



Chapter Meeting January 2023



Agenda

- Welcome
- New Member Recognition
- Feature Presentation: Rebecca Nichols – GSMNP Entomologist
- Donation to GSMNP Fisheries Department
- Upcoming Events
- GSMNP Volunteer Activities
- Volunteer Recognition Program
- Trout In The Classroom Fall 2022 Releases
- Closing Remarks



Donation to GSMNP Fisheries Department

- \$10,000 Donation to GSMNP Fisheries Department
 - Auction: \$6,000
 - Donations: \$2,100
 - General Fund: \$1,900
- Formal Presentation at February Chapter Meeting
- Contributing Guides and Fly Shops



Trout Zone Anglers

Richard Witt Fly Fishing



Upcoming Events

- 28 Jan: Tennessee Council TU Coldwater Resources Meeting
- 1-2 Feb: Trout in the Classroom Eggs Available
- 3-5 Feb: Atlanta Fly Fishing Show
- 18 Feb: Acid Deposition Water Sampling Meeting
- 23 Feb: Chapter Meeting – Matt Kulp
- 10-12 Mar: TU Southeast Regional Rendezvous
- 11 Mar: Pistol Creek Clean-Up
- 18 Mar: Bi-Monthly Acid Deposition Water Sampling
- 23 Mar: Chapter Meeting – Discover Life in America
- Ongoing: Stream Barrier Surveys



GSMNP Volunteer Activities

- GSMNP Fisheries Department Annual Volunteer Meeting

- Location: Twin Creeks Science Center
- Date: 18 Feb from 9:00 – 12:00
- Topics
 - Program Overview and Summary of Results by Matt Kulp
 - Acid Deposition Water Sampling
 - Stream Barrier Surveys for Aquatic Organism Passage Study
 - E. Coli Monitoring
 - Summer Fisheries Volunteer Program
- Details
 - [Acid Deposition Meeting Announcement for 2-18-2023.pdf](#)
 - [Acid Dep Training Agenda - 18 Feb 2023 MAK.pdf](#)

- Parking



Volunteer Recognition Program

- Applicable to All LRCTU Sponsored Volunteer Activities
- Committee Formed to Define Program Scope
 - Awards Based on Volunteer Hours
 - Volunteer Hours from April – March (TU Fiscal Year)
 - Looking for Two Additional Committee Members
- Keep Log of ALL Your Volunteer Hours
 - Includes Time “To” and “From” Personal Residence
 - Recording Methods
 - Spreadsheet
 - List
 - Calendar
- Volunteer Hours are Reportable to TU National

