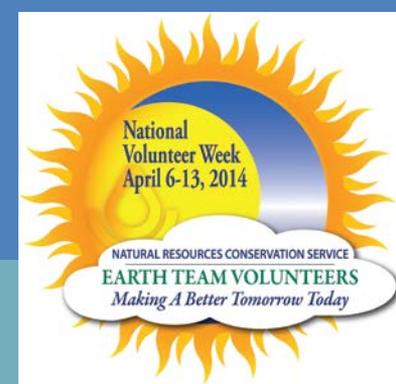


Earth Team Volunteer Spotlight



Melissa Mooneyham



Melissa Mooneyham is the wife of Nick Mooneyham (Soil Conservationist Dalton, GA). Melissa was instrumental in documenting the successes of EWP projects in Dade, Walker, and Catoosa Counties. There was a lot of data gathered in the damage survey reports for each potential and actual EWP site.

Melissa took information from damage survey reports and information from the implementation of the practices at each site and developed a great summary of what was accomplished. The success story was capped off with before and after pictures of the cleanup. Melissa also assisted the Dalton Field Office in assembling contract folders during the 2013 EQIP contracting period.

She also pitched in to help the Dalton Field Office relocate to a new building in 2013. Melissa has also volunteered her time at the Catoosa County Soil & Water Conservation District "Poster Banquet" which honors children in Catoosa County who participate in the poster contest.

Melissa is also a member of the Northwest Georgia Bee Keepers Association. She and her husband currently keep seven hives with 10 more to come in April. The honey they produce is mainly sold to family and friends. These days Melissa enjoys being a stay at home mom to her 10 week old son Nolen.