

**Colorado Section - Society for Range Management
WORKSHOP & SUMMER TOUR
June 20, 2019 - 8:30 AM
Wray, CO
LandPKS Training & Stults Ranch**

Directions to Stults Ranch: From Wray, travel 13 miles south on highway 385 to the gate just north of the bridge over the Black Wolf. Turn west into the trail-road and park. The gate will have bright flagging tape.

Stults Ranch: Gregg's Great Grandad homesteaded the original property in 1886. They always strive to do the 'right' thing - A thing is "right" when it tends to preserve the integrity, stability and beauty of the biotic community. We will visit the Black Wolf property, with a small stream, a very active beaver population, thriving riparian community and recently, a bison herd. The Colorado Section-Society for Range Management and Stults Ranch are pleased to provide this learning opportunity.

Land PKS Workshop registration begins at 7:30 AM, Wray Town Hall

Stults Ranch tour starts at 1:30 PM & concludes at 4:00 PM

For additional information contact the summer tour planning committee:

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Registration Cost = \$5 for students and \$15 for all others (Includes Lunch)

**Please complete the form below and send with payment by June 17th to:
Yuma County Conservation District, 247 N. Clay St. Wray, CO 80758**

Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone Number: _____

Email Address: _____

Number Attending: _____

Total Payment: _____

(See next page for lodging, CSSRM BOD meeting, and LandPKS information)

Lodging in Wray

Cobblestone Inn & Suites
35952 US Highway 385, Wray, CO 80758
Phone: (970) 332-5000
\$114 commercial
\$87 Gov't

Butte Motel
330 E 3rd St, Wray, CO 80758
Phone: (970) 332-4828
\$57/night

Sandhillier Motel
411 W North Railway St, Wray, CO 80758
Phone: (970) 332-4134
\$57/night

The Colorado Section Board of Directors meeting information:

When: June 19th

Time: 6-8 p.m.

***Location: Wray USDA Service Center
247 North Clay Street***

LandPKS Training Workshop

Wray Town Hall 'Round House'

Blake Street, 1 block S of Hwy 34/3rd Street

LandPKS (Land-Potential Knowledge System) is a free mobile app that includes the following functions: (1) guided soil profile description that is used by embedded algorithms to (2) predict the soil and ecological site and (3) link to basic ecological site information in EDIT (Ecological Data Interpretation Tool). EDIT provides (4) the ability to independently identify ecological sites using embedded keys, (5) the information formerly available through ESIS in a much more user-friendly and interactive format, and (6) tools for entering and updating ecological site information. LandPKS also includes a "LandCover" module that allows landowners and managers to (7) collect vegetation cover data compatible with the data collected by NRCS and BLM, and (8) automatically calculates indicators and backs up the data in the cloud.