



# Fall 2020 Schedule of Workshops

## New York Logger Training

New York Logger Training (NYLT) is a cooperative effort of timber harvesters, foresters, forest industry, forest landowners, government, and educators working together to learn and practice environmentally sound logging practices and improved woods skills to develop a safer work environment, increased productivity and profits, and a better quality of life. NYLT's Trained Logger Certification © (TLC) has become the standard training for programs such as the Sustainable Forest Initiative (SFI) in NYS and is supported by the New York SFI State Implementation Committee (SIC). TLC is a voluntary program which recognizes loggers who have achieved a level of training and continuing education.

The Trained Logger Certification (TLC) program was developed to recognize individuals who complete a training schedule involving three "core" areas of logging knowledge and skills:

**1. Environmental Concerns:** Forest Ecology & Silviculture

**2. Chainsaw Safety, & Productivity:** Game of Logging™ (any level); Game of Logging workshops are presented at no cost to participants through a grant from the NYS Department of Labor's Hazard Abatement Board—however participants must be members of ESFPA.

**3. Adult First Aid & CPR:** In addition to any courses NYLT offers, Red Cross, Heart Association, or National Safety Council are acceptable; participants must send proof of course completion to the NYLT office to receive credit.

TLC is valid for 3 years from date of certification, with 3 Continuing Ed credits (in addition to 1<sup>st</sup> Aid/CPR) required to stay certified. TLC is a voluntary program, allowing participants the opportunity to gain recognition for and satisfaction from their achievement. Since the original certificates were presented in 1996 TLC has become the standard for the wood using industry in New York.

### **Continuing Education Courses:**

In order to maintain certification, participants must take an additional three (3) pre-approved credits over the three (3) years following their initial certification and maintain current (every two years you must renew) First Aid and CPR status. New courses are continually being reviewed and approved for Continuing Education Credits. If taking a course not hosted by NYLT, participants are responsible for ensuring approval of the course and sending a copy of their course certification along with a \$20.00 administrative fee (First Aid/CPR excluded) to the NYLT Office at 47 Van Alstyne Drive, Rensselaer, NY 12144. Checks should be made payable to New York Logger Training.

**Outside courses** can be submitted to NYLT for consideration of TLC credit. There are many courses that help you in the course of your work. It doesn't hurt to try and get credit for them. Submit the course prior to taking it. Once approved you will need to submit proof of attendance.

### **Fall 2020 Core Courses**

Course Date	Time	Course Name	Location	Cost	Register Thru
9/8/2020	8-5	GOL 1	Town of Corinth, Warren County, NY	\$130 ESFPA Members/\$150 Non-Members	ESFPA 518-463-1297
9/16/2020	8:30-4	Forest Ecology & Silviculture	Warren County Fairgrounds, Warrensburg, NY	\$55 ESFPA Members/\$75 non-member	ESFPA 518-463-1297
9/18/2020	9-3	Forest Ecology & Silviculture	Watershed Ag Council (Virtual)	\$15	WAC 607-865-7790 (ext. 119)
9/21/2020	8-5	GOL 1	Catskill Area	\$25	WAC 607-865-7790 (ext. 119)
9/23/2020	8-5	GOL 1	New Bremen, Lewis County, NY	\$130 ESFPA Members/\$150 Non-Members	ESFPA 518-463-1297
9/30/2020	8:30-4	Forest Ecology & Silviculture	Potsdam Town Hall, St. Lawrence County, NY	\$55 ESFPA Members/\$75.00 non-member	ESFPA 518-463-1297
9/30/2020	8-5	GOL 1	Boyce Hill State Forest, Cattaraugus County, NY	\$130 ESFPA Members/\$150 Non-Members	ESFPA 518-463-1297
10/1/2020	8-5	GOL 1	Urbana State Forest/Steuben 6, Steuben County, NY	\$130 ESFPA Members/\$150 Non-Members	ESFPA 518-463-1297
10/1/2020	8-5	Forest Ecology & Silviculture	Croghan Fire Hall, Lewis County, NY	\$55 ESFPA Members/\$75.00 non-member	ESFPA 518-463-1297
10/8/2020	8:30-4	Forest Ecology & Silviculture	Howard Fire Hall, Avoca, Steuben County, NY	\$55 ESFPA members/\$75 non-members	ESFPA 518-463-1297
10/9/2020	8:30-4	Forest Ecology & Silviculture	CCE, Ellicottville, Cattaraugus County, NY	\$55 ESFPA members/\$75 non-members	ESFPA 518-463-1297
12/7/2020	TBD	First Aid & CPR	Stamford Area	\$25	WAC 607-865-7790 (ext. 119)

