

Reducing Wildfire Risks to Outdoor Camps Workshop



April 22nd, 2014

9:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.

Groveland Community Hall, 18990 Highway 120, Groveland,

Workshop Objectives:

To provide outdoor camp managers with information on reducing wildfire risks and to show participants wildfire mitigation work done by camps in Tuolumne County.

Who Should Attend:

Managers and staff of outdoor camps in fire prone areas, fire and forest management professionals who work with outdoor camps, land management agencies and staff working with the camp community.

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Agenda:

- 8:30** **REGISTRATION AND REFRESHMENTS**
9:00 *Opening Remarks* - Susie Kocher University of Cal. Coop. Extension
and Carol Rice Wildland Resource Mgt
9:15 *Overview of the Groveland Ranger District* – Alec Lane, Stanislaus NF
9:35 *Wildfire Risk in the Sierra* – Dr. Brandon Collins, UC Berkeley
10:05 *Wildfire Risk and Structure Protection* – Ethan Foote, CALFIRE (retired)
10:25 **BREAK**
10:40 *Communications Before, During and After Wildfire* –John Swanson,
Retired USFS
11:00 *Resource Protection* – Carol Rice - Wildland Resource Mgt. & Kevin
Locke, Society of American Foresters
11:20 *Camps' Role in a Wildfire* - Carol Rice
11:40 *How Can Camps Use This Information? Planning and Implementation* –
Cheryl Miller, Diablo Fire Safe Council
12:00 **LUNCH BREAK Drive to Rim of the World**
12:30 *Overview of Rim Fire Complex* – Dr. Brandon Collins, UC Berkeley
1:30 *Drive to Camp Tawonga*
2:00 *Examples From Other Outdoor Camps*
Mike Yaley, Lair of Bear, Ryan Stewart, Southern California Edison
2:45 *Forest Recovery* – Susie Kocher, University of Cal. Coop. Extension
3:15 *Tour of Camp Tawonga* – Ken Kramarz, Camp Tawonga Exec. Director
4:15 *Wrap-up, Questions, Evaluation*
4:45 *Adjourn*

Registration:

Registration is required. The fee is \$15 and will cover a boxed lunch and workshop materials. Please register at <http://ucanr.edu/wildfiresandcamps>.

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