

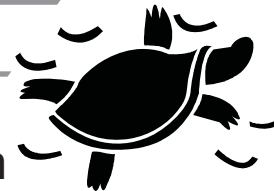
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WILDLIFE MANAGEMENT WORKSHOPS



Ecology, Management, and Identification of Migratory and Resident Birds

May 2, 2007 - Bahama, NC
May 17, 2007 - Asheville, NC



Reptile and Amphibian Ecology and Conservation

May 16, 2007 - Asheville, NC

Sponsored by
Forestry & Environmental Outreach Program
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Department of Forestry and Environmental Resources
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NC Wildlife Resources Commission
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About the Workshops

The objective of these workshops is to introduce natural resource professionals, forest landowners, and others to bird, reptile, and amphibian ecology and management. One workshop will explore the effects various human activities (urbanization, timber harvest, prescribed burning, etc.) have on birds. The other will similarly focus on reptiles and amphibians. Much of each workshop will be spent in the field working on bird, reptile and amphibian identification in a variety of habitat types. Classroom sessions will augment the field training.

Who Should Attend?

These workshops will be valuable to foresters, wildlife biologists, environmental consultants, environmental educators, land trust staff and others who seek to conserve birds or reptiles and amphibians while continuing sustainable uses of forest lands. Forest landowners will benefit from learning how they can positively influence bird, reptile and amphibian species on their property. Wildlife enthusiasts and natural historians will enjoy the opportunity to see and handle various wildlife species.

Workshop Locations

The May 2 Birds workshop will be held at Slocum Camp located on Hill Demonstration Forest in Bahama, NC. The May 17 Birds workshop takes place at Bent Creek Experiment Station in Asheville, NC. The reptile and amphibians workshop on May 16 will be held at the Bent Creek Experiment Station in Asheville, NC. Maps to both locations will be provided.

Registration and Fees

You may register for one, two or all three workshops. The registration fee is \$55 per workshop. Register for multiple workshops at \$50 per workshop. The registration fee includes course handouts, refreshments, and lunch. Registration deadline is April 27th. Space in each workshop is limited, so early registration is encouraged. Lodging is not included. Cancellations made by April 27th will receive a refund less a \$20 service charge.

About the Instructors

Jeff Hall is a Coastal Wildlife Diversity Biologist with the NC Wildlife Resources Commission. Jeff has conducted extensive monitoring of reptiles and amphibians as well as surveys for neotropical migratory birds on both public and private lands. He has also participated in surveys of reptiles and amphibians and songbirds on various Department of Defense lands, Croatan National Forest, and several state parks.

Lori Williams is the Mountain Wildlife Diversity Biologist with the NC Wildlife Resources Commission. She is an expert on reptile and amphibian ecology in western North Carolina. Lori has hosted public education programs and done research on herps in the mountain regions of North Carolina, Virginia and West Virginia.

Mark Johns works for the NC Wildlife Resources Commission as the NC Coordinator for Partners in Flight, a program that focuses on conservation of migratory birds throughout the Americas. Mark has been an instructor in the Department of Forestry at NC State University since 1990 and was formerly the Chief Naturalist at Hemlock Bluffs Nature Preserve in Cary, NC.

Chris Moorman is Associate Professor and Wildlife Extension Specialist at NC State University. Chris works with professionals and private landowners interested in the effects of forestry practices on wildlife. During the past ten years he has conducted several research projects to investigate potential effects of forest management on birds and salamanders.

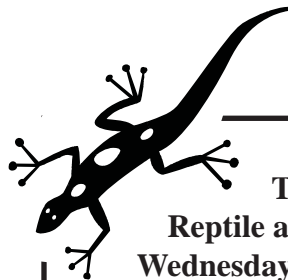
CFE Credits

Continuing education credits (CFEs) have been requested from the Society of American Foresters. Credit hours will be posted on our website once approved: www.ncsu.edu/feop.

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Topical Agenda for Bird Workshops Wednesday, May 2nd in Bahama, NC Thursday, May 17th in Asheville, NC 8:00 a.m. - 3:30 p.m.

- What are Neotropical migratory birds?
- Introduction to bird conservation in the region
- Introduction to bird song
- Field ID of birds by sight and sound
- A review of suggested observation equipment
- Managing for Neotropical migratory & resident birds
- Bird-friendly slide show
- Group Q&A and discussion



Topical Agenda for Reptile and Amphibian Workshop Wednesday, May 16th in Asheville, NC 8:30 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.

- Introduction to reptile and amphibian conservation
- Reptile and amphibian ecology
- Influence of land management on reptiles and amphibians
- Field ID of reptiles and amphibians
- Group Q&A and discussion

Agendas may be adjusted to suit weather conditions, but all workshops will take place, rain or shine. Please dress appropriately for the field.

Registration Form

Wildlife Management Workshops
Registration Deadline is April 27, 2007

Please complete one application for each attendee.

Name _____

Organization _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Daytime Phone _____

Fax _____

Dietary requests: _____

E-Mail _____

The registration fee for a single workshop is \$55.

**The fee is \$50 per workshop
if registering for more than one workshop.
Please indicate those you wish to attend:**

- Birds - May 2, Bahama, NC
 Herps - May 16, Asheville, NC
 Birds - May 17, Asheville, NC

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