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What's in the Lake program comes to Carters Lake

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Have you ever wondered what's below the water in the deepest lake in Georgia? Join FIND Outdoor educators on **July 8th at Doll Mountain Campground for *What's in the Lake***, a family-friendly program that teaches about the unique organisms that call Carters Lake home!

Be a part of a fun investigation into the aquatic world, where you'll use the provided tools, such as fish nets and containers, to discover the many small creatures that make a big impact on our water systems! You'll even contribute to citizen science by recording field data for Georgia's Adopt-A-Stream program!

The organisms living within these pristine waters are vital to maintaining the overall health of our ecosystems. From our favorite trout to smaller macroinvertebrates, many of these animals indicate potential pollutants in the water simply by their presence or absence.

Drop by anytime between 11:00 AM and 1:00 PM to learn more about the many aquatic organisms in our lakes and streams that contribute to the quality of the water running within them, and what better way to learn than by getting in the lake yourself! Fish nets, containers, and organism identification keys will be provided, as well as help from the educator while investigating the underwater world! Shoes you don't mind getting wet, sunscreen, and water are all recommended for your outing!

The event is free with paid admission to the Doll Mountain picnic area. The Doll Mountain picnic area is located just a few minutes from the campground itself. Parking and restroom access are available directly at the site!

For more information about this event and other upcoming programs, visit www.gofindoutdoors.org.

FIND Outdoors is a 501(c)(3) outdoor recreation nonprofit that centers forest education and stewardship. Based in Pisgah Forest, FIND Outdoors has been stewarding public lands for over 50 years, with a vision to create a lasting community of appreciation for the outdoors. Learn more about FIND and ways you can be involved at www.gofindoutdoors.org/about.

