

## 2017 Volunteer Tree Planting/Project Schedule

(Last updated January 9, 2017)

	Name of Event	Date*	Location	Contact Information**	Notes
1.	Drew University, Xavier University, Radford University	March 8, 2017 (Wednesday)  Alternate date: March 9, 2017 (Thursday)	Wildcat Surface Mine, London Dist., DBNF, Pulaski Co., KY	Patrick Angel, Michael French, Dave Cooper, Claudia Cotton, Theresa Burris, Rick Roth	Group of 35-40 college student volunteers
2.	Appalachian State University, Rutgers University	March 15, 2017 (Wednesday)  Alternate date: March 16, 2017 (Thursday)	Wildcat Surface Mine, London Dist., DBNF, Pulaski Co., KY	Patrick Angel, Michael French, Dave Cooper, Claudia Cotton	Group of 20-25 college student volunteers
3.	Boy Scouts of America, Kentucky Arbor Day	April 1, 2016 (Saturday)	Wildcat Surface Mine, London Dist., DBNF, Pulaski Co., KY	Patrick Angel, Michael French, Larry Lowe, Anthony Kenney, Claudia Cotton	Group of Boy Scouts
4.	Kentucky Writers and Artists for Reforestation, Sierra Club,	April 22, 2017 (Saturday)  Alternate date: April 15, 2017 (Saturday)	UK's Robinson Forest, Breathitt Co., KY	Chris Barton, Erik Reece, Michael French, Patrick Angel, Mary Miller	Kentucky writers, artists and volunteers from the Sierra Club
5.	University of North Carolina-Chapel Hill	TBA	UK's Robinson Forest, Breathitt Co., KY	Chris Barton, Geoff Bell, Patrick Angel, Michael French	College student volunteers from NC
6.	Angel's Envy Bourbon-White Oak Project, <b>(RESTRICTED EVENT)</b>	TBA	Wildcat Surface Mine, London Dist., DBNF, Pulaski Co., KY	Chris Barton, Michael French, Patrick Angel, Claudia Cotton	Adult volunteers from Angel's Envy

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7.	Monongahela National Forest – Red Spruce Restoration	TBA	Lambert Run, Randolph Co., WV	Chris Barton Scott Eggerud Shane Jones	TBA
8.	Flight 93 Memorial, National Park Service ( <b>RESTRICTED EVENT</b> )	TBA	Somerset Co., PA	Scott Eggerud, Leroy Renninger	NPS volunteers
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10.	Pennsylvania Environmental Council (PEC), Weiser State Forest	TBA	Columbia Co., PA	Scott Eggerud, Tim Ladner, Palmira Miller	Volunteers needed
11.	Pennsylvania Environmental Council (PEC), Pinchot State Forest	TBA	Luzerne Co., PA	Scott Eggerud, Nick Lylo Palmira Miller	Volunteers needed

\*Typical starting and ending times for volunteers are approximately 10:00 am and 2:00 pm respectively, unless otherwise noted.

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**[A template event schedule is provided below]**

## **AGENDA**

**Insert name of project here**

**Tree Planting Event**

**Insert location of project here (county or nearest town)**

**Insert date here [example: March 9 (Wednesday), 2016]**

**7:00-8:00 am:** Foresters and organizers arrive at site to prepare seedlings, planting materials, tools for volunteers, etc.

**9:00-9:30 am:** Volunteers arrive at site

**9:30-10:00 am:**

- Welcome to everyone, brief orientation, and acknowledgement of participating groups/agencies/partners
- Remarks from representatives from the Green Forests Work
- **All volunteers are trained [1<sup>st</sup> time] how to plant by forester in large group**
- Volunteers are provided seedlings, planting materials, tools, etc
- Volunteers are broken up into small planting crews and assigned a crew leader (forester or other field professional)
- Crew leaders take their planting crews to designated planting location
- **Volunteers are trained [2<sup>nd</sup> time] how to plant by crew leader all together in small crew**

**10:00 am-3:00 pm:** Volunteers plant trees under supervision of crew leader with breaks for water, snacks, and lunch as needed. **Crew leader provides one-on-one training [3<sup>rd</sup> time] how to plant as volunteers work.**

**3:00-3:30 pm:** Volunteers depart

**Note:** All planting tools/equipment will be provided. Each volunteer will need to bring their own lunch, work gloves, be dressed with lots of warm work clothes, wear heavy foot wear, and bring wet weather gear as necessary. Drinking water will be provided. The event will occur regardless of weather conditions (rain, snow or sunshine).