

THE 95th ANNUAL BURROUGHS AUDUBON DINNER PRESENTS...

Kansas City – The Tallgrass City

Saturday, April 18, 2015 **\$39.00**

Gladstone Community Center

6901 N. Holmes Street Gladstone, MO 64118 (816) 423-4200

5:00 PM Happy hour and silent auction followed by dinner and speaker



DINNER MENU

Chicken in white wine and artichoke sauce, beef in burgundy sauce, vegetarian selection, new potatoes with parsley butter, spring green salad with 2 homemade dressings, carrots and snow peas in orange glaze, buttered corn and rolls with coffee, iced tea, and cash bar

All are welcome to register for this wonderful event. You do not have to be a member of Burroughs Audubon Society to attend.

To register:

1. Send an email to mstoakes@juno.com by April 11
2. Remit payment by check to Burroughs Audubon 7300 West Park Road ~ Blue Springs, MO 64015 Attn: Treasurer
3. To pay by credit card, please call (816) 540-3515
4. To donate to the silent auction, send an email to Jeff Wayman at [ccaah@att.net](mailto:ccah@att.net)

by Douglas Ladd,

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Doug manages science, land management, and conservation real estate activities for Missouri Chapter of The Nature Conservancy. He has been involved with fire management and fire ecology, conservation planning, natural area assessment, and ecological management, restoration, and research for more than thirty years, with particular emphasis on vegetation, ecological restoration and fire ecology. Recent work has concentrated on vegetation and fire ecology of Midwestern prairies and woodlands, developing assessment and ecological monitoring protocols for terrestrial vegetation, and ecoregional conservation planning. Doug serves on the board of the Conservation Research Institute in Chicago, as well as the advisory boards of the Harris World Ecology Center and Shaw Nature Reserve, and as an adjunct faculty member at Washington University in St. Louis. He has undergraduate degrees in botany and chemistry, and a master's degree in botany from Southern Illinois University. In addition to numerous articles and reports, he is the author of two field guides, [North Woods Wildflowers](#) and [Tallgrass Prairie Wildflowers](#), and coauthor of [Discover Natural Missouri](#) and [Distribution of Illinois Vascular Plants](#).