

Grant Grove Ranger Programs

February 10-25, 2013

National Park Service
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Sequoia and Kings Canyon
National Parks



Sunday, February 10

10:00 AM Snowshoe Walk*

Saturday, February 16

10:00 AM Snowshoe Walk*

4:30 PM Fireside Talk:

Winter in the Sierra

Sunday, February 17

10:00 AM Snowshoe Walk*

4:30 PM Fireside Talk:

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Presidents Day

Monday, February 18

2:00 PM Snowshoe Walk*

Sunday, February 24

2:00 PM Discover Kings Canyon

*Note: Snowshoe Walks may be canceled due to insufficient snow or other events. To make a reservation, stop by the Kings Canyon Visitor Center or call 559-565-4307.

Program Descriptions:

Fireside Talk: Winter in the Sierra

Below-freezing temperatures and snow-covered sequoias are a normal occurrence this time of year in Grant Grove. How do our plants, animals, and human residents make it to summer? Find a warm seat by the fireplace and join Ranger Farrah Keifer in the lobby of the John Muir Lodge for a slide-illustrated talk about the effects of winter in the Sierra Nevada. *45 minutes.* 

Discover Kings Canyon

With more than twenty seasons at Grant Grove, Ranger Frank Helling has a wealth of knowledge to share about the people, places and things that make Kings Canyon National Park so special. Meet at the Kings Canyon Visitor Center for this talk or walk (weather depending). *1 hour.*

Snowshoe Walk

No experience necessary! We provide the snowshoes; you bring warm layered clothing, waterproof boots, gloves, hat, sunglasses, sunscreen, water and a snack. This activity is moderately strenuous and recommended for ages 9 and up. Reservations required; limit 15 participants. Sign up at the Kings Canyon Visitor Center or call (559)565-4307. *2 hours, up to 1 mile.*