



Wednesday May 1st, 2019 Field Session

TIME	EVENT	
8:30	Meet in the gravel & southern portion of CN Center parking lot on Ospika Blvd.(across from the MFLNRORD District Office)	
8:45	Mobilize to the Field Site (check the website for the location)	
9:15	Safety Check In	
9:30	Organize into groups and proceed to the field stations (We will not have a formal lunch break. Pack your own and eat as we go.)	
	The potential site topics are:	
	Spruce Beetle	Sub-Meter GPS
	Walkthrough Trees	Orphan Trees
	Mechanically Fallen Trees	Slopes & Clinometers
	Pathogens and Risk Group Impacts	Heights - How to calculate heights.
	Tree Aging, Maturity Codes, Ageing 10s, etc.	Calibration - The importance of properly calibrated instruments
	Tips & Tricks - A few ways to make life easier.	Tree Aging, Maturity Codes, Ageing 10s, etc.
	Sound Wood	DBH's
	Burn Codes	Blowdown Codes
3:30	End of Field Session	
5:30	Doors open for Banquet Dinner	
6:00	Banquet Dinner at the Ramada Hotel (444 George Street) with Talk Show Style Presentation	



Thursday May 2nd, 2019
Annual General Meeting - Prince George Civic Centre

TIME	PRESENTATION	SPEAKER
7:00	Registration, Breakfast (Provided) & Networking	
8:15	Opening Remarks	Calvin Strom, RFT
8:30	Field Sites Review	Tyler Suel, ATC
9:30	Salvage Logging and Wildlife Habitat: Planning and Practices in Canfor's Kootenay Operations following the 2017 Wildfires	Kari Stuart-Smith, PhD., RPBio., PBiol. Senior Forest Scientist, Canfor
10:10	Coffee Break (Coffee Provided)	
10:30	Cruise Manual Updates & Timber Pricing Branch Announcements	Mike Wedel, RPF, ATE Cruising Policy Forester, Timber Pricing Branch
11:40	ABCFFP Education Update	Troy Lee, Manager, Member Competence and Engagement
12:00	Lunch (Provided) & Networking	
1:00	Timber Supply Update	John Pousette, RPF Team Lead - Major Projects, Omineca Region
1:30	College of New Caledonia, Natural Resources and Forest Technology(NRFT)Program Update	Greg Rose, RPF Instructor, College of New Caledonia
2:00	Forest Pathologist Update	Jewel Yurkewich, RPF Regional Forest Pathologist, Omineca Region
2:30	Forest Entomologist Update	Jeanne Robert, Ph.D. Regional Forest Entomologist, Omineca & Northwest Regions
3:00	AGM Report(Budget, Executive Update & Board Elections)	Calvin Strom, RFT NICC Chairperson
3:15	Door Prizes & Session Wrap Up	Andrew Potter, RFT, ATE