

Florissant Fossil Beds

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Summer Seminar Series and Fees

The Friends of Florissant Fossil Beds, Inc. offers one and two day seminars in a variety of geology, biology, humanities, and paleontology courses. The regular fees for each seminar are \$50.00 per person for a one - day seminar and \$65.00 for a two -day seminar. Reduced rates are available for members of the Friends of the Florissant Fossil Beds, Inc (See section on Friends group below). A special rate is available for teachers who join the Friends of the Florissant Fossil Beds and sign up for seminars by May 20, 2009. This can be by phone or mail postmarked by May 20th, 2009. This special rate is \$30.00 for a one day, and \$40.00 for a two day seminar.

Registration information will be available on the Monument's website after May 1, 2009 at <http://www.nps.gov/flfo> and go to the link for Seminar Programs.

Teacher Friendly Graduate Credit

Teachers can earn graduate credit through the Division of Extended Studies of Adams State College. Adams State charges \$27.50 for a ½ graduate credit (one - day seminar), and \$55.00 for 1 graduate credit (two - day seminar). BOCES recertification credit is available for \$5.00 for ½ credit, and \$10.00 for 1 credit. (No discounts are available for tuition).

Friends of the Florissant Fossil Beds N.M.

If you join the Friends of the Florissant Fossil Beds, Inc. either as an individual or family, you will receive a \$10.00 discount on the seminar fee. A one - year, individual membership to the Friends is \$15.00 and a one-year, family membership is \$27.00. Seminar discounts are only available to current members or those who join with their seminar registration. If you are no longer a member, you may wish to renew. Remember, if you are a teacher AND a Friend member AND you register early (See first section) you get a special rate of \$30.00 for a one day seminar and \$40.00 for a two day seminar and \$50.00 for a three day. NOTE: Seminars on August 22 and 23rd are now free. Fees for Adam's State Credit and BOCES still apply.

Schedule

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| Saturday, May 30, 2009 | 9 - 5 pm | Geology and Paleontology of the Florissant Valley | Herb Meyer |
| Thursday June 18, 2009 | 9 - 5 pm | They're Alive! Bringing Historical Characters Back to Life with First- person Storytelling | John Stansfield |
| Saturday, June 20, 2009 | 9 - 5 pm | Insects in the Colorado Landscape | Kevin Cook |
| Saturday, June 27, 2009 | 9- 5 pm | Red Rocks and Cool Caves: A Geological Adventure Expedition | Steven Veatch |
| Thursday, July 9, 2009 | 9 - 5 pm | Choices for Sustainable Living "Learning to Grow Your Own Food" | Larry Stebbins |
| Friday, July 10, 2009 | 5pm - 2am | Natural History and Ecology of the Flammulated Owl, | Brian Linkhart |
| Tuesday, July 14, 2009 | 9 - 5 pm | Forest Ecosystems of the Central Rockies Flora of Florissant Fossil Beds | Doug Coleman |
| Sat, Sun, July 18- 19, 2009 | 9 - 5 pm | Geologic History of the Gold Belt ByWay | Herb Meyer Woody Henry |
| Saturday, August 22, 2009 | 8 - 4 pm | Preserved in Time: The Landmark Environmental Achievement to Save the Florissant Fossil Beds | Herb Meyer Estella Leopold |
| Sunday August 23, 2009 | 9 - 5 pm | The History of Paleontology and Fossil Tourism in the Florissant Valley | Herb Meyer Steven Veatch |

Contact Information

For more information about prices, logistics, registration, or any other questions, please look at our website: <http://www.nps.gov/flfo> and go to the link for Education Programs. Should you need to register by phone please call the Monument at (719) 748 - 3253 and ask for extension 109 and leave a message or fax at (719) 748- 3164 or email flfo_information@nps.gov , or send a letter to PO Box 185, Florissant, CO 80816.

Space is limited this year on many of the field trips! Register early...

REGISTRATIONS WILL NOT BE TAKEN UNTIL ON OR AFTER MAY 1, 2009

The seminar series is sponsored by the Friends of Florissant Fossil Beds, Inc.

