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Caring For Your Forest

Workshops for Landowners



GPS on Your Woodlot
October 29, 2010

Roads and Trails on Your Woodlot
November 5, 2010

Silviculture for Landowners
November 12, 2010

**Selling Timber and
Timber Harvesting Laws**
November 19, 2010

**UNH Cooperative Extension
Merrimack County Office
315 Daniel Webster Highway
Boscawen, NH
12:30 - 4:30 pm**

Visit our website at:
www.nhwoods.org and click on
calendar for a listing of upcoming
activities.

Other Landowner Workshops:

Softwood Management Series

10/16-Spruce-Fir in Whitefield

11/6- White Pine in Tamworth

11/13-Tractors for Forestry in
Sandwich

For more information, or a brochure,
contact 224-9699

These workshops are co-sponsored by:

NH Timberland Owners Association

NH Division of Forests and Lands

NH Tree Farm

Quality Deer Management
Association

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participate in this program because of inability to
pay.)

Caring for Your Forest - Workshops for Landowners

Interested in taking better care of your woodlot? Sharpening your forestry skills? Come to one, two, or all four of these workshops.

The cost will cover refreshments and handout materials. UNH Cooperative Extension county foresters and specialists, will teach the classes. You will be "in the field" for at least part of the day. Come prepared for the weather.

All workshops run from 12:30-4:30 pm. Eat your lunch before the workshop. The workshop location is the UNH Cooperative Extension office in Boscawen.

October 29- GPS on Your Woodlot

Learn the basics of using GPS to navigate around your woodlot and to do simple mapping. GPS units will be supplied. For beginners. Attendance is limited to 20 people.

November 5- Roads and Trails on Your Woodlot

Learn the basics of woods road design, construction, and maintenance from Mike Lynch, Merrimack County District Conservationist with the Natural Resources Conservation Service (NRCS). Learn about recreation trail layout and construction including how to mark trails and install and maintain water bars and brook-crossing devices from Bob Spoerl with Trailwrights and the N.H. Division of Forests and Lands. Sources of technical and financial assistance will be covered. This workshop is cosponsored by the N.H. Tree Farm Program.

November 12- Silviculture for Landowners

Silviculture-the art and science of regenerating and tending trees and forests-can help you meet your land management objectives. Using silviculture can help you manage for firewood, timber and wildlife. It helps you choose which trees to cut and which to leave for future growth. Learn about tree succession and tolerance, soils, group selection, shelterwood, clearcuts, thinning, and other topics related to the art and science of woodlot management.

November 19- Selling Timber and Timber Harvesting Laws

Selling timber is a once in a lifetime activity for most landowners. Proper harvesting can provide income, improve wildlife habitat, and results in trails, better access, views, and healthy and vigorous forests. Learn the steps to insure a successful timber sale. Topics include: goals and objectives, role of foresters and loggers, timber sale contracts, laws, and taxes.

Questions about the program?

Call Karen Bennett at 862-4861

Questions about registration?

Call Debra Anderson at 862-1028

Presenters include UNH Cooperative Extension staff:

Karen Bennett, Extension Specialist, Forest Resources

Andy Fast, Extension Educator, Forest Resources, Belknap County

Tim Fleury, Extension Educator, Forest Resources, Merrimack County

Directions to the UNH Cooperative Extension Office, Merrimack County, 315 Daniel Webster Highway, Boscawen, NH

From Southern NH: Head North on I-93. Take Exit 17, bear right. Continue on this route through Boscawen. Road forks (Route 4 & Route 3) at big white church. Bear right at fork (Route 3) and continue toward Franklin. The Extension office is located on the left, approximately 2.5+ miles from fork.

From Northern NH: Head South on I-93. Take Exit 17W. Bear right from exit. Follow through to Boscawen. Road forks (Route 4 & Route 3) at big white church. Bear right at fork (Route 3) and continue toward Franklin. The Extension office is located on the left, approximately 2.5+ miles from fork.

IMPORTANT PARKING UPDATE

Due to minimized parking at our office, meeting participants are urged to park in the lot at the newly constructed Merrimack County Home. As you turn into the road leading to our office, continue straight up the hill and park to the left. The area that faces the back of our office is to be used first. Participants will then need to walk down the access road to our office.

Caring For Your Forest - Fall Series 2010

Registration assists our planning.

Name _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip Code _____

Phone _____

Email _____

Additional Names: _____

_____ acres owned or managed

(Please indicate numbers attending in box)

Cost/per person

Oct. 29 \$10.00

Nov. 5 \$10.00

Nov. 12 \$10.00

Nov. 19 \$10.00

Each additional family member gets a \$5 discount per workshop.

\$ _____ Total Amount Enclosed

Please make checks payable to:
UNH Cooperative Extension

Mail check and registration form to:

Debbie Anderson, UNH Cooperative Extension
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Durham, NH 03824

NOTE: If you have special needs in order to participate in this program, please contact us 2 weeks in advance of the program date informing us of your need, to allow us time to make the necessary arrangements. Thank you.