

SAF Meeting – February 23, 2004

Guest Speakers

- Kathleen will contact Matt Karp from Wagner Lumber to see if Wednesday, March 3rd at 4pm will be a good day and time for him to speak for us.
- Denise will contact professors to see if they will give extra credit to students for attending our guest speakers' lectures, and if they have any speakers they suggest we have.

Chainsaw Training

- This is definitely going to happen in the Fall Semester by attending the Ranger School students with their chainsaw training by Dan Tilton.
- We just need to contact them and make sure it is ok with them.

New Members and Officers

- I will contact Mike Giocando to see if he is interested in coming back in the fall to talk to the Ranger Students and get them involved with SAF before they come to ESF.
- We need to pick a date or around what time we would want Dr. Germain and other students to go up and promote our student chapter.

Project Learning Tree

- Is definitely set for April 3rd from 9am-330pm.
- The room still has to be confirmed because it was scheduled for Nifkin, but we might have to move to Moon Conference Room.

Memorial Grove

- Update letters to donors are almost sent out.
- We will be purchasing plywood for our sign at Heiberg. Rachel's mom has graciously volunteered to stencil the sign for us.
- Going to try to get 84 Lumber to donate that for us.
- We are getting a rough draft of the Management Plan underway.
- A letter to prospective donors (mostly lumber companies) will be written up and definitely sent out before the end of March.
- We need to obtain stakes from somewhere, at least 4 feet high so the maintenance people can see our rows when they mow.
- We will try to obtain our seedlings first from NRCS, otherwise we will order them from Saratoga Tree Nursery.
- Heather will fix the donor signs on the internet to a better format.

Reimbursements for NYSAF

- Nick has made out checks to those who attended the NYSAF and helped out at the table. Please see him or contact him to get it. Nap__81@hotmail.com