



## SWEET HOME RANGER DISTRICT CALENDAR OF EVENTS 2009/ Winter 2010

All day hikes begin at the Sweet Home Ranger District (SHRD), located at 4431 Hwy 20. Transportation to and from the trailhead will be provided by US Forest Service. Most day hike fees are \$10.00 per person (\$5.00 with a Senior or Access Pass); **fees are non-refundable**. For more information call the SHRD front desk at 541-367-5168, or Stefanie Gatchell [sgatchell@fs.fed.us](mailto:sgatchell@fs.fed.us).

- May 7  
Thursday  
Over the Rivers Through the Woods Scenic Byway Tour  
2.5 miles Easy Cascadia Cave & Camas Prairie -Fee: \$15(bring lunch)  
Meet at SHRD at 9 a.m. Leader: Tony Farque [tfarque@fs.fed.us](mailto:tfarque@fs.fed.us)
- June 6  
Saturday  
Free Fishing Day & Derby  
Contact: K.C. Briggs 541-367-3492 [kcbriiggs@fs.fed.us](mailto:kcbriiggs@fs.fed.us)
- June 12  
Friday  
Bird watching on the Willamette National Forest  
Easy to Moderate - exact locations TBD - Fee  
Meet at SHRD at 7 a.m. Leader: Tiffany Young [tyoung@fs.fed.us](mailto:tyoung@fs.fed.us)
- June 19  
Friday  
Santiam Wagon Road Heritage Hike -  
Fish Lake to Lost Prairie-4 miles - Easy - Fee  
Meet at SHRD 8 a.m. Leader: Tony Farque [tfarque@fs.fed.us](mailto:tfarque@fs.fed.us)
- June 26  
Friday  
Twin Buttes Wildflower Hike  
1.2 miles Moderate (short and steep) - Fee  
Meet at SHRD at 9 a.m. Leader: Alice Smith [acsmith@fs.fed.us](mailto:acsmith@fs.fed.us)
- July 10  
Friday  
Iron Mountain to Tombstone Pass Heritage Hike  
5 miles - Moderate - Fee  
Meet at SHRD - 8 am Leader: Tony Farque [tfarque@fs.fed.us](mailto:tfarque@fs.fed.us)
- July 11  
Saturday  
Three Pyramids Wildflower Hike  
4 miles - Difficult - Fee  
Meet at SHRD 8 a.m. Leader: Alice Smith [acsmith@fs.fed.us](mailto:acsmith@fs.fed.us)
- July 17  
Friday  
Browder Ridge Heritage Hike  
6 miles Difficult - Fee  
Meet at SHRD - 8 a.m. Leader: Tony Farque [tfarque@fs.fed.us](mailto:tfarque@fs.fed.us)
- July 18  
Saturday  
Streamside Rock Hounding  
Learn river rock origins and identification, Easy - Fee  
Meet at SHRD at 9 a.m. Leader: Lance Gatchell [lgatchell@fs.fed.us](mailto:lgatchell@fs.fed.us)
- July 24  
Friday  
Echo Basin Wildflower Hike  
2 miles Moderate - Fee  
Meet at SHRD at 9 a.m. Leader: Alice Smith [acsmith@fs.fed.us](mailto:acsmith@fs.fed.us)

- July 31  
Friday  
Lava Flats Loop Hike-Summer Viewing of Lava Lake  
2.1 miles Easy - Fee  
Meet at SHRD at 9 a.m. Leader: Tiffany Young [tayoung@fs.fed.us](mailto:tayoung@fs.fed.us)
- August 10  
Monday  
CCC Alumni Picnic – No Fee – Open to Public  
Longbow Organization Camp – Program 11:00 a.m. –  
Contact: Stefanie Gatchell 541-367-5168 or email [sgatchell@fs.fed.us](mailto:sgatchell@fs.fed.us)
- August 10-14  
Monday-Friday  
“Gordon Short and the CCC’s” – A Heritage Expedition  
Five days/Four nights - Clear Lake Resort  
Fee: \$600.00 - Leader: Tony Farque [tfarque@fs.fed.us](mailto:tfarque@fs.fed.us)
- August 28  
Friday  
Berry Picking Bonanza – Location TBD by availability of berries  
Easy ½ mile hikes in several locations - Fee  
Meet at SHRD - 9 a.m. Leader: Alice Smith [acsmith@fs.fed.us](mailto:acsmith@fs.fed.us)
- September 4  
Friday  
Silver Lake to Middle Pyramid Heritage Hike  
5 miles Moderate - Fee  
Meet at SHRD at 8 a.m. Leader: Tony Farque [tfarque@fs.fed.us](mailto:tfarque@fs.fed.us)
- September 11  
Friday  
Cascadia Cave Heritage Hike  
2.5 miles Easy - Fee  
Meet at SHRD - 9 a.m. Leader: Tony Farque [tfarque@fs.fed.us](mailto:tfarque@fs.fed.us)
- \*Please only register for one Mushroom Hike\***
- October 16  
Friday  
Mushroom Hike (Edible & Poisonous) – Gordon Meadows  
Moderate: wear waterproof boots - Fee  
Meet at SHRD 9 a.m. Leader Tiffany Young & Alice Smith  
[tyoung@fs.fed.us](mailto:tyoung@fs.fed.us) or [acsmith@fs.fed.us](mailto:acsmith@fs.fed.us)
- November 7  
Saturday  
Edible Mushroom Hike- Location TBA  
Moderate: wear waterproof boots - Fee  
Meet at SHRD 9 a.m. Leader: Lance Gatchell & Alice Smith  
[lgatchell@fs.fed.us](mailto:lgatchell@fs.fed.us) or [acsmith@fs.fed.us](mailto:acsmith@fs.fed.us)
- Winter 2010**
- February 19  
Friday  
Winter on the Wagon Road- Tombstone to Lost Prairie  
Cross-country ski trip 3.5 miles Moderate (No Novices) - Fee  
Meet at SHRD 9 a.m. Leader: Donna Short [dshort@fs.fed.us](mailto:dshort@fs.fed.us)
- March 5  
Friday  
Lava Lake Loop - Snowshoe Trek  
2-3 miles Easy - Fe  
Meet at SHRD 9 a.m. Leader: Donna Short [dshort@fs.fed.us](mailto:dshort@fs.fed.us)

*These events are offered under the Recreation Fee Program authorized by the Federal Lands Recreation Enhancement Act. These fees fund protection and enhancement of local historic sites for public use and enjoyment and the continuation of conservation education programs.*