



Black Swamp Bird Observatory

Cordially invites you to attend our
17th Annual Banquet Celebration Weekend

September 17, 18, & 19, 2010
Port Clinton, Ohio



Saturday Evening, September 18, 5 p.m. - 10 p.m.

Banquet Celebration

Knights of Columbus Hall

109 E. Perry Street, Port Clinton, Ohio 43452

Book Signing, Silent Auction, Cash Bar & Buffet, featuring delicious local foods - including Chicken, Beef, & Vegetarian Entrees

Keynote Presentation, 8 p.m.

"Mariposa Road: The First Butterfly Big Year"

Presented by Robert Michael Pyle

We are extremely proud to feature Robert Michael Pyle as our keynote speaker. Widely hailed as "the father of butterfly-watching," Pyle founded the Xerces Society for Invertebrate Conservation, began the summer butterfly counts that have become so popular, and wrote the first true field guide to butterflies of North America. However, he is better known as a superb general naturalist and one of the world's finest nature writers. Author of more than a dozen books and hundreds of magazine essays, he has won legions of readers with his astute observations and lyrical prose style, and he excels as a master story teller in person as well. Bob's newest book, *Mariposa Road*, will be hot off the presses in September—please join us and be among the first to hear of his adventures in travel!

Friday Evening, September 17, 8 p.m.

Sugaring for Moths with the Ohio Lepidopterists Society

Black Swamp Bird Observatory

13551 W State Route 2, Oak Harbor, Ohio

Using a mysterious sugary sweet concoction and blacklights, we will lure in moths and other nocturnal insects for close views. Bring your camera! If it should rain, we will move indoors and Kenn Kaufman will present: ***"The Magic of Moths and Other Nighttime Flyers"***.

Saturday Morning, September 18, 10 a.m.

Shorebird ID Workshop and Education Fundraiser

OurGuest Inn & Suites

Presented by Kenn Kaufman

220 E. Perry Street, Port Clinton, Ohio

BSBO is proud to offer this amazing opportunity to learn from one of the country's leading bird experts! Kenn will take us step-by-step through the process of identifying those tricky—but spectacular—shorebirds. This workshop is for birders of all skill levels. Kenn has graciously donated his time, so all proceeds benefit BSBO's education programs.

Sunday Morning, September 19

8:30 a.m. - 11 a.m.

Guided Bird & Butterfly Walk

Kitty Todd Preserve

Located in western Lucas County north of Old State Line Road

Leaders: Robert Michael Pyle, Kenn Kaufman, and members of the Ohio Lepidopterists Society and the Toledo Naturalists' Association

The weekend finale is a guided bird and butterfly walk at the Kitty Todd Preserve of The Nature Conservancy. This is an opportunity to spend the morning in a unique natural habitat with some of the country's leading butterfly and bird experts. With forests, thickets, sedge meadows and remnant prairies, this sanctuary is noted for its butterfly diversity.

Room Reservations

A block of rooms will be held at OurGuest Inn & Suites, 220 E. Perry Street, Port Clinton, Ohio for **\$49.99** plus tax per night, double or single occupancy. For reservations call 419 734-7111.

*Registration form on the reverse side or you can register on-line at www.bsbobird.org
Registration deadline is Friday, September 10, 2010*

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Saturday, September 18, at 10 a.m. – Kenn Kaufman Shorebird ID Workshop at OurGuest Inn & Suites
Saturday, September 18, at 5 p.m. – Banquet, Cash Bar, Silent Auction, Book Signing & Keynote
Sunday, September 19, at 8:30 a.m. – Bird & Butterfly Guided Walk at Resthaven Wildlife Area

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Call 419 734-7111 or visit www.bsbobird.org for our other Birds & Business Alliance member listings

ANNUAL BANQUET CELEBRATION REGISTRATION

	NUMBER OF GUESTS ATTENDING	X	PRICE		TOTAL
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**ALL INCLUSIVE:
(Includes Sugaring for Moths, Shorebird ID Workshop, Banquet & Keynote, & Bird & Butterfly Walk)**

A. Members - All Inclusive		X	\$65.00	=	
B. Non-members - All inclusive		X	\$80.00	=	
C. Student - All inclusive (18 yrs old and younger)		X	\$40.00	=	

PERSON #1: For All Inclusive selection. Will attend: Fri. evening Sugaring for Moths Sun. morning Bird & Butterfly Walk

PERSON #2: For All Inclusive selection. Will attend: Fri. evening Sugaring for Moths Sun. morning Bird & Butterfly Walk

BANQUET:

D. Banquet & Keynote only		X	\$45.00	=	
E. Student – Banquet & Keynote only (18 yrs old and younger)		X	\$30.00	=	

KENN KAUFMAN SHOREBIRD ID WORKSHOP ONLY:

F. Kenn Kaufman Shorebird ID Workshop only		X	\$25.00	=	
G. Student – Kenn Kaufman Shorebird ID Workshop only (18 yrs old and younger)		X	\$15.00	=	

TOTAL

ANNUAL FUND DONATION

TOTAL ENCLOSED

Name: _____

Address: _____

City/State/Zip: _____

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RSVP by Friday, September 10, 2010

Mail in with your check payable to BSBO to:
**Black Swamp Bird Observatory
13551 W. State Route 2
Oak Harbor, Ohio 43449**

For questions call 419 898-4070