

You are cordially invited to: IN THE COMPANY OF BANDERS
A joint annual meeting of the Eastern Bird Banding Association
and the Inland Bird Banding Association 5-7 April 2013
Fall Creek Falls State Park, Pikeville, TN



Inland Bird Banding Association

Save the date for the 2013 annual meeting of the Eastern Bird Banding Association (<http://www.frontiemet.net/-bpbird/>) to be held jointly with the Inland Bird Banding Association (<http://ibbainfo.org/>) in beautiful east Tennessee. Highlights of this meeting will include:

- A welcoming reception and dinner featuring a southern welcome on the theme ***“building partnerships with science and technology.”***
- Early-morning birding in the Cumberland: home to birds of the southland, featuring spring passage for migrants bound for the eastern US and Canada, located in a world of American history.
- Paper presentations on banding, marking, and tracking topics and their application to the world of science and education.
- EBBA and IBBA business meetings and an opportunity to meet socially and professionally with leaders in the fields of science, technology, and application of the wonders of banding, marking and tracking our avifauna.
- On Saturday night a fine southern dinner will be topped off by an auction of books, equipment, and tools chosen just for this “company of banders.”
- Optional field trips will be offered on Sunday morning to the four directions of the compass: the Smoky Mountains to the East, the Blue Ridge and Appalachians, the rivers of Tennessee and the Gulf Coast

We welcome your input and participation as we plan this joint meeting in the south. Feel free to contact us with your suggestions, offers to help, and observations.

Margaret Fritze, President, Eastern Bird Banding Association: 845-707-4897, margaretfritze@aol.com
Tom Bartlett, President, Inland Bird Banding Association: hthomas.bartlett@gmail.com