Coming to the West Coast Dowsing Conference — KEEP this information!

PLEASE NOTE: We are at a NEW CAMPUS SITE this year. We are returning to College VIII, now called Rachel Carson College.

DIRECTIONS: The campus is northwest of Santa Cruz.

- From Route 17, take Route 1 north (Mission St.) to Bay St. and turn RIGHT...
- From Route 1 south (Mission St.), turn LEFT on Bay...
- Take Bay St. up to the campus entrance at High St.
- Go LEFT on High Street/Empire Grade about a mile, and
- Turn Right into the campus on Heller Dr at the little guard house. Look for Oakes College signs or "Dowsers." After you have turned onto the campus (Heller Dr.)-
- Turn RIGHT at Oakes Rd (Sign may read Oakes College) and LEFT into large parking lot 162 below Rachel Carson College. Follow signs up the hill or stairs to Dowsers' Registration.

https://maps.ucsc.edu/printable-maps/Campus-Map-Poster.pdf

ARRIVAL INSTRUCTIONS – REGISTRATION and PARKING

- Please allow at least an hour to register and get your parking permit.
- Park at metered parking in Lot 162 until you have obtained your parking permit. When you have your permit, move your car to CONFERENCE PARKING in Lot 162.

If you arrive on Thursday or Friday 2–4 p.m., or Saturday 8–10 a.m., there will be shuttle service from the parking lot (or you can walk up the hill) to Dowsers' Registration. Baggage assistance to your room will be available at these times, if needed. Shuttle service will be limited to the times listed above.

• OFFICE HOURS – The Dowsers' Registration office is open Thurs., July 4th from 2 to 6 p.m. and July 5 from 8 a.m. to Noon and 1 p.m. to 6 p.m. From July 6th through July 7th, the office will be open from 8 a.m. to Noon. The office will be open on Mon., July 8th from 8 a.m. to 1 p.m., which is check-out time for on-campus lodging unless other arrangements have been made. Luggage may be stored in the Registration Office on that day if you are taking an afternoon workshop.

ARRIVALS AT OTHER TIMES OF DAY - SEP

- You need to park at a meter in the lot. Leave your luggage and follow the signs to Dowsers' Registration.
- Register or check in and get your name tag.
- Get your parking permit and room keys at the UCSC Conference office. (If you are staying on campus, the parking fee is included.) If you are commuting, you must pay for parking permits on the days you are there.

EVENING ARRIVALS: Please try to arrive before 7:30 p.m. Before 8 p.m., go to the UCSC Conference Office (see map on other side). If you must arrive after 8 p.m., **call well beforehand for instructions**: **978-496-8599**. From 8 p.m. to 2 a.m., the campus CSO (831-459-2100) can let you into your room but cannot provide keys. **IMPORTANT**: If you arrive after 2 a.m., we will be unable to house you that night, and you will have to seek your own accommodations in town.

