

Deschutes County Historical Society  
129 N.W. Idaho Avenue  
Bend, Oregon 97701

## John C. Fremont in Oregon in 1843 Symposium

*A Deschutes County Historical Society Oregon Sesquicentennial Event  
October 24, 2009*

In 1843 and 1844, Brevet Captain John Charles Fremont, U.S. Army Corps of Topographical Engineers, led an exploratory expedition that helped set the stage for the assimilation by the United States of the Pacific Northwest and California. This expedition proceeded south through Oregon in November and December 1843. The organizers of an October 24, 2009, symposium at the Des Chutes Historical Museum in Bend, Oregon, focusing on the Oregon segment of this exploration, invite historians and others to share knowledge on the topics listed on the following schedule for this one-day gathering.

**What:** A one-day gathering of historians and others to share knowledge on John C. Fremont's November-December 1843 Oregon expedition.

**Why:** This event is part of the Deschutes County Historical Society's commemoration of the 150<sup>th</sup> anniversary of Oregon's statehood, and explores the explorations of a person who helped further that statehood.

**When:** The symposium takes place on Saturday, October 24, 2009. Registration begins at 8:00 a.m. with the program starting at 8:30 a.m. and lasting until 5:00 p.m.

**Cost:** Tickets are \$20.00 per person, and includes lunch

**Where:** The symposium will be held at St. Helen's Hall, Trinity Episcopal Church, 231 NW Idaho Ave, across the street from the Des Chutes Historical Museum.

### **What to Do:**

Sign up now to assure yourself a chair at this unique gathering. Send the form below accompanied by your check for \$20.00 to: Fremont Symposium, Des Chutes Historical Museum, 129 N.W. Idaho Avenue, Bend, Oregon 97701.

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### ***Reservation Form for October 24, 2009***

## **John C. Fremont in Oregon Symposium at the Des Chutes Historical Museum in Bend, Oregon**

Please reserve \_\_\_\_\_ place(s) at the Fremont Symposium for:

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_ Telephone \_\_\_\_\_

My check for \$\_\_\_\_\_ at \$20.00 per person payable to "DCHS (Fremont Symposium)" is enclosed.

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