

The Fifteenth Annual Meeting
of the
Kansas Herpetological Society
29-30 October 1988
in the
Cora Downs Auditorium
of the
Museum of Natural History
The University of Kansas
Lawrence

PROGRAM

SATURDAY, 29 OCTOBER 1988

8:30 am COFFEE and Registration in lobby of Downs Auditorium, Mara Wallace, (KHS Registrar, Lawrence). Registration is \$2.00 per person, to defray the cost of audio-visual equipment. NOTE: In addition to the live "Kansas Snake Exhibit," there is a new "Amphibians in Kansas" photographic exhibit by Suzanne L. Collins and Joseph T. Collins. Both may be viewed on the 6th Floor of the Museum.

9:30 am Welcome, introduction of KHS officers, and announcements by KHS President Jeffrey Whipple.

9:45 am Dominican Lizards, Robert Powell (Avila College, KCMO) & Donald D. Smith (KU Medical Center, KCK).

10:05 am Group photograph on front steps of Museum.

10:15 am BREAK (Goodies available next door in Kansas Union).

10:35 am CAPTIVE HUSBANDRY OF GILA MONSTERS, Eric M. Rundquist (Sedgwick County Zoo, Wichita).

11:05 am KANSAS NONGAME AMPHIBIAN AND REPTILE PROGRAM, Larry Zuckerman (Kansas Department of Wildlife and Parks, Pratt).

11:25 am BLACK RAT SNAKE HUSBANDRY, Jeffrey Whipple (KU Animal Care Unit, Lawrence).

11:45 am LUNCH. Meeting participants are expected to forage independently, or in large groups if this provides leverage. Hot food is available next door in the Kansas Union, or there are many other fine restaurants throughout Lawrence.

1:00 pm KHS BUSINESS MEETING & Election of Officers for 1989, KHS President Jeffrey Whipple presiding.

1:30 pm IGUANID LIZARD FAMILIES: A BRAVE NEW WORLD, Darrel Frost (KU Museum of Natural History, Lawrence).

2:00 pm PHOTO SESSION with and display of "Fred the Frog." Gather in Downs Auditorium entrance, and John Wiens (KU Museum of Natural History, Lawrence) will lead the way to see the only black-and-white bullfrog in the world.

2:30 pm SNAKES OF THE SAND PRAIRIE, Dwight R. Platt (Bethel College, North Newton).

2:50 pm BREAK (Goodies available next door in the Kansas Union).

3:15 pm SNAKES OF NEBRASKA, John F. Lokke (Nebraska Herpetological Society).

4:10 pm GOPHER SNAKES IN NEW MEXICO, David Kizirian (KU Museum of Natural History, Lawrence).

4:30 pm FREE-FOR-ALL HERP SLIDE SHOW! Bring your best ten (10) color slides and be prepared to tell us about them.

5:00 pm DINNER. Meeting participants are again expected to forage, this time with greater skill because of their lunch-time experience.

7:00 pm SOCIAL AND AUCTION in Big Eight Room of the Kansas Union (next to the Museum of Natural History). Please bring items to auction. We need photos of herps and herpers, artwork, cages, snake sacks, snake sticks, books on herps, hide boxes, herp reprints, T-Shirts, color slides, herp badges & bumper stickers, etc. Items should be herp-oriented!

SUNDAY, 30 OCTOBER 1988

8:00 am Coffee in Cora Downs Auditorium, Mara Wallace (KHS Registrar).

8:45 am THE 1988 KHS FIELD TRIP TO CLARK COUNTY, Larry Miller (Caldwell).

9:15 am CASE HISTORIES OF HERPS, Nancy Schwarting (KU Animal Care Unit, Lawrence).

9:45 am KHS FIELD TRIP VIDEOS (Rated R), Olin Karch (Emporia).

10:15 am BREAK (Kansas Union closed — coffee will still be available nearby).

10:45 am TO BE ANNOUNCED.

11:15 am COSTA RICAN HERPS, Martin Capron (Oxford).

ADJOURNMENT AT NOON (Have a good trip home and drive carefully).

For further information, call Joseph T. Collins at 864-4920