



The Gilbert Ichthyological Society

Announces

The 20th ANNUAL GATHERING of the Society At the Green Springs Box-R Ranch; Ashland, Oregon 17-19 October 2008

Co-hosted this year with the local [Jefferson Fish Society](#)

MEETING SITE: The 20th Annual Meeting of the Gilbert Ichthyological Society will be held at the [Green Springs Box-R Ranch](#) near Ashland, Oregon. This historic ranch in the Cascade Mountains is at the old stage stop by Jenny Creek [home to the Jenny Creek Sucker] on the Applegate Trail between Ashland and Klamath Falls - a well trodden pathway for ichthyologists, past and present, traveling into eastern Oregon to explore its piscine wonders. C.H. Gilbert himself passed through this route, or very close by, in June 1894 on his way to the Klamath Basin, as did Cope (1879) and Evermann (1897).

Getting to the Green Springs Box-R Ranch: Ashland is located in south central Oregon, just off I-5. The Box-R Ranch is located on Highway 66 between mileage marker posts 22 & 23. From Ashland, take Interstate 5 Exit 14 and go east 23 miles, look for Box-R signpost on the left. From Klamath Falls, take Highway 66 west 39 miles, just past Pinehurst Inn, look for Box-R signpost on the right, just after you cross Jenny Creek. The address is: Box-R Ranch 16799 Highway 66 Ashland, OR 97520. Information on facilities can be found at www.boxrranch.com and www.pinehurstinn.us/inn.html.

Activities will begin at 17:00 Friday, 17 October with a traditional reading of The List and annual business meeting (not to be missed) and social (also not to be missed).

ACCOMMODATIONS and MEALS: The facilities are very nice and include a modern log cabin conference center with meeting space for about 150. Lodging includes three group cabins with fireplaces, a historic ranch house and the nearby [Pinehurst Inn](#) (about 1 mile); overlooking Jenny Creek. We have booked the whole place, so lodging reservations will be included as part of your registration.

Dinner will be provided Friday night at the ranch (see schedule). Saturday includes breakfast, lunch and dinner, and a full breakfast will be provided on Sunday morning.

REGISTRATION: Participants are strongly encouraged to register as early as possible to aid in planning and ensure a place to sleep. Lodging facilities accommodate a maximum of 50, so we will operate on a first come/first serve basis. The **DEADLINE** for receipt of housing reservations and titles of presentations is Monday, 15 September 2008.

INFORMATION: For general questions concerning the scientific program or lodging arrangements contact Stewart Reid, President, Gilbert Ichthyological Society, 2045 East Main St Ashland OR 97520, telephone: (541) 488-5154, cell: (541) 890-1669, e-mail WesternFishes@opendoor.com.

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SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

Friday, 17 October:

17:00: Registration
18:00: Dinner
19:30: Business meeting

Saturday, 18 October:

08:00: Breakfast
09:00-12:00: Presentations
12:00: Lunch
13:30-18:00: Presentations
19:00: Banquet

Sunday, 19 October:

08:00: Breakfast at the ranch
11:00: Checkout

PRESENTATIONS: Presentations by fellows are strongly encouraged regarding all things ichthyological or the historical legacy of such. There are 30 time slots, with scheduling on a first come first serve basis, so early submittal of titles (and registration) is recommended. All talks will be delivered on Saturday, 23 and will be limited to 15 minute time slots (12 minutes for the talk itself and 3 minutes for questions). Although the use of Power Point presentations is encouraged, an overhead projector and/or 35-mm slide projector will be available (if requested prior to the meeting).

DEADLINE for receipt of presentation titles (no abstracts required) is Monday, 15 Sept. 2008.

FURTHER INFORMATION: For general questions concerning the scientific program, lodging arrangements, or character of the Society contact:

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REGISTRATION, CALL FOR PAPERS, AND HOUSING

Please mail completed form and check as soon as possible to help planning.

Name(s) : _____

Mailing Address: _____

Telephone: Work () _____ Home () _____

E-mail: _____

CALL FOR PAPERS:

Author(s), underline speaker's name: _____

Title: _____

Special equipment required: _____

REGISTRATION AND MEALS:

Number	Totals \$
_____ Registration fee, student @ \$20 per person	\$ _____
_____ Registration fee, non-student @ \$50/person	\$ _____
_____ Food (5 meals) and beverage, \$50 per person	\$ _____
_____ Food (Saturday - lunch & dinner), \$36 per person	\$ _____

LODGING:

- Check here if interested in sharing a room _____, or name of roommate _____

- Note order of room preference (1,2,3)

	Preference	
___ Dorm style*, casual lodging in cabins, @ \$15 per night	_____	\$ _____
___ Shared room (3**) w/ two twin beds in cabins, @ \$30 per bed/night	_____	\$ _____
___ Room (3) w/ queen bed in cabins, @ \$60/night (can be shared)	_____	\$ _____
___ Shared room (4) w/ two beds in ranch house, @ \$36 per bed/night	_____	\$ _____
___ Room w/ double bed, Pinehurst Inn, @ \$70/night (can be shared)	_____	\$ _____
___ Room (2) w/ queen bed, Pinehurst Inn, @ \$80/night (can be shared)	_____	\$ _____
___ Room w/ king bed, Pinehurst Inn, @ \$90/night (can be shared)	_____	\$ _____

* sleeping platforms in loft (bring sleeping bag - pads, no linens), 5 people per loft. Cabins have 1-2 shared bathrooms.

** number of units available

TOTAL AMOUNT ENCLOSED: \$ _____

CHECKS PAYABLE TO STEWART REID (GIS receipts available on request)

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