



The Sierra Nevada Adaptive Management Project
(SNAMP) will be hosting a Day in the Field with the
University of California Owl Science Team

July 29th, 2008

Workshop: 2 pm - 4 pm, Blodgett Research Forest, Georgetown,
CA

*The workshop will include an overview on the current owl research and methods on the
Tahoe National Forest. This component is open to all.*

Data collection: 4 pm - 9 pm, Tahoe National Forest, Last Chance
Research site

*Data collection will involve traveling through the forest at dusk, surveying for owls, and
attempting to locate detected owls to collect the required data. This component is open to
the public but can only accommodate 3 to 4 people (since too much noise will interfere
with data collection). We will reserve these spots for the first responders to this message.*

*We will depart from Blodgett and drive approximately one hour to the data collection
site. Participants must be in good physical condition for hiking on steep terrain and will
need to drive their own car from Blodgett to the data collection site. Please bring your
own water, sack dinner and clothing/footwear appropriate for hiking short distances in
the woods at night.*

Desired outcomes of this field trip are to provide on the ground involvement
with the Owl Science Team and an opportunity for the public to participate
in data collection.

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BLODGETT FOREST RESEARCH STATION DIRECTIONS

STEP 1

From Interstate 80, at Auburn, to Georgetown:

Take the ELM STREET exit from I-80.

Take a left at stop light onto ELM STREET.

Take a left at stop light onto HIGH STREET which becomes HIGHWAY 49
(*passing underneath railroad bridge*).

Follow Highway 49 to COOL. You will make a right turn in the bottom of the canyon to cross the river. From Auburn to Cool ~7miles.

Take a left at "T" intersection (4-way Stop sign) onto HIGHWAY 193.

Follow Highway 193 to GEORGETOWN (18 miles).

OR

From Highway 50, at Placerville, to Georgetown:

Take a left turn onto HIGHWAY 49 and follow it north.

After ~0.8 miles, take a right onto HIGHWAY 193.

Follow HIGHWAY 193 to GEORGETOWN (15 miles).

STEP 2

From both directions, Georgetown to Blodgett Forest

At stop sign, turn east (uphill) onto MAIN STREET.

(Left turn from Auburn, right turn from Placerville)

MAIN STREET becomes WENTWORTH SPRINGS ROAD.

Follow Wentworth Springs Road for 13 miles to Blodgett Forest, on left side of road.

(Note: You will pass through the small town of Quintette about one mile before Blodgett Forest.

