



Allegheny Society of American Foresters

WINTER MEETING 2016, RADISSON NORTH BALTIMORE HOTEL, FEBRUARY 17-19, 2016

Traditional and Urban Forestry: At the Crossroads

5.5 Category 1 CFE Credits, 2.5 Category 2 CFE Credits, and 1.5A Credits Applied For.

Agenda

Wednesday, February 17, 2016

- 10:00AM-2:00PM **Optional Tour of the Port of Baltimore, Forest Products Terminal & Dundalk Marine Terminal** (Pre-registration is required, times are approximate)
- 2:00 **Registration Desk Open, Lobby**
- 3:00-6:00 **Allegheny SAF Executive Committee Meeting, Chesapeake Room.**
- 6:00-9:00 **Icebreaker Social, Atrium**

Thursday, February 18, 2016

- 7:00 **Registration Desk Open,**
Reginald E. Forbes Art Contest, Exhibitors, and Silent Auction areas open, Chesapeake Room
Breakfast on your own.
- 9:00 **Welcome and Opening Remarks, Bryan Seipp, MD/DE SAF Chair, (Dulany Valley Ballroom)**
- 9:10 **Traditional and Urban Forestry in the Mid-Atlantic, Steven W. Koehn, Director, Cooperative Forestry, USDA Forest Service**
- 9:45 **Carbon Expanding Role in Traditional and Urban Forestry, Tom Martin, President, American Forest Foundation.**
- 10:15 **Morning Break, Atrium**
- 10:45 **USDA Urban Forestry, Phillip Rodbell, NA Regional Coordinator, USDA Forest Service Urban and Community Forestry**
- 11:15 **State Forester Panel—Don Vanhassent (MD), Mike Valenti (DE-Invited), Randy Dye (WV-Invited), Dan Devlin (PA-invited), Lynn Flemming (NJ-Invited).**
- 12:00 **Lunch, Greenspring Ballroom**

Afternoon Breakout Sessions

Dulany Valley 1: Urban Issues

- 1:00 **Utility Forestry, Danny Davis, BGE Forestry Section Forester**
- 1:40 **The Greater Baltimore Wilderness Coalition, Marlo Atkinson, US Fish and Wildlife Service, Project Coordinator**
- 2:20 **Break**
- 2:50 **Stormwater Forestry, Bryan Seipp, Center for Watershed Protection, Ellicott City, MD**
- 3:30 **Urban Wood Utilization, Brian Knox, Consultant Forester**

Dulany Valley 2: Traditional Forestry in Urbanizing Areas

- Landscape Scale Forest Management: Eric Sprague, Chesapeake Forests Program Director, Alliance for the Chesapeake**
- Intergenerational Land Transfer, Craig Highfield, Forests for the Bay Program Manager, Alliance for the Chesapeake**
- Break**
- Northern Long-eared Bat, TBD**
- EAB/Pest update, Rick Turcott, USDA Forest Service**

- 4:30 **College Quizbowl, Dulany Valley**
- 7:00 **Banquet Dinner, Greenspring Ballroom (Pre-registration is required)**
- 8:00 **Banquet Dinner Presentation: Jack Higginbotham, President, Paul Reed Smith Guitars, Stevensville, MD**
- 8:30 **Awards and Announcements**



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Friday, February 19, 2016

- 7:00 **Chair's Breakfast** (*Pre-registration required*)
Chair's Breakfast Presentation: *TBD*
Reginald E. Forbes Art Contest, Exhibitors, and Silent Auction areas open, *Chesapeake Room*
- 8:15 **State Society Business Meetings**
MD/DE—Room TBD
Pennsylvania—Room TBD
New Jersey—Room TBD
West Virginia—Room TBD
- 8:30 **Allegheny SAF Business Meeting,** *Dulany Valley Ballroom*
- 9:45 **Wood Fuel Markets** *Kent Jenkins, Vice President of Communications, Enviva Wood Pellets*
- 10:30 **Morning Break,** *Atrium*
- 10:50 **Forest Products Export Market Update,** *Alberto Goetzl, U.S. International Trade Commission*
- 11:30 **Forest Inventory Trends, Apps, and Cloud Computing,** *Max Nova, Founder, Silvia Terra*
- 12:00 **Conclude—Thank you and safe travels!**

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REGISTRATION

Meeting registration is due by **February 12, 2015**. A late fee of \$15.00 will be added to all registrations postmarked after February 12, 2015. All Registration levels include icebreaker social, Thursday lunch, and all breaks. **Bus Tour, Banquet and Chair's breakfast require additional fee (see below).**

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Student.....	\$30
Speaker (<i>Discounted</i>).....	\$70
Thursday Banquet.....	\$32
<i>Select one entrée: Stuffed Chicken Breast <input type="checkbox"/> Slow Roasted Beef <input type="checkbox"/> Vegetarian <input type="checkbox"/></i>	
Sponsor a Student.....	\$30
Wednesday Port of Baltimore Bus Tour (<i>Includes box lunch</i>).....	\$20
Friday Chair's Breakfast.....	\$17
Late Fee (<i>After February 12th</i>).....	\$15
Total.....	\$_____

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Allegheny Winter Meeting, 14038 Blairs Valley Road, Clear Spring, MD 21722.

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