

Forest Health Days - South-East of England

27th and 28th September 2011

Alice Holt Lodge, Farnham,

Surrey, GU10 4LH

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Two one day events provided by Forest Research and Forestry Commission England

What are these events?

Two single day seminars where Forest Research scientists will provide an update on the latest information about tree insect pests and diseases. Probable topics include acute oak decline, *Phytophthora ramorum*, and oak processionary moth.

Programme

The seminars will involve a morning session indoors with presentations, followed by an afternoon session outside where we will discuss biosecurity and look at and discuss symptoms of insect pests and diseases. *Each seminar will cover the same topics so you need only attend one event.*

The programme will run from 10:00 until about 16:00. A full programme will be available soon.

Refreshments

Participants are asked to bring their own packed lunch. Drinks will be available during the day.

Who are the events suitable for?

The events are suitable for forestry and woodland managers and agents, forestry and woodland owners, and those working in forestry and woodlands.

Booking information

The seminars are offered free of charge on a first come, first serve basis but we may need to limit the numbers of people attending per company/organisation.

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If you are interested in attending please contact Heather Pettitt on email heather.pettitt@forestry.gsi.gov.uk or 01420 23337

If you are unable to attend, please contact us as soon as possible so your place can be given to someone else.

Other information

Travel to the venue: The venue is accessible by public transport as well as by car. For details please see - www.forestry.gov.uk/fr/aliceholt

Clothing for Site Visit: Attendees should bring suitable clothing for the outdoor session in the afternoon. To assist with biosecurity measures, it would be helpful if attendees ensure that their footwear is clean before arrival (no attached mud etc). Footwear may be subject to disinfecting before and after any visit into near by woodland.

Continued Professional Development (CPD): Whilst it is up to each delegate to make an assessment in relation to their own personal development, it is reasonable for ICF Professional Members to allocate 5 hours CPD when attending this event.