

Agenda

Presented by Brian Beaty, RCA, BCMA

The Science and Benefits of Pruning

- Purposes of pruning
- Strategies for pruning
- Severity of pruning
- Evaluating trees before pruning

Reducing the Need to Prune through Thoughtful Tree Selection, Placement and Maintenance

- General rules of urban tree placement
- Selecting species and cultivars
- Tree form and habit

Understanding Tree Form before Pruning

- Tree biology and anatomy
- Trunks and branches
- Pruning for health and strength

Improving Tree Health through Pruning

- Tree nutrition and growth
- Injuries, diseases and pests, and tree response to threats
- Best practices for young trees, healthy trees and compromised trees

Pruning Timing and Tools

- Pruning for different types and ages of trees
- Time of year and frequency of pruning
- Cutting tools and peripheral equipment
- Tools for pruning roots
- Tool cleaning and maintenance

Pruning Techniques

- Types of cuts
- Planning and making cuts
- Post-cut procedures
- Pruning dead or dying branches

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Learning Objectives

You'll be able to:

Evaluate trees before pruning and develop pruning strategies.

Reduce the need to prune with proper tree selection, placement and maintenance.

Understand tree anatomy before pruning.

Learn how proper pruning can improve tree health and can help compromised trees.

Discuss time of year and frequency of pruning.

Explore types of cuts, post-cut procedures and techniques for pruning dead or dying branches.



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- Study** the science and benefits of pruning
- Improve** tree health through pruning
- Reduce** the need to prune through thoughtful tree selection, placement and maintenance
- Learn** about pruning timing and tools
- Understand** tree form before pruning
- Explore** pruning techniques

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Faculty

Brian Beaty, RCA, BCMA
Arborist at B2 Arboriculture, Tree Protection Services
For the last decade, Mr. Beaty served as the Campus Arborist at Dartmouth College caring for hundreds of mature trees of historical significance. His particular area of expertise is the care and culture of American elm trees in urban settings. Over this time, he regularly presented on subjects including mature tree management, tree risk management, and big tree measurement. Mr. Beaty's popular campus tree tour series features discussion of botany, ecology, history, and the relationship between historic architecture and legacy trees. He oversaw tree protection planning and management over a period of intense construction and expansion of the Dartmouth campus and worked with several architects and construction engineers to create innovative solutions to often difficult conflicts between physical and biological infrastructure concerns. In 2022, Mr. Beaty returned to full time practice as a professional consulting arborist to institutional, municipal, legal and estate clients. He is a long-term registered consulting arborist and member of the American Society of Consulting Arborists, a board certified master arborist with the International Society of Arboriculture (ISA), and an ISA municipal arborist specialist.

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- Monday, March 11, 2024 | 9:00 am - 4:30 pm CDT
- Deep Dive into Wetland Mitigation Banking**
- Tuesday, March 12, 2024 | 9:00 - 11:00 am CDT
- NFPA 99: Health Care Facilities Code**
- Tuesday, March 12, 2024 | 9:00 am - 4:30 pm CDT
- Stormwater Best Management Practices**
- Friday, March 15, 2024 | 9:00 am - 4:15 pm CDT
- Sustainable Site Design**
- Wednesday, March 20, 2024 | 8:30 am - 4:00 pm CDT
- Public Water Systems**
- Thursday, March 21, 2024 | 9:00 am - 4:30 pm CDT
- The Arborist Short Course:
Advanced Tree Knowledge for Better Tree Care**
- Friday, March 22, 2024 | 9:00 am - 4:30 pm CDT

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