Woodland Owners Short Course

Central - Aug. 15
West - Aug. 29
East - Sept. 26
Register at: ukforestry.org

Still don’t know which track to take? Here’s help!

Follow the arrows and select the track with two or more statements in which you most relate. Couples can split up to attend both tracks.

I don’t know my options as it relates to managing my woodlands.
I am not sure of the services and assistance available to help me manage my woodlands.
I am fairly new to woodland ownership.
I have identified objectives for my woodlands and have a management plan.
I have worked with forestry and other natural resource professionals in managing my woodlands.
I have owned my woodlands for some time and am looking to become more active in its management.

Consider registering for the Green Track.
Consider registering for the Gold Track.

Registration includes: lunch, clipboard, resource CD, transportation to field sites and educational programs from some of the best forestry and natural resource experts in Kentucky.

Please check the track(s) you wish to attend:

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Course Fees (Pre-registration strongly encouraged):
Sessions are $20 or $30 for couples. ($10 extra on day of program.)

Visa/MasterCard accepted on-line, by phone or mail.
Circle one: Visa or MasterCard

Expiration date: _______ month / _______ year

Mail this registration form to:
Woodland Owners Short Course
UK Forestry Extension
216 T.P. Cooper Building
Lexington, KY 40546
Register on line at:
www.ukforestry.org
Information contact: 859.257.7597
2015 Woodland Owners Short Course
9:00 a.m. - 4:30 p.m. (local times) - Registration: 8:30 - 9:00 a.m.

Central Region (Eastern Time) -- August 15
Woodford Co. Extension Office

Green Track
• Getting to know your Woodland and Wildlife Help
• Tree Identification
• Introduction to Invasive Plants and Pests in Central KY
• Principles of Wildlife Habitat and Food

Gold Track
• Managing Woodlands to Deal with Key Invasive Plants and Pests
• Advanced Woodland Management Practices
• Quality Deer Management Land Certification

Held at:
Woodford Co. Extension Office
184 Beasley Road
Versailles, KY 40383-9558
Phone: 859.873.4601
Field Site:
Buckley Wildlife Sanctuary
Please register by August 4.

Both Tracks
• Ash Harvest Tour (due to Emerald Ash Borer)
• Woodland Rehabilitation Techniques
• Deer Management including Trail Camera Surveys
• Native Warm Season Grasses
• Farm Pond Management
• Timber Sales

West Region (Central Time) -- August 29
Christian County Extension Office

Green Track
• Introduction to Woodland and Wildlife Assistance
• Tree Identification
• Wildlife Buffers: Rough Around the Edges
• NRCS Programs for Beginners

Gold Track
• Maximizing Your Woodland and Wildlife Support
• Wildlife, Neighbors, and Habitat Management
• Advanced Woodland Management Practices
• Woodland Certification

Held at:
Christian County Extension Office
2850 Pembroke Road
Hopkinsville, KY 42240
Phone: 270.886.6328
Field Site:
James Hal Farm
Please register by August 18.

Both Tracks
• Beaver Management
• Woodland Access Roads and Erosion Control
• Crop Tree Management and Timber Stand Improvement
• Trees: An inside view
• Timber Sales

East Region (Eastern Time) -- September 26
Hayes Crossing Fire Department

Green Track
• Introduction to Woodland and Wildlife Assistance
• Tree Identification
• Introduction to Invasive Plants and Pests in Eastern KY

Gold Track
• Maximizing Your Woodland and Wildlife Support
• Managing Woodlands to Deal with Key Invasive Plants and Pests
• Timber Trespass

Held at:
Hayes Crossing Fire Department
6400 US-60
Morehead, KY 40351
Phone: 606.783.1445
Field Site:
(Legacy provided)
• Lynn Johnson Farm

Both Tracks
• Timber Stand Improvement Practices
• Storm Salvage Harvesting
• Woodland Access Roads and Erosion Control
• Wildlife Management Practices
• Improving Grouse Habitat
• Timber Sales
• Fire: Prescribed and Wild

What to Expect at the Woodland Owners Short Course...

• After you register, we will e-mail or mail you a confirmation letter.
• Exhibits and tabletop displays from WOSC partners with additional hand-outs will be available.
• We will be inside (classroom) and outside (in the woods and fields).
• We try to create a safe, comfortable, and overall receptive educational environment; however some programs will occur in a “woodland setting” so participants should be prepared to meet Mother Nature on her own terms.
• Some walking will be required, but we have done our best to keep it to a minimum.
• The programs will occur “rain or shine” and will only be cancelled for severe weather.

Items YOU might want to bring:
• Comfortable walking shoes
• Sunscreen and hat
• Insect/Tick repellent
• Raincoat
• Possibly a lightweight portable chair
• Questions and a desire to get the most out of your woodlands

Items WE supply:
• Lunch and water throughout the day
• Clipboard, note pad, pen, hand outs, and a reference CD
• Insect/Tick repellent
• Qualified presenters eager to help

Woodland Owners Short Course (WOSC) is a great opportunity to learn how to enhance your woodlands with assistance from Kentucky forestry, wildlife, and natural resource organizations.

The WOSC is designed to assist Kentucky’s woodland owners in the care and management of their woodland resource and is run on a regional basis with full Saturday programs in the East, Central, and West regions of the state. The regional programs have been developed by local planning committees with local needs in mind and cover a wide variety of subjects. The WOSC offers two programming tracks: one for woodland owners just getting started and one for those already actively managing their woodlands. The WOSC is one of the best woodland owner educational opportunities available in the state and anyone with an interest in forestry or wildlife will benefit from attending. Register now because space is limited.

Please join us at the 2015 Woodland Owners Short Course to learn how you can get the most from your woodlands. Kentucky’s woodlands are capable of providing many benefits, including income, to their owners and these benefits can be enhanced through proper care and management. Learn how to care for your woodlands and find out about all the resources available to help you. The 2015 WOSC is designed to assist Kentucky’s woodland owners in the care and management of their woodland resource and is run on a regional basis with full Saturday programs in the East, Central, and West regions of the state. The regional programs have been developed by local planning committees with local needs in mind and cover a wide variety of subjects. The WOSC offers two programming tracks: one for woodland owners just getting started and one for those already actively managing their woodlands. The WOSC is one of the best woodland owner educational opportunities available in the state and anyone with an interest in forestry or wildlife will benefit from attending. Register now because space is limited.