



Thursday, January 11, 2024

4:00 – 6:00 p.m. Thursday Night Arrivals/ Pre-Symposium Session Registration Check-in at YMCA Blue Ridge Assembly – *Blue Ridge Center Lobby*

6:00 Dinner – *Blue Ridge Center Dining Hall*

Evening Free Time

Friday, January 12, 2024

8:00 a.m. Breakfast for Thursday Night Lodging Package – *Blue Ridge Center Dining Room*

8:00 a.m. – 9:00 a.m. Pre-Symposium Session Registration Check-in at YMCA Blue Ridge Assembly – *Blue Ridge Center Lobby*

9:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m. Pre-Symposium Session “Integrating Outdoor Education and Formal Schooling” facilitated by Dr. Jim Sibthorp, University of Utah & Dr. Laurie Browne, American Camp Association

12:00 – 2:00 p.m. Symposium Registration Check-in at YMCA Blue Ridge Assembly – *Blue Ridge Center Lobby*

2:00 Meet and Greet – *Blue Ridge Center Region Room*

2:40 Opening Session – *Blue Ridge Center Region Room*
 Welcome
 Land Acknowledgement
 Site Logistics
 Symposium Overview

3:00 Panel Discussion: Trends in Outdoor Education Research

4:00 Research Presentation Session I– *Blue Ridge Center Region Room*

6:00 Dinner – *Blue Ridge Center Dining Hall*

7:30 Issues and Challenges in Outdoor Education Research: Setting our Agendas at CEO – *Blue Ridge Center Region Room* (CEO Research Committee)

8:00 Evening Social – *Blue Ridge Center Robertson Room* (*The Friday Night Social will include hors d'oeuvres, beer, wine and soda*)

Saturday, January 13, 2024

8:00 a.m. Breakfast – *Blue Ridge Center Dining Room*

8:40 Research Presentation Session II – *Blue Ridge Center Region Room*

10:35 Refreshment Break – *Blue Ridge Center Hallway Outside Region Room*

Saturday, January 13, 2024 (continued)

10:45 Research Presentation Session III – *Blue Ridge Center Region Room*

12:30 p.m. Lunch, Breakout Groups, and Free Time – *Blue Ridge Center Dining Hall*

CEO Research Committee – please meet in the Robertson Room for lunch.

1:55 Research Presentation Session IV– *Blue Ridge Center Region Room*

3:50 Group Photo – *Outside Blue Ridge Center*

4:00 Refreshment Break – *Blue Ridge Center Hallway Outside Region Room*

4:15 Research Presentation Session V– *Blue Ridge Center Region Room*

6:00 Dinner – *Blue Ridge Center Dining Hall*

7:15 Poster Session and Raffle Drawings – *Blue Ridge Center Region Room*

8:15 About *Journal of Outdoor Recreation, Education and Leadership (JOREL) CEO Special Issue*

8:20 Symposium Summary and Evaluation

8:30 Evening Social – *Blue Ridge Center Lobby and Outdoor Spaces*
The Saturday Night Social will include live music, hors d'oeuvres, beer, wine and soda. (Symposium attendees can continue to enjoy the Blue Ridge Center lobby and the campfires outside the Center.)

Sunday, January 14, 2024

7:00 – 9:00 a.m. Continental Breakfast – *Blue Ridge Center Lobby*

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