

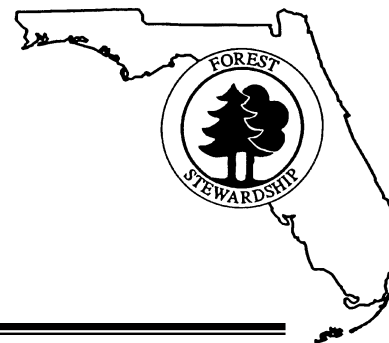


Property Tour

Yulee Tree Farm

Property of Bill Anderson

Volusia County, FL



Date: *Friday, March 20, 2015*
Sign in, meet and greet at 9:00 AM,
adjourn after lunch

Tour: Owned and managed by Bill Anderson, Yulee Tree Farm is about 500 acres of rolling topography featuring sandhills, flatwoods, wetlands and ponds. When Bill purchased the property, fire had been excluded and much of the sandhill sites were occupied by upland oaks and sand pine. Wanting to restore the land to the longleaf pine forest that once occupied it, Bill cleared out the oaks and sand pine and planted over 100 acres of longleaf pine. He has also planted some slash pine on the more moderately drained sites and has done a tremendous amount of work managing a cogongrass infestation, cleaning up the property and improving recreational opportunities for his family, the local Boy Scout troop and other groups. Join us for a tour to learn about longleaf pine regeneration and management, wildlife habitat management, ponds, how to combat cogongrass and get assistance. Some walking will be involved so wear appropriate clothing and footwear.



Register: Cost is \$10 per person, lunch and materials included. Please register on-line at <https://fsp-tour032015.eventbrite.com/>. Those without Internet access can reserve a space by calling Volusia County Extension at (386) 822-5778. Payment can be made on-site with cash or a check, payable to University of Florida. **Space will be limited so please register early.** Directions to the property are on the back. Please share this announcement with others who may be interested. Contact Chris Demers, (352) 846-2375, cdemers@ufl.edu, for more information about Forest Stewardship Program events.



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Directions to Yulee Tree Farm

From US Hwy 17 in Pierson, FL:

- Travel east on E Washington Ave in Pierson. This is the only stoplight on Hwy 17 in Pierson.
- Travel about 2 miles on E Washington Ave to Yulee Tree Farm's west entrance. Forest Stewardship Tour signs will show the way.

