

Tentative Schedule

*Schedule is subject to change

| Monday (Sept. 19) | Tuesday (Sept. 20) | Wednesday (Sept. 21) |
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| <p><i>Conference Registration 9am - 5pm</i> MORNING 7:00 - 8:45 TOTA Board Breakfast Buffet 9:00 - 10:30 TOTA Board Meeting 10:30 - 11:00 TOTA Board Break 11:00 - 12:30 TOTA Board Meeting</p> | <p><i>Conference Registration 8:30am - 10:30am</i> MORNING 7:00 - 8:30 Breakfast Buffet 8:30 - 9:00 TOTA Membership Meeting 9:00 - 9:45 Plenary Session Charlie Rhodarmer Cherokee Syllabary Bicentennial 9:45 - 10:15 Preamble to Field Trip Brett Riggs</p> | <p><i>Conference Registration 8:30am - 11am</i> MORNING 7:00 - 8:30 Breakfast Buffet 8:30 - 9:30 1st Concurrent Sessions 9:45 - 10:30 Featured Speaker - Claudio Saunt 10:30 - 11:00 Break with Snacks 11:00 - 12:00 2nd Concurrent Sessions</p> |
| <p>12:30 - 1:30 Lunch - On your own</p> | <p>10:15 - 10:45 Board Bus - Depart for Field Trip <i>"Nikwasi-Cherokee Cultural and Heritage Corridor Pilgrimage"</i> 10:45-11:30 Travel to Franklin, NC 11:30 - 12:45 Pre-Meal Ceremony & Tour of Historic Nikwasi</p> | <p>AFTERNOON <i>Plated Lunch</i></p> |
| <p>AFTERNOON 2:00 - 2:30 Conference Opening Ceremony 2:30 - 3:30 Welcome Address 3:30 - 4:30 National Park Service Report</p> | <p>12:45 - 1:45 Lunch at Mainspring Conservation Trust Campus</p> | <p>12:15 - 1:15 Featured Speaker - Dale Stewart 1:30 - 2:30 3rd Concurrent Sessions 2:45 - 3:45 4th Concurrent Sessions 4:00 - 4:30 Closing Remarks & Departure</p> |
| <p>EVENING 6:00 - 7:00 Phoenix Giving Society Reception 7:00 - 7:30 Aniyvwiya Dancers 7:30 - 8:00 Kanesgi Fashion Show 8:00 - 9:00 25th Annual Conference Keynote Dr. Brett Riggs "...whatever risk they might run," Eastern Cherokee Resistance to the Forced Removal of 1838</p> | <p>AFTERNOON 1:45 - 3:30 Option 1: Historic TOT Trail Segment & Cowee Mound Tour Option 2: (ADA Compliant) Historic Cowee Heritage Center Tour & Lecture by Dr. Jurgelski 3:30 - 4:30 Reception 4:30 - 5:15 Travel to Kituwah</p> | <p>5:30 - 6:00 Museum of the Cherokee Indian Sign Dedication</p> |
|  <p>TRAIL OF TEARS Association</p> | <p>EVENING 5:30 - 7:00 Pre-Meal Ceremony & Traditional Dinner 7:00 - 8:00 Cultural Performances 8:00 - 8:30 Travel to Casino</p> |  <p>The National Trail of Tears Association Conference & Symposium</p> <p>*After Conference Event Options: Sept. 24, Mountain Heritage Day (pg 2)</p> |

Conference Registration and Hotel Registration Information can be found on page 9.