

Rocky Mountain Conference of Entomologists
83rd Meeting: August 5-8, 2012
Woodland Park, Colorado

ANNOUNCEMENT: Entomologists and their families are invited to attend the **83rd** meeting of the Rocky Mountain Conference of Entomologists (RMCE) August 5-8, 2012 in **Woodland Park, Colorado.**

REGISTRATION: Registration form is due by **June 1, 2012** to avoid the **\$20** late fee.

Registration Fee \$100

Late Registration Fee \$120 (after June 1)

Student Registration Fee \$50 (exempt from late fee)

One day Registration \$40 (students \$20)

Charges for lodging and meals will be due upon arrival.

MEETING SITE: Cathedral Ridge, 1364 County Road 75, Woodland Park, CO 80863-9723

www.cathedralridge.com . Cathedral Ridge contains 156 acres and is located in the Pike National Forest, just outside of Woodland Park, Colorado. The camp is located at an elevation of 8,200 feet. Mornings and evenings are chilly, and August weather can be unpredictable. Bring sweaters, jackets, and rain gear.

DIRECTIONS: 23 miles northwest of Colorado Springs to Woodland Park on Highway 24; then 4 miles north on Highway 67; watch for wooden grasshopper sign on the left; follow dirt road west one mile to the Retreat Center.

PROGRAM: The format is informal and there are topics of interest for everyone:

- Participants are encouraged to present a paper at the Rocky Mountain Conference. Submit a title and the amount of time needed for your presentation with your registration. Abstracts can be submitted when you register or brought to the meeting.
- Graduate students are encouraged to attend and participate in the paper competition. Please contact the conference president, Ken Cradock, at Eastern New Mexico University, for more information.
- The Florissant Fossil Beds, famous for insect fossils, are nearby. There is a fee site near the National Monument where fossil collecting is permitted.
- Insect collecting and insect photographic opportunities are available
- Recreational opportunities include: hiking and several miles of paved trails suitable for jogging, cycling, or in-line skating. Trout streams are nearby for fly-fishing.
- There are many things to do around Woodland Park and nearby Colorado Springs.

ACCOMMODATIONS:

Main Lodge – Rooms are hotel-style with a private bathroom. There are 22 total rooms in the Main Lodge but we only have 11 reserved for our group.

Regular Rate (prices per person)	single	double	triple
1 night / 3 meals	\$90	\$80	\$70
2 nights / 5 meals	\$140	\$130	\$110
3 nights / 8 meals	\$215	\$200	\$175

Retreat Lodge – Each room can hold up to four bunk beds and can sleep 8 persons. Each pair of rooms has a shared bathroom. We have 2 rooms (one for males and one for females) reserved in Retreat Lodge 1 to house sponsored graduate students.

Regular Rate 3 nights / 8 meals - \$165 (Paid by RMCE for up to 12 sponsored grad students)

NOTE: Children age 4-8 = half price; children 0-3 = no charge

NOTE: Main Lodge rooms and Retreat Lodge bunks are on a “first-come basis” and will be reserved by RMCE with receipt of your registration form. Later registrants may need to take more expensive accommodations out-side the camp. **Early registration is suggested.**

The first meal will be served on Sunday evening; the final meal on Wednesday morning.

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REGISTRATION for RMCE

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Mail to: Ken Cradock

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Eastern New Mexico University
Portales, NM 88130

Enclose registration fee (check/ money order to RMCE) with form and return by June 1.

PLEASE PRINT:

Name _____ Number in Party _____

Address _____

Phone _____ E-mail _____

Arrival Day & Time _____ Departure _____

Note: Payment for meals and lodging are due on arrival. Meals are included in lodging price.

Accommodation

	Main Lodge	Retreat Lodge
No. of Nights		
No. of People		

Do you wish to present a paper at the Rocky Mountain Conference? _____

Title _____

Author(s) _____

Institution _____

Amount of time needed for presentation (circle one) 15 min. 20 min. 30 min. 45 min. 60 min.

MAIL ABSTRACT WITH PRESENTATION FORM OR BRING IT TO MEETING

Abstracts will be published in the proceedings.