

South Carolina Prescribed Fire Council Annual Meeting

September 24-25, 2019 – Newberry, SC

This is a 1.5 day workshop. The first day will be an afternoon field tour in Indian Creek Focal Area. Everyone will meet at the **Enoree Ranger District, 20 Work Center Rd, Whitmire, SC at 1:30 pm** to begin the field tour. We need to carpool to reduce the number of vehicles on the field trip. The field trip will return to the parking area by 5 pm. The social will be at **The Newberry Firehouse Conference Center, 1227 McKibben St, Newberry, SC from 5:30-7:30 pm.**

The second day will be held at the **Piedmont Technical College, 1922 Wilson Rd, Newberry, SC with registration beginning at 8:30 am** and the program starting at 9:00 am. This will be a classroom format, and a sponsored lunch will be served. Individuals can register for Day 1 (\$30), Day 2 (\$65) or Both Days (\$95). Reduced pricing available to landowners; call for additional details.

Direct Registration link below (Preferred):

<https://2019scpfc.eventbrite.com>

Please visit www.SCPFC.net for more information.

For questions please contact **Paula Varn**,
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Day 1 | September 24, 2019

Field Tour

Noon	Lunch on your own
1:30 PM	Enoree Ranger District 20 Work Center Rd Whitmire, SC
1:45 PM	Depart for field tour on FMNF
5:00 PM	Return to Parking Area

Evening Social Dinner

5:30 PM	The Newberry Firehouse Conference Center 1227 McKibben St, Newberry, SC 29108.
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The following organizations are represented on the SC Prescribed Fire Council Steering Committee



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Day 2: September 25, 2019

**1922 Wilson Road
Newberry, SC 29440**

- 8:30 **Registration**
- 9:00 **SC Prescribed Fire Council Updates**
Jason Hewett, Chair – SC Prescribed Fire Council
- 9:15 **Interagency Burn Teams**
Randy Tate, Ft. Stewart/Altamaha Longleaf Partnership Coordinator
The Longleaf Alliance
- 10:00 **Prescribed Fire Accomplishments & Certification in South Carolina**
Darryl Jones, Forest Protection Chief, South Carolina Forestry Commission
- 10:30 **Break**
- 11:15 **Shortleaf Pine Initiative**
Mike Black, Shortleaf Pine Initiative Coordinator
- 12:00 **Lunch**
- 1:00 **SC Prescribed Fire Council Awards**
- 1:15 **Southern Fire Exchange**
David Godwin, SFE Administrative Director, Univ. of Florida
- 2:00 **Clemson Fire Tigers**
Caroline Sharpe – Student, Clemson University
- 2:30 **Break**
- 2:45 **Fire in Hardwoods**
Steve Peairs, Clemson University
- 3:30 **Prescribed Fire Training Center**
Mark Ploski, US Forest Service
- 4:15 **Closing and Introduction of New SCPFC Chair**
Jason Hewett– Chair – SC Prescribed Fire Council
Lisa Lord– The Longleaf Alliance
- 4:30 **Evaluations and Dismissal**

Forestry CFEs:

Day 1: 1.0 hr Cat. 1

Day 2: 4.5 hrs Cat. 1

Registration closes on September 13, 2019. Online registration is preferred but for additional options or questions please contact: **Paula Varn** at pvarn@clemson.edu or 843-563-0135. Please visit www.SCPFC.net for more information. Should you require special accommodations or dietary needs contact us 10 days prior the event. Refund request need to be made 7 days in advance. To register, please use the link: <https://2019scpfc.eventbrite.com>