

# Stewardship Series

## 09/10



Offered in partnership with the Haliburton Highlands Stewardship Council and the Parry Sound-Muskoka Stewardship Network

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- ☞ Cost : \$25.00 per person per day, tax included. Please make your payment upon arrival, lunch is provided
- ☞ 9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. rain or shine. Please dress appropriately for a walk in the woods.
- ☞ Please fill out and mail or fax the tear-off portion of this brochure to register for the stewardship event of your choice.

## Locations:

### What's New in Wildlife Research?

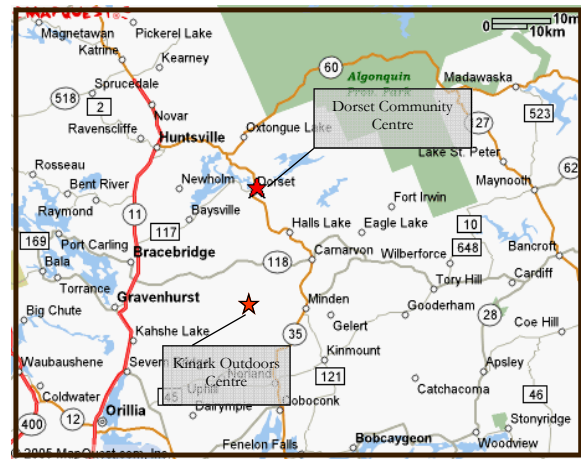
Kinark Outdoor Centre  
(West of Carnarvon on Queens Line off Hwy 118)

### Management Options for your Woodlot

Dorset Community Centre  
(located in the Village of Dorset)

### Maple Syrup—Operations and Opportunities

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(located in the Village of Dorset)



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I plan to attend the Stewardship event titled (please check)

- What's New in Wildlife Research?
- Maple Syrup - Operations and Opportunities

- Management Options for Your Woodlot

Last Name \_\_\_\_\_ First Name \_\_\_\_\_

Title/Occupation \_\_\_\_\_ Organization \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing Address \_\_\_\_\_

City/Town \_\_\_\_\_ Email \_\_\_\_\_

Postal Code \_\_\_\_\_ Work Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Fax \_\_\_\_\_



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Informative day long workshops for landowners, cottagers and land stewards, offered in partnership by the Haliburton Highlands Stewardship Council and the Parry Sound-Muskoka Stewardship Network. These workshops are designed to provide a better understanding of ecosystems and the principles and practices of land stewardship.

PRE-REGISTRATION IS  
REQUIRED  
COST: \$25.00 PER PERSON

## Management Options for Your Woodlot

Dorset Recreational Centre  
Friday, September 11th, 2009 9am - 3pm

If you are planning to harvest trees from your woodlot, have been approached by a logging contractor to sell your standing timber, or perhaps just have an interest in what information is available to you on woodlot management, then this workshop is for you. Participants will learn about forest management techniques including how tree marking can improve your overall forest health, assess tree defects, understand forest terminology and choosing a logging contractor.

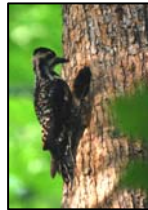


Our afternoon field trip will focus on advantages of a managed vs. unmanaged forest.

## What's New in Wildlife Research?

Kinark Outdoor Centre  
Friday, October 30th, 2009 9am - 3pm

Have you ever wondered what research on wildlife is going on in the province and even in your own backyard? New research which reveals the importance of the Yellow-bellied Sapsucker to the forest ecosystem as well as a new theory on the northern expansion of White-tailed deer will be among the highlights. After lunch, join researchers and scientists for a walk in the woods as we explore the habitat of small, large, and even some rare species found in Muskoka and Haliburton.



## Maple Syrup - Operations and Opportunities

Dorset Recreational Centre  
Monday, February 22nd, 2010 9am - 3pm

The Stewardship Series Closes off with one of our most popular topics, maple syrup production. This workshop is ideal for both the backyard and small commercial operator or for those looking to expand their current production. Learn from local producers, equipment suppliers and forest management experts the latest information on managing and producing your maple syrup, how to set up & explore what is new on the market. Following a pancake and sausage lunch with local maple syrup, join us for the afternoon field trip to visit a 1200 tap family sugar bush operation.



As a landowner, you play a special role in maintaining the health of our province's ecosystems. Land Stewardship is taking responsibility for our actions on our lands and waters; actions which directly influence land values for ourselves, our children and future generations. Our continued enjoyment of these values will require a better understanding of the natural systems on the land which supports them.

The Stewardship Series are workshops designed for anyone planning and conducting work projects on private lands. Participants will gain the knowledge and skills required to practice good land conservation through on-the-land investigations, resource sharing and networking with land stewardship experts.

### About the Stewardship Council...

The councils consist of volunteers from every walk of life in the community. These include landowners, loggers, cottagers, naturalists, anglers and hunters. The focus of the councils is to foster the sustainable use of ecosystems on private lands for today and the future. For more information on the Stewardship Councils, Please Contact:



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