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## Fall 2020 Continuing Ed Courses

Course Date	Time	Course Name	Location	Cost	Register Thru
9/9/2020	8-5	GOL 3	Lake Desolation – Middle Grove, Saratoga County, NY	\$130 ESFPA Members/\$150 Non-Members	ESFPA 518-463-1297
9/10/2020	8:30-4	Be the “Go-To” Logger	Croghan Fire Hall, Lewis County, NY	\$55 ESFPA members/\$75 non-member	ESFPA 518-463-1297
9/15/2020	8:30-4	Timber Measurements for Loggers	Croghan Fire Hall, Lewis County, NY	\$55 ESFPA members/\$75 non-member	ESFPA 518-463-1297
9/16/2020	8:30-4	Timber Measurements for Loggers	Croghan Fire Hall, Lewis County, NY	\$55 ESFPA members/\$75 non-member	ESFPA 518-463-1297
9/22/2020	8:30-4	Small Business Essentials for Loggers	Warren County Fairgrounds, Warrensburg, Warren County, NY	\$55 ESFPA members/\$75 non-member	ESFPA 518-463-1297
9/24/2020	8-5	GOL 2	New Bremen, Lewis County, NY	\$130 ESFPA Members/\$150 Non-Members	ESFPA 518-463-1297
9/25/2020	TBA	Wetlands in the Woods	Watershed Ag Council (Virtual)	\$10	WAC 607-865-7790 (ext. 119)
9/25/2020	8:30-4	Timber Measurements for Loggers	CCE, Ellicottville, Cattaraugus County, NY	\$55 ESFPA members/\$75 non-member	ESFPA 518-463-1297
9/29/2020	8:30-4	GIS for Harvesters	Gutchess Lumber Sales Office, Cortland, NY	\$55 ESFPA members/\$75 non-member	ESFPA 518-463-1297
10/9/2020	8:30-4	Forest & Tree Invasive Species	CCE, Ballston Spa, Saratoga County, NY	\$55 ESFPA members/\$75 non-member	ESFPA 518-463-1297
10/13/2020	8:30-4	Be the “Go To” Logger	Greenfield, Saratoga County, NY	\$55 ESFPA Members/\$75 non-members	ESFPA 518-463-1297
10/14/2020	9:00-3	So, You’re a Logger? – There’s an APP for that!	Virtual on “ZOOM”	\$55 ESFPA members/\$75 non-members	ESFPA 518-463-1297
10/15/2020	8:30-4	GIS for Harvesters	CCE, Ellicottville, Cattaraugus County, NY	\$55 ESFPA members/\$75 non-members	ESFPA 518-463-1297
10/21/2020	9:00-3	A Little About Contracts	Virtual on “ZOOM”	\$55 ESFPA members/\$75 non-members	ESFPA 518-463-1297
10/27/2020	8:30-4	So, You’re a Logger? – There’s an APP for that!	Howard Fire Hall, Avoca, Steuben County, NY	\$55 ESFPA members/\$75 non-members	ESFPA 518-463-1297
10/28/2020	8:30-4	Small Business Essentials for Loggers	CCE, Ellicottville, Cattaraugus County, NY	\$55 ESFPA members/\$75 non-members	ESFPA 518-463-1297

(Due to Pandemic delays, no grant funding was awarded as of the time of this printing. If our grant for safety workshops is awarded, we will modify the course fees as appropriate.).

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