



FALL OUTDOOR TREE SCHOOL

APOPKA, FL

UF/IFAS MID-FL RESEARCH & EDU CTR
and MAGNOLIA PARK

FRIDAY September 18, 2015

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Sarasota, FL 34240

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Florida Chapter ISA announces the:

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PREP FOR THE CERTIFIED TREE WORKER-CLIMBER EXAM!

APOPKA, FL
**UF-IFAS MID-FLORIDA RESEARCH
AND EDUCATION CENTER
AND
MAGNOLIA PARK**

**JOIN US FOR THIS
INDOOR/OUTDOOR CLASS
FRIDAY SEPTEMBER 18, 2015**

FOR MORE EXCITEMENT
stay for the climbing competition
the following day at Magnolia Park in Apopka.
Saturday and Sunday September 19-20, 2015!



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CLASS DATE/LOCATION

FRIDAY - September 18, 2015



The class begins at 8 AM across the street from Magnolia Park:

UF/IFAS Orange County
Mid-FL Research & Education Center
2725 S. Binion Road
Apopka, FL 32703
site phone: 407-884-2034

DIRECTIONS: From I-4, take Exit 90 or 90-B and head west on FL-414 W/Maitland Blvd. Continue on FL-414 W 9.5 miles (partial toll road). Use the right 2 lanes to take exit 4B to merge onto FL-429 S/FL-429 Toll S toward Tampa (partial toll road). Take the exit toward Ocoee Apopka Rd and turn right onto Ocoee Apopka Rd. After about 1/4 mile, turn right onto S Binion Rd. The Mid-Florida Research and Education Center will be on the right at 2725 S Binion Road Apopka, FL 32703.



The outdoor rotations will continue in Magnolia Park, a short walk across the street:

Magnolia Park
2929 S. Binion Road
Apopka, FL 32703

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WHAT YOU WILL LEARN

THE CLASS offers a smorgasbord of information ranging from an introduction to Tree Health and Science, along with Pruning and Safety sessions.

PREP FOR THE CERTIFIED TREE WORKER CLIMBER SPECIALIST EXAM! The outdoor sessions will review the seven domains needed to pass the ISA Certified Tree Worker Climber Specialist exam. The arial rescue demonstration that is required before taking the exam will also be offered at this class. Ropes and rigging will be a hands-on demonstration and will cover the knots needed for the exam.

MEET OUR INSTRUCTORS

Rob Calley - Backridge Tree Service

Rob Calley has owned and operated Backridge Tree Service since 1998. He graduated from The University of Kansas and has since made the Florida Panhandle his home. Rob is an ISA Certified Arborist and is currently a Florida Chapter board member. He competed in the Florida TCC event last year and will be competing again this year.

Colin Kelly - ValleyCrest Orlando

Colin Kelly is an ISA Certified Tree Worker and Certified Arborist. He works for ValleyCrest Orlando. Colin has competed in the Florida Chapter TCC for many years - he was the **2012 Florida TCC Champion** and will be competing again this year.

Dr. Andrew Koeser - UF-IFAS Gulf Coast Education & Research Center

Andrew Koeser is an Assistant Professor of Landscape Management at the University of Florida Gulf Coast Research and Education Center in Hillsborough County. Andrew worked at ISA Headquarters in Champaign, IL, prior to moving to Florida. He is a Board Certified Master Arborist and is currently a Florida Chapter board member.

Doug LaFortune - Treewise Consulting, LLC

Doug LaFortune is an ISA Certified Arborist and ISA certified Tree Worker. He is a 1983 graduate from Univ. of Massachusetts. Doug has competed at the Florida Chapter TCC since 1999 and was the **2010 Florida TCC champion**. He currently operates Treewise Consulting, LLC in the Orlando area.

Apollo O'Neil - O'Neil's Tree Service

Apollo O'Neil is the owner of O'Neil's Tree Service in the Tampa area. He is an ISA Certified Arborist and an ISA Tree Risk Assessor. He was awarded the 2014 Loren Westenberger Award for his commitment to the arboriculture industry. Apollo has competed in the Florida TCC event several times and will be competing again this year.

