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Snake education program at Lake Winfield Scott Recreation Area

Blairsville, GA - 7/1//26- Georgia's native snakes have developed remarkable adaptations for surviving in the Blue Ridge Mountains. In fact, Georgia is home to over 45 native snakes! Don't worry; only 6 of them are venomous, yet all are unique.

Join FIND Outdoors at Lake Winfield Scott Recreation Area for an up-close, family-friendly educational experience in partnership with the U.S. Forest Service and the Georgia Department of Natural Resources.

From **11:00 am to 2:00 pm on Thursday, July 9th**, visitors and campers are invited to stop by and **witness live native snakes**, all while enjoying a day at the stunning Lake Winfield Scott. Visit to learn about the curious world of these reptiles, such as why some have green-tipped tails when young, while others are only venomous to amphibians.

The event is free with paid site admission.

Special thanks to our Georgia Department of Natural Resources partner for making this program possible.

For more information, visit www.gofindoutdoors.org or call 828.883.FIND

About FIND Outdoors:

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.

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