



EXPLORE THE ROGUE
Vireos and Vegetated Soil Lifts on Little Butte Creek

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Description: Join an expert birder, Bob Hunter (RRWC), and two stream habitat restoration specialists, Jay Doino (Trout Unlimited) and Brian Barr (RRWC) on a 3-hour hike along the lower reaches of Little Butte Creek on the Denman Wildlife Area (near White City). See and hear neo-tropical migrant birds in the extensive streamside forest and explore a recently restored stream channel that addressed a straightened and diked stretch of Little Butte Creek.

Getting there: Carpooling to the site is highly encouraged as a parking pass (available from ODFW) is needed to park at the trailhead. Carpool meet up will be in Central Point at 8:15. Alternatively, meet us in the Coastal Farm and Hardware parking lot at 8:50 or the trailhead (just north of where Agate Road crosses Little Butte Creek in a gravel parking area) at 9:00.

Cost: none, but we encourage a donation of \$20; the donation can be made at the time of registration or the day of the hike.

Schedule of hike: We plan to be hiking by 9:15 and will be back to the trailhead by 12:30. Expect to be back to the RRWC office by 1:30. Bring lunch or a substantial snack and plenty of water.

What to bring: hiking boots, long-sleeved, loose-fitting shirt, long pants, sunscreen and a sun hat, plenty of water, a substantial snack, binoculars if you've got 'em.

Carpoolers: Meet at RRWC office (89 Alder Street) at 8:15. From I-5 exit 33, turn west on Pine Street. Take Pine Street to Highway 99. Turn left on Highway 99 and left again on Alder Street. There is street-side parking along Alder and along 1st Street. Do not plan to caravan to the site unless you have an ODFW Wildlife Area Parking Pass (available from ODFW). Parking at the trailhead is limited

Alternative meeting spots: Meet at 8:50 in the parking lot of Coastal Farm and Ranch (7303 Crater Lake Highway in White City). We can either caravan or carpool from that location to the trailhead. Do not plan to caravan unless you have an ODFW Wildlife Area Parking Pass (available from ODFW). Parking at the trailhead is limited.

Another alternate meeting spot (only if you have an ODFW Wildlife Area parking pass) is the trailhead at 9:00, just north of where Agate Road crosses Little Butte Creek.