

2017-18 OSU Land Steward Program Schedule **DRAFT 7.19**

11 Week Training and other program dates (2 pages)

Date (Tues.)	Topic	Instructor	Class Location
Sept. 5: Week 1	Program Introduction: Stewardship Management Planning	Rachel Werling, OSU Ext. Max Bennett, OSU Ext.	OSU Extension: Auditorium
Sept. 12: Week 2	Dryland & Irrigated Pasture	Clint Nichols?, JSWCD Gordon Jones, OSU Extension	Ashland: Patrick Burch Ron & Pam Hillers
Sept. 19: Week 3	Wildlife Habitat & Natural Veg./Weeds	Rachel Werling, OSU Ext. Steve Niemela ODFW Cat Kizer, Land Steward AC	Sam's Valley: Cat Kizer Table Rock
Sept. 26: Week 4	Woodland & Forest	Max Bennett, OSU Ext.	Butte Falls: Don Hamman
Oct. 3: Week 5	Water Systems & Oak Habitats	Stan Dean, engineer: LSAC	Colestin Valley: Stan Dean
Oct. 10: Week 6	Growing Your Soil	Scott Goode, LSAC	Central Point: Scott Goode
Oct. 17: Week 7	Economics & Enterprise	Maud Powell, OSU	Talent: Rhianna Simes Ashland: Diane Choplin
Oct. 24: Week 8	Wildfire Prevention	Brian Ballou ODF Tyler Averyt ODF	Applegate: Don Goheen
Nov. 1: Week 9 WEDNESDAY	Riparian Ecosystems	Eugene Weir, Freshwater Trust Brian Barr Rogue River Watershed Council	Ashland: Lara Foote Ashland: Neil Creek on Dunn Ranch
Nov. 7: Week 10	Resources & Regulations Agency Open House	Agency Representatives	OSU Extension: Auditorium
Nov. 14: Wk 11	L.S. Presentations & Volunteer Opportunities	All participants	OSU Extension: Auditorium

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Date	Other Program Elements	Who	Site
2017 Jan.-April	Site Visits (Mentor)	Encouraged for all	2017 Land Steward home sites
Sept.-May	20 volunteer hours	All participants	At your discretion
Sept.-May	1 stewardship project	Encouraged for all	On your property
Seasonally	Quarterly Potlucks	Optional	TBD
April 28, Sat.	Conference LOYL	Optional	RCC in Grants Pass
April	Final Online Survey	Encouraged for all	Online
May or June	Land Steward Graduation	All participants	TBD

Classes will meet at OSU Extension 569 Hanley Rd, on Tuesday from 12:00-5:00 pm and carpool from there **unless otherwise announced.**

Tutoring is available before class by appointment

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