

Hello Red-Legged Night Time Field Training Session Participants...

1) **THINGS YOU NEED:** you will need the following equipment

a. Waders. Ideally, chest waders. Less ideal choices, in descending order: hip waders, knee waders, or tennis shoes with clothes that you don't mind getting soaked in.

b. Head lamp. Read the addendum at the end of this note concerning light sources for eye shine surveys - VERY IMPORTANT – you will probably need to invest in new equipment, which will take time to find/ship. Read the “Final Light Source” document posted on our web site for more information.

c. Warm clothes. This field work is at night, on the coast, in water and maybe in drizzle. Be prepared to be cold and wet.

d. Dipping net. This is not required of everyone but if you have one it will help augment the limited number our researchers will have available.

2) **Directions:** We will meet at the Elkhorn Ranch parking lot at 8 p.m. SHARP. Late arrivers may forfeit their attendance due to inability to join the group.

Directions will be posted on our workshop website 2 weeks prior to the workshop.

3) **Carpooling?** You may want to find someone to drive with. We will post a contact list of others attending this workshop 2 weeks in advance of the training at the web page listed above

4) **Rest Rooms:** In the field? Are you kidding?? But it will be night time...be prepared for field conditions.

5) **Rain? Still on? Emergencies?** If it rains a ton – prolonged heavy downpours – we may cancel this field training session and refund your money. If you are wondering if it is still going to happen, feel free to call Virginia Guhin at: 831-234-7011 or Grey Hayes at: 831-728-8050 any time between now and then. If you have other ‘emergency’ type questions/concerns, etc – call us. We’ll be in touch with all others involved with the event.