



The California Fire Science Consortium,
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Weaverville Fire Science Field Tour

April 22, 2015 (Earth Day!)

10 am – 3 pm

Are you interested in the role of fire in local forests? Have you ever wondered why Oregon Mountain burns so often? Are you curious about fire ecology, or interested in learning more about prescribed fire and forest health? If so, join us in the field on April 22 to learn more about fire science and management in the Weaverville area.

This field tour is free of charge and open to all who are interested. We will start the day with a short hike in the Oregon Mountain area, where we will learn about the 2014 wildfire there and how a previous prescribed burn aided in slowing the fire and protecting the town of Weaverville. We will also learn about the Trinity Strategic Prescribed Fire Plan, including details on local implementation, partnerships, and planning. We will end the day with a visit to some research sites on the west side of Trinity Lake, where researchers are exploring the role of fire in managing forest plantations.

Hosts include:

- Tim Ritchey; Fuels ADFMO; Shasta-Trinity National Forest
- Eric Knapp; Research Ecologist; USDA Forest Service Pacific Southwest Research Station
- David Jaramillo; Fire, Fuels, and Forestry Manager; Watershed Research and Training Center
- Lenya Quinn-Davidson; Staff Research Associate; UC Cooperative Extension & Director of the Northern California Prescribed Fire Council

This event is free!

To sign up, email Lenya at lquinndavidson@ucanr.edu by April 20, 2015

Bring water, lunch, and hiking shoes for the field

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