

Dubois, WY: July 11-13, 2008

In Dubois, Steven Gordon welcomed Rockies researchers to his ranch, the Diamond G. Nestled near the eastern boundary of Yellowstone National Park, the ranch provides stunning views and open space for cattle grazing, but also prime habitat for wolves and grizzly bears. Due to severe predator attacks on livestock, in March 2008 the Diamond G worked with the National Wildlife Federation to retire 35,000 acres of grazing allotments in the Shoshone National Forest.

Researchers met with Gordon, ranch manager Jon Robinett, and Robinett's wife, Deb, to discuss the future of ranching amidst increasing predator populations.



Enjoying the Diamond G Ranch



Jaw found while backpacking



Signage at the Diamond G Ranch



Backpacking in the Shoshone National Forest



Dinner with Gordon and the Robinetts at the Diamond G