



Spring Regional 2018
Information Flyer
May 11th -13th 2018

“Butterflies in the Mountains”

Guest Speaker Rick Tasco
of
Superstition Iris Gardens

This will be an opportunity for Region 14 folks to visit irises blooming at a higher elevation, around 3,000 ft. Due to the fact the bloom season is later, the Spring Regional is scheduled for a later date than our usual meetings.

Also, we are competing with the beginning of the Yosemite traffic tourist season, thus requiring some 'out of the box' thinking about the hotels and event meeting place. This is going to be a 'down home' event in the Sierra Foothills of Yosemite and the Region is hosting with the assistance of San Joaquin Iris Society. SJIS will also be organizing the lunch in Kanarowski's garden. An AIS sanctioned show will be hosted by Yosemite Iris Society. The registration fee has not been set, but we wanted you to have information about the hotels available in the area, so you can make reservations as soon as possible. There will be no meeting hotel, but all activities will take place at the Bootjack Stompers Hall. There are other hotels in addition to those mentioned in Mariposa, and it will be up to you to choose where you want to stay. Mariposa is approximately 40 minutes from Merced, where you can find other hotels which may be more reasonable. Here are the details that are available at this time:

Kathy Braaten is chairing the event if you have any questions please feel free to call 530 477-2811 or e-mail katbrat@cebridge.net

Registration fee and registrar TBA

IRIS Spring Regional; Friday/Sunday MAY 11,12,13, 2018

* Discount hotel room rates; Good until April 10, 2018;

No rooms will be blocked nor held at this time.

Guests are encouraged to call immediately to make the reservations.

Cancellation Policy is 48 Hours prior to arrival at no charge.

Less than 48 hours will cost at least the first night's charge.

You may forward this email to your guests for their information.

***BEST WESTERN Plus- Yosemite Way Station**, 78 rooms located at south end of Mariposa, CA.

External halls, 3 floors, 1st and 2nd floor accessible without stairs, Iron, Hair Dryer,

Microwave, Refrig. and Coffee in room; Breakfast included FREE.

Full Hot American Breakfast- Waffles, eggs, sausage, cereals, breads, pastries,

coffee, tea, milk, juices, etc. Free WiFi, Free Parking; Laundry facilities

Seasonal swimming pool. Exercise Room, Close to shops and Restaurants-Pet Friendly extra fee

4999 Hwy 140, P. O. Box 1299, Mariposa, CA. 95338

Telephone: (209)966-7545 FAX: (209) 966-6353

Email: info@yosemitebestwestern.com

www.yosemitebestwestern.com

RATE: \$ 174.00 QQ 2 People (+\$10. Additional persons)

Good till April 10, 2018; After, April 10, 2018 rate is \$ 199.49

***MONARCH INN**, 47 rooms located in the center of Mariposa, CA.

Internal halls, 4 floors, Elevator/Lift, Microwave, Refrig. and Coffee in room;

Expanded Continental Breakfast included. Free WiFi, Free Parking;

Seasonal swimming pool. Close to shops and Restaurants-No pets

5059 Hwy 140, P. O. Box 2193, Mariposa, CA. 95338

Telephone: (209)966-4288 FAX: (209) 966-4788

Email: info@monarchinn.com

www.monarchinn.com

RATE: \$ 154.00 QQ 2 People (+ \$10. Additional persons)

Good till April 10, 2018; After April 10, 2018 rate is \$ 179.49

Other Hotels:

MARIPOSA LODGE, 44 units located in the center of Mariposa 7 buildings, 1-2 story no elevator.

Exterior halls. Outdoor pool, hot tub, Microwave, mini refrig, coffee in room, iron,

hairdryer. Pet friendly extra fee.

5052 Hwy 140 Mariposa, CA Telephone 209-966-3607 Toll Free 1-800-966-8819

Rate not set until January 2018—Call for rate

Restful Nest B & B 4274 Buckeye Creek Rd Mariposa CA 1-800-664-7127 **Call for rate**

Comfort Inn 4994 Bullion St Mariposa CA 209-966-4344 **Call for rate**

Use Trip Advisor to check remarks on hotels:

https://www.tripadvisor.com/Hotels-g32685-Mariposa_California-Hotels.html

Meeting Hall:

Bootjack Stompers Hall

4462 Mormon Bar Crossing, Mariposa

Gardens:

Kanarowski Garden

6147 Smither Rd

Mariposa

Travel Times:

Hotels to Hall

2-3 Minutes

Hall to Kanarowski's Garden

20 Minutes

Collings Garden

50858 Road 632

Kanarowski's to Colling's Garden 37 Minutes
Colling's Garden to Hotel 39 Minutes

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