



SEPTEMBER 26, 2014
APPLEGATE TRAIL FIELD TRIP
AGENDA



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Morning Field Trip to Applegate Trail:

**1. Harris Donation Land Claim (DLC) and 2. Sexton Mt. Pass
Josephine County, Oregon**

NPS, & Hugo Emigrant Trails Committee (HETC)

Hugo Neighborhood Association & History Society (HuNAHS)

Participants: Hugo Emigrant Trails Committee Members & Lynne L. Mager, National Park Service. Glad you can join us for our outing on the Applegate Trail (Trail). Below you will find information that may be of interest to you:

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Date, Time, Place: Friday, September 26, 2014, 8:00 a.m. – noon, field trip for Lynne Mager, NPS, meet at East I-5 Manzanita Rest Area/Harris Site and travel to Sexton Mt. Pass.

Trip Leaders: Leta Neiderheiser and Mike Walker, Members, HETC

Attention for all who are going on the morning September 26, 2014 outing.

We will start the day at the East I-5 Manzanita Rest Area, north of Grants Pass

8:00 a.m. - 8:30 a.m. Presentations/Orientation

Introduction - Leta Neiderheiser

Application of OCTA MET Manual – Mike Walker & HETC

Field Trip Sites Along Applegate Trail Guided by Mike Walker & HETC

9:30 a.m. - 10:00 a.m. Harris Cabin Site

10:01 a.m. - Noon. Sexton Mt. Pass.

Tour Trail Sites (see map):

- *Harris Creek Ford of Trail on ODOT managed land.*
- *Harris Family Cabin location along the Trail where Mary Harris lost her husband, son and a hired hand during 1855 Rogue River Indian War.*
- *1846 site at Grave Creek where Martha Leland Crowley was buried*
- *Approximate 1846 location of where the emigrants encamped for the night on the north side of Mt. Sexton where Martha Leland Crowley died of Typhoid Fever.*

- *Trail traces at South Rat creek in north Grave Creek hills*
- *310' segment of the Trail on Mt. Sexton Summit improved as a military road by Major Alvord in 1853.*

You may need water; you will need good walking shoes for a.m. field trip.

For more information on the days outing go to the Hugo Neighborhood web page for sites along the Applegate Trail: <http://www.hugoneighborhood.org/inventorybrochures.htm>, and <http://www.hugoneighborhood.org/applegatetrailfords.htm> for additional information on fords of the Applegate Trail.

Diaries, Journals & Letters are at <http://www.hugoneighborhood.org/diaries.htm>. Information on the application of OCTA's MET Manual, including use of General Land Office (GLO),

Donation Land Claim (DLC), and County Surveys are covered at: <http://www.hugoneighborhood.org/applegat.htm> and <http://www.hugoneighborhood.org/inventorybrochures.htm>

Brochures that might be of special interest:

- *Applegate Trail's Open Valleys & Wagon Routes in Hugo Region: 1846-1847*
- *JR Ford No. 4: Harris Creek Ford*
- *32 B of Applegate Trail GLO Surveys*
- *JR Ford No. 1: Rogue River's Pierce Riffle Ford*
- *IV Ford No. 1: Rogue River's Vannoy Creek Ford Brochure 13A and diary entries for Ford 13 B*
- *IV-H-6: Haines House of Applegate Trail*
- *JR of Applegate Trail: Old Stage Road (JA-16)*
- *JR-18B – Applegate Trail Mt. Sexton*

NPS Packet

1. Two brochures for each three *Trail* sites: 1. Harris, 2. Sexton Mt. Pass, and 3. Fort Vannoy.
2. *Applegate Trail Signage Project* Document, including the following packets.

- CHAPTER IV: *Applegate Trail Signage Project* Recommended Text Alternatives, and Web Address
- Applegate Trail Resources.
- Maps
- Photographs: I OF II
- Photographs: II OF III
- Photographs: III OF III
- Aerial Photographs

Members: Hugo Emigrant Trails Committee

Black, Bob; Boling, Jean; Drake, Malcolm; Ford, Jim; Ford, Rene; McStravog, Larry; Rarey, Berneata; Rarey, Kelly; Rose, Karen; McKy, Janet; Neiderheiser, Joe; Neiderheiser, Leta; Walker, Mike; & Wytcherley, Chris.

