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ANNOUNCEMENTS

The published proceedings from the **XI International Conference on Ephemeroptera, XV International Symposium on Plecoptera** held during August 2004 at Flathead Lake Biological Station, Montana, U.S.A. is now available:

Hauer, F. R., J. A. Stanford, and R. L. Newell (editors). 2008. International advances in the ecology, zoogeography, and systematics of mayflies and stoneflies. University of California Publications in Entomology 128: 1-412.

The volume is available from University of California Press:

http://repositories.cdlib.org/ucpress/ucpe/vol_128_InternationalAdvances_MayfliesandStoneflies/

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**Ninth North American Plecoptera Symposium at Sagehen Creek Field
Station, California**

**NAPS-9
Sagehen Creek Field Station
22-25 June 2009**



The next meeting of the North American Plecoptera Symposium will be at the University of California, Berkeley Sagehen Creek Field Station. Information about Sagehen is available at their website (<http://sagehen.berkeley.edu>). The costs (cabin space, food and registration) for the 3 days will be \$245.00 per person, payable by check or cash at registration. We have reserved 36 places in the cabins so respond quickly (see below) for one of those. Some are already reserved. Bring linens or sleeping bag, pillow, towel and a flashlight. There will be separate cabins for ♂♂ and ♀♀. Anyone having particular food requirements should notify Bill Shepard so the caterer can be advised. Those wanting to camp will find campgrounds located about 10 miles southeast of Sagehen. We recommend Boca Reservoir or Prosser Creek Reservoir.

There is usually an extreme fire danger in the summer and the surrounding forests have a fire ecology. Thus, there is absolutely NO SMOKING at Sagehen, even in your own car. If you must smoke, you have to drive out to the highway. The weather is likely to be hot and dry during the day, but be prepared for freezes at night and the occasional summer rainstorm. There will be a risk form to be signed at registration. The risks can include exposure to hanta virus and Lyme disease, but the most common malady is a twisted ankle due to uneven terrain. No food can be kept in your cabin or car due to the high probability of attracting rodents or bears. For similar reasons, no pets are allowed.

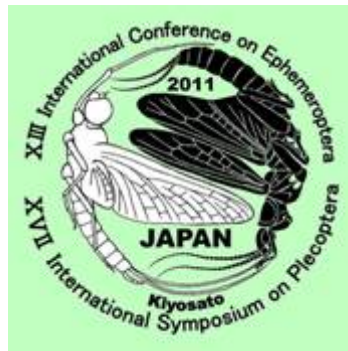
The schedule is listed below. An afternoon of collecting is planned for Wednesday 22 June. Due to the abundance of good collecting sites around Sagehen in all directions, there will be no organized trip involving everyone. However, there will be a list of locations that have been productive in the past. Additionally, Andy Sheldon has offered to guide anyone who wants to hit springs in the upper Sagehen Basin. Sagehen Creek at the station is also quite good for stoneflies and other aquatics.

Our plans now are for talks to be 20 minutes long, including time for questions. However, they might be cut to 15 minutes if there are sufficient submissions.

Those flying will want to consider arriving in Reno, Sacramento, Oakland or San Francisco. Flight costs vary greatly depending on departure and arrival points, so check all of these airports. There will be no shuttle to Sagehen. There are no recreation activities at the station except for hiking, birding, etc. However, numerous types of recreation are available before or after the meeting in surrounding areas such as Lake Tahoe, Reno, Sacramento and the San Francisco Bay area. These same areas offer outstanding collecting opportunities as well.

Please send Bill Shepard (william.shepard@csus.edu) notice of attending and Andy Sheldon (andysheldon@comcast.net) abstracts of talks by **15 February 2009**.

XIII International Conference on Ephemeroptera and the XVII International Symposium on Plecoptera in Japan in 2011



The proposal to host the **XIII International Conference on Ephemeroptera and the XVII International Symposium on Plecoptera** in Japan in 2011 was accepted at the Stuttgart meeting. Drs. Yasuhiro Takemon and Koji Tojo will organize the meeting. It will be held at Kiyosato, a town at the base of Mt. Yatsugatake in the Yamanashi Prefecture, Japan. The Joint Symposium will be held at the Sei-sen-ryo Lodge. It is not too early to start planning your trip to Japan and your future scientific presentations. Additional information is now available on the website: <http://cse.ffpri.affrc.go.jp/yoshi887/jointconference2011.html> Please contact Drs. Yasuhiro Takemon and Koji Tojo for further information:

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Dr. Yasuhiro Takemon, one of the conveners of the 2011 meeting in Japan.

ELECTRONIC AVAILABILITY OF PERLA

It has been brought to the attention of the **Standing Committee** on several occasions by members that *Perla* should become available only in electronic form. If the membership is interested in this approach, please contact any member of the **Standing Committee** and provide your opinion. Currently, on the website **PLECOPTERA SOCIETY OF NORTH AMERICA** hosted by **Dr. Edward DeWalt**, <http://plsa.inhs.uiuc.edu/plecoptera/Perla.aspx> the last four issues of *Perla* **2005-Perla 2008** are available as a pdf. *Perla* **2009** will also become available on this site.

**NEW MEMBER OF THE STANDING COMMITTEE INTERNATIONAL
SOCIETY OF PLECOPTEROLOGISTS**

Dr. J. Manuel Tierno de Figueroa is a new member of the Committee.

Dear colleagues,

The aim of my message is to acknowledge again your invitation for being a member of the Plecoptera committee, this time to all the members of the committee. As I told to Drs. Stewart and Brittain, it is for me a great honour and pleasure, and I will be very happy to collaborate with all of you in any aspect related to the committee and its activities.

Yours sincerely,

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