



BECOME A TREE TENDER!

Join us for nine hours of hands-on training that will cover tree biology, identification, planting, proper care and working with your community. This training course was developed by staff from the Pennsylvania Horticultural Society (PHS) and Penn State Cooperative Extension. It is based on PHS's Tree Tenders project which, since 1993, has trained over 1900 community volunteers from 150 Southeast Pennsylvania neighborhoods. The course is being offered on weekday evenings at three different locations each spring and fall, and is designed for lay people and experts alike. Become one of the Tree Tenders who are expanding (or creating) and tending your part of the forest. The course is free but registration is required.

Become part of the "growing" TreeVitalize program designed by Pennsylvania's Department of Conservation and Natural Resources (DCNR) to increase Southeast Pennsylvania's tree cover and the benefits that trees offer us all.

TRAINING INCLUDES:

- Tree Biology
- Urban Stresses on Trees
- Tree Identification
- Basic Tree Pruning and Root Care
- Tree Planting
- Community Organizing

The three-part series is FREE and snacks are served. Given the intensity of the training and the late hours, the training is not appropriate for children under 13.

SPRING 2007 TRAININGS

Bucks County

Telford Borough Building, 2nd fl
122 Penn Avenue, Telford, PA 18969
Thursdays, March 29, April 5, 12 • 6-9 p.m.

Montgomery County

Temple University, Bright Hall Lounge
580 Meetinghouse Road, Ambler, PA 19002
Tuesdays, April 17, 24, May 1 • 6-9 pm

Philadelphia County

PHS, 100 North 20th Street, 5th Fl
Philadelphia, PA 19103
Wednesdays, May 16, 23, 30 • 5:45-8:45 pm

FALL 2007 TRAININGS

Delaware County

Lansdowne Twentieth Century Club
84 S. Lansdowne Avenue, Lansdowne, PA 19050
Tuesdays, September 11, 18, 25 • 6-9 pm

Philadelphia County

PHS, 100 North 20th Street, 5th Fl
Philadelphia, PA 19103
Wednesdays, October 3, 10, 17 • 5:45-8:45 pm

Chester County

Coatesville Area Public Library
501 E. Lincoln Highway, Coatesville, PA 19320
Thursdays, October 11, 18, 25 • 6-9 pm

Available for ISA, PA LA, PLNA
and Act 48 CEUs.

For more information contact:

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TREE TENDERS REGISTRATION

Name _____

Address _____

City _____ State ____ Zip ____

Phone (work) _____

Phone (home) _____

Email _____

Name of Local Municipal Government where I
reside _____

(City, Borough, Township)

The questions below apply only to those attending
training as part of a Tree Tenders group.

• Group Name _____

• Group Leader _____

*Please note that a separate registration is required for
each person.*

What would you like to learn from the Tree Tenders
training? _____

Please sign me up for the **one** series checked below:
Spring 2007

- ___ Bucks: March 29, April 5, 12
___ Montgomery: April, 17, 24, May 1
___ Philadelphia: May, 16, 23, 30

Fall 2007

- ___ Delaware: Sept. 11, 18, 25
___ Philadelphia: Oct. 3, 10, 17
___ Chester: Oct. 11, 18, 25

Fax to Dawn Waters, 215-988-8810 or use return
mailer.

To register online, go to
www.pennsylvaniahorticulturalsociety.org
and choose "Tree Tenders Training."