



Forests Today & Forever

Annual Report 2013



Promoting forest stewardship
through education

Highlights

At a Glance... Forest Field Days Summary

- 1,500 middle school students
- 17 schools participated in the program from Lane and Linn counties
- 58 teachers and school staff guided student learning
- 150 parent chaperones learned along side students during the field day
- 960 hours donated by 85 volunteers

Leading Forestry education for youth in Lane County

✓ 1,500 students reached via Forest Field Days programs (see all the Forest Field Day accomplishments to the left)

✓ 700 fifth grade students learned about forest products and logging in the Pacific NW at the Oregon Logging Conference in partnership with OWIT-Talk About Trees

✓ 800 high school students were exposed to careers in the forest products industry at school career fairs

Creatively reaching adult audiences

✓ 15 teachers learned about forest management during the Seedling to Sawmill Teachers Tour

✓ 10 students and 5 university staff appreciated forestry of the NW and the use of wood as a building material during a ten-day intensive architecture workshop hosted by FTF

✓ 16 UO Biology and Environmental Studies students learned about forest management on a tour of Bauman Tree Farm

Building organizational support

✓ 250 people learned about the work of FTF through outreach and presentations to various groups, such as Association for Oregon Loggers

Recognition and awards

✓ Granted the "Forestry Appreciation Award" by the Oregon Society of American Foresters for contributing significantly to the advancement of forestry in Oregon.



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Volunteer & In-kind Donations



- ◆ 960 hours donated by 85 volunteers for Forest Field Day programs
- ◆ Organically Grown donated a case of apples for volunteers
- ◆ Conser Quarry donated a load of gravel for the Learning Meadow at Bauman Tree Farm
- ◆ A Backpack Shelter was constructed in the Meadow at Bauman Tree Farm. Thank you:
 - Lee Holly for donation of labor
 - Pacific Metal for a discount on the metal roof
 - Tom Bauman of Blue Sky Logging for donation of labor and milled lumber

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