2022 Virginia Tree Farm Tours

Please select your date/location

☐ October 6 Franklin Lumber, Franklin
☐ October 21 Wright Forestry LLC, Mecklenburg County

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In 2017, Tree Farm celebrated 75 years of Tree Farming in Virginia.

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Two dates/locations
On-line registration: https://forestupdate.frec.vt.edu

Only $10
American Tree Farm System Standards of Sustainability

1. Commitment to Practicing Sustainable Forestry
2. Compliance with Laws
3. Reforestation and Afforestation
4. Air, Water, and Soil Protection
5. Fish, Wildlife, Biodiversity and Forest Health
6. Forest Aesthetics
7. Protect Special Sites
8. Forest Product Harvests and Other Activities

Over 10 million acres (63%) of Virginia's woodlands are owned by folks like you. Virginia woodland owners are committed to improving the health and productivity of their forests. And over 700 Virginia woodland owners have taken an extra step to improve their forests by adopting and implementing the American Tree Farm Standards of Sustainability to become Tree Farmers.

The Virginia Tree Farm Foundation would like to invite current and potential Tree Farmers to a social, lunch, & tour this fall.

Participants will tour either a sawmill or a Tree Farm and learn about sustainable forest management. You'll also learn about the Virginia Tree Farm Foundation - where it has been and where it is going.

Pre-registration is required.

Detailed agendas for each dinner are available at: https://forestupdate.frec.vt.edu/

October 6th
11:30 - 4:00
Franklin Lumber
529 Carrsville Highway
Franklin, Virginia 23851
https://www.franklinlumber.net/
757-304-5200 x 104

October 21st
11:00 - 3:00
Wright Forestry LLC
5480 Blackridge Road
Blackridge, VA 23950
charlesawrightlogging@gmail.com
434-636-2492

Register on-line!
Visit https://forestupdate.frec.vt.edu
Or send this form with a check ($10/person) made payable to Virginia Tech Treasurer to:
Kathie Hollandsworth
228 Cheatham Hall (0324)
310 West Campus Drive
Blacksburg, VA 24061

Please register no later than 10 days prior to the dinner.
Name(s) of participating family members:
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Street:____________________________________________
City:______________________________________________
State:______________________Zip:____________________
e-mail:____________________________________________
Phone:____________________________________________
Dietary needs:_____________________________________
Land County_______________________________________
Total Acres________Wooded Acres________
Are you currently a Tree Farmer? __________

Please indicate which dinner you will be attending on the backside of this form.