

Marbled Murrelet Ecology & Survey 2023



Enjoy an overnight trip to spectacular Cape Perpetua and get a rare opportunity to see this endangered bird in both its old-growth forest nesting grounds or in nearshore waters. Surveys will be led by OSU Marbled Murrelet expert Kim Nelson and Paul Engelmeyer of Portland Audubon & manager of Audubon's Ten Mile Creek Sanctuary.

This project helps keep track of murrelet use of Oregon's central coast habitats while also building support as we continue our decades-long fight for this imperiled species' survival.



Please RSVP here: https://goo.gl/forms/KgY1ESmcep91uQ8I3.

Contact Paul Engelmeyer at 541-547-4227 or pengelmeyer@peak.org for more information.

When: July 18 & 19

Where: Cape Perpetua area

Schedule:

Day 1: Ecology talk at 6:30pm at the Yachats Commons (1555 Hwy 101, Yachats). Survey site maps distributed.

Day 2: Morning survey at forest sites – starting before sunrise and ending 2hrs later. Nearshore surveys begin at 9am.

How to prepare: Bring binoculars. Some sites do not require hiking while others require a more adventurous hike before dawn.

<u>Places to stay</u>: Camping is available at numerous campgrounds in the area:

http://www.fs.fed.us/r6/siuslaw/recreation/tripplanning/newpflor/index.shtml

http://oregonstateparks.org/index.cfm? do=reserve.dsp_cabinsyurts

Yachats accommodations:

http://www.oceanhaven.com/ www.ocean-odyssey.com/ https://goyachats.com/