

Between the Issues Update

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As soon as Branching Out is published each quarter, new events and information become available that we feel is important to share in a timely manner. From time to time, we may send out a "Between the Issues Update" that will keep you informed year-round of new information as it relates to forest stewardship education. Three updates are below:

- 1. Congratulations to the new Maryland Woodland Stewards Class of 2012! Many thanks to each of them for their dedication, commitment, and great enthusiasm! We wish you well as you begin work to raise awareness about good forest stewardship and wildlife management.
 - Carol Cannon, Lexington County, SC
 - Thomas Crosby, Washington County
 - I. Steve Evans, Washington County
 - Selwin Gray, Baltimore County
 - Mike Haigwood, Prince George's County
 - Richard Hayden, St. Mary's County
 - Kathie Jarmon, Cecil County
 - David Kirkwood, Frederick County
 - Craig Lewis, Washington County
 - Gay Ludington, Calvert County
 - Cathy Lynch, Fairfax County
 - Robert MacDonald, Talbot County
 - Lindsay Merkle, Carroll County

- Erik Miller, Prince George's County
- Carl Neutzel, Baltimore County
- Carolyn Pucket, Carroll County
- Willard E. Salter, Frederick County
- Peter Schmaus, Dorchester County
- Jean Small, Dorchester County
- W. Lloyd Southam, Washington County
- Bryan Whorton, Garrett County Maryland

- 2. Visit our Forest Stewardship Education network, <u>Maryland Woodland Connect</u>, to join in on the great conversations from the new Maryland Woodland Stewards and others. <u>Maryland Woodland Connect</u> allows you to connect with Maryland Woodland Stewards, neighbors, woodland owners all across Maryland, and forestry professionals here at the University of Maryland Extension. Start a forum, post a picture, or share a story. A wealth of forestry knowledge awaits you at <u>Maryland Woodland Connect</u>! http://mdwoodlandconnect.ning.com/
- 3. General Forestry Course: What a deal! The General Forestry Course is being offered at a discount! For the month of July, the course costs only \$275.00, a savings of \$25.00. The

University of Maryland Extension will offer the General Forestry Course for the fall 2012 semester. Both the paper and online versions will be offered. The course begins September 1 and runs until December 15, 2012. Registration opens July 1. To register, go to our website at http://www.mdforest.umd.edu. Learn more by downloading the complete announcement at http://www.naturalresources.umd.edu/Documents/Events/
ForestryCoursePressReleaseFall2012.pdf

- 4. Upcoming Events (http://www.naturalresources.umd.edu/Events.html)
 - May 10, 2012 (8:00 a.m. to 1:30 p.m.)
 Producer's Digital Toolbox
 - May 12, 2012 (8:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m.)
 Neighborhood Green Workshop
 - May 15, 2012 (8:00 a.m. to 1:30 p.m.)
 Producer's Digital Toolbox
 - June 30, 2012 (10:00 A.M. to 12:00 p.m.)
 <u>Targeted Goat Grazing Program</u>; Adkins Arboretum
- July 1, 2012
 General Forestry Course Registration
 Opens. See complete announcement for special July Registration Discount
- September 1 December 15, 2012
 General Forestry Course

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