

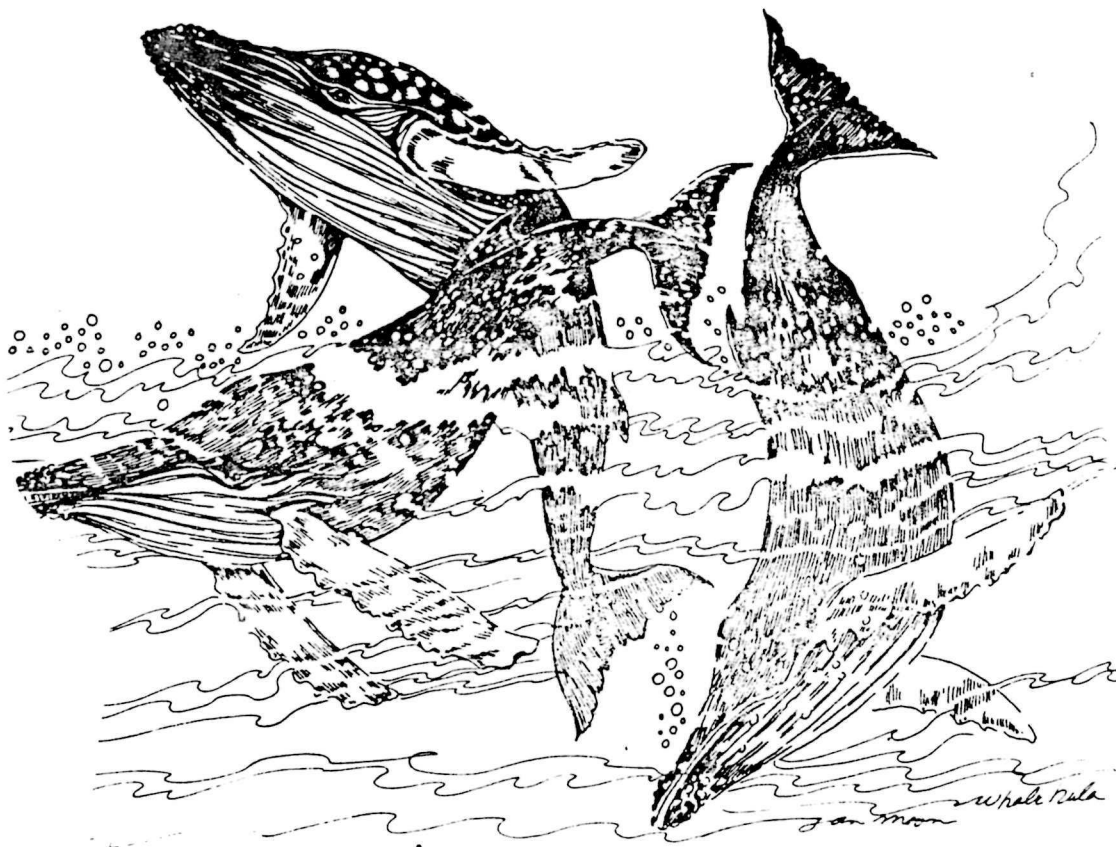
NATURAL RESOURCE MANAGEMENT

TRAINEE NEWSLETTER

April, 1985

Do not depend on teachers to educate you; they are only educating themselves through the errors they make in teaching you. Follow your own bent, pursue your curiosity bravely, express yourself, make your own harmony. Happiness does not come from imitation or conformity - though a clever man will pretend to conform, and will cover his heresies with a hundred courtesies. In the end education, like happiness, is individual, and must come from life and from ourselves.

