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Taylor Ranch Special Issue

Notes

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This is a special issue, which means we're focusing on the Taylor Ranch exclusively. Will mean having to cut out several "regular" departments, including "Letters," "Campus Notebook," and "Friends." Space is still very tight. Hope to be able to include all of the material mentioned below, but I can't absolutely guarantee it.

Copy, photo and art deadline: August 1, 1986

Articles:

1. An overall, introductory piece, tying together the whole issue. Would set the scene, introduce the people involved and tie up loose ends. by Beth Grubb.
2. Article on archaeology research on early peoples living in the area, including Sheepeaters. This is the biggest current research project going on now. by Jane Pritchett
3. A history on the wild and wooly background of the ranch, including all the juicy early history, and an account of how we acquired the place and what's been done with it. by George Savage
4. Journal from Holly and Jim, including tidbits of human interest, scientific studies, anecdotes, etc.
5. Thank you box, to make acknowledgements. (Save names to be included)

mid June

6. Sidebar: summary of research done at Taylor Ranch since the UI took it over. *Ed*

7. Sidebar: wilderness ethics. Outline the guidelines set up and the efforts made to preserve the wilderness setting. Will Ed Krumpe

write this for us? *Ed, would you be willing to write up these 2 sidebars for us? They should be about 1 1/2 pgs. double spaced, each. Please let me know. I will give you a call after New Years*
Cover: let's take a look at what photos we've got. We could also set up a shot to illustrate some particular aspect of the center. Any ideas?
- Beth

Photos and art:

Jim apparently has a collection of slides and photos taken at the ranch, and is eager to have them published. Will he allow us to use them at no cost? He would receive photo credits.

The Wilderness Research Center probably has lots of photos from the ranch. Let's see what's available.

Jane mentioned she would like to take her 2x4 format camera into the area for photos, and Terry Maurer also expressed interest in taking photos.

If need be, Ivar has a connection to a very good freelance wildlife and wilderness photographer in that area.

I'd like also to see two maps. The first would show the location of the ranch in the RNR Wilderness in Idaho. The second would include drawings of the area and people involved, showing the layout of the ranch. This could include all the buildings, the weather station, creeks, sightings of mountain lions or big-horned sheep, things Holly and

Jim mention in their journal, etc. Can Lorraine Ashland do these two maps for us? I will talk with her just after New Year's.

Particular photos I'd like to obtain: Holly sitting outside the cabin using her telescope to watch sheep (this is Jane's photo);

other photos of Holly, Jim, Ed Krumpe, researchers who use the facility, etc.

photos of the petroglyphs on the rocks and of the archaeologist working in the field;

the buildings and airstrip in different seasons;

the weather station;

other researchers working in the field;

inside views of cabins, especially with people working. some mood shots;

wildlife, including any pet squirrels or local animals that hang around the ranch;

the mules used to cut hay; hay cutting operation;

other domestic animals on the farm;

everyday life at the ranch;

the plane used to get in and out.

I will try to keep in touch with everyone on this project. If you have any questions, problems, ideas, suggestions or excess enthusiasm, call me. 5-8944 or 5-6291.

Photo of historic memorabilia