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Taking Woodland Management to New Heights Using Unmanned Aerial Systems (aka, Drones)



March 30 10:00 - 2:00 On-line registration: https://forestupdate.frec.vt.edu



Virginia Forest Landowner Education Program

Taking Woodland Management to New Heights Using Unmanned Aerial Systems (Drones)

Where:

Scott Family Tree Farm 130 Edloe Lane Amherst, VA 24521

When:

Friday, March 30, 2018 10:00 - 2:00

What:

Learn about unmanned aerial systems - how they operate and how woodland owners can incorporate them into their management planning. You'll also learn about the laws and regulations pertaining to their use.

Who:

All woodland owners interested in learning how to use this technology to manage their woodlands.

This program will be held both indoors and outdoors, so please dress comfortably and appropriately for the weather. Minimal walking will be required.

Lunch and refreshments will be provided for all registered attendees.

Space is limited to 15 attendees, so register early!

Agenda*

- 9:30 Check in and Coffee Jennifer Gagnon, VT
- 10:00 Welcome and Introductions Jennifer Gagnon, Jason Fisher, VCE, Kerry Scott, Landowner
- 10:10 Background, Legal Issues, Sensors, John McGee, VT
- 11:15 Field Demonstration, Ben Clark, 323 Unmanned Flight Services
- 12:30 Lunch/Questions
- 1:00 Using the Data, John McGee, Ben Clark
- 2:00 Evaluations and Adjourn, Jennifer Gagnon
- *Agenda subject to change.



Questions?

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