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Invasive Species Management Workshop—free!

Templeton State Forest

Entrance is off 2A on Patriots Rd before the Route 2 underpass

Saturday, October 29, 2016 | 9:30 a.m. -11:30 a.m., Templeton, MA

Do you own land? Do you want to protect it from being taken over by invasive plants? Learn the tools and techniques to treat and remove invasive species on your land!

For more information and to RSVP for this free workshop, contact DCR Service Forester Fletcher Clark, Fletcher.clark@state.ma.us | (413) 262-2367.

This workshop is sponsored by the North Quabbin Regional Landscape Partnership and the Massachusetts Department of Conservation and Recreation.

i-Tree Online Workshop

i-Tree Design and Canopy

Wednesday, October 19, 2016 | 1:00 p.m. - 2:00 p.m. (Eastern)

For more information and to register, go to: [http://www.unri.org/ itreeworkshops/](http://www.unri.org/itreeworkshops/).

Urban Forestry Today Webcast Series

Emerald Ash Borer Research Update Thursday, November 3, 2016 | 12:00 p.m. - 1:00 p.m. (Eastern) Dan Herms, Ph.D., The Ohio State University

Join Dr. Dan Herms, The Ohio State University, as he provides an update about Emerald Ash Borer, discusses the ecology of an EAB invasion, and outlines future research directions regarding this invasive pest of importance.

To attend, visit: www.joinwebinar.com and enter the code 553-335-555.

These broadcasts are free and will offer the opportunity for arborists to earn 1.0 ISA CEU and 0.5 MCA credit for each webcast. For those who are unable to attend the live broadcast, archived sessions will be available in the ‘videos’ section at www.urbanforestrytoday.org.

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Quabbin Watershed Forest Management Tour
Red Pine Scale & Plantation Conversion: from monoculture to diverse native forest

Saturday, November 5, 2016 | 10:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m., Belchertown, MA
(Rain date: November 6)

Tour starts at the
Quabbin Visitor’s Center
485 Ware Road (Route 9), Belchertown, MA

Wear sturdy shoes and long pants, and bring tick repellent.

Please RSVP to Helen.Johnson@state.ma.us.

Questions? Email Helen or call the Visitor’s Center at (413) 323-7221.

Other items of note:

Tree City USA Online Portal is now open for 2016 applications. For information, click [here](#).
October 25 is the **Mass. Arborists Association Safety Saves Seminar & Dinner Meeting** in Framingham. Find out more at www.massarbor.org.

October 29 is the **MACC Fall Conference: Managing Massachusetts Forests**, Holyoke Community College, Holyoke, www.maccweb.org or contact staff@maccweb.org.

November 1 is the deadline for the **DCR Urban and Community Forestry Challenge Grant**.
The **DCR Arbor Day Poster Contest** theme for 2017 has been announced: **Trees are Terrific...from Berkshires to Bay!** Find out more about this contest for 5th grade students at www.mass.gov/dcr/urban-and-community-forestry and click “Branching Out” at right.

The **New England Chapter-International Society of Arboriculture 50th Annual Conference** will be held **November 5-8, 2016** in Burlington, VT. Find out more at www.newenglandisa.org.

--DCR Urban and Community Forestry Program


