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Chalara Ash Dieback & Species Choice Seminars

**Tue 14 May 2013, Welshpool, Powys
& Wed 15 May 2013, Devauden, Monmouthshire**

Programme

- 10:00 Tea, Coffee & Registration
- 10:30 Introductions: John Browne, Head of Forest Regulation & Tree Health, Natural Resources Wales, & Kath McNulty, National Manager Wales, Confor
- 10:40 Chalara - disease characteristics and spread: Joan Webber, Principal Pathologist & Head of Tree Health Research Group, Forest Research
- 11:20 Policy, regulation and support in Wales – the Wales Chalara Management Plan 2013: John Browne, Head of Forest Regulation & Tree Health
- 11:40 Grants available through Glastir Woodland Management: Stuart Gray, Glastir, Welsh Government
- 12:00 Practical steps for the woodland owner: Confor speaker
- 12:20 Depart for Site. Please bring a packed lunch, which we will eat on arrival at site, but if the weather is inclement we will eat before we leave the venue
- 13:00 Site discussion
- Steps taken to clear the site of infected ash
 - Possibility of residual presence of the disease and its effects on the wider environment
 - What to plant beyond ash / larch
- 15:00 Return to Hotel
- 15:30 Tea & Coffee and Depart

To book a place, please email: forestregulations@naturalresourceswales.gov.uk

The event on 14 May will be followed by the Confor AGM starting at 16:00 (then 17:00 Q&A & 17:30 Depart).

Tuesday 14 May 2013, Welshpool, Powys

The Royal Oak Hotel
The Cross, Welshpool, Powys
SY21 7DG

Tel: 01938 552217

<http://www.royaloakwelshpool.co.uk/contact/>

Car parking is limited at the hotel. There is a large pay and display car park within 2 mins walking distance from the back of the hotel.

Wednesday 15 May 2013, Devauden, Monmouthshire

Hood Memorial Hall
Devauden Road, Nr Chepstow, Monmouthshire
NP16 6PE

Tel: 01291 123456

<http://monmouthshire-halls.org.uk/show/monmouthshire-village-hall-48>

There is space for 20 cars at the village hall.

To book a place please email forestregulations@naturalresourceswales.gov.uk
Alternatively you can phone 0300 068 0103 or return the form below to Natural Resources
Wales, Clawdd Newydd, Ruthin, Denbighshire, LL15 2NL **by Friday 10 May**

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Chalara and Species Choice Seminars on 14 & 15 May 2013

Name: Tel:

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- I will attend the Chalara and Species Choice Seminar in Welshpool on 14 May 2013
- I will attend the Chalara and Species Choice Seminar in the Wye Valley on 15 May 2013