



Friends of Hawai'i Volcanoes National Park

The Friends of Hawai'i Volcanoes National Park
invite you to join us on a

Wetforest and Dryforest Birding Adventure

Tuesday
February 5th, 2008

Hawaii Forest and Trail, the Big Island's pre-eminent ecotourism company, is offering the Friends two of their comfortable and well-appointed off-road vans and expert guides, for a full day's (11-hour) excursion to two very different and seldom-visited Big Island environments on a ***Wetforest and Dryforest Birding Adventure***. For anyone interested in Hawai'i's rarest native plants and birds, this is an extraordinary opportunity.

Normally priced at \$165 per person for the day, *Hawaii Forest and Trail* is offering this tour to Friends' members for \$100. (Non-member price is \$125.)

Each van carries just 10 passengers, so the maximum capacity for this seminar is 20. Kona participants depart from Forest and Trail's Kona Office at 6:30 AM. Hilo and East- siderers will meet the tour vans at Mauna Kea State Park at 7:30.

The tour includes mid-morning tea and coffee, fresh fruit and pound cakes, deli lunch with beverages, daypacks, binoculars, walking sticks, warm wear and raingear. Participants are welcome to bring their own preferred items. (No coolers or large backpacks, please.) This tour is rated easy to moderate. Guests should be able to hike on uneven or rocky terrain. Full details of this ***Wetforest and Dryforest Birding Adventure*** tour can be found on the Forest and Trail website at www.hawaii-forest.com/adv-raindry.html

Most island residents are well aware of the caliber of Forest and Trail excursions, so we anticipate that this tour will fill quickly. Deadline for registration is **Friday February 1st**.

Reservations are made by calling the Friends' Office at 985-7373

The office is staffed part-time, so be sure to leave a message, your call will be returned.

Your reservation is confirmed when we receive a check payable to the

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