

Helping Hands For Forest

Ecosystems Longleaf Pine



Photo by Brad Alexander
Taken at Jones Ecological Center

How YOU can help restoration efforts

Free Educational Field day and Workshop
(landowners, farmers, women, clubs and organizations,
schools or anyone interested in conservation)

Topics Include

History/Range/Disease
Wildlife Management
Invasive plants/
Prescribed Burns
Conservation Programs
Conservation Measures
Land Management
Economic value

March 13th, 2015

10 am – 4 pm

**BirdSong Nature Center
Thomasville, GA 31792**

A working lunch will be provided
Bring comfortable shoes for the afternoon hike

Guest Speakers

Longleaf Alliance
Georgia DNR
Georgia Forestry
USDA/NRCS

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Agenda Birdsong Nature Center

10:00 am – 10:15 am Morning Introduction

10:15 am - 11:00 am

Longleaf Alliance

- History
- Range
- Decline (Insects/Disease)

11:00 am - 11:15 am Break

11:15 am- 12:00 pm

Georgia Department of Natural Resources/NRCS- Brad Alexander

- Wildlife Management (Including Threatened and Endangered)

12:00 – 12:45 pm Working Lunch Outreach/Cost Share Programs

USDA/NRCS- Daniel Westcot

- NRCS Program

12:45 p.m.- 1:45 p.m.

Georgia Department of Natural Resources/Alan Isler

- Prescribed Burns

1:45 p.m.- 2:30 p.m.

Georgia Forestry Commission- Mark McClure

- Invasive Plants/trees within the habitat

2:30 pm- 4:00 pm (This will also include an outside guided hike)

Georgia Forestry Commission- Chuck Norvell and Longleaf Alliance

- Importance and Value (Economic)
- Land Management
- Conservation Measures