



Flying the Ore in Days of Yore!

**Fall 2009 Southwest Section Meeting Grass Valley, CA
Hosted by Sutter Buttes Chapter
9/25/2009 to 9/27/2009**

In the 1930's, gold bricks were being hauled to San Francisco out of mines in Nevada County on a daily basis. Because of narrow, crooked roads, and the threat of highwaymen, the owners of the Idaho Maryland Mine bulldozed a runway on the top of a mountain above Grass Valley, and began flying the gold to the Bay area. Since 1960, the Nevada County Airpark has hosted one of the West's busiest tanker operations.

HOTEL

The Holiday Inn Express is only two years old; all 80 rooms at the hotel will be held for us until THIRTY DAYS PRIOR TO THE EVENT. Imperative that you register with the hotel as soon as possible to get the room you want: All rooms are the same price-- \$149: suites with 2 doubles/king or single rooms with 2 doubles/king. No additional cost for more than 2 people to a room. Price includes breakfast and a complimentary "happy hour" with 2 free glasses of wine and appetizers. Rates available Thursday through Sunday. Call 530-477-1700; Identify yourself as 99s--SWSection Meeting.

TRANSPORTATION

Nearest airports serving commercial travel are Reno (RNO) and Sacramento (SMF) Rental cars are available at either. SuperShuttle available from SMF; www.800airportshuttle.com or toll free 877-716-2520.

PRIVATE PLANE ARRIVALS

Overnight fees will be waived for 99s; there will be a 20 cent discount on 100ll from the truck. Good idea to bring tiedowns and means of securing in ground in case we run out of space on the ramp. Transportation supplied by Sutter Buttes chapter from Nevada County Airpark (GOO) with prior ETA (2 day notice). Runways are 07-25; calm wind is 25. CTAF 122.725; ASOS 121.325; telephone 530-273-3374. Rental cars available from Enterprise 530-274-7400; Hertz 530-272-7730.

TOURS

A STAR ALPACA FARM FRIDAY MORNING -- Visit a small family-owned Alpaca Farm in Grass Valley. Enjoy coffee and muffins while hearing about processing the wool into yarn, spinning and weaving. Then go into the corrals and meet these friendly, curious pets.

THE EMPIRE MINE TOUR FRIDAY AFTERNOON -- At the park, you will enjoy a typical Cornish pastie lunch served by docents in period costume before you stroll through the formal gardens and enjoy a glimpse inside the Bourn's lovely stone "cottage. You'll be able to go into the mine shaft, browse through the historic mine yard and see the scale model of the underground, with its 367 miles of shafts, drifts, and stopes.

CalFire Operations-- Breakfast together at a local restaurant, then visit the CalFire tanker operation at Nevada County Airport Included: transportation.

GLOBAL HAWK UNMANNED AERIAL RECON SYSTEM --BEALE AFBASE.SATURDAY AFTERNOON W/LUNCH Because of its large coverage area, the Global Hawk has become a useful tool for recording data and sending it to war fighters on the ground. Registration for this tour requires your Name as it appears on your Driver's License, the Number with state of issue, and Birthdate. NO sign ups for the tour after 09/15/2009.

DRAFT HORSE CLASSIC -- Arrive on Thursday for an evening performance, or stay Sunday for a morning performance at the Grass Valley Fairgrounds. Although we are not offering the DHC as part of our tours, we are letting you know that there are performances on Thursday night at 6:30 p.m. and on Sunday morning at 10 a.m. For more information and tickets, go to www.nevaacountyfair.com or call 530-272-6217



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The Fly Market will be open Friday, 10 a.m.-5pm on Friday and Saturday, 12:30 p.m.-5pm on Saturday. All goods and materials must be removed from the area by 5:30 pm on Saturday.

Location:

Holiday Inn Express Hotel

Table Cost:

Use	Description	Cost	Selection
Chapter	Chapter Benefits from proceeds.	\$20	<input type="radio"/>
Personal	For personal use by a chapter member.	\$30	<input type="radio"/>
Business	Commercial, non-99s-owned business.	\$35	<input type="radio"/>
Specify Number of Tables			<input type="text"/>

Name:

Chapter:

Description of Product(s):

Address:

City:

State:

Zip:

Phone:

Email:

Fax:

TOTAL ENCLOSED

\$

Mail Form to Carol Andrews,
P. O. Box 3202, Yuba City, CA 95992
Questions to her at charley.alpha@theunion.net

Checks made out to Sutter Buttes 99s
<http://ninetyines.net/swssb/>



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Preliminary Schedule - Subject to change.

