INFORMATION AND REGISTRATION

SAVE $10 before February 20, 2024!

• Advance Registration, RECEIVED BY Feb. 20, is $30 per person and $40 per family.
• Registration on the day of the event is $40 per person and $50 per family.
• Refunds available until the day of the event.

Please return registration form with payment (make check out to Forest Owners Winter School) to:
WSU Extension
400 Washington Street
Wenatchee, WA  98801

Name: ____________________________________
Address: ______________________________
City: _______________________________________________
State: ______________ Zip: ______________
Daytime phone: _____________________________
E-mail: __________________________________
# of acres owned: ______________________
County of ownership: _________________________

___ Registration by Feb. 20
  $30/person; $40/family $ _______

___ Registration after Feb. 20
  $40/person; $50/family $ _______

___ Lunch/$10 each (by 2/20) $ _______

TOTAL ENCLOSED $ ________

Mobility assistance needed? ❑ Yes ❑ No

Persons with a disability requiring special accommodations while participating in this program may call WSU Chelan County Extension, 509-667-6540. If accommodation is not requested in advance, we cannot guarantee the availability of accommodation on site.

WSU Extension programs and employment are available to all without discrimination. Evidence of noncompliance may be reported through your local WSU Extension office.
The Forest Owners Winter School is a hands-on, interactive educational event for families who own forestland in Washington. Whether you live on your land or are an absentee owner, this is a great opportunity to learn how to gain more benefits from your family forest no matter where it is located in the state.

Come to the Winter School and:
• Get practical, “how-to” advice on simple stewardship practices
• Talk with agency and natural resource professionals from Eastern and Western Washington who are available to assist you in meeting your family’s goals
• Meet other landowners (maybe a neighbor!)
• See equipment displays and speak to vendors
• Get your forestry questions answered at the resource center

Workshops and classes range from 1 hour to 2 hours. Throughout the day, over two dozen topics will be presented for you to choose from! By the end of the day, you will have attended four–six sessions. In addition, there will be a resource area featuring exhibitors, vendors, and displays by public, private, and nonprofit organizations that provide products and services to assist landowners.

Whether you are a “novice” to family forestry, or your family has owned land for many generations, there is something new for everyone to learn at the Forest Owners Winter School.

DATE
February 24, 2024
9:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.
Gates open at 8:00 a.m.

LOCATION
Community Colleges of Spokane
1810 N. Greene Street
Spokane, WA 99202

REGISTRATION FEE
Advance registration (received by February 20) is $30 per person and $40 per family (or $40 per person and $50 per family on the day of the event). Registration includes all class materials and refreshments. Bring the entire family! Box lunches will be available for purchase for an additional $10 each, and must be pre-purchased by February 20.

QUESTIONS?
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WHAT WILL I LEARN?
Session topics* include:
• Forest Health, Bark Beetles, and Root Diseases
• Forest Wildlife and Habitat Enhancement
• Attracting Songbirds; Managing Big Game
• Forest Improvements; Tending Trees; Successful Reforestation
• What To Expect and Do Before, During, and After a Wildfire
• Managing Fuels by Hand, Equipment, Using Prescribed Fire, and Burning Slash Piles
• Chainsaw Safety and Maintenance Clinic (2-hr); Forestry Hand Tools; Portable Sawmills
• Noxious Weeds; Forest Soils; Tree and Shrub I.D.
• Forest Property Tax Benefits; Taxes After Logging
• What Consulting Foresters Do; Forest Management Plans; Realities of Selling Timber
• Forestland Safety and Security
• Landowner Technical and Financial Assistance Programs

* Topics are subject to change

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