PARKING

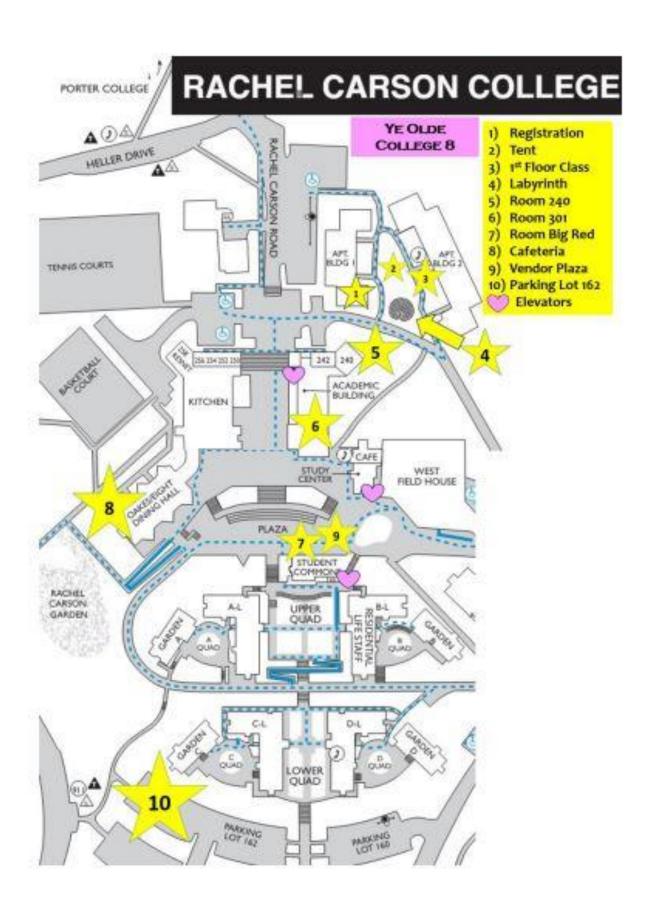
- Display your permit in your car and move it to a lot with a "CONFERENCE PARKING" sign (circled on the photo).
- Park only in lots with a small "CONFERENCE PARKING" square on the sign. Rules are strictly enforced. A parking permit is required everywhere on campus. The Conference cannot be responsible for parking tickets.

We have been told that **COMMUTER** Conference attendees will need a parking permit **every day** – get one when you check in. The cost is \$15 per day.

SPECIAL PARKING PERMITS: RVs / CAMPERS – Vehicles longer than a standard automobile will require an additional permit from the campus police. <u>These may not be used as lodging on campus</u>. The police may verify that RVs are not being used as lodging. • For permit information, call 831-459-1097.

BAGGAGE: If you need help with your baggage, come to Dowsers' Registration for assistance.

SALES TABLES, BOOKS AND TOOLS: There is a wide selection of dowsing tools, books, and other interesting things for sale by our presenters in our open-air marketplace.



COMING BY AIR: San Francisco airport (SFO) is 70 miles from Santa Cruz. Please <u>allow at least</u> 3 hours from your expected arrival time. Driving time is 1 to 2 hours, depending on traffic. From SJC, (San Jose) driving time is 45 minutes to an hour or more.

COMING BY BUS: Greyhound's main number is 800-231-2222. In Santa Cruz, call Greyhound at 831-423-1800.

LOCAL TRANSPORTATION: For transport to the University contact Santa Cruz Metro at 831-425-8600 for information on travel to the UCSC entrance. For Shuttle buses on campus, search online for taps.ucsc. Shuttles on campus are very limited during Summer break and do not run at all on weekends and holidays.

SCHOOL ATTENDEES: Please allow about an hour to park and register for School. Bring a hat and sunscreen, as some of the schools and presentations are outdoors. Wear your name tag. Your School registration also entitles you to the evening's introduction of speakers and their brief presentation descriptions, as well as Hospitality, which follows evening events.

CLIMATE AND CLOTHING: Daytime temperatures are usually 70° to 80° F after the morning fog burns off, and nights are in the 50°s - 60°s. Please bring things warm enough to be comfortable! Include a warm sweater or jacket, comfortable shoes, and you might want your slippers. Rain is unusual, but occasionally comes to greet us, even in July.

SUSTAINABILITY: Please bring your own **refillable water bottle** – UCSC encourages waste reduction.

RECORDING Videos: You may order a recording in of the presentations after the Conference. Recordings will be mailed to you. Sorry, **no other recording of presentations** is allowed!

FUN NIGHT – Talent is not a prerequisite – but we'd love it if you **do** have one to share! Plan to keep your act short. Please bring costumes, instruments, music, voice, jokes, drama, and a desire to have fun!

HOSPITALITY: Hospitality is open to attendees every night from 9 to 11 p.m. Come and enjoy good company, refreshments and drawings for lots of good prizes.

www.dowserswestcoast.org

University-related regulations and costs are supplied to us by the UC Conference Office and are subject to change beyond our control. This is not a UCSC-sponsored event.