



## The River Mile Expansion Workshop

July 16-20, 2012

### Workshop Information



#### 1. Lodging

All housing is located at the Grand Coulee Center Lodge.

Grand Coulee Center Lodge

404 Spokane Way

Grand Coulee, WA 99133

509-633-2860

Reservations and room assignments have been made for all scholarship recipients and for those on their own who let Janice Elvidge know that they would like lodging. Also, reservations and room assignments have been made for those arriving on Sunday who made arrangements with Janice.

Motel Amenities include free wired and wireless internet, microwave, coffeemaker and small refrigerator in rooms. The motel is a non-smoking facility. There are no smoking rooms available and any room which is smoked in will incur a \$200 fine.

“On Own Participants”—in order to receive the negotiated rate you must pay for your lodging through the Lake Roosevelt Forum. You may call them Monday-Friday before the workshop to make arrangements to pay.

Lake Roosevelt Forum, Cami Haveman, 509-535-7084

#### 2. Class Location

The workshop will be held at the Grand Coulee Dam Middle School in Grand Coulee. The school is located at: 412 Federal Way

We will be using the Crescent Bay area as our outdoor classroom. This is a non-developed part of Lake Roosevelt National Recreation Area.

#### 3. Meals

Meals are provided **for all workshop participants and presenters**. A continental breakfast will be served each morning at the school beginning at 7:30 AM. Lunch will be brought to the class. Dinner will be served at a variety of locations, venues and restaurants.

IF you have any dietary restrictions or needs please let us know as soon as possible.



## 4. Arrival

For those arriving on Sunday, dinner will be served at 5:00 PM at Pepper Jacks in Grand Coulee. If you arrive after 6:00 PM you will need to make sure you have eaten dinner prior to your arrival in Grand Coulee OR plan to purchase something from the local grocery store. Most restaurants are closed on Sunday or close early.

For those arriving on Monday we will make time during the day for you to check in at the motel.

On Monday morning please plan to arrive around 7:30 AM to register, complete any last minute workshop registration items, prepare your laptop for use during the class and eat breakfast.

## 5. What to bring

The weather could be very hot or pleasantly warm. During the summer we often see temperatures in the mid 90s or low 100s. Humidity is usually very low. Comfortable layers are recommended.

Dress is casual. When we are working outdoors you **must wear closed toe shoes**. NO flip flops or sandals. We will be working in an area known to have a variety of snakes, including rattlesnakes, and ticks. Please dress and prepare accordingly. Shorts are allowed.

### Personal Items

- Camera
- Comfortable walking shoes
- Sunhat, sunscreen, sunglasses, lip balm
- Sweater or light jacket
- Rain gear (just in case)
- Any Jack Nisbet books you would like autographed

### Workshop Related Items:

- Laptop computer
- 3-ring binder (2" or larger) for handouts and other materials
- Thumb drive/external drive to obtain additional digital material
- Notebook/paper for note taking
- Pencils, markers, pens
- "Field Investigations" and other digital books from Pacific Education Institute
- Education standards for your grade level (minimum of the science standards)
- "Awakening Inquiry" book (if you have it)
- Classroom materials/information that you may want to reference during class

**Note:** If you bring a school or organization owned laptop computer make sure you have administrative rights for that computer. You will be loading ArcGIS Explorer On-Line/Silverlight and using it during the week. It would be best if you can have it pre-loaded onto your laptop computer. You will also need to do this for any computer you will be using at school.



## 6. Safety

### Heat Stroke and Heat Exhaustion

As mentioned above the area can be very warm to hot, please bring whatever you need to help keep yourself cool. Everyone will receive a water bottle and water will be available both in the classroom and outdoors, but you may wish to carry more than one water bottle or carry items which will help you keep cool.

### Snakes and ticks

As also mentioned above, the area is home to snakes and ticks. This area is home to rattlesnakes. Remember to look before you put your feet or hands into any area that you can't see easily! After moving through brush or grass, check yourself for ticks.

### Water Safety

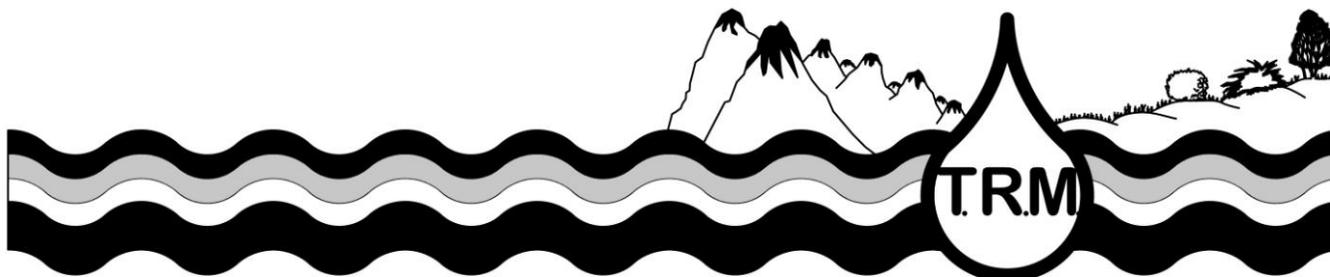
We will be in and around water throughout the week. Canoeing is a wonderful opportunity to explore an area if everyone is safe. If you have a Coast Guard Approved PFD you wish to use, please bring it with you. We have lifejackets for all, but many people are more comfortable with their own. It must park approved prior to use though.

