

REGISTRATION  
2018 MOSAF SPRING MEETING AND TECHNICAL SESSION  
FORESTRY EDUCATION AT MU: OPPORTUNITIES FOR PROFESSIONAL ENGAGEMENT  
BASKETT RESEARCH CENTER, ASHLAND, MO (see attached map)  
APRIL 18-19, 2018

YOUR NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

GUEST NAME(S): \_\_\_\_\_

MOSAF MEMBER REGISTRATION IS \$20.00\* \_\_\_\_\_ \$20.00 .

\*Includes \$10 donation to student chapter, BBQ lunch on Thursday, and water/soda and snacks

Guest registration is \$10.00 X \_\_\_\_\_ number of guests = \_\_\_\_\_

VOLUNTARY DONATION TO STUDENT SPONSORSHIP AND PROGRAMS\*\* \_\_\_\_\_

\*\*MOSAF fund used to support student activities

TOTAL ENCLOSED: \_\_\_\_\_

Please clip and send to David Vance at the address below:

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The theme of the Spring Meeting is Forestry Education at MU: Opportunities for professional engagement. Learn about some of the activities that forestry students are doing at the Baskett Research Center. Interact with the students and assist them with a student-led thinning exercise. Test some maple (MUple) syrup produced by forestry students at the Baskett Research Center and try your hand at axe throwing! Eat pizza and drink beer at Shakespeare's like you did when you were a student!

**April 18, 2018, 1-5pm (Lunch is on your own), Meet at Baskett Headquarters (see map below):**

Activities:

- Baskett history and overview
- Burn plot project/fire class and red card certification
  - Visit burn plots at different fire frequencies
  - Shortleaf pine stand
- Maple syrup operation
  - Visit evaporator and sugar bush
  - Test ice cream covered with maple syrup
- Interactive student thinning and marking activity
  - Student-led exercise illustrating "Rule Thinning" and other thinning methods

**April 18, 2018:** Overnight accommodations are provided by Stoney Creek Inn & Conference Center, 2601 S. Providence Rd, Columbia, MO, 65203. We have a room block at the Government rate of \$93.00 TAX EXEMPT. Reservations can be made by contacting the hotel at 573-442-6400. Our group code is "MOSAF" and the block is open until March 30<sup>th</sup>.

We are having the business meeting and group dinner 7-10pm on April 18<sup>th</sup> at **Shakespeare's Pizza—South**, 3911 Peachtree Drive, Columbia, MO, 65203. We have reserved a meeting room in the back of the restaurant and we will order individually off their menu. We will auction a few bottles of "MUple" Syrup produced by the MU Forestry Club; all proceeds will be donated to the MOSAF Student Chapter at MU.

**April 19, 2018, 8am-12pm (lunch provided by MU students).** Meet at Baskett Headquarters at 8am.

Activities:

- Agricultural legacy study
  - Visit former agriculture fields and see current forest conditions
- Rochow plots
  - Forest inventory plots since 1968
- Clearcuts in 1980s
- 10-acre square/growth model/forest mapping
- MOFLUX Tower
- Cook out lunch hosted by students
  - Ax throw fundraiser

**PLEASE RETURN YOUR RESERVATION TO DAVID VANCE, MOSAF TREASURER by April 4, 2018:**

David Vance

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Map for Baskett Research Center Headquarters: 15550 S. Bob Veach Road, Ashland, MO



