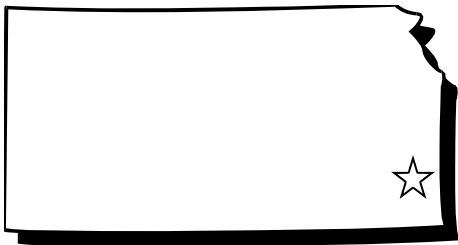


# KOS spring meeting, May 1-3, 2009

## Pittsburg, Crawford County

Join KOS members for a great weekend of birding in one of the most unique parts of the state where tallgrass prairies yield to eastern deciduous forests, making way for a wide diversity of birds. Participants will have opportunities to visit Schermerhorn Park and the Southeast Kansas Nature Center in Galena, Neosho Wildlife Area, and the Prairie State Park in Missouri. Other locations include the 200-acre Ford Farm, a property restored to woods and wetlands, and Pittsburg State University's Natural History Reserve, 80 acres of un-reclaimed mined land.



## Schedule of Events

### Friday, May 1

**6:00 p.m.**—Informal welcome and finger foods at PSU's Natural History Reserve. From the intersection of U.S. Highways 69 and 400, drive west on 400 to 180th Street /Weir Road. Turn right and go approximately 2.5 miles to 1053 S. 180th. Take the left fork of the driveway.

### Saturday, May 2

**6:30 a.m.**—Leave for field trips.

**6:30 p.m.**—Evening Dinner at Pichler's Chicken Annie's.

### Sunday, May 4

**6:30 a.m.**—Half-day field trips depart.

**Noon**—Compilation at Gorilla Village, behind PSU's football stadium. Box lunches provided.

## Lodging

- Lamplighter Inn— 4020 Parkview Drive, (866) 478-4660. Ask for the KOS discounted group rate, which includes hot breakfast.
- Econo Lodge—2408 South Broadway, (620) 231-8300
- Super 8—3108 N. Broadway, (620) 232-1881

## Camping

Limited camping is available for \$5.00 per person per night at PSU's Natural History Reserve. Contact Delia Lister (620) 235-4727 for more information.

## Dining options

- Mall Deli, 620-231-7590
- Chili's, 620-232-9933
- Café del Rio, 620-232-5895
- El Charro, 620-232-5763
- Sweet Greens Salad Bar, 620- 235-1510
- Napoli's Italian Restaurant, 620-232-9494
- Yummy's Buffet and Sushi, 620-231-8838
- Chicken Annie's, 620-231-9460
- Chicken Mary's, 620-231-9510

## Registration

Please mail registrations no later than April 18, and include full payment for registration and included meals. See page 12 for the registration form. Cancellations may be made with a full refund until April 18.

Other than the Friday reception, Saturday banquet and Sunday lunch, participants are responsible for meals, water and snacks. All participants must sign the liability release on the registration form in order to participate in any portion of this meeting.

Please e-mail meeting coordinator Delia Lister at [dalister@pittstate.edu](mailto:dalister@pittstate.edu) with any questions.

# Registration Form

KOS spring meeting

May 1-3, 2009

Pittsburg, Crawford County

I (we) plan to attend the 2009 KOS spring meeting.

Name(s) \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail \_\_\_\_\_

**Registration**      Number \_\_\_ @ \$5.00 each      \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**Saturday dinner**      Number \_\_\_ @ \$12.00 each      \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**Sunday lunch**      Number \_\_\_ @ \$7.00 each      \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**TOTAL** \$ \_\_\_\_\_

In submitting this registration I (we) understand that KOS is not responsible or liable for any accidents or injury that might be associated with the 2009 spring field meeting.

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Signatures

Date



Please remit check or money order, payable to KOS, and mail this form with it to:

Terry Mannell  
218 Northridge Dr.  
Hays, KS 67601