



# Coho Confab August 12, 13, and 14, 2005

Creating A Coho Culture & Community

Sponsored By Trees Foundation & Salmonid Restoration Federation

Schedule of Events

## Friday, August 12

**4-6 pm: Check-in** Set up camp and relax in the redwoods

**6-7 pm: Dinner**

**7:15-9:30 pm: Confab Orientation**

**Welcome with Trees Foundation and Salmonid Restoration Federation**

**Native Cultural Perspectives on Salmon** *Walt Lara, Sr., Yurok Dancemaker & Elder, Yurok Tribe*

**Overview of the Watershed Restoration Program at Redwood National and State Parks** *Terry Spreiter, Supervisory Geologist Watershed Restoration Program at Redwood National and State Parks*

**Why the Removal of the Klamath Dams Will Enhance Fish, Tribes, and Community Economics** *Pat Higgins, Klamath Resource Information System, KRIS Project*

## Saturday, August 13

**8-8:30 am: Breakfast** Check-in for Saturday arrivals

**8:30-9 am: Opening Circle** Workshop announcements and introductions of participants and workshop facilitators

**9 am-12:30 pm: Morning Concurrent Workshops**

1) **Redwood Creek Estuary—Issues and Opportunities for Restoration** *Dave Anderson, Redwood National and State Parks*

2) **Sediment Reduction Efforts in Redwood Creek Watershed** *Mitch Farro, Pacific Coast Fish Wildlife and Wetlands Restoration Association*

3) **Hydrology, Turbidity, and Sediment Yield From Pristine Watersheds: A Tour of Prairie Creek** *Randy Klein, Hydrologist*

**12:30-1:30 pm: Lunch at Wolfcreek**

**1:30-5 pm: Afternoon Concurrent Workshops**

1) **Local Riparian Restoration—Twenty Years Later: Field Tour of McDonald and Prairie Creeks** *Sungnome Madrone, Redwood Community Action Agency*

2) **Natural History and Underwater Exploration** *Maureen Roche, Salmonid Solutions*

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Due to limited space, please register by August 1<sup>st</sup>

By mail, with form & check to:

Trees Foundation PO Box 2202 Redway, CA 95560

By secure web-site: [www.treesfoundation.org/cohoconfab](http://www.treesfoundation.org/cohoconfab)

### Registration Form

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

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Group/Organization represented (if applicable): \_\_\_\_\_

Organization Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Organization Phone/Fax/Email: \_\_\_\_\_

- Do you want to carpool?       Need a ride       Have room for \_\_\_\_\_ people
- \$80-\$100. One day registration available. Fees include workshops, campsite, and meals Friday dinner through Sunday lunch.
- I can volunteer or do work trade, please call me!       Yes! Please include me on your mailing list.

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3) Tracking Sediment, Pool Volume, and Herptafauna to Track the Fate of Damaged Streams *Pat Higgins*, KRIS Project5:30-7 pm: **Saturday Forums** or free time to explore the Redwoods, Fern Canyon, and the Ocean1) **Technical Assistance Grab Bag—What's Hot-What's New?** Dialogue with the group facilitated by *Sungnome Madrone*, Redwood Community Action Agency2) **Stories and Songs of Salmon & Rivers** *Jene McCovey*, Yurok storyteller, and *Joanne Rand*, Environmental Folksinger7-8 pm: **Dinner**8 pm: **Cabaret & Campfire** Including Singer *Joanne Rand*, bring your instruments, songs, voices, and stories to share*Sunday, August 14*8:30-9:30 am: **Breakfast**9:30 am-12:30 pm: **Morning Concurrent Workshops**1) **Field Collecting and General Identification of Macroinvertebrates**, *John Lee*, Entomologist2) **Natural History and Underwater Exploration** *Maureen Roche*, Salmonid Solutions3) **Upslope, Riparian, and Instream Restoration In the Lower Klamath Sub-basin**, *Dan Gale*, Senior Fisheries Biologist  
Yurok Tribal Fisheries Program12:30-1 pm: **Lunch**1-2 pm: **Closing Circle****To Wolf Creek Education Center, Redwood National Park, Humboldt County, CA****From Eureka/Arcata:** Drive north on U.S. Hwy 101 approximately 5 miles north of the town of Orick, CA. Exit on to Newton B. Drury Scenic Parkway. Continue north on Newton B. Drury Scenic Parkway for about 200 yds. Look for a sign indicating an intersection on the left and a yellow "Elk Crossing" sign. Turn left onto the road (if you miss this road you'll arrive at Elk Prairie). Approximately 50 yds down the road is a sign for Wolf creek Education Center and a gate. See site directions below.**From Crescent City:** Drive south on U.S. Hwy 101 approximately 4 miles south off the Klamath River Bridge. Exit on Newton B. Drury Parkway. Travel south on the Newton B. Drury Scenic Parkway approximately 8 miles. Go past the entrances for Big Tree Wayside and the Elk Prairie Campground. After passing Elk Prairie you'll see a sign for a road intersection on the right. Take it. Approximately 50 yards down the gravel road you'll see a sign for Wolf creek Education Center and a gate. See site directions below.**Once You Reach The Entrance To The Wolf Creek Education Center From Either The North Or South:** Pass through gate. Cross the bridge and travel approximately 1 mile to a "T" intersection at the end of the road. Turn right and drive about 50 yards to the Education Center site. After unloading your vehicle please park it in the upper parking lot.**Come prepared.** Please bring layers of clothes, sunscreen, a sun hat, and sneakers or boots. You also need to bring your own bedding, including: sleeping bag or blankets, air mattress or sleeping pad, pillow, and a towel. Your registration reserves you one bed in a rustic dormitory cabin. If you would prefer a tent site you must call Trees Foundation as sites are limited (you will need to bring your own tent.) For the "Natural History and Underwater Exploration" workshop bring wetsuit, snorkel, and mask,Confab participants are eligible to apply for the **2<sup>nd</sup> Annual Reddstart: Healthy Watersheds Mini-Grant** to advance a restoration project in their home watershed. Details available at the Confab.**For More Information**Contact: Trees Foundation: 707/923-4377 ✉ [community@treesfoundation.org](mailto:community@treesfoundation.org) 🌐 [www.treesfoundation.org/cohoconfab](http://www.treesfoundation.org/cohoconfab)or contact Salmonid Restoration Federation: [srf@calsalmon.org](mailto:srf@calsalmon.org) 🌐 [www.calsalmon.org](http://www.calsalmon.org)Non Profit Org.  
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