

2018 FOREST STEWARDSHIP WORKSHOP FOR LOGGERS

April 16-18th ... Flathead Lake Biological Station at Yellow Bay

The workshop will begin at 6:30pm on Monday and will conclude at 5:00pm on Wednesday***

Credits: 40 ALP

Cost: \$400 for members/ \$700 for non-members - includes 2 nights' accommodations and meals on Tuesday and Wednesday.

Class size minimum 8 - maximum 20 Pre-Registration is required by **APRIL 9TH**

This workshop is the foundation of the Accredited Loggers Professional program. This program will help you communicate the key role you play in being Stewards of our forests. During the workshop you will learn about ecology associated with Montana forest types, plant ID, wildlife, Range, Silviculture, wildfire, communication, prescriptions, forest inventories and more.

You will learn how to begin assessing a forest, steps to create forest stewardship plans, use professional forestry tools and interact with other professional loggers, foresters and landowners. This workshop opens windows to allow you to view the forest from a broader perspective. You will leave with a base of knowledge that will allow you to effectively communicate with landowners and therefore be successful in competing and completing projects, meeting the goals of the landowners as well as your business goals!

This workshop is produced by Montana State University Extension Forestry and team –taught by natural resource professionals. You will enjoy getting to know these instructors as well as your fellow loggers.

The facilities at Yellow Bay are outstanding. You will have a lake view and great meals (breakfast, lunch and dinner) starting Tuesday morning. You will be staying on site for 2 nights as the classes will run from 8 a.m.to 8:30 pm. There *will* be breaks for lunch and dinner but all of your time at the workshop will be put to use! You will have a private cabin.

Over 415 loggers have taken this workshop since 1993. Over 99% have indicated they would recommend this workshop to others in the timber harvesting business.

What you need to bring:

- your personal gear
- Pencils and pens
- Rain gear
- Boots
- ANSI approved hardhat

Instructors:

- Cindy Bertek Peterson- MSU Extension Forestry
- Rick Moore- DNRC Service Forester
- Lorrie Woods – MLA/ Woods Land & Forestry Consulting

*****There is pre-work required. Monday afternoon from 1-5:00pm will be available to do your pre-work if you haven't gotten it done prior to this. The workshop will not be worthwhile without this pre-work so please plan ahead! Pre-work will be sent to you as soon as we receive your registration so the earlier you register, the more flexibility you have in getting the pre-work done!**



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Company Name: _____ Phone: _____

Address: _____

Email: _____

Names: _____

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