



2024 Events

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Questions & requested topics you would like to learn about are encouraged and can be sent in advance of the events to Anna at alevitsky@farmtrust.org. Sturdy shoes and appropriate outdoor attire are recommended. FREE for FNLTLandowners, low cost registration for FNLTL supporters and guests - visit www.farmtrust.org to register.

Sustainable Forestry & Timber Harvesting 101

Tuesday, June 11 at 5:30pm (Rain Date: Tuesday, July 2 at 5:30pm)

Here's a new opportunity to learn the foundations of forest management from local industry professionals. DCNR Service Forester, Matt Kern will cover the principles, challenges, and practices used to manage forests. Tyler Ampacher, owner of Timber Ridge Forestry, will share his experience and offer into timber harvesting and sales. The event takes place at FNLTLandowner Doug Stambaugh's Spring Grove property. Doug's dedication to restoring the land and commitment to stewardship has transformed this property to what it is today. Regardless of your property size, this is a great opportunity to hear from a variety of forestry professionals.

Positive, Healthy Benefits of Utilizing Native Species for Garden/Land Management

Thursday, June 20 at 5:30pm (Rain Date: Sunday, June 23 at 10am)

Join FNLTL at Heartwood Nursery as owner Sue Hunter discusses the use of native plants in garden/landscape to protect and preserve our natural environment. Topics such as wildlife management & pollinator species, water conservation, preventing and controlling invasives, and native alternatives in place of commonly sold invasives will be discussed. Sue will also help identify and give recommendations for unknown plants growing on your property - bring the specimen samples in a sealed bag. Heartwood's retail store will be open with items available for purchase. Specializing in American Holly species production, Heartwood has been propagators of nursery stock since 1988, focusing on native trees, shrubs, perennials, and a few select non-native species.

Exploring Stream Restoration Opportunities

Thursday, July 18 at 5:00pm (Rain Date: Sunday, July 21 at 3pm)

Perhaps you've heard about the significant federal, state, and local funding aimed at improving watershed health? Millions of tax-dollars are committed to improving the water quality within York County. FNLTL and landowners can play a part! Join Sean Kenny of FNLTL, Jon Kasitz (of RES) and Tod Klunk (FNLTLandowner) on site where a water quality improvement project will be located. We'll gather at the beautiful Klunk farmstead near Felton to learn plans for this large stream and wetland restoration project. Construction will begin in the next 12-18 months, so this is a chance to see what is in need of - and qualifies for - restoration. The restoration project is the culmination of 3-4 years of coordination between FNLTL, the Klunk family and RES, with the catalyst being a new water quality funding source through PENNVEST.