Thursday

12 noon - 5 pm	Transportation	from Nevada County Airport to Hotel
4 pm - 6 pm	Registration Open	Lobby of Holiday Inn

Friday

9 am - 5 pm	Registration open	Lobby of Holiday Inn
8:30 am - 11:30	A Star Alpaca Tour	meet outside Lobby at 8:15 a.m.
10 am to 5 pm	Transportation	Nevada County Airport to Hotel
10 am - 5 pm	Fly Market	Holiday Inn -- TBD
10 am - 5 pm	Hospitality Room	Holiday Inn -- TBD
10 am - 5 pm	Raffle	Hospitality Room
11 am - noon	Technology Seminar	TBD
12:30 pm - 4 pm	Empire Mine Tour w/lunch	Meet outside Lobby at 12:15
12 noon	Lunch on your own	Grass Valley restaurants
1 pm - 2 pm	SWS Board of Directors Meeting	Governor's Suite
2:30 p.m. - 3:30 p.m.	Hawaii Meeting	Holiday Inn - TBD
4 pm - 5 pm	Chapter Chairman's Meeting	Holiday Inn - TBD
5:30 pm - 9 pm	Buffet Dinner	Veteran's Hall

Saturday

7:45 am - 8:45 am	Registration open	Lobby of Holiday Inn
8:30 am - noon	Non-99s Cal Fire Tour	Outside Lobby of Holiday Inn
8:45 am - noon	SWS Business Meeting	Holiday Inn Convention Room
1:00 pm - 5 pm	Global Hawk Tour w/box lunch	Meet outside lobby at 12:45
12 Noon	Lunch on your own	Grass Valley restaurants
1 pm - 5 pm	Fly Market	Holiday Inn --TBD
1 pm - 5 pm	Hospitality Room	Holiday Inn--TBD
1 pm - 5 pm	Raffle Room	Hospitality Room
5 pm to 6 pm	Governor's Reception	Holiday Inn - Governor's Suite
6 pm - 7 pm	No-host cocktails	Holiday Inn Lobby
7 pm	Banquet	Holiday Inn Convention Room

Sunday

8 am	Debriefing	Holiday Inn -- TBD
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**Send registration forms and checks to
Thelma Cull, P. O. Box 3202, Yuba City, CA 95992
Checks made out to Sutter Buttes 99s.**

**Any registration questions, contact Thelma Cull at nrctjc@aol.com or 530-755-0383
sutterbuttes99s@comcast.net**

If your plans change contact Carol Andrews, charley.alpha@theunion.net 530-432-2827

*First Name: *Last Name:

Name on Badge: 49 1/2 or guest name:

*Address:

*City: State:

*Zip Code: Country:

*Telephone: *Email:

Chapter:

First Section Meeting Chapter Chair Int'l Board Position

Section Officer FWP Past Int'l Pres Years

Past SWS Gov Years

Day of Arrival: ETA:

Day of Departure: ETD:

Flying to SWS Meeting: PIC: Type of Aircraft: N Number:

of Passengers: Passenger Names:

Flying Commercial: Airport:

I am driving: I am Planning to rent a car:

Registration:

Registration includes transportation from the Nevada County Airport goodie Bags, Fly Market, Silent Auction, Hospitality Room

- \$125 FWP and Academic Registration
- \$135 Pre-Registration postmarked by 05/10/2009
- \$145 Regular - postmarked by 08/15/2009
- \$155 Late - by 09/25/2009
- \$80 Saturday only

Day	Tour Name	Cost	Quantity	Price
Friday	Morning - A Star Alpacas	\$25	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
Friday	Afternoon - Empire Mine State Historical Park	\$40	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
Friday	Non-99s Guests only – Cal Firefighting Base Ops	\$10	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
Saturday	Global Hawk Unmanned Aerial Recon System--Beale AF Base	\$65	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>

Friday Night Buffet for Guest [\$45 ea]: YOUR Saturday Dinner choice.

Slow Roasted Salmon w/Tarragon Pesto

Grilled Beef w/prawns

Roasted Veg. Wellington

Saturday Night Dinner for Guest [\$55 ea]: GUEST Saturday Dinner choice.

Slow Roasted Salmon w/Tarragon Pesto

Grilled Beef w/prawns

Roasted Veg. Wellington