

# MAINE SAF SUMMER FIELD TOUR THE AUSTIN POND STUDY & LARCH LUNCHEON

Thursday, July 28<sup>th</sup>, 2022

8:00AM – 3:00PM

Tour begins at [19 Logger's Circle, Bingham, Maine](#)

Time	Presentation	Speaker(s)
8:00 – 8:30 AM	Welcome @ Bingham Weyerhaeuser office	Cullen Utermark & Scott Henker (Weyerhaeuser)
8:30 – 9:30 AM	Travel to Austin Pond study	
9:30 – 9:50 AM	UAV's & their applications for foresters	Cullen Utermark (Weyerhaeuser)
9:50 – 10:10 AM	Background on Austin Pond Study	Aaron Weiskittel (CRSF), Bob Wagner (former CFRU program leader), & Eric McPherson (CFRU intern)
10:10 – 11:10 AM	Four corners and history of the first wave of treatments @ Austin Pond (herbicide), second wave (pre-commercial thinning), third wave (commercial thinning)	CFRU staff
11:10 – 11:30 AM	Forest health updates – what we're watching in the woods this year	Regina Smith (CFRU Research Coordinator & Communications)
11:30 – 11:45 AM	A look into Weyerhaeuser's current and future R&D	Scott Henker (Weyerhaeuser)
11:45 – 12:00 PM	Open discussion, Q&A	
12:00 PM	Depart for lunch	
12:30 PM	Lunch with a view @ wind turbine tower 30	
1:00 PM	Depart for larch presentation	
1:10 – 2:30 PM	The Many Values of Larch: dendrology, history, silviculture, economics, & carbon potential	Dave Maass (2022 SAF Fellow; Consulting Forester, ME and SC)
2:30 – 3:00 PM	Open discussion, Q&A, parting thoughts, departure	



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