

Schedule of Events for 2014 Fall Tree Care Seminar

- 7:15 - 8:00 am: Check-In and Continental Breakfast (Catered by LA Bakery)
- 8:00 - 8:15 am: Greetings and Introductions – Kyle Horvath, Chair, Shade Tree Council
- 8:15 - 9:15 am: David Howlett, Ph.D., Urban Forester, Nevada Division of Forestry
“Top 5 Things that Went Wrong with My Tree”
- 9:20 - 10:20 am: Gene Phillips, Forest Health Specialist, Nevada Division of Forestry
“Nevada Forest Health Update”
- 10:20 - 10:30 am: Break
- 10:30 - 11:30 am: Casey Schmidt, Ph.D., Assistant Research Professor Biogeochemistry, DRI
“Evaluating the Utility of Pinyon & Juniper Derived Biochar as a Soil Amendment to Improve Urban Tree Survival”
- 11:30 - 11:50 am: Leave for the High School
- 11:50 - 1:00 pm: Lunch (Port of Subs) and Presentations from:

Camille Jones, Greenhouse Manager
“Tour of Greenhouse and Update on Programs”

Tom Henderson, Owner, Healthy Trees
“Fruit Tree Pruning for Production”
- 1:15 - 1:30 pm: Return to Community Center
- 1:30 - 3:00 pm: Geoffrey Donovan, USDA Forest Service
“The Relationships between Trees and Human Health”
- 3:10 - 4:10 pm: David Howlett, Ph.D., Urban Forester, Nevada Division of Forestry
“Soils 101”
- 4:15 - 4:30 pm: Games, Prizes, and Closing Remarks