

Greetings,

November 22, 2010

This email will confirm that **you can now book your plane tickets** for the February 19-26, 2010 *Monarch Teacher Network* trip to explore California's monarch sanctuaries, old-growth forests and migrations.

Brian Hayes and I (Group Leaders) will meet you at the hotel at 6 PM on Saturday (Feb 19). We will already be in San Francisco leading a group of students and parents the week of February 12-19.

When you do book your plane tickets, please plan to be at the **Radisson Hotel Fisherman's Wharf** 250 Beach Street in the Fisherman's Wharf section of San Francisco by 6 PM on Saturday, February 19... to meet the Group Leaders and other members of your group. We strongly **recommend you arrive as early as possible that day** so you have time to explore the well-known Fisherman's Wharf area. We will be staying at the Radisson our first and last two nights of the trip. Our group will leave San Francisco by tour bus the next morning (Sunday, Feb 20) and head south.

Attached to this email message is a map of the area near our arrival hotel. We will forward more information about our trip itinerary, hotel contact information, and suggested readings by email in the weeks to come. Here are two shuttles to get you from the airport to the hotel: Super Shuttle - \$26 round trip ([www.shuttlefare.com](http://www.shuttlefare.com) or 877.300.4826) or Airport Express - \$30 round trip ([www.airportexpresssf.com](http://www.airportexpresssf.com) or 415.775.5121) per person. Meanwhile if you have questions, contact either Erik or Brian at [erikm@eirc.org](mailto:erikm@eirc.org) or [bhayes@eirc.org](mailto:bhayes@eirc.org) 856-582-7000 x128 or 110

**Once you buy your plane tickets, it is very important that you email us your flight information** so we know when and where to expect your arrival and departure. Please tell us what airport you are flying out of, the airline, flight numbers, and arrival and departure times. Include connecting flight information if your flight is indirect. Email that information to [kpasquariello@eirc.org](mailto:kpasquariello@eirc.org) and [bhayes@eirc.org](mailto:bhayes@eirc.org).

Please monitor the weather in your local area in the days before your departure; if a storm is imminent you may want to reschedule the flight and leave a day early.

If you would like to spend some additional time in San Francisco (adding nights on the front or the back end of the trip) we can book the extra nights for you at the Radisson Hotel and you will get our same group rate but it must be booked through us.

Finally, if you have special physical or dietary needs that we should be aware of, please let us know now. Hotel accommodations for this trip are based on double occupancy (2 people per room). If you would like a single room please let us know. The cost for a single room (single supplement) is an additional \$350 for the trip (all nights lodging).

Sincerely,

Erik Mollenhauer, Director  
Monarch Teacher Network