

Registration form

In order to attend, a permission slip and medical release form must also be filled out. Call us at 607.334.5841 or go to <http://counties.cce.cornell.edu/chenango/hortnr/4hforestry.htm> for your copy

Name _____

Address _____

Phone _____

Email _____

Age _____ Gender _____
For cabin assignment

Chaperone _____

County _____

Club _____

Are you interested in competing for the NYS team that goes to the National Invitational? (age 14-19)

Yes / No

Parent/Guardian Signature

Return this form as well as the **Cornell Cooperative Extension Permission Slip and Medical Release Form** to Rebecca Hargrave at Cornell Cooperative Extension Chenango County- 99 N Broad St, Norwich, NY 13815 with your check for \$35 per person before **May 4**.

Please make checks payable to CCE Chenango. You will receive a confirmation of your registration that includes directions and the weekend agenda.

Return forms and payment to:



Cornell University
Cooperative Extension
Chenango County

99 North Broad Street
Norwich, NY 13815

Tel: 607.334.5841

Online at www.cce.cornell.edu/chenango



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NYS 4-H Forestry Weekend



May 8-10, 2009
at Camp Owahta,
Cortland County, NY

4-H Forestry Weekend



Join youth from across the state for a weekend of forestry activities, games, and competition. This three-day event is for youth aged 10 and up (and staff and volunteers) interested in learning more about forests, and to select the NYS team that will go to the 2009 National 4-H Forestry Invitational (must be 14-19 for the national event).

The Forestry Weekend activities will include tree identification, compass usage, insects and diseases, outdoor cookery, nature games, night hikes and more!



Cost: \$35 per person: includes food, materials, and cabin lodging. (A \$95 value!). Space is limited, so register now!

We are also looking for volunteers for the weekend! If you or your organization would like to sponsor the event, please contact Rebecca Hargrave.

For more information about the 4-H Camp Owahta, visit <http://counties.cce.cornell.edu/cortland/> Camp Owahta is located 10 miles east of Cortland, off Rt. 41 in the township of Solon.

For questions go to:

<http://counties.cce.cornell.edu/chenango/hortnr/4hforestry.htm> or contact Rebecca Hargrave at 607-334-5841 x 16 or jrh45@cornell.edu or Gary Goff at 607-255-2824 or grg3@cornell.edu.

Schedule

Friday May 8

- 5:30 pm or later: Arrive, cabin assignments
- 6:30 pm - 7:30 pm: Dinner
- 8:00 pm: Fun Evening Activities
- 9:30 pm: All Quiet

Saturday May 9

- 7:30 am- 8:30 am: Breakfast
- 8:30 am: Morning Activities:
 - ▶ Introduction to Forestry
 - ▶ Tree ID
 - ▶ Forest Measurements
- 12:00 pm: Lunch
- 12:45 pm: Afternoon Activities
 - ▶ Insects
 - ▶ Pest Hike
 - ▶ Introduction to Map and Compass
- 5:30 pm- 7:00 pm: Cookout Dinner
- 7:30 pm: Evening Program or Free Time
- 9:30 pm: All Quiet

Sunday May 10

- 7:30 am- 8:30 am: Breakfast
- 8:30 am: Forestry Challenge
 - ▶ Overview
 - ▶ Orienteering
 - ▶ Measurements
 - ▶ Tree ID
 - ▶ Pests
- 12:00 pm: Wrap-up
- 12:30pm: Depart

*Schedule subject to change.

Cabin assignments will be made by the organizers, boys and girls will be separated. We will try to put youth that register together in the same cabin.

Cabins do not have heat. Please bring sleeping bags/bedding, pillow, flashlight, clothes appropriate for weather including a rain coat, warm clothing, and proper footwear for hiking/mud. We will be outside no matter the weather and in the evening when it is cool. There is running water in the bathhouse - please bring a towel and all toiletries.

Please let us know approximately what time you will be arriving on Friday, and whether you will be there for dinner.

We are requesting that all youth have a designated chaperone: a parent, club leader, county staff or volunteer.



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For more information about the National Invitational July 26 – 30, 2009 (Sun. - Thurs.) in West Virginia go to: <http://www.aces.edu/N4HFI/>.

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