Ron Price - ValleyCrest Orlando

Ron Price is an ISA Certified Tree Worker. He works for ValleyCrest Orlando, previously working in the Tallahassee area. Ron has climbed in many previous Florida TCC events and will be competing again this year.

Carson Smith - O'Neil's Tree Service

Carson Smith is an ISA Certified Tree Worker and Certified Arborist. He works for O'Neil's Tree Service in the Tampa area. Carson has competed in the Florida TCC event for several years and will be competing again this year.

Jordan Upcavage - Independent Tree Service

Jordan Upcavage is the Vice President of Independent Tree Service, a Tampa company that has been doing tree care for over 30 years. Jordan is an ISA Certified Arborist who has spoken or assisted at several Florida Chapter ISA outdoor educational events. He competed in the Florida TCC event last year and will be competing again this year.

Tim Walters - Miller Tree Service

Tim Walters is an ISA Certified Tree Worker and Certified Arborist. He works for Miller Tree Service in Tallahassee. Tim has climbed in many previous Florida TCC events and will be competing again this year.

JOIN US ON SATURDAY FOR THE COMPETITION!

SATURDAY/SUNDAY - September 19-20, 2015
MAGNOLIA PARK
2929 S. Binion Road
Apopka, FL 32703



CLASS AGENDA

- 8:00 REGISTRATION:** the day begins with the indoor sessions at UF-IFAS Mid-FL Research & Edu. Center (coffee and breakfast danish available)
- 8:30 TREE HEALTH AND SCIENCE**
Dr. Andrew Koeser - UF-IFAS Gulf Coast Research & Edu. Ctr.
Andrew Koeser will provide a basic explanation of the science behind tree health.
- 9:20 PRUNING**
Jordan Upcavage - Independent Tree Service
Review the use of proper pruning tools, cuts and techniques.
- 10:10 SAFETY**
Carson Smith
Learn important aspects of general climbing safety and an overview of electrical hazards in arboriculture.
- 11:00 BREAK AND MOVE TO OUTDOOR STATIONS**
Walk to Magnolia Park; for the remainder of the class, every hour you will rotate to a new station. When the horn sounds, move to the next station of your choice.
Chose 3 of the following 6 outdoor stations; all stations are designed to assist you in prepping for the Certified Tree Worker Climber Specialist exam:
- 1 - Tree Health & Science** - Dr. Andrew Koeser
 - 2 - Pruning** - Jordan Upcavage assisted by Curtis Chambliss, Christopher Soto and Austin Venza.
 - 3 - Safety 1 - Electrical Hazards and Chipper Safety** with Carson Smith, assisted by Wyatt Brauer
 - 4 - Safety 2 - Chainsaw Safety with PPE** with Rob Calley, assisted by Tim Walters and **Aerial Rescue** with Tim Walters and Ron Price
 - 5 - Ropes & Knots** - Apollo O'Neil assisted by Dominic Pallotti
 - 6 - Climbing** - Doug LaFortune and Colin Kelly assisted by James Hyatt and Glenn Westfall
- 11:15 OUTDOOR ROTATION A (1 hour) your choice**
- 12:15 LUNCH (lunch provided)**
- 1:00 OUTDOOR ROTATION B (1 hour) your choice**
- 2:00 OUTDOOR ROTATION C (1 hour) your choice**
- 3:00 SIGN FOR CEUS, AND ADJOURN**

Outdoor Station Assistants:

Wyatt Brauer Anglin' Brothers Tree Service
Curtis Chambliss Independent Tree Service
James Hyatt O'Neil's Tree Service
Dominic Pallotti O'Neil's Tree Service
2013 Florida TCC Champion
Christopher Soto Independent Tree Service
Austin Venza Independent Tree Service
Glenn Westfall Hangin' In There