

Forest Management Tour

October 22nd, 2014
University of Arkansas
Livestock and Forestry Research Station
Batesville, AR

Overview:

The U of A Livestock and Forestry Research Station (LFST) and Arkansas Forest Resources Center have been working diligently to develop innovative research and demonstrations at the forefront of forest management concepts. This workshop will include a field tour of the upland hardwood and pine research and demonstration areas on the station. Attendees will receive a first-hand view of hardwood and pine management practices for timber and wildlife, including: insects and diseases, prescribed fire, herbicide applications, timber markets and harvesting, and research results of current projects. The tour will include ample time to explore the demonstration areas and open discussion time. The goal is for landowners to leave with a sense of how to implement these practices on their own properties.

Agenda:

8:30 – 9:00 **Registration**

9:00 – 9:45 **Forest Health** – Current and potential invaders of north Arkansas woodlands
Jon Barry and Tamara Walkingstick, AFRC

9:45 – 11:45 **Prescribed Burning Tour**

Prescribed burning to improve forest health *Kyle Cunningham, AFRC*

Prescribed burning to improve wildlife habitat *Becky McPeake, AFRC*

Planning a prescribed burn *Kenny Smothers, AFC*

12:00 – 12:45 **Lunch and Door Prizes** (indoors)

12:45 – 3:00 **Pine Management and Harvesting Tour**

Choosing a planting stock for planted pines *Chris Stuhlinger, AFRC*

Herbaceous weed control in planted pines *Kyle Cunningham, AFRC*

Timber Harvest Tour *Chris Stuhlinger, Kyle Cunningham, and Becky McPeake, AFRC*

~ 3:00 pm **Adjourn**

** Refreshments will be provided in afternoon tour.

** The tours will require some light walking in the field.

Registration: Registration fee is \$10 per person (payable to "UACES")

Registration Deadline is Wednesday, October 15th, 2014.

No refunds after the deadline.

Register ASAP! Attendance will be limited to 30 people.

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Lunch and educational handouts will be provided.
Great door prizes!

Directions: From Batesville, take Hwy. 69 west of town about 8 miles to Hwy. 106. Go south about 3 miles to the Station entrance.

See location map at www.batesvillestation.org

Workshop Sponsors:



- *Livestock and Forestry Research Station*
- *Arkansas Forest Resources Center*
- *UA Cooperative Extension Service*
- *UA Agricultural Experiment Station*



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If using a credit card, please email contact information to kcunningham@uaex.edu

Mail registration information (use form below) and \$10 fee per person (payable to "UACES") to:

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Name _____ (please print, will appear on name tag)

Mailing address _____

City _____ State _____ County _____

Phone _____ E-mail _____

Affiliation (landowner, company, etc.) _____

Amount enclosed (\$10 per person) \$ _____

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