FIELD TRIP RESOURCES

Applegate Trail Field Trips

<http://hugoneighborhood.org/fieldtrips.htm>

2014

September 25 - 26, 2014 National Park Service Field Trips

September 25, 2014

- . Agenda
- . Agenda Web Resources for North Mt. Sexton Pass Area
- . Minutes

Morning September 26, 2014: Trail at Harris DLC & Grave Creek Hills Pass

I-5 Manzanita Rest Area Interpretive Signage

- . Applegate Trail: 1846 - 1883
- . Harris Cabin: Donation Land Claim On Applegate Trail
- . Lowland Takelma First Citizens

Mt. Sexton Pass & Applegate Trail Crossing Signage

- . Applegate Trail At Mt. Sexton Pass: 1846 - 1883
- . Grave Creek Hills Pass
- . Lowland Takelma Indian Trail & Rock Old Woman At Pass

. Sept 26 Trip Resources

. Lowland Takelma Indian References & Resources

Hugo Native American Team, Hugo Neighborhood Association & Historical Society

http://www.hugoneighborhood.org/BROCHURE_NA1B_Hugo_Native_American_Team_041912.pdf

Hugo Native American Program

Hugo Neighborhood Association & Historical Society

http://www.hugoneighborhood.org/Hugo_Native_American_Program.htm

. Points of Interest (POIs) for Applegate Trail (Trail)

<http://www.hugoneighborhood.org/inventorybrochures.htm>

. Applegate Trail at Harris Cabin & Donation Land Claim

Brochure 8. Harris Road 1 (Rest Area), Trail Site JA-4A

Brochure 32B. Harris House, Trail Site JA-H2AA

. Applegate Trail at Grave Creek Hills Pass

Brochure 18B. Applegate Trail: Mt. Sexton Pass, Trail Site JA-14B

Brochure 19A. South Rat Creek, Trail Site JA-15A

. September 2014 Paper: Applegate Trail Signage Project For Harris DLC & Grave Creek Hills Pass

. September 2014 Paper: Maps

. September 2014 Paper: Photographs I of III

. September 2014 Paper: Photographs II of III

. September 2014 Paper: Photographs III of III

. September 2014 Paper: Aerial Photographs I

. Educational Resources For Applegate Trail: North Mt. Sexton Pass Area
http://www.hugoneighborhood.org/miscellaneous_research_papers_and_documents.htm

2013

December 2, 2013 Field Trip Minutes, Saturday – Field Trip to JA-14 Starting at Mt. Sexton Pass and Traveling South on the West Side of I-5

2012

. January 19, 2012 Field Trip Minutes of Sexton Pass/1060' Trial Section Field Trip
. August 2, 2012 & August 22, 2012 Minutes of Field Trips to JA-17B Grave Creek Road and Photos

2011

. August 11, 2011 Minutes of Field Trip To Jacksonville Road Of Applegate Trail: Harris Road 3 (Pond) JA-6A
. August 11, 2011 Minutes of Field Trip To Jacksonville Road Of Applegate Trail: Harris Road 4 (Office) JA-7A
. August 15, 2011 Hugo Neighborhood Association & Historical Society & Josephine County Historical Society. Mondays Make History. *Mapping and Marking The Applegate Trail. Part 1 of 2*. The Grants Pass Daily Courier. Grants Pass, OR.
. August 22, 2011 Hugo Neighborhood Association & Historical Society & Josephine County Historical Society. Mondays Make History. *Conclusion of Mapping and Marking The Applegate Trail*. The Grants Pass Daily Courier. Grants Pass, OR.

2010

. February 5, 2010 JA-15 South Rat Creek & JA-16 Old Stage Road
. March 18, 2010 JA-16 Old Stage Road