

CTE Prep Course 3
Saturday, May 19, 2018
Meadow Lakes Meeting Room
300 Meadow Lakes, East Windsor, NJ

AGENDA (Classroom and Field)

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| 8:00 – 8:30 | Registration, (Coffee and Donuts)
Introduction and Welcome |
| 8:30 – 10:00 | Key Features Used in Tree Identification
Steve Chisholm, Jr. Aspen Tree Expert Co., Inc. |
| 10:00 – 10:15 | Break |
| 10:15 – 12:00 | Leaf Characteristics
Identifying among Deciduous and Evergreen Trees with similar leaf characteristics
Steve Chisholm, Jr., Aspen Tree Expert Co., Inc. |
| 12:00 – 12:45 | Lunch (provided) |
| 12:45 – 1:30 | Less Common Trees Found in the Landscape and in the Forest
Steve Chisholm, Jr., Aspen Tree Expert Co, Inc. |
| 1:30 – 1:45 | Break |
| 1:45 – 3:45 | Field Tree Identification Tour
Steve Chisholm, Jr., Aspen Tree Expert Co., Inc. |
| 3:45 -4:00 | Tree Identification Review, Question and Answer – Book Review * |

** Books will be available for purchase*

CTE Prep Course 4
Saturday, June 2, 2018
Meadow Lakes Meeting Room
300 Meadow Lakes, East Windsor, NJ

AGENDA (Classroom and Field)

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| 8:00 – 8:30 | Registration, (Coffee and Donuts)
Introduction and Welcome |
| 8:30 – 10:00 | Field Tour of Tree Problems & Identification (Group A) |
| 8:30 – 10:00 | Lab Samples, Diagnosis of Insects & Disease, Using IPM/PHC and Chemical Control Strategies (Group B)
Steve Rettke – Rutgers Cooperative Extension |
| 10:00 – 10:15 | Break |
| 10:15 – 11:45 | Field Tour of Tree Problems & Identification (Group B) |
| 10:15 – 11:45 | Lab Samples, Diagnosis of Insects & Disease, Using IPM/PHC and Chemical Control Strategies (Group A) |
| 11:45 – 12:30 | Lunch (provided) |
| 12:30-1:45 | IPM Strategies in Arboriculture
Steve Rettke, Rutgers Cooperative Extension |
| 1:45-2:30 | Cabling, Bracing and Lightning Protection
Steve Chisholm, Jr. Aspen Tree Expert Co., Inc. |
| 2:30-2:45 | Break |
| 2:45 – 3:30 | Plant Selection, Establishment and Mulching
Steve Chisholm, Jr., Aspen Tree Expert Co., Inc. |
| 3:30 – 4:00 | Sample Written Test, Question and Answer Panel – Book Review * |

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CTE Prep Course 1: Directions



Street Address:

Plant Diagnostic Laboratory
Rutgers NJAES
Ralph Geiger Turfgrass Education Center
20 Indyk-Engel Way
North Brunswick, NJ 08902

Directions:

Take the N.J. Turnpike to Exit 9. Take Rt. 18 North to Rt. 1 South. Take the second Ryders Lane exit toward Milltown. Move to your left immediately upon entering onto Ryders Lane. Turn left at first break in the island onto Log Cabin Road and make an immediate right onto Indyk-Engel Way to parking area. The Education Center is up the hill on the left.

NOTE: For GPS use 102 Ryders Lane, not 20 Indyk-Engel Way

CTE Prep Course 2, 3 and 4: Directions

**Meadow Lakes Meeting Room
300 Meadow Lakes, East Windsor, NJ**

Directions:

From the NJ Turnpike: Take NJ Turnpike Exit 8 and exit to left towards Hightstown/Route 33 West to the first traffic light, (Maxwell Avenue) and turn left. Take Maxwell Ave. to Ward St. and turn left. Follow Ward St. around to the stop sign at Etra Rd. Proceed across Etra Rd. right into the main entrance to Meadow Lakes.

From the Shore Area: Take Route 195 to the Allentown/East Windsor exit (Route 539). Pass over the NJ Turnpike. Go past the Peddie School golf course. Take the second right (Route 571) to Etra Rd. Meadow Lakes is 1/4 mile on the right. Go down to the third entrance.

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