

Family Forest Expo

REGISTRATION FORM

SAVE \$20 before March 15!

- Advance Registration, *RECEIVED BY March 15*, is \$40 per family.
- Registration on the day of the event is \$60 per family.
- Refunds available until the day of the event.

Please return registration form with payment (make check out to Family Forest Expo) to:

WSU Chelan County Extension
400 Washington Street
Wenatchee, WA 98801

Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____

State: _____ Zip: _____

Daytime phone: _____

E-mail: _____

of acres owned: _____

County of ownership: _____

___ Registration/\$40 per family \$ _____

___ Lunch/\$10 each \$ _____

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.

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Forest Stewardship
400 Washington Street
Wenatchee, WA 98801

Family Forest Expo sponsored by:

- Washington State University Extension
- Washington Dept. of Natural Resources
- Green River Community College
- Family Forest Foundation
- Washington Farm Forestry Association
- USDA Forest Service

FOURTH Family Forest Expo

INFORMATION AND REGISTRATION

March 23, 2013
9 a.m.–4:30 p.m.
Gates open at 8 a.m.



**Green River Community
College, Auburn**

WASHINGTON STATE UNIVERSITY
EXTENSION

The **Fourth Family Forest Expo** is a hands-on, interactive educational event for families who own forestland in Washington. Whether you live on your land in the Puget Sound area, or are an absentee owner with land in Eastern Washington, 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 **Expo** 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

Each hour, you will attend a different class, demonstration, or tour. 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 six sessions. In addition, there will be a resource area featuring equipment vendors and public, private, and nonprofit organizations that provide landowner assistance.

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 **Fourth Family Forest Expo**.



FOURTH FAMILY FOREST EXPO

Registration for the event is \$40 per family (\$60 on the day of the event). Registration includes all class materials and refreshments. Bring the entire family! Older kids will enjoy many of the hands-on demonstrations. Box lunches will be available for purchase for an additional \$10 each. (Note: There are no restaurants or stores within close proximity of the college; we recommend that you purchase box lunches, or bring your lunch from home.)

What Will I Learn?

Session topics include:

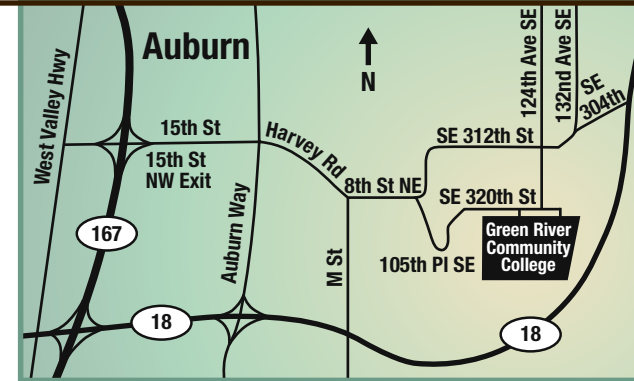
- Identifying trees and shrubs of Washington State
- Identifying wildlife of Washington State
- Managing forests for wildlife habitat
- Common forest insects and diseases
- Fire ecology and fire-wise practices
- Growing and tending forests
- Understory management
- Reforestation principles
- Locating property boundaries
- Pruning trees—how and why
- Basic hand tools
- Small scale equipment demonstrations
- Tree falling demonstration
- Sources of additional assistance

Some workshops will be held outdoors and some indoors. The **Expo** will be held rain or shine! Please wear comfortable and weather-appropriate clothing and footwear. This event is accessible for individuals with limited mobility.

About Green River Community College

The award-winning Natural Resources program at Green River Community College offers university transfer and two-year degrees in: Natural Resources—Park Management, Natural Resources—Water Quality, Natural Resources—Wildland Fire, and Natural Resources—Geographic Information Systems.

<http://www.naturalresourceseducation.com>



Directions to the College

From Highway 167:

1. Take the 15th St NW exit off Hwy 167 and go east.
2. At the intersection of Auburn Way N, 15th St becomes Harvey Rd and angles to the right (south). Stay on Harvey Rd until it intersects with 8th St NE.
3. Turn left (east) on 8th St NE. It crosses the Green River and becomes Lea Hill Rd, which then becomes SE 312th St.
4. Turn right (south) onto 124th Ave SE.
5. Turn left (east) onto SE 320th St for the main campus entrance.

From Highway 18:

1. Take Highway 18 east through Auburn.
2. About three miles past Auburn, take the 304th St exit.
3. Turn right on 304th St, cross over Hwy 18, and follow the arterial through the first traffic light as the road changes from 304th St to 132nd Ave to SE 312th St.
4. Turn left at the intersection with 124th Ave SE and follow to the main campus entrance.

Financial support for this event has been provided by the US Forest Service, State and Private Forestry.