

Speakers

Linden Mead

Linden is the Urban & Community Forestry Specialist for the Washington Department of Natural Resources. She began her natural resource career as a forestry and hydrology technician. She has worked in the Urban Forestry field for the last fifteen years, including positions with Sandpoint, Idaho, Post Falls, Idaho, and the Seattle Department of Transportation. She is a Certified Arborist and a Certified Tree Risk Assessor.

Melissa Burt

Melissa has been in the business of plants and design for over thirty years. With a strong background in plant identification, she knows how trees, shrubs, natives and perennials will perform in our region. She is currently working for Pacific Garden Design. She has an AAS degree in Horticulture, is a consulting Certified Arborist, and has co-authored a popular regional publication called "Plants for the Inland Northwest".

Species Selection Panel

Garth Davis, the Forestry Program Manager for the Spokane County Conservation District, will moderate this discussion, which will include:

Chris Boza, Community Forester for the City of Hayden

Karen Haskew, Urban Forester for the City of Coeur d'Alene

Brendan Murphy, Urban Forester for the City of Post Falls

Angel Spell, Urban Forester for the City of Spokane.

Workshops are sponsored by Community Canopy

a tree care partnership program of the cities of Post Falls, Hayden, Coeur d'Alene, Spokane and the Spokane County Conservation District, in cooperation with the University of Idaho Extension and the Washington State University Extension.



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Helping Trees Thrive

*Two Workshops for
Turf and Landscape
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- Proper Pruning
- Tree Species Selection



Friday, November 4, 2011

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Friday, November 4th Proper Pruning Tree Species Selection

Who should attend: These workshops are designed for anyone who supervises or performs any kind of turf or landscape maintenance activities. This includes in-house grounds maintenance crews and landscape contractors, as well as volunteers who assist with maintaining church grounds, subdivision plantings or parks, or any other community landscaping.

What will be offered:

- Practical information from qualified speakers on the listed topics;
- Brochures and publications relating to the workshop subjects;
- Continental breakfast 1/2 hour before morning workshop;
- Lunch will be provided to those who register for both workshops.

How to Register: There is limited space, so please pre-register by filling out and returning the attached form by 5:00 p.m., November 2nd.

Cost: There is a \$10 registration fee per person per workshop. Checks are to be made out to the City of Coeur d'Alene.

Location: Woodland Center at Finch Arboretum in Spokane, Washington. More detailed directions will be sent upon registration.

Proper Pruning Friday, November 4 9:00 a.m. to Noon

Linden Mead, with the Washington Department of Natural Resources, will instruct this workshop that covers basics of pruning. Attendees will learn tree biology fundamentals, the current industry standards for pruning, how to make pruning decisions, and help develop an “eye” for identifying good branch structure in young trees. Tools and techniques will also be discussed briefly at the indoor session. During the follow-up outdoor session, participants will first observe a tree being pruned, and then have an opportunity to prune their own tree under supervision.

Tree Species Selection Friday, November 4 1:00 p.m. to 3:30 p.m.

This workshop is for anyone who selects trees for planting, or who wants to understand more about the trees already growing in landscapes they maintain. Melissa Burt, Landscape Designer with Pacific Design Center, will lead off this session with information on selecting the right tree for the right place and species information. As a landscape designer she works for appropriate and pleasing composition of structure, color, and contrast in the landscape.

The second portion of this workshop will be a panel of local urban and community foresters discussing the best trees for public tree settings. Each will have an opportunity to present information on their preferred (and least-preferred) community tree species. A lively discussion regarding selection and use of various tree species will follow.

Community Canopy has applied for **ISA Continuing Education Units** for both of these workshops.

Registration Form

Name _____

Business / Organization Name _____

Address _____

Phone _____ FAX _____

E-mail address _____

Others who will attend with me: _____

Workshop **Number attending**

- Proper Pruning
- Tree Species Selection

Number of attendees X number of workshops each X \$10 =

Method of Payment

- Check Enclosed (to City of Coeur d'Alene)
- Bill My Company/Organization

Please submit registration by 5:00 p.m. on Wednesday, November 2nd.

If you are registering for more than one person or more than one workshop, you may fill out one registration form including all information.

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