

TRAVEL AND LOGISTICS

NOLS Alumni Service Project in the Wind Rivers

August 4 - 10, 2008

Starting Date	Monday, August 4	Ending Date	Saturday, August 10
Starting Time	8:00 am	Ending Time	Late afternoon/early evening
Starting Location	NOLS Rocky Mountain 502 Lincoln, Lander, Wyo	Ending Location	Lander, Wyo

Trip Logistics

There will be an informal meeting at the NOLS Headquarters building (corner of Lincoln and 3rd streets) at 6:30pm on Sunday, August 3 to meet everyone else and to briefly go over the details of the trip. The trip will officially begin at 8:00am on Monday, August 4, the morning will be spent pulling our gear together and packing our packs to hit the road that afternoon. It will be very helpful to have spent some time going over your gear before you arrive and making sure that it meets the requirements of the equipment list.

For a detailed description of the hiking please refer to the Trip Description.

The hiking portion of the trip will end in the early afternoon of Sunday August 10. We will use the rest of the afternoon to de-issue our gear, shower and formally end our trip. Dinner on August 10 is not provided as part of the trip but there will be an option to go out to dinner as a group for anyone that is interested.

Contact Information

The alumni office is located at the NOLS Headquarters in Lander, Wyoming. We can be reached at (800) 332-4280. Email is also an option: alumni@nols.edu.

If delayed on the arrival day

If you have any problems on arrival day, you will be able to leave a message for us at (307) 332-2265, the front desk at the NOLS Noble Hotel.

Logistics of Travel

Travel:

By Plane

Great Lakes Aviation provides daily service from Denver, CO to Riverton Regional Airport, which is 30 minutes from Lander. Denver is served by most major airlines. Shuttles are available from Riverton to Lander (see below). If you need travel assistance contact Noble Travel 1-800-332-4882

By Car

Lander is accessible via highway 287. Lander is a 4.5 hour drive from Salt Lake or 2.5 hours from Jackson Hole. If you would like specific directions, please call the alumni office.

Shuttle:

Land shuttle service in southwestern Wyoming and surrounding areas is provided by Wind River Transit Authority (W.R.T.A.). Please make a reservation ahead of time by calling W.R.T.A. at (800) 439-7118 or fax (307) 856-8724. For after hours travel problems, call (307) 850-6051.

<http://www.wrtabuslines.com/default.aspx>

W.R.T.A. shuttle rates for one way/round trip. Prices may increase due to fuel costs.

Riverton Airport	Casper	Jackson, WY Airport
\$20/\$40	\$100/\$200	\$100/\$200

Accommodations:

There are multiple lodging options in Lander. Below are a few options. There is camping available at the City Park and Sinks Canyon State Park. Lodging at the NOLS Noble Hotel is available for those folks that long for the same digs you had on your student course, it is dorm style with shower/toilet down the hall. For additional information about local Bed and Breakfasts and other accommodations contact the Lander Chamber of Commerce at 800-433-0662 or visit their web-site at www.landerchamber.org.

Pronghorn Lodge

150 E. Main Street

(307) 332-3940

Inn at Lander, Best Western

260 Grand View Drive

(800)528-1234 or (307) 332-2847

Storage of Personal Belongings

Personal belongings and vehicles may be stored at the NOLS facility for the duration of your course. Although we assume no responsibility, due care will be taken to prevent theft or damage of your stored items. Valuable may be checked into our safe. Vehicles will be parked in an unfenced parking lot with little or no security.