Maple Educational and Outreach Programs

With COVID comes opportunities for us to learn about maple, farming and woodlot management from the comfort of our favorite armchair. Where in prior years we would have been traveling far and wide to attend maple events so we could sharpen our skills and keep up to date on research findings, this year they are Zoomed to wherever we may be, and they are (by in large) FREE. November and December events are listed below.

Maple specific Webinar Series and Courses(green)

Future Generations University, Pen. State, Ohio State, "Out of the Woods Series"

November 17 7:00 – 8:00

Climate Change Impacts & Risks to Southern Maple Production

YouTube: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=tCVwDMNG3Kg&t=13s

Aaron Wilson

December 17. 7:00 – 8:00

Sanitation Session: A Decade of Tap Hole Sanitation Research & Implications for Sap Collection

Systems, Feat. Aaron Wightman: NY State Maple Specialist and the co-director of the Cornell Maple Program

& *Practical Methods for Sanitizing 3/16" tubing*, Feat. Arthur Krueger: P.E. & Owner of Krueger-Norton Sugarhouse

Register: https://zoom.us/webinar/register/WN 5xtGD08FR8m20AQn65Iw3Q

Proctor Maple Research Center

December 9 7:00pm

"Appraisal and Valuation of a Sugarbush"

Registration: Maplemanager.org

Cornell

November 5-December 17

Thursday evenings 7:00 – 8:30pm

"Introduction to Maple Syrup Production Course"

Registration at: www.cornellmaple.com

November 24

7:00pm

"Maximum Production in your Sap Collection System"

Adam Wild

Registration at: www.cornellmaple.com

Vermont Maple Conference (online and free)
Vermont Maple Syrup Makers Association and UVM Extension
Sunday December 6th – Friday December 11th
9:00am, 12 pm, and 5pm panels and speakers
Registration at: https://vermontmaple.org/maple-conferences

West Virginia University

Sugarbush Management and Maple Syrup Production Course (FOR 411)

Spring semester

Registration at: register@mail.wvu.edu

Potomac State College, West Virginia

Maple Syrup Production Course

Veterans Education and Training Series

Spring semester

Registration contact: Dane Gaiser, dgaiser@wvda.us or Bobby Cheves,

Bobby.Cheves@mail.wvu.edu

WVU Extension

Annie's Project (Women in Agriculture) Short Course

Second Thursday of the month November – June, 6:00-8:30pm (11/12,12/10,1/14, 2/11, 3/11, 4/8, 5/13, 6/10)

Register at: https://wvutoday.wvu.edu/stories/2020/09/29/wvu-extension-service-to-offer-education-and-community-to-state-s-female-farmers-through-online-curriculum?fbclid=IwARoK8CsT8ny_HvrcVlfWpf6Es26S4AvnN406vaJL604OoeUXmWez4veXUi4