

Celebrate Earth Day Week 2010 at Tennessee State Parks

Tims Ford State Park in Winchester

The Jack Daniel Distillery will celebrate Earth Day 2010 on **Thursday, April 22** by becoming a Sustaining Member of the Tims Ford Environmental Education Association (TFEEA) with a \$500 donation. TFEEA was formed in 2006 with their mission being to establish and maintain an Environmental Education and Wildlife Rehabilitation Center at [Tims Ford State Park](#) and promote an understanding of our relationship with the natural world through environmental education, wildlife rehabilitation and conservation programs. In addition, the Jack Daniel Distillery Green Team has provided volunteers to work with Tims Ford State Park and TFEEA in developing their new natural Butterfly Garden at the park's Visitor Center. For more information call (931) 962-1183.

Davy Crockett Birthplace State Park in Limestone

Join [Davy Crockett Birthplace State Park](#) staff on **Saturday, April 24** for the park's *Earth Day Celebration*. Help celebrate the 40th Anniversary of Earth Day by planting native species trees on park property. Tools will be provided and participants should meet at the campground shelter at 11 a.m. EDT. For more information call (423) 257-2167.

Panther Creek State Park in Morristown

Join the Friends of [Panther Creek State Park](#) and park staff for the annual *Earth Day Celebration* on **Saturday, April 24**. [State Naturalist Randy Hedgepath](#) will help kick off the celebration with a wildflower hike at 10 a.m. EDT. Guests also will enjoy exploring the mostly wooded, rolling terrain and many other activities that are planned. For more information call (423) 587-7046.

Warriors' Path State Park in Kingsport

Darrell's Dream Boundless Playground at [Warriors' Path State Park](#) will be closed all day on **Saturday, April 24** for "A Day of Service" at Warriors' Path State Park. Volunteers from Local businesses, community and religious groups will plant greenery, mulch, pressure wash, weed and clean up areas of the park – including the playground. While the park will not be closed to visitors on April 24, access to the playground will be restricted all day but will re-open on Sunday. For more information call (423) 239-8531.

Bledsoe Creek State Park in Gallatin

Come learn about the skies above as the Cumberland Astronomical Society will host *Astronomy Day and Stargazing Party* on **Saturday, April 24** from 2:00 p.m. – 10:00 p.m. CDT at [Bledsoe Creek State Park](#). All events are free and open to the public.