

INVASIVE PLANTS

The topic of Invasive Plants can be confusing, contradictory, and even controversial for landowners wondering what, if anything, they should do about invasive plants on their farm or in their woods.

This workshop will present current philosophical and practical approaches to thinking about and managing invasive plants on your land.

Guidance and considerations relating to the potential impact(s) of invasive plants, control and management strategies, staging and timing of control activities, and restoration of heavily invaded areas will be discussed.

Location

Ebensburg Borough Building

Address (classroom program)

300 West High Street
Ebensburg, PA 15931

Date

Saturday, August 8, 2015

Time

9:30AM - Noon (classroom)

1:00—3:00 PM (outdoor)

*Cost

AMWA Members: \$10

Nonmembers: \$20

Lunch & Refreshments

A pizza lunch is included with the registration fee. Refreshments will be available throughout the morning presentation as well.

Note: this program includes both indoor and outdoor components. Although participants have the option to skip the afternoon outdoor component, **the registration fee is the same.*

The outdoor component will be held in the Lake Rowena area, Ebensburg. Directions to a gathering place for program participants will be provided after lunch is served.

REGISTRATION

Pre-registration is required! We are limited to 50 participants and expect all slots to go fast!

Please complete, detach, and mail this registration form with your check or money order for \$20 (\$10 for current AMWA members) by **July 31. Payable to: AMWA**

MAIL TO: AMWA, PO Box 42, Ebensburg, PA 15931

Name

Street / Box

City

Phone

Email

Number Attending: _____
Total Payment Enclosed: _____

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More Info: 487-5786

Day of Program: 244-1898

**ALLEGHENY MOUNTAIN
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WITH
DR. ERIC BURKHART**

**Thinking Holistically
about Managing
Invasive Plants
on Your Farm and in
Your Woods**



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Program Presenter

Eric Burkhart is instructor and plant science program director for Shaver's Creek Environmental Center. He provides landscape and forest management leadership at Shavers Creek and teaches courses for the Penn State Ecosystem Science and Management Department (formerly the School of Forest Resources) on woody and herbaceous plant identification, nonnative invasive plants, and agroforestry. Working with partners such as the Pennsylvania Department of Conservation and Natural Resources (DCNR), Eric also conducts research on important non-timber forest products (NTFPs) including American ginseng, goldenseal, and ramps and offers practical guidance in forest farming of NTFPs through related workshops and publications.

Eric holds degrees in Economic Botany (B.A, Idaho State University), Horticulture (M.S., Penn State University), and Forest Resources (Ph.D., Penn State University).

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