Saturday, September 27–28, 2009 • Free Admission!
Rolling Hills Community Church: 3550 SW Borland Road, Tualatin, OR

Sunday 6:00 pm: Defending Christianity from Secular Attacks (Ham)
Sunday 7:30 pm: The Ultimate Proof of Creation (Lisle)
Monday 6:30 pm: Answers to Racism: Darwin and Evolution’s Racist Roots (Ham)
Monday 8:00 pm: The Darwin Connection to Astronomy (Lisle)
Home / Christian School: Monday, 9:00 am to 10:30 am (up to middle school)
Monday, 11:00 am to 12:30 pm (up to high school)

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**Saturday Field Trips: October 3 & 10, 2009**
**Mysteries of the Columbia Gorge**

**Two day trips** are scheduled for October—led by John Hergenrather, that will explore some of the extraordinary natural history of the Columbia Gorge.

The first Saturday is designed for families who enjoy a little hiking with hands-on collecting.

The second Saturday is essentially the same except will be a little easier, with only a few short walks. Most stops will be between Hood River and The Dalles where we will hunt and collect petrified wood, find beautiful quartzite cobbles that have been transported some 300 miles from their source, discover plants that grow only in the Gorge, and identify fall wildflowers. We will discuss the miraculous migration of the Monarch which depends on the endangered milkweed. On these trips we will compare 2 explanations of earth history, while trying to determine the strength of each model based on field observations.

**Travel** will be about 50 miles total and to cut costs we will car pool. Bring a sack lunch and a little extra money to help your driver, if we don’t take your car. Several handouts and a quiz will be provided.

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The second Deschutes River Rafting adventure was again well-attended. Though some of us felt a little out of our “comfort zone” at times, attendees considered the two day overnight journey well worth it! Educational talks on wildlife, geology and the night time sky were some of the highlights. Deer, wild horses, ospreys, raccoons and other wildlife were seen in abundance. Discovery Outfitters continue to amaze us with their first-rate camp meals and the river’s best coffee. See you next year on the river!