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# ForestWatch Outing

Outing Alert

**Murder Creek RNA Hike  
with Dr. JP Schmidt  
Saturday, November 19, 2016**



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**Saturday, November 19, 2016**

**Hike Leader:** Dr. JP Schmidt

**Hike Location:** Murder Creek Research Natural Area, Oconee National Forest

**Outing Description:** Hike through mature Piedmont, bottomland forest

**Hike Date:** Saturday, November 19, 2016

**Meeting Time, Place and Directions:** We will meet at 10:00am at Beaverdam Creek Road at McMillen Road in Putnam County. This is due south of Willard, GA.

**Distance and Difficulty:** Several miles of walking over mainly level or moderately sloping ground. Most of the hike is within flat bottomland.

**Participant Limit:** 20

**What to Bring and Wear:** Lunch, plenty of water, rain gear, sturdy footwear. (If allergic to bees/wasps, remember to bring your meds/epi-pen.)

**Cancellation:** Participants will be notified if outing is cancelled due to forecast of severe weather, etc.

**Pet Policy:** Pets are welcome.

**Family Safe Policy:** Georgia ForestWatch Outings are a smoke, alcohol and drug-free setting.

**Sign Up Now!  
Limited Space  
Reservations Required**

Our outings are free of charge and open to everyone on a first come, first served basis, up to the limit. **BUT DON'T FORGET**, Georgia ForestWatch members are given priority on our hikes. To learn how you can become a member, [click here](#).

**To Reserve Your Spot:** Please email our office at [info@gafw.org](mailto:info@gafw.org) or call 706-867-0051 with the following information.

1. Name of person(s)
2. Your email address
3. Your phone number (preferably cell if you will be carrying it on the outing day)

For more information on the outing, OR if you need directions on the day of the outing, contact JP Schmidt at [jpschmidt270@gmail.com](mailto:jpschmidt270@gmail.com) or 706-372-1719. Please note that the Georgia ForestWatch office is not open on weekends, so you will need to contact JP directly.

***Upcoming Outings & Events - Mark Your Calendars!***

November 26th - Stonewall Trail Hike in Tiger, GA - *with Marie Dunkle*

December 3rd - Geology Hike at Black Rock Mountain State Park - *with Bruce O'Connor*

December 9th - Poetry Hike at Lake Winfield Scott - *with Brenda Smith*

January 1st, 2017 - Rabun Bald Hike - *with Marie Dunkle*

[February 7-8, 2017](#) - Evening presentation and winter tree hike at the [Len Foote Hike Inn](#) - *with Forest Ecologist Jess Riddle*. Participants can receive up to 50% off their reservation at the Inn. Call 1-800-581-8032 for more information.

