



STREET TREE SEMINAR, INC.

Your Los Angeles/Orange Regional Urban Forest Council

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NEXT MEETING

August 24, 2017

The role of woodpeckers
in the urban forest
City of Fullerton
Fullerton, CA

2017 MEETING SCHEDULE

August 24	The role of woodpeckers in the Urban Forest Gillian Martin, Cavity Conservation	City of Fullerton Yard 1580 W. Commonwealth Fullerton, CA 92833
Oct 25	Robinson Gardens Tour/Talk	Robinson Gardens Beverly Hills, CA
Dec 14	Annual Scholarship Luncheon	Kellogg West Pomona, CA

Interested in hosting a program in your community? We are interested in hearing from you!

Contact heather@streettreeSeminar.com

MISSION STATEMENT

"To promote the advancement of urban forestry and provide a forum for tree care professionals to share their experiences, knowledge, and expertise for the benefit of the membership and the enhancement of Southern California's community forests."

VISION STATEMENT

"To enhance the health and beauty of Southern California cities by improving the quality of our community forests."

Remember to email Lisa McCoy at lisa@crbtools.com with your reservation



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How to Identify Insects - presented by Dr. John Kabashima

Our May meeting was a Tree pest information can be found on the UCI website at uciipm.ucanr.edu. The Center for Invasive Species Research has 2 Agricultural Commissioners who will do pest Id's for free in Los Angeles and San Diego. The Orange County branch will send out your samples to Sacramento.



People are the cause of some of the reasons for infestation, the way they are causing these issues are by not planting trees in ideal situations, overwatering, under watering, over fertilization, soil compaction, tree mutilation, poor selection or placement of species, improper pruning, growing poor quality specimens and transporting pests across state lines which then produce plant damaging populations. Other causes would be drought induced patchalism, lack of proper cleaning of infected tools, and the moving of infested firewood.

The list of new insect pests is growing. The Palm Weevil is killing palms. There is no control for the South American Palm Weevil that is affecting Canary Island Date Palms. The Eucalyptus Insect Pest in from Australia and through commerce and people illegally sneaking in plants from the country it has come to the United States.

Biological Control of Exotic Pests is working. Pest - Parasitoid - Parasitized Pest. The populations build in the spring time and the pests attack new growth. Parasitoids increase in the summertime and the fall flush carries over.

Long-horned beetles reproduce and attack drought stressed trees so a hydrated tree is the parasitoid. Irrigation and parasitoids equal plant health. Ants will kill parasitoid so it is best to keep ants out of trees. With emerging pests and not yet detected pests it is important to have them identified and to adapt planting plans.

Gold Spotted Oak Borer can be caused by moving infected firewood. It populates at one generation per year and is found in Coast Live oak, California Black Oaks and Canyon Oaks. Aerial photos is a good way of confirming symptoms as is a D shaped exit hole and bleeding bark (non drought trees). For a photo diagnosis please submit a full tree photo a close up of the infected area and entry holes with a reference point as to the size of the hole. For chemical pesticides please refer to brochure provided at the meeting.

Integrated Pest management includes Pest ID, monitoring and assessing pest's numbers and the damage they have caused and guidelines for pest management.

Shot hole borer list is available at esklanlab.ucr.edu For strategies and treatment for the shot hole borer please go to pshb.org



Our thanks to John Kabashima for hosting us at his home away from home. It was a very informative meeting.



Mauget Announces the Passing of President and CEO Nathan Dodds

ARCADIA, Calif. - We are sad to announce that on June 14, 2017, the world lost an amazing man when Nathan (Nate) E. Dodds, President and CEO of the J.J. Mauget Company, passed away unexpectedly.



Nathan E. Dodds February 10, 1945 - June 14, 2017

Nate is survived by his wife Brenda, three children Kellie, Jesslyn and Bob, and three brothers Alan, Dale Jr. and Charlie. He also had four grandchildren and many nieces and nephews who had children of their own.

Nate joined forces with his father, Dale I. Dodds, and younger brother, Charlie Dodds, at Mauget 35 years ago. When Nate's father, Dale, passed away 20 years ago, Nate proudly took over as President and CEO, and he had been driving the business ever since.

Recently, Nate brought in his daughter, Kellie E. Dodds, to work with him in executing his new vision for the company and bringing it to fruition. Today, Kellie has proudly and graciously accepted the position of President and General Manager of the J.J. Mauget Company.

Donations can also be made in honor of Nathan to the American Heart Association or American Diabetes Association.

