

## Tennessee Cave Dirt

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## Welcome!

Thank you for registering for the 2019 NSS Convention in Cookeville Tennessee! The NSS Convention has not been in Tennessee in 21 years (1998 in Sewanee TN) and this is the first Convention in the Cookeville Area. The Cookeville area has over 4,500 caves within 50 miles of the Convention site, including Tennessee's two longest caves; Blue Spring Cave and Cumberland Caverns. Since you will be in the heart of the "Land of 10,000 Caves", there will be lots of choices on where to go caving while you are here. Look at the Convention web site for led trips, plus visit the Cave Information Booth at the campground for information on local self led trips. The Upper Cumberland Grotto has done an amazing job of organizing all of the caving trips. The campground is located at the Putnam County Fairgrounds and the Convention will be held at Cookeville High School. This site has the makings for an incredible 2019 NSS Convention. Our awesome staff has been working for 4 years to bring you an amazing caving adventure. Be sure to check out the website, nss2019.subworks.com for all the information you will need. If you can't find what you are looking for on the website, contact me at

NSS2019Chair@gmail.com Maureen Handler, NSS 23239 RL, FE, CM NSS 2019 Chair

Please note the last day for early registeration pricing is April 20, 2019! Tell your friends, family, and grotto members ASAP.

Tennessee cavers are proud to be hosting the 2019 NSS Convention which will be held in Cookeville, Tennnessee on June 17-21, 2019. Cookeville is located in the center of the Highland Rim of the Cumberland Plateau. From this location, Cookeville is the near centroid of Tennessee's 10,000+ cave locations. There are literally thousands of caves within a 50 mile radius of Cookeville and many of them are showcase caves.

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