

Penn State Extension Trainings

Tree Tenders Training

Thursday, September 26, 2013 6-9 p.m.

Middletown Municipal Center, 3 Municipal Way, Langhorne, PA

or

Tuesday evenings, September 24, Oct 1, 2013 6-9 p.m.

John Heinz Nat'l Wildlife Refuge at Tinicum, Delaware County, Philadelphia, PA

or

Wednesday evenings, October 2, 9, 16, 2013 6-9 p.m.

Penn. Horticultural Society Headquarters, 100 N 20th St, Philadelphia, PA

Become part of the growing movement of TreeVitalize, a program designed to increase Pennsylvania's tree cover and the benefits that trees offer us all. Eight hours of hands on training will cover: tree biology, identification, planting, proper care and working within your community. ISA CEUs will be awarded. Go to register at www.pennhort.net/treetenders. It's not too late!

A Gardener's Journey: From Turf to Tranquility

October 1, 7:00-8:30 p.m. FREE

Fredricksen Library, 100 N. 19th Street, Camp Hill 17011

Featuring Shirley Stark, PSMG

Learn garden design, plant selection & other interesting gardening tips from off the beaten path. Shirley began her garden journey in 1989, with dreams of cut flowers for her table and a few fresh vegetables for her salads. She is now converting her "Never Mow" English cottage-style garden into a biologically diverse native plant sanctuary for birds, bees, butterflies and the occasional stray neighbor.

To register contact: Penn State Extension, Cumberland County at 717-240-6500 or 1-888-697-0371 x6500 or CumberlandExt@psu.edu

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Morris Arboretum of the University of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia, PA

For more information visit www.morrisarboretum.org

Oct. 1: Emerald Ash Borer: Planning for 2014, 4.5 ISA CEU, 9 a.m.-2:30 p.m.

Oct. 2: Introductory Tree Climbing for Women, 5.75 ISA CEU, 9 a.m.-4 p.m. ***Hey women, why not join this 50-year-old woman and challenge yourself in a safe environment?!

Oct. 10-11: Electrical Hazard Awareness, Aerial Rescue, and Chain Saw Safety, 11.5 ISA CEU, 9 a.m. - 4 p.m.

Oct. 17: New Field Techniques for Tree Evaluation, 5.75 ISA CEU, 9 a.m.-4 p.m.

Oct. 22-24: Introductory Tree Climbing, 17.25 ISA CEU, 9 a.m.-4 p.m.

Oct. 23: Pruning Deciduous Trees, 4.75 ISA CEU, 9 a.m.-3 p.m.

Oct. 30: Climate Change and Sea Level Rise: Predicting the Effects, 5.75 ISA CEU, 9 a.m.-4 p.m.

Oct. 31: Tools and Techniques of Modern Arboriculture, 5.75 ISA CEU, 9 a.m.-4 p.m.

Tree Climbing School

Oct 7-11, 2013

Horticulture Center, 100 N Horticulture Dr, Philadelphia, PA 19131

This five-day tree climbing school is sponsored by the Pennsylvania State University Extension and the International Society of Arboriculture - Penn Del Chapter. The school is designed to teach the fundamentals of safe tree climbing and maintenance. Major emphasis will be placed on learning the skills required to climb and prune trees. Experienced professionals from Penn State, ISA Penn Del Chapter and industry will present lectures and demonstrations. The school will include classroom and fieldwork covering:

- safety/safe climbing practices,
- equipment/use of hand tools,
- tree terminology,
- tree disease and insect diagnosis,
- culture and pruning,
- tree removal, and
- knots.

For more information, contact David Harry at dwh8@psu.edu or 814-865-7541

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October 11, 2013

Forty Fort, PA

Contact: Vinnie Cotrone, 570-602-0610 or vjc1@psu.edu

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Arborist Short Course

October 16 & 17, 23 & 24, 2013

Montgomery County 4H Center, Creamery, PA

Contact Julianne Schieffer, 610-489-4315 or jxs51@psu.edu or register at <http://agsci.psu.edu/arborist>

This course covers the essential background knowledge needed for tree care practices and prepares participants for the ISA Certification Exam. All participants receive the newly revised ISA Arborists' Certification Study Guide. ISA, PLNA, LA, and Pesticide credits are available.