# 2014 Annual Meeting and Picnic



### WHAT

Save Georgia's Hemlocks Annual Meeting and Picnic

### WHEN

Sunday, July 13, Noon - 3:00 p.m. Rain or shine.

## WHERE

Unicoi State Park – Picnic Shelter #8. Visit the <u>Unicoi State Park</u> web site for details about the park and its facilities.

# **KEYNOTE SPEAKER**

**Craig Tilley**, a certified leader with **The Climate Reality Project**, will give a well researched, balanced presentation on climate change, its causes and effects on the world around us, mitigation efforts currently under way, and options available to us now for creating a healthy, sustainable, and prosperous future. This is an extremely important issue that is already impacting our daily lives and will be increasingly challenging for our children and grandchildren, so please come and hear Craig's timely message. An open forum will follow to address questions about climate change and share information more specific to our southern Appalachian forests, the Forest Service's roadmap for responding to climate change, and how we can help.

# SPECIAL FEATURES

Musician **Dawn Davis** will perform her original compositions including "The Oldest Hemlock." Several local artists have been invited to bring some of their hemlock-themed art to show and to offer. There will also be healthy hemlock saplings available for adoption.







**RESERVATIONS:** Space may be limited, so please **send your RSVP early** by calling 706-429-8010 or emailing **donna@savegeorgiashemlocks.org**. For more information, see the **Schedule of Events** page of our web site. Details and directions to Picnic Shelter #8 will be provided when you make your reservation.

WHAT TO BRING: A lawn chair and your favorite covered potluck dish to share.

Save Georgia's Hemlocks is a 100% volunteer 501(c)(3) non-profit organization of concerned citizens dedicated to preserving, conserving, and restoring endangered hemlocks through education and charitable service. To learn more, please visit our website www.savegeorgiashemlocks.org.