Tree Biology and ID Walk

2023 ReLeaf Workshop

JUNE 21, 2023

Oakwood Cemetery 940 Comstock Avenue Syracuse, NY 13210

Continuing education credits pending approval: ISA, Planning and Zoning

Central NY ReLeaf Urban Forestry Workshop

In this guided walk, Dr. Don Leopold will discuss basic tree biology and tree identification as he leads attendees around the 160-acre Oakwood Cemetery. This is an outdoor event, so please wear comfortable walking shoes and bring sunscreen and a water bottle.

Oakwood Cemetery was designed by New York City landscape gardener Howard Daniels, one of the country's early landscape architects. It was designed as a place of natural beauty, specifically located in an area with hills, valleys, and large oak trees. Oakwood is more than 150 years old and home to many heritage trees.

The walk starts at the mausoleum straight ahead from the cemetery entrance, opposite the Islamic Society of Central New York mosque on Comstock Ave. Please use this link for the specific location and driving directions:

https://goo.gl/maps/xKKhVfPSipMqGj5m7.



Program Details

Program begins at 10:00 AM and runs until noon.

Program Speaker

Don Leopold, PhD. – Professor of Environmental Forest Biology, SUNY ESF

More Information

For program information:

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For registration information:

• urbanforestry@dec.ny.gov

For information on other upcoming Urban and Community Forestry events:

• www.dec.ny.gov/lands/30859.html

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Tree Biology Walk

To register for the June 21 event, visit: https://nysufc.org/releaf-workshops/.

Space is limited! No refunds will be given, but transfer of registration to another person is allowed.

Workshop Cost

General public: \$15

Member* rate: \$10

(*Member of a ReLeaf Committee or member of the NYS Urban Forestry Council)

Payments

Payment online during registration with a credit card through PayPal is preferred, or you may mail a check or voucher after registering online.

If you need an invoice, please contact urbanforestry@dec.ny.gov after registering.

Payments are processed by the NYS Urban Forestry Council. Issues or questions with payments? Contact admin@nysufc.org.

If paying by check, make it payable to: NYS Urban Forestry Council.

New York's Community Forestry Partners

New York ReLeaf

Central NY ReLeaf is part of a statewide program managed by the New York State Department of Environmental Conservation's (DEC) Urban and Community Forestry Program (UCF) in partnership with the NYS Urban Forestry Council. ReLeaf brings together professionals and others to share information about our community forests and how to improve them. Volunteer members of ReLeaf include interested citizens, forestry professionals, representatives of environmental not-for-profits, local government officials, and municipal staff.

New York State Urban Forestry Council

The NYS Urban Forestry Council is a not-for-profit organization that advises and assists DEC's UCF in the implementation of statewide urban and community forestry programs.

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