

Coached Planning–Fall 2018

REGISTRATION FORM

Fee: \$75 per person, family, or land-parcel

Please return this form with registration fee
(check made payable to **WSU Extension**) to:

WSU Extension Forestry
351 NW North Street
Chehalis, WA 98532

or register online at

<https://foreststewardship.brownpapertickets.com>
and bring registration form to the first class

Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____

State: _____ Zip: _____

Phone: _____

E-mail: _____

Property Information (so we can provide maps):

Acreage: _____ County: _____

Parcel ID #: _____

Section _____ Township _____ Range _____

Questions?

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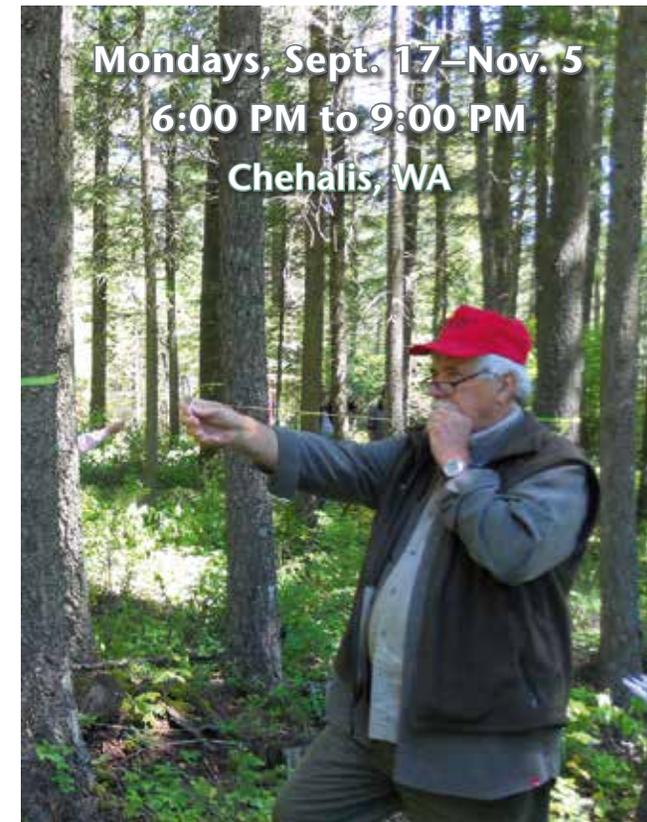
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Do you own forestland? You won't want to miss Forest Stewardship COACHED PLANNING Short Course

FALL 2018 SCHEDULE



Mondays, Sept. 17–Nov. 5
6:00 PM to 9:00 PM
Chehalis, WA



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What is Coached Planning?

The “Coached” Forest Stewardship Planning Shortcourse is an educational opportunity for owners of family forests in Washington. The informational, hands-on, practical approach of this program will enable landowners to learn useful information about their natural resources. The program is open to all persons. Participants will be able to author their own Forest Stewardship Plan with guidance and “coaching” from natural resource professionals.



Who is it for?

This nine-session program is designed to help owners of private forestlands help themselves by learning and deciding what is best for their individual properties. If you want to identify problems and develop solutions that meet your personal ownership goals, then this program is for you.

Course Information

Dates: Mondays, Sept. 17–Nov. 5, 2018
Field trip: Saturday, October 20

Time: 6:00 p.m. – 9:00 p.m.
Monday evenings

Location: Lewis County Classroom
156 NW Chehalis Ave.
Chehalis, WA 98532

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Fee includes a Forest Stewardship Handbook, reference library, aerial photos and maps of your property, measurement tools, and an on-site visit with a forester, wildlife biologist, or both! *Space is limited to the first 20 ownerships on a first-come, first-served basis.*

Short Course Rewards

- Course participants will **complete** a multi-resource **Forest Stewardship Plan** for their property. Plans approved by the WA Dept. of Natural (DNR) qualifies you to **have your property recognized as a Washington State “Stewardship Forest,”** and **allows you to apply for cost-sharing assistance for plan implementation.**
- Upon request, participants will **get on-the-ground, personalized consultation** by a DNR Stewardship Forester and/or Wildlife Biologist to discuss Stewardship Plan development and implementation.
- Submit the plan to the local county assessor to be considered for **reduced “current use” property tax rates.**
- With your plan, become **CERTIFIED** by the American Tree Farm System.

What will I Learn?

- How to identify your management goals and accomplish your objectives
- How to write a **Forest Stewardship Plan**
- How to map and describe your property
- How to assess risk and improve forest health
- How forests develop, change, and respond to disturbance
- How to plant and care for a young forest
- How to harvest timber sustainably
- Forestry resource inventory, tools, and measurements
- Using and marketing special forest products
- Wildlife habitat identification and enhancement
- Native plant identification and weed control
- Forest soils and fertility
- Streams, wetlands, and water quality
- How to assess and reduce wildfire risk and damage
- Understanding cultural resources
- Enhancing aesthetic and recreational opportunities
- **Where to go for help and additional resources**

