



Field-based Natural History Courses In and About the Klamath Siskiyou

Dear Siskiyou Field Institute Participant:

You are registered to participate in **Orienteering** with Brennan McGinnis **on Saturday, August 19**. Please arrive to sign in and meet your instructor by **8:45 a.m. at the ski lift area on Mt. Ashland**. **We will carpool from there. Class will conclude by 5:00 pm.**

Your balance due is \$ _____

Tentative Course itinerary*:

9:00 a.m. Intro in the ski lift parking lot.
10 a.m. to 12 p.m. Field session
12 p.m. – 1 p.m. Lunch on the trail.
1 p.m. – 5:00 p.m. Orienteering somewhere on Mt. Ashland.

**Please note: Times are approximate and subject to change.*

Appropriate attire and supplies:

Sturdy Shoes	Hat
Water (at least 2 liters)	Lunch/Snacks (high-calorie food)
Binoculars	Sun Screen
First Aid Kit	Field Clothes incl. tear-resistant pants
Trekking Poles	Small Backpack
Gaiters	Headlamp

Other Supplies: Bring a compass and GPS unit if you have them; if not, we can supply.

Suggested reading: *Tom Brown's Field Guides*

NOLS (National Outdoor Leadership School) publications:

<http://store.nols.edu/Store/pc/Books-and-Notebooks-c5.htm> Leadership School

You are responsible for your own safety and should **bring necessary medications** (such as allergy medications, bee sting or insulin kits, sugar, etc.) you might need during this course. We suggest you tell other participants of a condition with which you might need their assistance (diabetes, allergic reaction, etc.).

Directions:

Mt. Ashland is located off exit 6 on I-5. From the north, exit the freeway, follow the signs right up the paved road. The ski lift area is about 8 miles up this road. From the south, exit and drive under the freeway to the west side, take the paved road up to the ski lift area.

Please note: Most SFI courses require at least some driving. Students often opt to carpool to course sites to minimize environmental impacts to the area. Please be aware, however, that there will be no liability on the on the part of Siskiyou Field Institute for carpooling activities. Carpooling is a voluntary action of the participants.

Payment Policy:

30 or more days before course	\$25 or 25% of tuition, whichever is greater, to reserve space
29-15 days before course	50% tuition due
14 days before course	Balance due* (or space not guaranteed)

**If full tuition is not received one week prior to the start of the course, we cannot guarantee your space in the class.*

Cancellation Policy:

30 or more days before course	Full refund minus \$25 administrative fee
29-15 days before course	50% refund
Less than 14 days before course	No refund

We look forward to seeing you. Please contact us if you have questions or concerns.

The Siskiyou Field Institute Staff