





Earlham Wilderness 50th Anniversary Alumni Trips

Cope Service and Wilderness Fellowship

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Location: Centerville, IN

Dates: 9/30/2021 (time TBD)

Cost: Shared cost of meals

Difficulty:

Level of fitness

| Easy (No sweat, no hurry) | Moderate (Active lifestyle) | Strenuous (Regular vigorous exercise) |
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| Experience level | | |
| No experience necessary | Some experience with this type of trip | Significant experience required |

Everyone is welcome.

<u>Itinerary</u>

Thursday before Homecoming we will do a day of service at Cope Environmental Center (camping site for many years of August Wilderness return to campus) and Wildman Woods (an Earlham-owned property across Airport Road. Building a bridge, trail reconstruction, and clearing invasive shrubs such as honeysuckle are on our to-do list. Those who want to participate in a shared supper and evening bonfire are welcome to do so. Join us for an energetic beginning to Homecoming weekend.

Role of participants

If you can bring work-gloves and tools, that could be helpful. We would welcome volunteers to coordinate refreshments. But just showing up is what matters most!

Biography of the organizer



Karin Hostetter started her 1974 freshman year at Earlham as a water wilderness student and returned two years later as an instructor. Once graduated, Karin continued to lead outdoor trip experiences for members of the organizations where she worked in Texas and Colorado. Karin is back in Richmond as the new Executive Director of Cope Environmental Center.