Basic Woodland Management Short Course

March 3rd to March 29th, 2011

If you have a small woodland parcel, or are intending to buy one someday, then this course is for you.

It covers all of the basic topics you need to know, and who you might want to contact to begin managing your woodlands. Sessions will be held at the Linn County-OSU Extension Office, 4th and Lyons Streets, Albany; except a Saturday field trip, which will be on a local woodland property.

Course Schedule

Thur. March 3, 6:30-9:00pm
Introduction; How your woodland works; Sustaining your forest—protection from pests, and fire. Tree and Shrub I.D.

Thur. March 10, 6:30-9:00pm
Measuring trees and other resources; Establishing and maintaining new tree plantings

Sat. March 12, 9:00am-3:00pm
Indoors: Techniques for keeping your woodland healthy and growing; Outdoors—Property hike featuring practical strategies for taking better care of your property.

Thur. March 17, 6:30-9:00pm
Harvesting and marketing; Forest Laws and Incentive Programs

Tues. March 29, 6:30pm-9:00pm
Taxes and Business management; A Place for Fish and Wildlife on your Woodlands.

Primary instructor for this course is Rick Fletcher, OSU Extension Forester for Linn and Benton Counties. To attend you must pre-register no later than February 21st by completing and mailing/delivering the registration form below.

Cost of the course for instruction, materials and transportation is $35 per person or $50 per couple (couple shares one set of materials).

If you provide a legal description of your property, we will prepare a site packet of maps and photos for your property for use in discussing management options.

Registration for Basic Forestry Short Course

Name(s): ___________________________________________ Email: ________________________________
Mailing Address: ________________________________________________
City ___________________________ Zip ______________ Phone: _________________________

Make payment to: OSU Extension. Bring or mail this form to: Basic Forestry Short Course, OSU Extension Service—Benton County, 1849 NW 9th Street, Corvallis, OR 97330.

Legal description of your forestland: Township: _____ Range: _____ Section: _________
Tax Lot Number: ___________________________

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