

THE SPOKANE & NE WFFA CHAPTERS JOINT MEETING  
SATURDAY, JUNE 2, 2007  
CHEWELAH PEAK LEARNING CENTER  
**THE FLOWERY TRAIL, TIES TO THE PAST AND FUTURE**

8:00AM: Meet at the Chewelah Peak Learning Center. Continental Breakfast

8:30AM: Introductions and updates from chapter presidents. DNR spokesperson Steve Harris and Learning Center General Manager Susan Lind will talk about the DNR's role at the learning center and the surrounding state land.

8:45AM: Maurice Williamson: Eastside issues and new forest owner legislation.

9:00AM: Steve Harris, Fire Prevention Coordinator for the NE Region of the DNR will present "Living with Wildfire".

10:00AM: Trip to 49 degrees North and Nordic Center to see cross-country ski system, developed in partnership with U.S. Forest Service, where timber harvesting created a positive interface with outdoor enthusiasts. Short walk to historic cabin site, guided by trail designer and recreational specialist, Keith Wakefield, U.S. Forest Service. Return walk to Yurt area for a look at today's back country cabin with custom carpenter and Nordic Director Doug Elledge.

12:00 NOON: Catered lunch at Learning Center

Janean Creighton, WSU Natural Resource Extension Educator will discuss her role with Extension and family forests.

1:00PM: Guided tour east along the 12 mile Flowery Trail with stops at Forest Service Seed orchard and a family tree farm. Carl Wright, U.S. Forest Service, retired, will discuss this modern highway. Tour will include glimpses of the past use of the trail, different silvicultural treatments along the corridor, geology of the area and stunning views into the Pend Orielle Valley

3:30 to 4:00PM: Return Learning Center. End of the day tailgating and visiting. Bring drinks of your choice

**Directions to Chewelah Peak Learning Center:**

From stop light at Hwy 395 in Chewelah, head east following 49 Deg. North Signs to Flowery Trail Road. Learning Center is on north (left) side of road across from the 49 Deg. Ski Area. There will be a WFFA sign at the entrance to the Learning Center.

**Cost for Continental Breakfast and Lunch** catered by Chewelah Peak Learning Center will be \$15.00 per person. Please contact Ralph Liguori at 509-276-6079 or [Liguori.LazyL@att.net](mailto:Liguori.LazyL@att.net) for meal reservations by May 29<sup>th</sup>.