## 7. Required Forms

Scholarship Form—if you have not already completed, obtained all signatures and returned your scholarship acceptance form, please do so as soon as possible.

Workshop Forms—There are several forms which need to be completed for the workshop. It will save a lot of time if you would review, complete and sign these forms prior to workshop registration and turn in at registration. These forms include:

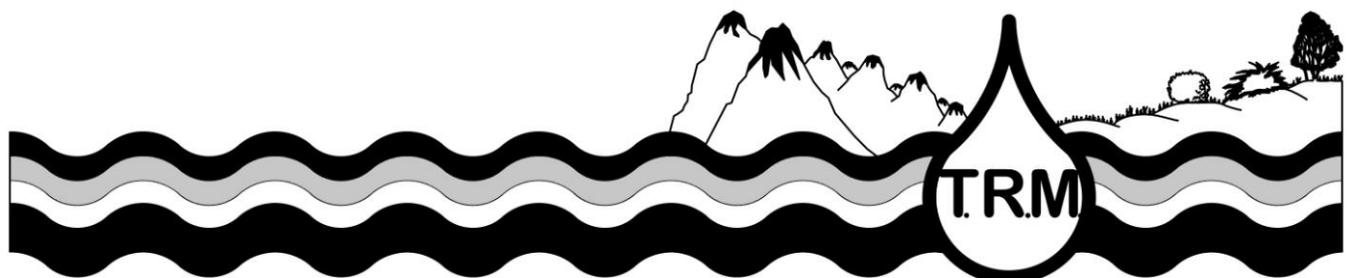
- National Park Service Photo Release Form (write in "Photographs" in the materials section)
- Electronic Board Policy, for the Grand Coulee Dam MS computer use
- Network Signature Form, for the Grand Coulee Dam MS computer use
- The River Mile In-Kind Form (pre-complete name, organization and your hourly compensation rate, the rest will be completed at the workshop). Note: you may need to figure out what your hourly rate of pay is before leaving home.



# The River Mile Expansion Workshop Participants 2012



Lorie	Bell	Davenport Elementary	Davenport	WA
Michelle	Bruce	Wellpinit Middle School	Wellpinit	WA
Michael	Clapp	CAM JR/ST High School	Battle Ground	WA
Stephen	Coleman	High Tech High	Quincy	WA
Samia	Cory	Water Resources Education Center	Vancouver	WA
Carrie	Derr	Grand Coulee Dam MS	Grand Coulee	WA
Jerad	Farley	Wahitis Peak Elementary	Othello	WA
Nick	Fletcher	McFarland Middle School	Othello	WA
Father Joe	Fortier	Keller School	Keller	WA
Sonny	Garza	Wahitis Peak Elementary	Othello	WA
Katy	Gilliam	Goldendale Primary	Goldendale	WA
Jessica	Hageman	Warrenton Grade School	Warrenton	OR
John	Hildebrand	High Tech High	Quincy	WA
Shannon	Hughes	Holmes Elementary	Spokane	WA
Lynn	Johnson	Oroville Elementary	Oroville	WA
Erin	Klejeski	Goldendale Primary	Goldendale	WA
Karen	Lyle	Davenport Elementary	Davenport	WA
Sharon	Massey	San Juan Island private school	Friday Harbor	WA
Sarah	Neuman	Wellpinit Elementary School	Wellpinit	WA
Steve	Parris	McFarland Middle School	Othello	WA
Carol	Patrick	Peter S. Ogden Elementary School	Vancouver	WA
Nate	Piturachsattit	Grand Coulee Dam MS	Grand Coulee	WA
Parsons	Raena	San Juan Island NHP	Friday Harbor	WA
Stacey	Selcho	Spokane Conservation District	Spokane	WA
Lisa	Seyler	Wellpinit school	Wellpinit	WA
Jeana	Simpson	Lakeside Middle School	Nine Mile Falls	WA
Adam	Smith	Hood River Middle School	Hood River	OR
Rhina	Starks	Scootney Springs Elementary	Benton City	WA
Diane	Tonasket	Keller School	Keller	WA
Jennie	Wagner	Medical Lake HS	Medical Lake	WA
Carolyn	Wilcox	Spokane Public Schools	Spokane	WA
Kelsie	Williamson	Wellpinit Elementary School	Wellpinit	WA



# The River Mile Expansion Workshop Instructors 2012



Janice	Elvidge	NPS Lake Roosevelt NRA	coordinator
Tonilee	Hanson	Lake Roosevelt Forum	coordinator
Jack	Nisbit	Author, Historian	Speaker
Greg	Behrens	Geologist, Retired	speaker
Brook	Beeler	Washington Dept Ecology	speaker
Margaret	Tudor	Pacific Education Institute	
Terry	Underwood	NPS Lake Roosevelt NRA	assistant
Ken	Hyde	NPS Lake Roosevelt NRA	speaker
Casey	Flanagan	Spokane Tribe of Indians	speaker
April	Bebault	NPS Lake Roosevelt NRA	Speaker
Brian	Crossley	Spokane Tribe of Indians	speaker
Kathy	Nitta	Gonzaga University	speaker
Denise	Bausch	NPS Lake Roosevelt NRA	assistant
Charlie	Kessler	Stevens County	speaker
Stacey	Selcho	Spokane County Conservation District	Speaker/participant
Cory	Samia	Water Resource Education Center	Speaker/participant

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