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Individuals who require special accommodations to participate should contact the Lafayette County Extension Office to make their request prior to the program. Contact should be timely to ensure appropriate accommodation.

**Lafayette County Forestry
Association**

You are encouraged to become a member of the Lafayette County Forestry Association. Its purpose is to promote, develop, and protect the forest and natural resources in Lafayette County for the best interest of present and future generations.

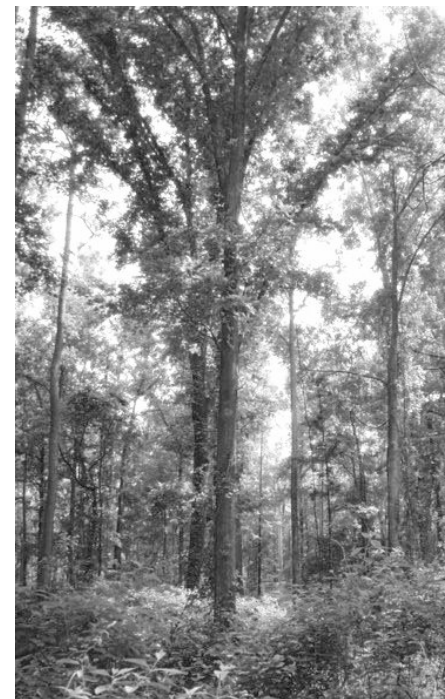
This organization also acts as the “Voice of Forestry” in Lafayette County. The membership conducts public affairs, communications, and educational programs that promote a better understanding of the environment and forest management. If interested, contact Mr. Lance Newman about joining.



This workshop has **3 CLE credits Category 1 to professional loggers.**

This workshop has **No CFE credits to registered foresters.**

**TREE IDENTIFICATION
WORKSHOP**



**Lafayette County Extension Office
101 Veterans Drive
Oxford, Mississippi**

**May 12, 2011
8:30 am to 1:00 pm**

TREE IDENTIFICATION WORKSHOP

This program is for anyone interested in learning how to identify trees. Through a combination of classroom instruction and a field tour, you will learn the most common trees found around Oxford.

WHERE

Lafayette County Extension Office

101 Veterans Drive
Oxford, Mississippi

We will meet at the Extension Office for a brief program. We will then travel to a nearby nature trail for the field identification. **Please wear field clothes, boots, and insect repellent!**

WHEN

Thursday, May 12, 2011

Registration begins at 8:30 am, and the program ends at 1:00 pm.

COST

Registration is **\$20 per person**, and will be **limited**. The registration deadline is **May 9, 2011**, so lunch can be ordered.

The fee covers reference materials, lunch and refreshments. Make your check payable to the **Lafayette County Forestry Association**.

SPONSORS

Lafayette County Forestry Association
Mississippi Forestry Commission
MSU Extension Service
North Mississippi Regional Center

AGENDA

- 8:30 – 9:00 am Registration
- 9:00 – 9:15 am Tree ID Principles
- Leaf shape & arrangement
 - Flowers, fruit, & bark
- 9:15 – 11:30 am Field Tour
- Identification of trees along nature trail at North MS Regional Center
 - Tree ID Quiz!
- 11:30 am – 12:30 pm Lunch
- 12:30 – 1:00 pm Evaluation
- Review quiz - Award door prizes
 - Complete course evaluation
- 1:00 pm Adjourn

INSTRUCTORS

Dr. John Kushla is the northeast Mississippi Extension Forestry Specialist since 2003. Dr. Kushla is experienced in forest soils and pine silviculture, and is also an ISA Certified Arborist.

Dr. Jason Gordon is the northwest Mississippi Extension Forestry Specialist. Dr. Gordon has experience in forest management and rural sociology.

Mr. Garron Hicks is the Service Forester for Lafayette County with the Mississippi Forestry Commission.

FOR MORE INFORMATION

Lance Newman 662-234-4451
John Kushla 662-566-2201

REGISTRATION: Tree Identification Workshop May 12, 2011

Name _____ Phone # _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip Code _____

_____ Total # attending (Registration is \$20 per person, due by May 9; make check payable to Lafayette County Forestry Association)

Mail to:

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Oxford, MS 38655