

2013 Mount LeConte Biodiversity Hike & Getaway Weekend

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Enjoy the insights of an experienced guide along the Alum Cave Trail to Mount Le Conte. A complimentary trailside lunch will be provided, and a dinner and a comfortable night's stay await you at the top. The evening also includes an informative ATBI program and an official Park Ranger will share insights and take questions from the Cliff Tops summit. An early morning breakfast will start the day and a trail lunch (if requested) will be provided for the hike home. After the event, hikers will receive a small gift of thanks from DLIA staff.

\$275 per person, all-inclusive.

All proceeds benefit DLIA & the ATBI.

THIS EVENT IS TRULY THE COMPLETE PACKAGE:

- Guided hike up Alum Cave Bluff Trail
- Picnic lunch on the way up
- Sunset ATBI program at the Cliff Tops
- Dinner and accommodations at Mt. Le Conte Lodge
- Breakfast and a trail lunch (if requested)
- A small gift of appreciation for your support

Discover Life in America (DLIA) facilitates and coordinates the AII Taxa Biodiversity Inventory (ATBI) for the Great Smoky Mountains National Park. The ATBI inventories an estimated 60 -80,000 species of living organisms in the park. In 2002, Southern Living named ATBI "The World's Biggest Science Project." Since species collecting began in 1998, the ATBI has uncovered over 900 species new to science, and over 7,000 species that are newly documented in the Smokies.

RESERVATIONS ARE REQUIRED!

For more information and to reserve a spot, e-mail Todd at todd@dlia.org or call (865) 430-4757.

There are shared sleeping arrangements at the Lodge, so **bring a friend** or you will definitely leave with a new one!