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Notes from our May 2017 Meeting

Our May 25th meeting was held at the Agriculture Center in Irvine.

Past Presidents in Attendance: Paul Webb, Kevin Holman, Alan Hudak and John Conway

Raffle Donors: Lisa McCoy, Lucas Mitchell, Ann Hope, Ken Pfalzgraf, JTL Consultants, Alan Hudak, RPW, WCA

Raffle Winners: Stephen Darden, Paul Webb, Kevin

Holman, RPW?, Clare Nelson, Lisa McCoy, Paul Webb, Dave Cooper, Noah Ly, Jeanne Jones, Scott Shoup

Our next meeting will be held in the City of Fullerton. Our speaker Gillian Martin will be presenting on the role of woodpeckers in the urban forest.

Visit our website for more information or to register www.streettreeseinar.com

STS Annual Golf Tournament Results

Golf Chairman Wayne Smith reported that it was a "stellar" day for golf. The weather and course were perfect and the golfers had a lot of fun.

Thanks to all of our loyal Sponsors: West Coast Arborists, Inc., Smith Landscape & Consulting, Landscape.com, RPW Services, Roy Boak Tree Service, Stay Green Inc., Oakridge Landscape, Foothill Soils, Wayne Smith and Rick Smith for the TPC Valencia Foursome. Lucky prize winners were: Tim Crothers Max Navarro Jonathan Bareng Mike Montoya Joel Bareng Ken Rokosz Wayne Smith Steve Orozco and Kris Burbidge.

Congratulations to our First Place team with a net of 64—Joel Bareng, Jonathan Bareng, Ed Han and Max Navarro. For Second Place we had a tie that resulted in a "card off" with a tie score of net 70 - the group that took 2nd was the father and son duo of Wayne and Brandon Smith. And in Third Place was Tim Crothers, Mike Montoya, Steve Orozco and Dave Cooper.



Our hole "ringer" was Jonathan Bareng with closest to the pin on both #7 and #9—Dave Cooper took #11 and the long drive on #18 went to Ken Rokosz.

It was a great day - special thanks to Austin Smith and Johnny Conway for helping out! Look forward to going "north" again next year.

CaUFC Annual Conference & Annual Awards

Join us this summer in San Rafael, California for Life Among the Leaves Wed. August 23, – Thurs. August 24, 2017

Life Among the Leaves is a conference for those interested in how urban forestry and nature in our neighborhoods can provide benefits for us today, and in the future.

Est. 1968

Life Among the Leaves is hosted by the California Urban Forests Council, established in 1968.

Great Speakers

Come, learn and be inspired by those working today to sustain our urban forests and continue to create sustainable communities in the future.

Great Location

Located in Marin County, San Rafael has been Tree City for 34 years and is home to Frank Lloyd Wright's last great piece of architecture, the Marin Civic Center.

For all the details—visit the Caufc.org website: https://caufc.org/programs/conference-2017/

Celebrate excellence in urban forestry

Be rewarded for great work. The awards celebrate excellence in California Urban Forestry for the calendar year 2016. Winners will be announced in early August and honored at the "Life Among the Leaves: Urban Forestry and Nature in Our Neighborhood" in the Marin County, August 23, 2017. Entries are open until July 31st. This year we've added some new categories, so be sure to enter.



Click here for more information.

Nomination process:

Review the awards criteria Complete the nomination form (one form for each nomination) Submit the form and photos - you can email or upload entries

*Self-nominations are accepted



Professional Tree Care Association 28th Annual Seminar and Field Day Aug 18 and 19

PTCA's Annual Seminar & Field Day is two full days of education and training for both management and crew level employees. Industry experts are featured, bringing the latest research and information to San Diego's historic Balboa Park. Join the PTCA this summer for two rousing days of excitement and education! This year's event will take place on Friday and Saturday, August 18- 19 at the Balboa Park Club located at 2144 Pan American Rd W, San Diego, CA.

The theme is "Passport for Success", and we have a great program lined up. Seminar Attendees will hear a welcome from Ranger Kim Ducol, and our current roster of speakers and presenters includes: Dr. James Clark, Gordon Mann, Randell Stamen, Mark Huddle, Mark Chisholm, and Jim Geiger.

Saturday's Field day will include climbing, inspection demos, chipper safety, wildlife awareness training, and much more. Cosponsored by Professional Tree Care Association of San Diego and the City of San Diego Parks and Recreation Department, this is your best local opportunity to get information or training in your field of tree care. Remember: all Field Day attendees receive a free PTCA t-shirt!



Register online at www.ptcasandiego.org