



Calhoun Family Forest Pre-Harvest Tour
Friday, July 18, 2014, 3:00 - 6:00 PM

Join forester Swift Corwin, county forester Steve Roberge and land manager Rick Brackett for a tour through the Conservancy's Calhoun Family Forest in Gilsum to see the areas marked for a timber harvest. This workshop will inform attendees on the Conservancy's goals for conducting a timber harvest, about working with a forester to plan a harvest, and working with the Natural Resource Conservation Service to improve timber quality and wildlife habitat on your property. Sturdy footwear required as some of the tour will occur off trail and uphill.

Location: [John and Rosemarie Calhoun Family Forest](#), White Brook Road, Gilsum NH
Contact: [Email Steve Roberge](#) or call 603-352-4550.

Field workshops will be held rain or shine and will require walking on uneven ground. Sturdy footwear is required. Workshops are free. Registration is not required but appreciated.

For more information on the workshops:
steven.roberge@unh.edu or 603-352-4550

Join the Monadnock Conservancy, UNH Cooperative Extension Forestry & Wildlife, Cheshire County Conservation District and Natural Resources Conservation Service for an exciting workshop series in the Monadnock Region.

Calhoun Family Forest Active Harvest Tour ● Friday, August 15, 2014, 1:00 - 4:00 PM

Join forester Swift Corwin, county forester Steve Roberge and land manager Rick Brackett for a tour through an active timber harvest operation at the Calhoun Family Forest in Gilsum. This workshop will provide attendees the opportunity to see the workings of an active cut-to-length timber harvest operation. Learn about working with a forester and NRCS to implement a timber harvest on your property to meet your goals and how a timber harvest can be used to improve wildlife habitat.

Location: [John and Rosemarie Calhoun Family Forest](#), White Brook Road, Gilsum NH
Contact: [Email Steve Roberge](#) or call 603-352-4550.

Best Practices for Managing Land Near Water ● Friday, September 12, 2014, 3:00 - 6:00 PM

Join county forester Steve Roberge and forester David Hobson for this informative site visit to a recent forestry operation in Chesterfield. This workshop will focus on identifying important water resources and understanding how land management could affect those resources. Best practices discussed will include vegetative buffers, temporary skidder bridges, water bars, pole fords, and gravel and stone structures. Learn about planning and installation of features to protect water quality and aquatic wildlife habitat.

Location: [Log landing](#) at California Brook Headwaters property, Lincoln Hill Road, Chesterfield NH
Contact: [Email Steve Roberge](#) or call 603-352-4550.

Maynard Forest American Chestnut Reintroduction Tour ● Friday, October 17, 2014, 1:00 - 4:00 PM

Join forester Charlie Koch, county forester Steve Roberge and land manager Rick Brackett for a tour through a long term forestry study including American chestnut reintroduction and American beech control at the Maynard Forest in Gilsum. This workshop will provide attendees the opportunity to experience the Conservancy's innovative project to study methods related to control beech regeneration and restore chestnut to a forest setting. Learn about the benefits of healthy chestnuts to wildlife and the timber industry as well as the issues surrounding beech bark disease and deer browse.



Location: [Maynard Forest](#), Old Keene Road, off Belvedere Road, Gilsum NH
Contact: [Email Steve Roberge](#) or call 603-352-4550.

If any accommodations are needed in order to participate fully in these events, contact UNH Cooperative Extension Cheshire County office at (603)352-4550. If possible, please contact us two weeks in advance of the program date informing us of your need to allow time to make the necessary arrangements.

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