



Pre-registration deadline is July 13, 2017. Late registrants and walk-in attendees will be charged extra - an additional \$10.00 over pre-registration rates for members and non-members.

The CTPA is the oldest association of its kind in the United States. Established in 1922, the CTPA is dedicated to the advancement of arboriculture by promoting research, encouraging the practice of proper arboricultural methods, and fostering the exchange of scientific and general information pertaining to arboriculture.

Register early so that we can include you in a great day of fun, education and tree care excitement! And, bring the family - let everyone enjoy the great facilities available at the CTPA Summer Meeting!

CTPA
PO Box 1946
Wallingford, CT 06492

The Connecticut Tree Protective Association



organized August 16, 1922

Summer Meeting Thursday July 20, 2017

at the

The Farmington Club
162 Town Farm Road
Farmington, CT

Attendee Invitation

with an opportunity to earn

CT Arborist (3D) - 6.25 Credit Hours

CT Forest Practitioners - 2 Credit Hours

Advanced Certified Tree Wardens - 6.25 Credit Hours

ISA - 6.25 Credit Hours

TCIA CTSP - 2.50 Credit Hours



CTPA - Summer Meeting
 July 20, 2017, 8:30 am to 4:00 pm
 The Farmington Club, Farmington, CT



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Education
Concurrent Sessions

8:30 - Registration

9:00 - 10:15 am; repeated at 1:00 - 2:15 pm

A History of Oaks and Their Morphology by **Eric Larson**, Yale University's Garden Manager - Marsh Botanical Garden.

This talk will be about the long history of oaks and humans, the significance of porous ring growth, and the tactical differences between the red oak and the white oak.

10:30 - 11:45 am; repeated at 2:30 - 3:45 pm

Real Facts about Climate Change: How Should We Prepare? by **Dr. Richard Cowles**, Agricultural Scientist, CT Agricultural Experiment Station, Valley Laboratory.

Dr. Cowles will provide evidence that our climate really is changing, and discuss some of the predictable effects on arboriculture as a consequence of these changes.

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Tree Work Zone and Road Side Set Up by **John Terault**, Field Supervisor and **Todd Martencheck**, Regional Safety Supervisor Asplundh.

Struck By accidents are the leading cause of fatalities in the tree care industry. John and Todd will discuss and demonstrate how to set up a safe and efficient work zone, with the focus being given to road side work and the drop zone below the tree.

10:30-11:45 am; repeated at 1:00-2:15pm **Forest Health** - by **Dr. Victoria Smith**, Entomologist, CT Agricultural Experiment Station, New Haven.

The forests of CT are rich, diverse and generally healthy but they face challenges, such as gypsy moth, winter moth, emerald ash borer, and drought stress. Dr. Smith will present an update on the current status of CT forest health and outline threats on the horizon.

3:45 - Adjourn - CEU Certifications Available

10:30 - 11:45 am Chainsaw Cutting Competition by **Ken Palmer**, ArborMaster Training

ArborMaster trainers will discuss, explain and demonstrate precision chainsaw handling and operation. Competitors and spectators will learn while having fun! Great prizes for competitors!

Menu

Morning: Coffee & Danish; Clam Chowder; Chili

Lunch: Steamship Round of Beef; Baked Ham; Chicken;

Sausage & Peppers; Corn on the Cob; Vegetables; Boiled Potatoes; Assorted Salads

Afternoon: Hot Dogs & Hamburgers; Ice Cream

All are invited to make use of the large outdoor pool.

Tickets will be sold throughout the day for donated raffle prizes to benefit the Oscar P. Stone Research Fund.

Attendee Registration Form

Connecticut Tree Protective Association

Summer Meeting

Thursday - July 20, 2017

Registration - before July 13th:

	Members	Non-members
Adults	\$70.00	\$95.00

After July 13th and at the door:

Adults	\$80.00	\$105.00
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Children (under 13): \$20.00 before or after 7/13/17

Attending members may register guests at member rates.

Please reserve _____ tickets for the Summer Meeting.

Firm Name: _____

Town: _____

1 Member Name: _____

Additional Guest Names:

2 _____

3 _____

4 _____

5 _____

Pre-registration Deadline: July 13th

Our check of \$ _____ is enclosed.

All Payments are Non-Refundable

Make checks payable to CTPA and mail to:

CTPA

PO Box 1946

Wallingford, CT 06492 (203) 484-2512

Or Register Online at www.ctpa.org

(please detach and send)