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## **Practicing Forestry in Challenging Times: Innovative Approaches and Critical Issues**

**April 24 & 25, 2009  
Camp Yavneh  
Northwood, New Hampshire**

Join the Forest Guild for our third Northeast Regional meeting. This two-day program will explore how foresters, allied professionals, and supporters can practice and promote excellent forestry which upholds the triple bottom line (ecological, social, and financial) in challenging times.

The meeting will include nationally recognized speakers, detailed discussion sessions, and field tours to demonstrate excellent forestry in practice. A variety of overnight lodging accommodations are available.



# **2009 Northeast Regional Meeting**

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## 2009 Northeast Regional Meeting Agenda

**Friday, April 24 Program Highlights** (9 am–5 pm, dinner and social time to follow)

- **Keynote Speaker: Robert S. Seymour**, Curtis Hutchins Professor of Forest Resources University of Maine. *Darwin's Forestry: Is our profession advancing scientifically, or merely reacting with opportunism?*
- **Lloyd Irland**, The Irland Group. *The Economic Picture for Excellent Forestry*
- **Mark Ducey**, Professor of Biometrics, University of New Hampshire. *Biomass: What's Out There*
- **Ben Machin**, Redstart Forestry, and **Keith Ross**, LandVest. *Aggregating Family Forests for Conservation and Excellent Forestry*
- **Discussion Sessions** on the economics of excellent forestry, woody biomass, aggregation for conservation easements, and new technology for field foresters.
- **Forest Guild Business Meeting**
- **Opportunities to connect** (or reconnect) with colleagues and friends.

**Saturday, April 25 Program Highlights** (8:30 am–3 pm, social time and refreshments to follow)

- **Forestry Field Tours** to Saddleback Mountain (Deerfield, NH) and James Tree Farm (Northwood, NH).
- **Box lunches** at James Tree Farm.

**Registration** costs increase on March 23 by \$15 to \$20 and housing options will fill up fast, so please register early.

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**Daytime Phone:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Membership Status:**  Current Forest Guild Member

**Conference Registration** *Circle registration choices and write total amount on next page.*

MEETING RATE SCHEDULE (early registration before 3/23)	Member Early	Member Late	Non-Member Early	Non-Member Late	Student
<b>Conference package</b> (includes: Meeting fees for both days, Fri. lunch and breaks, Fri. dinner, Sat. breakfast, and Sat. box lunch)	<b>\$120</b>	<b>\$135</b>	<b>\$135</b>	<b>\$155</b>	<b>\$60</b>
<b>Friday only</b> (includes: Fri. meeting fees, Fri. lunch and breaks. Fri. dinner can be added for \$16 by checking below)	<b>\$75</b>	<b>\$90</b>	<b>\$85</b>	<b>\$105</b>	<b>\$40</b>
<b>Friday Dinner</b>	<b>\$16</b>	<b>\$16</b>	<b>\$16</b>	<b>\$16</b>	<b>\$16</b>
<b>Saturday Field Day only</b> (Sat. field trip fees, Sat. boxed lunch. Sat. breakfast can be added for \$10 by checking below.)	<b>\$60</b>	<b>\$75</b>	<b>\$70</b>	<b>\$90</b>	<b>\$30</b>
<b>Saturday Breakfast</b>	<b>\$10</b>	<b>\$10</b>	<b>\$10</b>	<b>\$10</b>	<b>\$10</b>

Students must be Forest Guild members to receive the student rate. Students can join for free at [www.forestguild.org/join.html](http://www.forestguild.org/join.html). Lodging and late registration fees still apply for students.

## Lodging

**Camp Yavneh is a strictly Kosher facility.** Food should not be brought into camp. Wine may be brought into camp as long as it is marked Kosher. Domestic beers are allowed as well as liquor.

Camp Yavneh offers three lodging options: bunkhouse (sleeps up to 20; separate bunks for men and women), private rooms (for 1-2 people), and tent camping (with shower access). Availability of private rooms is limited, so please register early.

You will need to bring a sleeping bag or sheets & blankets (nights can be quite cool). You will also need to bring pillows and pillowcases, towels, and toiletries (soap, shampoo, toothbrush, etc.).

**Thursday Night Lodging** (Circle your choice)

Bunkhouse Lodging Special, **\$42**  
includes Thurs. dinner and Fri. breakfast

Private Room Lodging Special,  
includes Thurs. dinner and Fri. breakfast

Private Room for One **\$65**  
Private Room for Two (\$110 total) **\$55** each

Roommate's Name \_\_\_\_\_  
*you must each register and pay separately*

Tent Camping Special, includes Thurs. dinner and Fri. breakfast; charge per person **\$37**

Tent Camping, no meals; charge per person **\$25**

**Thursday Night Lodging Fees:**

**Friday Night Lodging** (Circle your choice)

Bunkhouse Lodging, no meals **\$42**

Private Room Lodging, no meals  
Private Room for One **\$65**

Private Room for Two (\$110 total) **\$55** each

Roommate's Name \_\_\_\_\_  
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Tent Camping, no meals; charge per person **\$25**

**Friday Night Lodging Fees:**

**Conference Registration Fees:**

**TOTAL REGISTRATION & LODGING FEES:**

Mail completed registration forms, along with conference fees to: **NE Regional Meeting forestGUILD**  
P.O. Box 519  
Santa Fe, NM 87504

Credit Card Payment - VISA or MC  
# \_\_\_\_\_

Exp. Date \_\_\_\_\_

Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Registration forms may be faxed to 505-986-0798, or register online at [www.forestguild.org/NEmeeting09.html](http://www.forestguild.org/NEmeeting09.html)