

# Bugs, Bats, Chestnut and Topics Of Interest to CT Forest Practitioners

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## Timpro Annual Meeting

Friday April 21st, 2023  
Deer Lake Reservation  
Killingworth, CT

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2.0 CEU's for CT Certified Forest  
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This all day program is guaranteed to touch on a topic you will find useful and informative.

Scientists from the Connecticut Agricultural Experiment Station will provide latest updates on the Spotted Lantern Fly and new and scary ticks.

Get the latest up to date information from a CT DEEP bat biologist and the potential impact on timber harvesting in CT.

Learn about the work the American Chestnut Foundation has been doing at Deer Lake to restore this iconic tree.

Farm Credit East will present on financial services and lending options for the forest products industry.

Rounding out the program will be a legislative update and Southern New England roundtable.



## Agenda

- 8:00 am Registration, coffee and donuts
- 8:45 am Welcome  
Chestnut work at Deer Lake - American Chestnut Foundation Steve/Mike Gaffey
- 9:00 am Spotted Lantern Fly update -  
Dr. Victoria Smith, CAES
- 9:45 am New and Scary Ticks -  
Dr. Kirby Stafford, CAES
- 10:30 am *Coffee break*
- 10:45 am Financial Services and Lending Options  
For the Forest Products Industry  
Christopher Laughton, Farm Credit East
- 11:45 am *Lunch - Food truck on site or bring your own*
- 12:45 am Bats and the Potential or Not on Logging  
DeVaughn Fraser CT DEEP Bat biologist
- 1:30 pm Legislative Update  
Joan Nichols Timpro
- 1:45 pm Southern New England Roundtable  
CT Professional Timber Producers  
Wood Operators of Rhode Island  
Representative from MA - pending
- 2:30 pm *Break*
- 2:45 pm CT Professional Timber Producers Annual Meeting and walk with Steve or Mike Gaffey to chestnut site.
- 3:45 pm CEU certificates

## Deer Lake Reservation 101 Papermill Road Killingworth, CT

8:00 am - 3:45 pm



## Registration Information:

**Free** for members of CT Professional Timber Producers Association.

**\$70** for non-members.

**\$75 late registration and** walk-ins.

***Deadline for registration:  
Postmarked by April 18th or late fee applies***

***Join or renew membership in the Connecticut Professional Timber Producers Association at time of registration and class is free.  
Membership dues: \$150 per year.  
Visit [www.timproct.org](http://www.timproct.org) to download a membership application.***

Make checks payable to:  
**CT Professional Timber Producers Assoc.**  
Mail registration form to:  
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Oneco, CT 06373

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I will be ordering from food truck:  yes  no

*For CEU Certificates:*

CT Certified Practitioner:  Yes  No

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