Conference Description

This all-day conference for owners of large or small tracts of land...

- is a virtual one stop/first stop for individuals, families, and managers to learn about woods, wildlife, and other natural resources.
- provides multiple links to information, sources of assistance and a broader community of landowners and professionals.
- will explore a myriad of forest issues relevant to woodland owners.

Masking Required

"This is one of the best programs I have attended for the price; thanks to all those that organize it and I plan to be there next year." - 2019 participant

Is Wytheville easier for you to reach? Another Woods & Wildlife event is being held in Wytheville on Feb. 19!



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Woods?

Landowners' Woods & Wildlife Conference

Bringing out the Best in Your Property

February 26, 2022 8:30 AM - 4:30 PM



Daniel Technology Center – Germanna Community College (Culpeper)

Directions

Daniel Technology Center – Germanna Community College 18121 Technology Drive, Culpeper, VA

From US 15 / US 29 North or South:

Exit onto US 522 N / VA 3 W. Go 0.5 mi. and turn right on McDevitt Dr. Go 0.3 mi. and turn right on Technology Dr. Go 0.3 mi. and turn left to stay on Technology Dr. Building will be on the left.

Masking Required "Thanks for the broad array of topics!" -2021 Virtual W&W participant Virginia Cooperative Extension

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Program

Note: Pre-selection of sessions is not offered

Keynote

Forest Health Update

Lori Chamberlin, VA Dept. of Forestry

Concurrent Sessions

- a) Edible Landscapes– Charlotte Lorick, Virginia Working Landscapes
- b) Conserving Your Land: Ins and Outs - Sarah Parmelee, VA Dept. of Forestry
- c) American Kestrel habitat Bert Harris, The Clifton Institute

Afternoon Plenary

Wildlife Health Update

David Kocka, VA Dept. of Wildlife Resources

Concurrent Sessions

- a) Backyard Woods Management & Urban Wood – Adam Downing, Virginia Cooperative Extension; Joe Lehnen & Jordan Herring, VA Dept. of Forestry
- b) Prescribed Fire: Why, Where, & When
 Justin Folks, VA Dept. of Wildlife Resources
- c) Herbicide application: Methods & Skills Linnea Stewart, Fairfax County

Concurrent Sessions

- a) Piedmont Grassland Bird Initiative October Greenfield, Piedmont Environmental Council
- b) Beginner Christmas Tree Growing Kyle Peer, Virginia Cooperative Extension
- c) Hardwoods "R" Hard Joe Rossetti VA Dept. of Forestry

Capstone

The Virginia Elk – Jackie Rosenberger, VA Dept. of Wildlife Resources

Program subject to change without notice

Registration

Required by <u>February 14, 2022;</u> firstcome, first-served.

*** 2 Ways to Register! *** By check and mail: Fill out form below Online:<u>https://forestupdate.frec.vt.edu/o</u> <u>nlineregistration.html</u> Click *On-Line Registration* tab, select Woods & Wildlife Culpeper

Name(s):
Address:
Phone:
Email:
Do you own woodland?YesNo
If yes, land county:
Total Acres: Wooded Acres:
Registration Fee: Includes lunch and

Registration Fee: Includes lunch and materials. Registration is processed when payment is received. Fee is non-refundable but may be transferred to another person.

S45/Person

Steel \$80/Couple

If paying by check, return this form with payment by February 14th to:

Kathie Hollandsworth VT Dept. of Forest Resources 228 Cheatham Hall (0324) Blacksburg, VA 24061

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