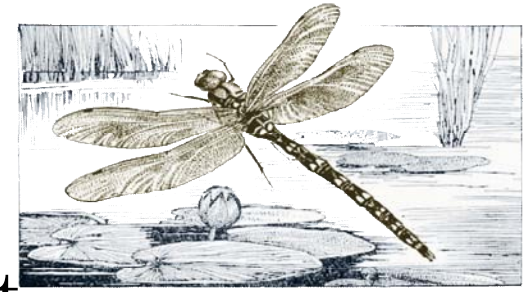


2nd Annual Dragonfly Day

Saturday, June 18

10 AM - 4 PM



With *Richard Connors*, TN State Parks Biologist
and *Larry Everett*, TDEC Aquatic Biologist



About the Guest Speakers:

Richard Connors is a Nashville photographer and naturalist. He received an MFA degree in photography from ETSU. He has taught photography, and did commercial photography in Nashville for over 20 years. Nature photography has always been his prime focus. He has participated in many exhibits of landscape photography, and has published nature photos locally and nationally. Birds, butterflies, dragonflies and damselflies have been favorite subjects.

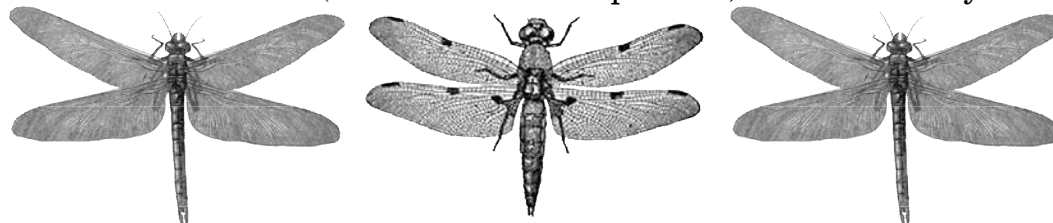
Richard works as a biologist with TN State Parks. He conducts surveys for the All Taxa Biodiversity Inventory program, using photography to document species occurrence in State Parks and Natural Areas. He is past president of Tennessee Ornithological Society.

Richard is joined this year by Larry Everett, an Aquatic Biologist with the TN Dept of Environment and Conservation. Larry's passion and expertise is with "dragonfly babies." He has spent countless hours studying dragonfly larvae in their aquatic habitats, and growing these nymphs to adult dragonflies. Larry will share his deep knowledge of immature dragonflies, and his broad experience in protecting their habitats.

About the Seminar:

Our region is rich in many varieties of these amazing insects. Dragonflies are fun and challenging to observe. They are also excellent indicators of the health of our natural places. Come spend a day learning to study dragonflies "at home" in their habitats, and also how best to record your observations with photographs.

Plan to spend a warm summer day outdoors in the park's natural places, getting "up close and personal" with native dragonflies. This is a free event, but you must pre-register if you plan to attend. Note that this event will be canceled (and rescheduled if possible) in case of heavy rain.



For More Information and to Pre-register:
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How to find us:

Warriors' Path State Park is located near Kingsport, Tennessee, in the northeast corner of the state, about 100 miles northeast of Knoxville, Tennessee. We are very close to exit #59 on Interstate 81. From exit #59, travel north 1.4 miles to Hemlock Road and turn right. Follow Hemlock Road 1.6 miles into the park. Once in the park, follow signs to the park's Recreation Building.



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Techniques for
Dragonfly Watching
and Dragonfly Photography

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Learn how to find, identify, observe and photograph these amazing insects!



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