

The California PHENOLOGY Project

Using Phenology to detect plant responses to climate change



Join professional scientists, educators, citizen scientists, and nature enthusiasts at the John Muir National Historic Site, in Martinez, California.

Thursday July 19th (6-7:30pm) and Friday July 20th (9-12:00pm)

CPP Website:

www.usanpn.org/cpp
Please explore the site prior to events

Free to the Public
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Facilitators:

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Thursday Evening Presentation 6pm-7:30pm

- One hour presentation followed by questions and answer session
- What is phenology? Why monitor phenology?
- The link between climate change and phenology
- Introduction to the California Phenology Project (CPP) and the USA National Phenology Network (USA-NPN)

Friday Morning Workshop 8:45am-12 Noon

- Presentation, hands-on practice monitoring plant phenology, and discussion
- Brief introduction to the study of phenology, the link between climate change and phenology, and the California Phenology Project at John Muir NHS
- How to monitor phenology using the USA National Phenology Network protocols
- Demonstration of Nature's Notebook: the user-friendly USA-NPN interface for contributing phenological data
- Discussion: how to get involved in the CPP effort, on your own or at John Muir NHS

Directions to John Muir NHS: Visit <http://www.nps.gov/jomu/planyourvisit/index.htm> or call 925-228-8860 for more information.

