
Forest Stewardship Workshop: *Invasive Exotic Plants and Their Control*



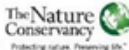
September 17, 2010; 9:00 am – 3:00 pm CT
Jackson County Ag. Conference Center
2741 Pennsylvania Avenue, Marianna, FL 32448

Some exotic plants are invasive weeds that form expanding populations on our landscape, making management for timber, wildlife and other benefits a challenge. These invasive exotic plants can displace native plants and associated wildlife, and can affect fire and water flow. The rapid and effective dispersal characteristics of these invaders make them extremely difficult to eliminate. This program will describe some of the more common and troublesome invasive exotic plants in northwest Florida and current methods being used to control them.



Agenda:	9:00 am	Sign-in, meet & greet
	9:15	Herbicide safety , <i>Clyde Smith, UF-IFAS Jackson County Cooperative Extension Service (CES)</i>
	9:35	Application techniques: equipment and minimizing drift , <i>Clyde Smith</i>
	10:15	Break
	10:30	How herbicides work: modes of action, selectivity and mobility , <i>Dr. Patrick Minogue, UF-IFAS North Florida Research and Education Center</i>
	11:20	Local invasive exotic plants and control , <i>Judy Ludlow, UF-IFAS Calhoun County CES</i>
	12:00 pm	Lunch, Sponsors TBA
	1:00	Field demonstrations , <i>Josh Spies, The Nature Conservancy and Apalachicola National Forest</i>
	3:00	Evaluation and adjourn

Register: Cost is \$10 per person, lunch and materials included. Please register on-line at <http://fsp-workshop091710.eventbrite.com/>. Those without Internet access can reserve a space by calling the Jackson County Extension Office at (850) 482-9620. Payment can be made at the door with a check, payable to University of Florida. Continuing Education Units will be available for pesticide applicators and SAF Continuing Forestry Education credits will be available for foresters. *Space is limited so please register early.* Directions to the office are on the back. Please share this announcement with others who may be interested.



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