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Clarion Co. Forest Stewardship Committee



## Directions to Conference

### From the East (Clearfield)

Take Interstate 80 West to Exit # 64. Take Exit #64 toward Clarion and continue straight onto Greenville Avenue. Continue onto Greenville Avenue for 2.7 miles. The parking lot will be on the left across from the Tippin Gymnasium.

### From the West (Emlenton)

Take Interstate 80 East to Exit # 62 for Rt. 68 toward Clarion. Turn left onto PA Rt. 68 East for 2.2 miles. Turn right onto South Street and go .3 miles. Then a slight right onto Greenville Ave. Go .2 miles and the parking lot will be on the right. Across from Tippin Gymnasium.

### From the North (Marienville)

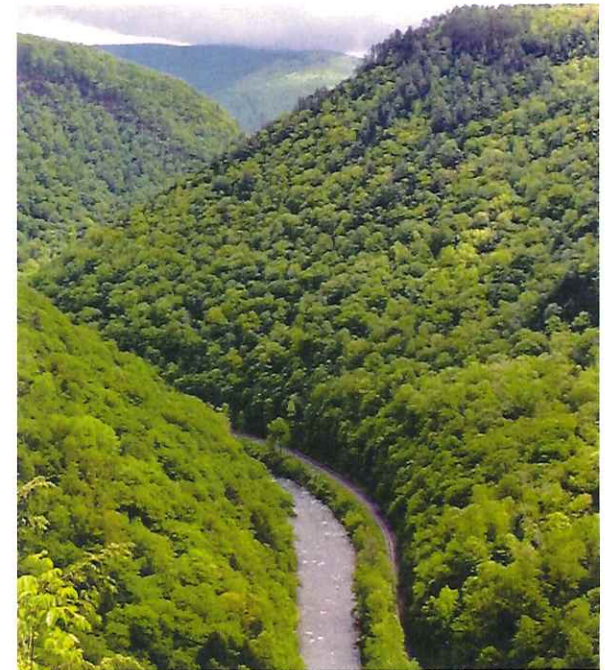
Take Route 66 south. Turn left onto US-322 East and drive for 3.5 miles. Turn right onto South 8th Avenue. Drive .2 miles and make a slight left onto Greenville Avenue. Continue for .2 miles and the parking lot will be on your right. Across from Tippin Gymnasium.

### From the South (New Bethlehem)

Head north on PA-66. At the I-80 interchange, continue straight onto Greenville Avenue. Drive 2.7 miles and the parking lot will be on the left across from Tippin Gymnasium.

# 2019 CLARION FOREST LANDOWNER CONFERENCE

*Making the Most of Your Forests*



**Saturday**

**February 16, 2019**

**8:00 AM to 3:45 PM**

**Clarion University  
Grunenwald Science &  
Technology Center**

**Parking at: 80 Greenville Avenue  
Clarion, PA 16214**

## Clarion County Forest Stewardship

The Clarion County Forest Stewardship Committee is a story of success. It's a story of people with common interests working together to solve common problems. It's beginning started with a Penn State Extension sponsored public forum and the public's concern with the needs of forestry related issues in Clarion County. The committee began in 1991 and has continued to this day providing the public with educational research based information through hands on workshops and landowner conferences.

Clarion County has 385,280 acres with 62% of it forestland. Over 196,295 acres of the forestland in Clarion County is privately owned. The committee saw the need to connect these private landowners to information, and help to improve forestry stewardship on their private properties. The committee does this by sponsoring workshops, newsletters, and conferences to provide landowners and interested people the opportunities to make educational decisions about the management of their forest resources.

Like a seed that sprouts and grows, the Clarion Forest Stewardship Committee has grown from a small seed of concern for our environment to a growing organization which is developing educational branches to reach others.

### Woodland Owners of Clarion Allegheny Valley WOCAV Mission Statement

To promote forest stewardship through educational programs, demonstrations and sharing the experience of other woodland owners.

WOCAV is a forum to exchange information about the practical applications of Best Management Practices by using the experience of its members, as well as the DCNR Bureau of Forestry, Penn State Extension, Clarion County Forest Stewardship Committee and local forest professionals.

The collective sharing of practical first hand experiences will enable members to establish goals and confidently manage their woodlot to meet their objectives.

The benefits of sustainable forestry practices gained and applied now will guarantee environmentally healthy and beautiful forests for our use, enjoyment and that of future generations.

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Corsica, PA 15829  
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## The day's schedule:

- 8:00 AM** *Registration*
- 8:45 AM** **Welcome and Introduction**  
Layne Giering President, CCFSC  
Max Lowrie, President, WOCAV
- 9:00 AM** **Keynote: Pennsylvania's Forests & Forestry**  
Dave Jackson, Forest Resources Educator,  
Penn State Extension
- 9:50 AM** *Break*
- 10:10 AM** **Invasive Plant ID and Management**  
Amy Jewitt, Western PA Conservancy
- OR*
- Native Deer-Proof Landscaping**  
Andrew Rohrbaugh, DCNR BOF Botanist
- 11:05 AM** **Proper Tree Selection & a Holistic Approach to Habitat**  
Guy Dunkle, Forester; Foundation for Sustainable Forests
- OR*
- Improving Wildlife Habitat in Your Backyard**  
Keely Tolley Roen, Asst. Professor,  
Penn State Dubois
- 12:00 PM** *Lunch (Provided)*
- 1:15 PM** **Spotted Lanternfly & Spotted Wing Drosophila**  
Scott Weikert, Penn State Extension
- OR*
- Plant and Maintain Healthy landscape Trees**  
Scott Sjolander, Penn State Extension
- 2:15 PM** *Break*
- 2:30 PM** **Deer Impacts on the Forest Health**  
Dr. Alex Royo, Research Ecologist, USDA  
Forest Service, Northern Research Station
- OR*
- Appreciating Wildflowers**  
Wil Taylor, Environmental Educator,  
Jennings Environmental Center
- 3:30 PM** **Wrap-up, Evaluations, and Door Prizes**
- 3:45 PM** **Have a Safe Trip Home!**

## Forest Landowner's Conference Grunenwald Science & Technology Center, Clarion University

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**February 16, 2019  
8:00 AM to 3:45 PM**

**Cost: \$25.00 per person through February 1st.  
Cost: \$30.00 per person after February 1st.  
Cost: \$10 for students through February 8<sup>th</sup>.**

**Lunch will be provided.**

**Deadline to register is February 8th.  
Click the link below to register:**

You may pay online with any major credit card (Master Card, Visa, Discover, or American Express) or you may call **877-345-0691** to register.

A unique email address is required to register online. If you do not have an email address, please call **877-345-0691** to register.

If you prefer to pay by check, please call **877-345-0691** for details.