Leisure Humorist



Calendar

APRIL

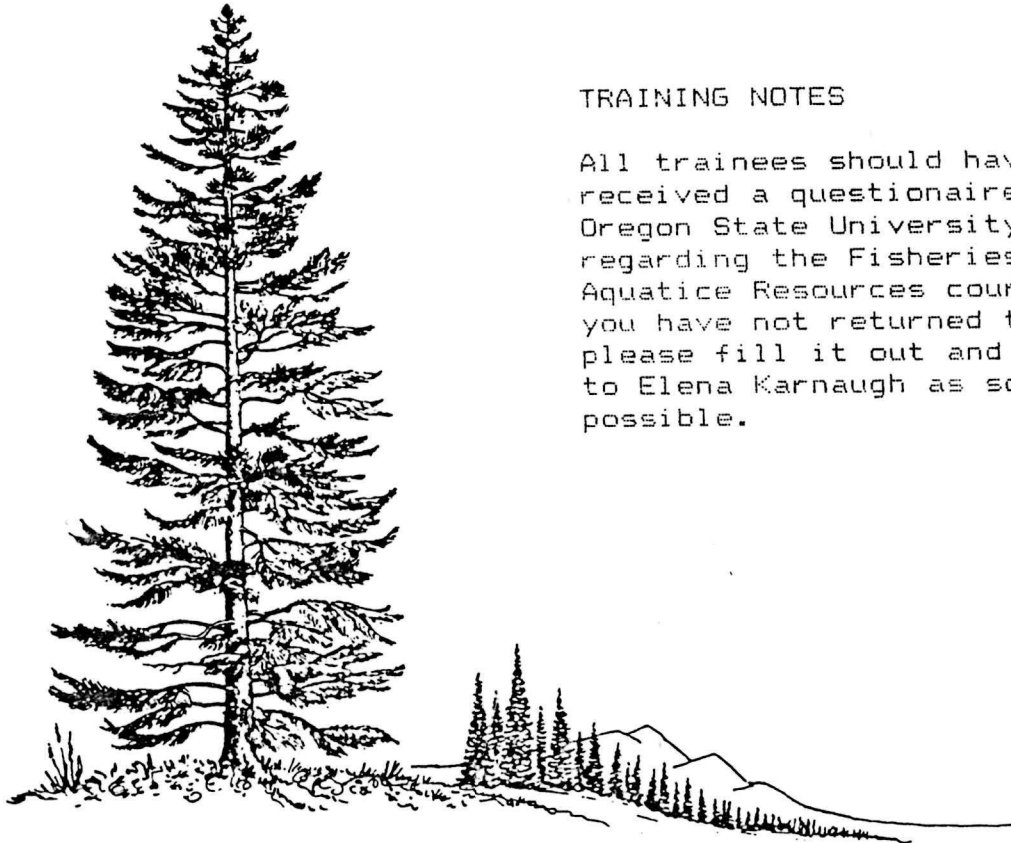
Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thur	Fri	Sat
	1	2	3	4	5	6
					Good Friday	Passover
7	8	9	10	11	12	13
		**** Wildlife I ****				
Easter						
14	15	16	17	18	19	20
**** Wildlife I ****						
21	22	23	24	25	26	27
**** Wildlife I ****						
B-Day John Muir						
28	29	30				

MAY

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thur	Fri	Sat
			1	2	3	4
5	6	7	8	9	10	11
					IFM Project Due	
12	13	14	15	16	17	18
	***** Mining and Minerals Practicum Proposal *****					
19	20	21	22	23	24	25
***** Mining and Minerals *****						
26	27	28	29	30	31	
***** Water Resources Memorial Day *****						

JUNE

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thur	Fri	Sat
						1 *****
2 *****	3 *****	4 *****	5 Water Resources	6 *****	7 *****	8 *****
9	10	11	12	13	14	15
16	17 *****	18 *****	19 Coastal Processes	20 *****	21 *****	22 *****
			B-Day Jenny		Solstice	
23/30 *****	24 *****	25 *****	26 Coastal Processes	27 *****	28 *****	29 *****



TRAINING NOTES

All trainees should have received a questionnaire from Oregon State University CPSU regarding the Fisheries and Aquatic Resources course. If you have not returned this, please fill it out and return to Elena Karnaugh as soon as possible.

