

## ARE MY PINE TREES READY TO THIN AGAIN?

A workshop for private non-industrial forest landowners, loggers, and foresters.

### DESCRIPTION

This workshop provides a field experience to determine when a pine stand is ready for a second thinning. Participants will have a "hands-on" experience measuring trees and making calculations to evaluate the stand for thinning.

### WHERE

Monroe County Extension Office  
517 Hwy 145 North, Suite 1  
Aberdeen, MS

We will meet at the Extension Office for a brief program, then go to the field at Coontail Farm. **Please wear appropriate field clothes, boots, and insect repellent.**

### WHEN

Friday **June 10, 2011** from **8:30 AM – 1:30 PM.**

### COST

Registration is **\$20 per person.** This fee covers the reference materials, refreshments, and lunch. Space is limited. **Register by June 6** to reserve your space and a meal.

### FOR MORE INFORMATION CALL:

BJ McClenton.....(662) 494-5371  
Scott Cagle.....(662) 456-4269  
Romona Edge .....(662) 862-3201  
Sherry Smith.....(662) 841-9000  
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## Program Agenda

8:30 – 8:45 am: **Registration**

8:45 – 9:45 am: **Pine Thinning:** Forest Health, Timber Quality, and Wildlife Habitat, Dr. John Kushla

9:45 – 11:45 am: **Field Exercise:** Sample plots and tree measurements

11:45 am – 12:30 pm: **Lunch**

12:30 – 1:00 pm: **Evaluating Data**

1:00 – 1:30 pm: **Questions & Evaluation**

1:30 pm: **Adjourn**



Presentations by  
Extension Forestry Faculty  
Mississippi State University

Registration— ARE MY PINE TREES READY TO THIN AGAIN? WORKSHOP JUNE 10, 2011

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code \_\_\_\_\_

Please register by June 6, 2011

\_\_\_\_\_ # Attending (\$20 per person)

(Make checks payable to **Monroe County Forestry Association**)

Mail to:  
Mr. B.J. McClenton, County Director  
Monroe County Extension Office  
517 Hwy 145 North, Suite 1  
Aberdeen, MS 39730

Would you like to know more about . . .

... how to prevent bark beetle attack?

... how to enhance wildlife habitat?



... when to thin your pines again?

... how many trees to keep?

... which trees should be removed?



Then attend our “Are my pines ready to thin again?” workshop.



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Monroe County Forestry Association  
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This class carries **3.0 CLE credits, Category 1** to professional loggers.

This class carries **2.0 CFE credits, Category 2** to foresters for **MS BORF Registration only**.

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