

BEES, TREES, AND CLEAN WATER

Saturday, March 24th, 2018

Monroe Community Center, 129 Francis Ave, Monroe, VA 24574

Sweetbriar College

AGENDA

| Time | Item | Speaker |
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| 8:30-9:00 | Check-In | Coffee, tea and pastries available |
| 9:00 am | Introductions, overview of day | Megan Johnston, Robert Jennings |
| 9:10-9:45 | Stewards of Land and Water | Shelton Miles, River Bluff Farms |
| 9:45-10:20 am | Green lawns and Blue Waters: Lawn care practices to protect our streams | Bruce Jones, Director of Appomattox County Extension Service |
| 10:25-11:00 am | Native Plants for water quality – Making Connections | Robert Jennings, Chesapeake Bay Foundation |
| 11:00-11:15 am | Break | |
| 11:15-12:15 pm | Bees' Needs! – Planting for Pollinators | Nancy Adamson – Xerces Society and NRCS |
| 12:15 – 12:30 | Drive to Sweet Briar College Directions from Monroe Community Center to Sweetbriar are here . | Park in the upper lot which is the closest to Prothro. Exit 1 st traffic circle at 9 am and exit the 2 nd traffic circle at noon to get into the parking lot. |
| 12:30-1:30 pm | Lunch in Cafeteria at Sweetbriar College, Provided by Chesapeake Bay Foundation | Eat in Johnson Room |
| 1:30-3:00 pm | Tour of Sweet Briar College campus, including riparian buffer, hardwood forests and vernal pools. | Led by Anne Marie Roberts, Amherst Watershed Coordinator and Mike Hayslett - Virginia Vernal Pools LLC |