Trainee Announcements

Some trainees have expressed interest in receiving copies of each other's IDPs and perhaps some short summaries of projects that each of us are involved with in our training parks. While I am not sure that IDPs could easily be placed in the newsletter, I do think some short summaries of project work that we are involved with in our training parks would be of valuable. Please contribute if you have something that you think would be of interest.

Victoria has requested that trainees be on the look out for applicable natural resource oriented software that might be valuable to us (either inventory or analysis oriented). For example, there is a software inventory and use clearing house in WASO which may be a good source of information. Contact: John Peterson, NPS Office of Information Management, USDI-NPS, P.O. Box 37127, Washington D.C. 20013-7127

Also, Park Science (Vol 4, No. 3, Spring 1984) put out an issue on "Information Management and Natural Resources," which has a good compendium.

If anyone else has information on these or other software sources of this type please submit it to the newsletter for inclusion.

DUFFY



New Phone Numbers:

David Manski (907) 271-5491
271-4239

Rich Harris (907) 271-5490

A birthday has passed us by since we left Sioux Falls. Happy belated birthday to:

Janis Meldrum (March 25)

Remember, IFM projects are due on May 10 and Practicum Proposals on May 13.

Professional Announcements

Riparian Ecosystems and Their Management - Reconciling Conflicting Uses. April 16-18, 1985. Tuscon, Arizona.

This first North American riparian conference is designed to provide a forum to scientists, managers, administrators, and all interested persons for the discussion of various ways that riparian ecosystems are important to man and the environment.

Clean Water Through Controlling Nonpoint Sources. May 19-22, 1985. Kansas City, Missouri. Hyatt Regency Hotel.

A conference designed to bring together all those concerned with nonpoint source pollution - including agricultural, forestry, mining, construction, industry, governmental, environmental and other interests, both public and private. (contact: Kent Thornton, (501) 225-7779).

Third Western Black Bear Workshop. In conjunction with NW section TWS management, Univ. of Montana, Missoula. (contact: Harry Carriles, (406) 243-6523). April 3-4, 1985.

Conflict and Communication in Natural Resource Management. May 5-8, 1985. Sheraton-Hartford Hotel. Hartford, CT. (contact: Paul Herig, (203) 566-4683).

A Symposium: Wilderness and Natural Areas in the East: A Management Challenge. May 13-15, 1985. Stephen F. Austin State University. Nsacogdoches, TX. (contact: David L. Kulhavy, (409) 569-3301).

PROJECT BRIEFS

Ozark NSR

In February, during an annual bat survey, representatives of Ozark NSR, Missouri Department of Conservation, and the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service discovered one of the most impressive clusters of Indiana and Gray bats yet seen by the surveyists. The bats were found in "Bat Cave," an important hibernaculum for these two species, located within Ozark NSR. The composite cluster was 30 feet long and 12 feet wide, with bats covering 60% of the area, at a density of up to 300 bats per square foot. They estimated 64,000 Indiana and Grey bats in the first room, a number consistent with past studies and a good omen for the status of these endangered species.

It is more important to feel than to know. Plant the seeds that later produce knowledge. Arouse the emotions and the wish for knowledge will come later. Once found it will have lasting meaning.

Rachel Carson



MEETING MINUTES.

We had a meeting to determine whether or not to have meetings upon our next and subsequent meetings. I am a bit confused as to the outcome. Was this meeting representative of future meetings? Many alternatives for meeting and to meeting were put forth, but no clear decision was met. My favorite alternative (no kidding) was to have a quick meeting to determine whether and when to meet further upon our formal meetings. The upshot of our meeting on meetings, as I understand it, was to meet no conclusions other than to not plan regular meetings, but only as needs arise. This was met with the preferred response by a majority of meeters, but it was not metered statistically. Future meetings may result more elucidation, but probably not. At this time, I consider it a (meet) moot point. Well met?

anonymous