

Boots, Buckets, and Chickens

Grab your boots, grab a bucket,
and do your part to help preserve
the Lesser Prairie Chicken!

The Selman Ranch, Harper County, Oklahoma.

The Weekend of April 5, 2008



Join the Oklahoma Audubon Council for an exciting celebration of northwest Oklahoma birding, while we recognize our state's first IBA (Important Bird Area) and help preserve the threatened Lesser Prairie Chicken. Saturday and Sunday mornings will be opportunities to view the chickens from the blinds at the ranch, and that afternoon you can contribute to their protection by helping to mark fences—a very simple procedure anyone of any age can participate in. The Selman Ranch was recently selected as Oklahoma's first IBA, and we will have a public presentation to Sue Selman.

Limited lodging is available at The Selman Ranch guest house, for \$20/person per night. You may camp on the ranch for free. There are also numerous motels available in Woodward, about 45 minutes from the ranch. You can also enjoy Sue's home-cooked meals. Breakfast/Brunch is \$7.00 and Dinner is \$12.00. Visit www.selmanguestranch.com to learn more about the ranch.

Schedule

Fri. 4th: Arrival in the evening, Meet and Greet at 6:00 pm-8:00 pm

Sat. 5th: 5:00 am-Departure for LPCH leks

10:00 am - Return from leks for brunch

12:30 pm - IBA Presentation to Sue Selman

2:00-5:00 pm - Fence marking fun (bring along binocs!)

6:00 pm - Dinner

7:30 pm - "Ecology and Status of the Lesser Prairie-Chicken"

by Dr. Dwayne Elmore (*please bring a lawn chair*)

Sun. 6th: 5:00 am – Departure for LPCH Leks

10:00 am – Return from leks for Brunch

10:30 am – Guided bird tour of the ranch by Eric Beck

Please check www.okaudubon.org for the latest details!

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Registration

Name(s): _____

Address: _____

Phone(s): Home: _____ Cell: _____

Email: _____

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Registration - This event is free, but if you would like to make a donation to help cover our expenses and support the IBA program, it would be most welcome!

Lesser Prairie Chicken viewing preference:

There is obviously limited space in the blinds. If Saturday becomes filled (based on receipt of registration) you will be moved to Sunday.

Nbrs of persons: ____ Sat ____ Sun

_____ I would like to request the Selman Guest Ranch

Number of beds is very limited and will be filled based on receipt of registration. We will notify you if no further beds are available.

Friday Night (\$20/person) _____

Saturday Night (\$20/person) _____

_____ I will be camping at the Selman Ranch (Free)

_____ I will be making my own lodging arrangements

Yogurt, fruit and cereal will be available prior the visiting the blinds, with a full brunch upon return, or for those not at the blinds.

Saturday Brunch (\$7.00/person) _____

Saturday Dinner (\$12.00/person) _____

Sunday Brunch (\$7.00/person) _____

Grand Total _____

(If you selected lodging at the Selman Guest Ranch, please do not send payment until you have received confirmation of availability)

Mail to Registration and payment to:

Oklahoma Audubon Council

c/o John Kennington

11224 S. 83 E. Ave.

Bixby, OK 74008

Make check payable to the Selman Ranch