



AFS Cal-Neva Newsblast

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2024 Cal-Neva 58th Annual Meeting

April 9-12th, 2024 in Redding, California

*Continuing Education April 9th, 2024



Join Cal-Neva at the [Red Lion Hotel](#) and [Turtle Bay](#) for the last meeting until 2026. The theme for the 2024 conference is “**Breaching the Dam: Building Partnerships.**” We will bring together people of diverse backgrounds and expertise to tell the stories about the resilience of Native American tribes, competing interests in a water-limited environment, and of native ecosystems and fishes in the face of significant hydrologic perturbations and uncertainty. In doing so, we hope to achieve and learn from others who have experienced conservation successes and find applicable ways for people and the natural world to flourish together.

[Abstracts submissions now open!](#)

Symposium or Workshop proposals are due **November 27, 2023.**

Schedule at a Glance

Tuesday, April 9, 2024

9:00am - 5:00pm [Continuing Education](#)
6:30pm - 10:00pm Welcome Event (Turtle Bay)

Wednesday, April 10, 2024

8:15am On-site Registration Opens
10:00am - 12:00pm Plenary Session
12:00pm - 1:30pm Lunch on your own
1:30pm - 3:30pm Concurrent Sessions
4:00pm - 6:00pm Spawning Run and Happy Hour (Turtle Bay)
6:15pm - 10:30pm Poster Reception

Thursday, April 11, 2024

8:15am - 12:00pm Concurrent Sessions
12:30pm - 1:30pm Student Mentor Lunch
1:30pm - 5:05pm Concurrent Sessions
6:00pm - 10:30pm Dinner Banquet

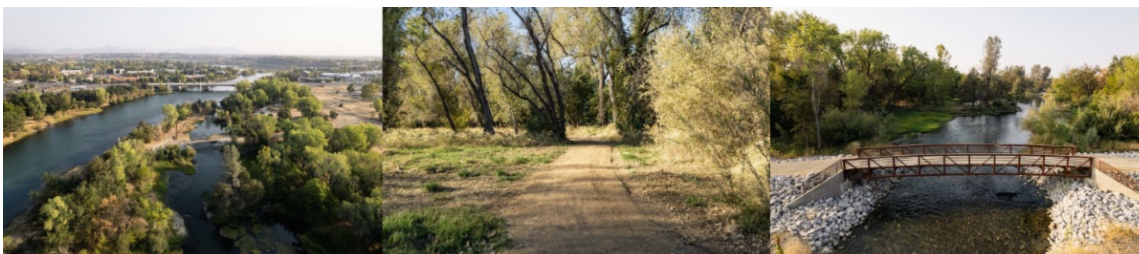
Friday, April 12, 2024

8:30am - 12:15pm Concurrent Sessions
12:30pm - 1:30pm Business Lunch

2024 Continuing Education

Fantasy Floodplains

Participants will visit several floodplain restoration sites along the Sacramento River including [Nur Pon Open Space](#) and Anderson River Park. Participants will learn about the planning, implementation, and monitoring of these floodplain restoration projects.



[30 Years Post Cantara Revisited](#)

In 1991, a Southern Pacific Railroad chemical tank car fell off the track known as the Cantara Loop into the upper Sacramento River near Mt. Shasta spilling 19,000 gallons of the herbicide metam sodium impacting 45 miles downstream and into Lake Shasta eliminating life. Learn about the recovery processes from millions of dead fishes, amphibians, aquatic invertebrates, and riparian corridors to the \$38 million settlement, restoration, land acquisition and protection, research and public education lead by the Cantara Trustee Council.

Drones in Fisheries: Applications and Implementation

Unoccupied Ariel Vehicles (UAVs) provide a new perspective on the surrounding environment and give us the ability to adapt to changes in that environment. Whether you are looking for a new fishing spot along an unknown bank, checking the hiking trail up ahead for any damage or changes after a

heavy storm, or planning a restoration effort and need high quality imagery of the site, UAVs are a tool to get the job done effectively! In this continuing education course, participants will learn the fundamentals of UAVs and how they can be used to help you achieve your goals! After the “classroom” portion of the course, you will get hands on experience with planning and running UAV missions (weather permitting). If the weather doesn’t allow us to go outside, we will continue the “classroom” portion of the course with more in depth post-processing education and other ideas of what you can do with your imagery once a mission is completed.



Support the Chapter's Annual Meeting

Help us continue our legacy of hosting outstanding events by partnering with the California-Nevada Chapter of the American Fisheries Society. Since we are a 501(c)3 nonprofit organization, all cash contributions and donations are tax deductible.

Partnerships are critical to the success of the annual meeting. You can help support Cal-Neva AFS with a cash contribution. For more information about sponsoring the annual meeting, please contact our Fundraising Coordinator Andrew Hampton directly at calneva.exhibits@gmail.com.



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