inn

6:30 - 9:30 Banquet, Convention Ctr, Quality Inn
"Following the Sunflowers: Ranching in Hell's Canyon"
Carole Simon-Smolenski

Entertainment: "Spare Time", from Moscow, ID

Silent Auction - President's Awards,
John Buckhouse, MC

Agenda cont...

Friday - September 18

8:00 - 9:00 AM Section Business Meeting
Asotin City Park

9:00 - 11:00 Asotin Creek Fisheries and Water Quality Tour
(Hosted by Asotin Co. Conservation District)
Transportation Provided)

11:30 - 12:30 PM Lunch

12:30 - 2:30 Washington Depart. Of Fish & Wildlife - Washington Cattleman's Assoc.
Smoothing Iron Pilot Grazing Project
Bob Dice, WDFW, Clarkston WSU Consultants

3:00 Return to Asotin Park, Disband

Lodgings and Facilities: A block of 25 rooms have been reserved at the Quality Inn through August 16, 2009. Registration on individual credit cards can be made by calling (509) 758-9500.

Camping: RV campgrounds in the Lewiston-Clarkston area offering daily rates include the Hellsgate State Park, 5100 Hellsgate Road, Lewiston (208) 799-5015, and the Chief Timothy Park 5 miles west of Clarkston on US Highway 12 (509) 758-8613.

Silent Auction: A silent auction to raise money for the PNW Section student activities fund will be held September 16-17. All interested donors are invited to contribute.

CEU Credits: Continuing Education Credits for SRM Professional Certification have been applied for, and will be available for attendance at the conference and tours.

Registration: (Includes 2 lunches, banquet, and transportation).

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