

Upcoming events at the Jewel Moore Nature Reserve Fall 2013

UCA stream team will sample their campus creek on November 1st, 2013. Please come out and help them sample the aquatic bugs and fish. You'll work along-side mentors, professors and experienced volunteers and gain a hands-on working knowledge of a variety of commonly used techniques to assess water quality and biological diversity. The experience you gain as a member of the Stream Team could lead to Undergraduate and Graduate Research. You'll help to preserve a valuable watershed and campus resource. For more information call Sally Entrekin at 501.450.5919 or email at sentrekin@uca.edu.

Come join UCA ornithologist Dr. Vickie McDonald on Friday morning, **06 Dec 2013**, as she leads an early morning bird walk on a crisp early December jaunt in the Jewel Moore Nature Reserve on the SW corner of the UCA campus. This walk to be held on Friday, **06 Dec 2013** (Study Day for UCA students) is intended for beginners and those wanting to learn more about how bird censuses are conducted, as well as the winter ecology of the JMNR. UCA students, staff, and faculty are especially encouraged to attend, as are all people from our Conway vicinity communities. All levels of bird watchers and nature enthusiasts are welcome, as are well-behaved dogs and children on leashes. (OK, the kids can be let off their leash if they respond to voice commands.) Bring binoculars if you have them, and wear shoes you don't mind getting muddy. The walk will begin at 7 am, and we'll meet in the Subway parking (across Ferris Road from the UCA HPER Center). You can stay for as long or short as you wish, although the maximum duration is not expected to be longer than 3 hours. The rain date will be Sunday, 08 Dec 2013, time to be confirmed pending weather. For more information contact Dr. McDonald at 501-450-5924, or mcdonaldv@uca.edu.