



## Mountain Meteorology and Sleeping on the Summits: From Colorado to Mount Everest

Presented by Dr. Jon Kedrowski

Weather is the most important factor to consider when planning a trip into the mountains.

This presentation with Dr. Jon Kedrowski, recent summiter of Everest, will explore the nuts and bolts of mountain weather patterns and explain how this information is critical for outdoor pursuits. Jon will use real-world examples and new findings from his groundbreaking project where he slept on the summit of all 55 Colorado 14ers from sunset to sunrise in 95 days. His friend Chris joined him on some of the peaks and provided forecasts as well. The meteorological concepts that will be presented apply to anyone who enjoys the outdoors. Topics will include diagnosing weather in the field, forecasting weather windows, and determining wind and temperature at altitude.

Jon will be on hand to sign copies of their latest book *Sleeping on the Summits: Colorado 14er High Bivys*.

**DATE:** Wednesday, March 27<sup>th</sup>, 2013

**TIME:** Social time starts at 7 pm and the presentation starts at 7:30 pm

**LOCATION:** Fort Collins Senior Center, 1200 Raintree Drive, room 3

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