Forest Insects & Disease Field Day

Registration Form

Please return this form with a check for $10 per person by 5 working days prior to program you wish to attend.

☐ **Orofino** (Friday, July 19th, 2013)
Return to: UI Extension-Clearwater County, 2200 Michigan Ave, Orofino, ID 83544. Phone: 208-476-4434. Make checks ($10/person) payable to: UI Extension Program Fund.

☐ **St. Maries** (Friday, August 2rd, 2013)
Return to: UI Extension – Benewah County Office, 701 College Avenue, Courthouse basement, St. Maries, ID 83861. Phone: 208-245-2422. Make checks ($10/person) payable to: UI Extension Program Fund.

Name(s): _____

Address: _____

City: _____

State: _____

Zip: _____

Phone: _____

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Forest Insects & Disease Field Day

for Forest Owners & Loggers

Orofino
Friday, July 19th, 2013
8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.
Meet at Clearwater County Extension office
2200 Michigan Ave.

St. Maries
Friday, August 2rd, 2013
8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.
Meet at Benewah County Fairgrounds

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Is something bugging your trees?

It can be very disheartening to see patches of trees dying on your property. One of the primary goals of most forest owners is to have a healthy forest, and to most, that means healthy living trees. Unfortunately, many people do not act on insect and disease issues until they see dead branches or similar visible symptoms. Successful methods to minimize forest insects and disease problems are usually preventative, before problems can be seen.

Every tree species has insects and diseases that attack it. Native insects and diseases are a natural part of the forest. However, sometimes these organisms damage more trees than we want them to, especially if we have (usually unknowingly) created a favorable environment for them.

This one-day field trip will give participants first-hand exposure to a wide range of insects, diseases, and parasitic plants that impair the growth of trees and forests in northern Idaho. Experts will be on hand to help participants identify insect and disease symptoms and discuss practical, long-term and short-term methods of dealing with them.

Agenda

8:00 am **Introductions & Orientation**

8:30 am **Start field trip (bring a sack lunch)**

Items to be viewed

- Pine and fir bark beetles
- Armillaria and other root diseases
- White pine blister rust
- Indian paint, Pini, & other stem decays
- Dwarf mistletoes

Participating professionals

* *Tom Eckberg*, Forest Health Specialist, Idaho Department of Lands
* *Dan Miller*, Forest Pathologist Idaho Department of Lands (contracted)
* *Local Forest Practice Advisors*, IDL
* *Chris Schnepf*, UI Area Extension Educator- Forestry or *Bill Warren*, UI Extension Educator – Natural Resources / Rural Development / 4-H

5:00 pm **Return to Departure Site**

Credits

Society of American Foresters Continuing Forestry Education credits: 2 hours, Category 1.

Idaho Master Forest Stewards CE credits: 4 credits

Idaho Pro-Logger Credits: 8 credits.

Idaho Dept. of Agriculture pesticide recertification credits: 5 credits.

Date and Location

The *Forest Insects & Disease Field Day* will be held on **Friday, July 19th, 2013 in Orofino** (departing from Clearwater County Extension office, located at 2200 Michigan Ave. in Orofino), and again on **Friday, August 2rd, 2013 in St. Maries** (departing from the Benewah County Fairgrounds).

To ensure an effective learning environment, **this session is limited to 75 participants.** Please return the registration form on the back of this flyer, as soon as possible, to assure your place and help us plan. A $10 registration fee covers handouts and refreshments.

For registration questions, contact the University of Idaho Extension Office listed on the registration form. For program questions, contact *Bill Warren* (208-476-4434) or *Chris Schnepf* (208-446-1680).

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