

**Sierra Nevada Conservancy
Board Tour
March 12, 2008**

- 12:00 Meet at Pines Resort on Bass Lake**
Greeting and Introduction by Executive Office Jim Branham
Introduction of Speakers by Mt. Whitney Area Manager Kim Carr
- The State of Eastern Madera County's Tourism-Based Economy**
Stel Manfredi, CAO, Madera County
Tom Wheeler, Madera County Supervisor, District 5
- Kinsman Project (Coarsegold Resource Conservation District and Natural Resources Conservation District)**
Jenny Gabor, Natural Resources Conservation District
- Inter-Relationship between Yosemite and Surrounding Communities**
Jen Nersesian, Assistant to the Superintendent, Yosemite National Park
- Comprehensive Interpretive Plan with Yosemite National Park and Surrounding Communities**
Tom Medema, Branch Chief, Division of Interpretation and Education,
Yosemite National Park
- 1:30 Depart for Oakhurst Area Chamber of Commerce Office**
- 1:45 Oakhurst Downtown Revitalization Project**
Kathy McCorry, Executive Director, Oakhurst Area Chamber of Commerce
Patrice Jensen, Oakhurst Parkway Committee
- 2:30 Depart for Ahwahnee Park**
- 2:45 Ahwahnee Hills Regional Park Project**
Fern Facchino, Friends of Ahwahnee Hills Regional Park
- Agri-Nature Trail 'Weekend in the Country'**
Robyn Smith, Executive Director,
Yosemite/Sequoia Resource Conservation & Development
Kris Casto, Mt. Bullion Vineyards
- 3:45 Depart for Mariposa**
- 4:30 SNC's Mariposa Office Open House and Reception**
Open House – 5039 Fairgrounds Rd.,
Reception - Mariposa County Fairgrounds, Red Bud Room
- 6:30 Depart for the Pines Resort at Bass Lake**

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LOCATIONS and DIRECTIONS

Pines Resort at Bass Lake

54432 Road 432
Bass Lake, CA 93604

- From the intersection of Highway 49 and 41 (in Oakhurst), travel north along Highway 41 for about 3 miles and then turn right on to Road 222/Bass Lake Road
- Continue on Road 222 as it turns into Road 274/Malum Ridge Road
- Turn Right at Road 434/Beasore Road

Oakhurst Area Chamber of Commerce

49074 Civic Circle
Oakhurst, CA 93644

- Exit the Pines Resort and turn left on Road 274/Malum Ridge Road
- Continue on Road 274 as it turns into Road 222/Bass Lake Road
- Turn left onto Highway 41 South toward Oakhurst
- Turn left, at the traffic light, onto Road 426
- Take the first right onto Civic Circle and travel about 100 yards. The group will gather near the creek and park, near the Chamber's office

Ahwahnee Hills Regional Park

43469 Highway 49
Ahwahnee, CA 93601

- From Civic Circle turn left (south) on to Highway 41
- At the first intersection, turn right onto Highway 49 traveling north
- Continue on Highway 49 about 5 miles to the town of Ahwahnee
- The entrance to the park is on the right about ½ mile past the CDF Fire Station

Sierra Nevada Conservancy – Reception and Open House locations

5039 Fairgrounds Road
Mariposa, CA 95338

- From the park, turn right onto Highway 49 and proceed north for about 18 miles and turn right on to Fairgrounds Road
 - For the Reception - Turn into the large parking lot and walk to the Red Bud Room
 - For the tour of the SNC office, continue up the road to the beige building on the left
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