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## 2015 Summer Field Day Exhibitor Registration Now Open!



Wednesday, July 15, 2015  
Bartlett Arboretum & Gardens  
Stamford, CT

### Join Us at CNLA's 2015 Summer Field Day! *Rain or Shine*

CNLA's Summer Field Day provides exhibitors the opportunity to market your products where they were meant to be, the great outdoors! The event provides members with quality educational programs, networking opportunities, and great food!

#### How To Register:

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3. Call the CNLA Office to register by phone.

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Telephone: 800-562-0610 | Fax: 860-286-0787

### Useful Forms to Download:

[Exhibitor Application](#)

[Exhibitor Guidelines](#)

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*This program is a cooperative effort of the CNLA, the University of Connecticut Cooperative Extension System, the Connecticut Department of Agriculture, and the Risk Management Agency/USDA.*



## Members in the News



Vernon's [The Garden Barn Nursery & Landscaping](#) was named one of **Today's "Garden Center" magazine's Revolutionary 100 Garden Centers for 2015.**

Congratulations to the Gliha's and the staff of The Garden Barn Nursery & Landscaping!

[Today's Garden Center Magazine Article](#)

## Landscapers' Social A Success!

## Quick Links

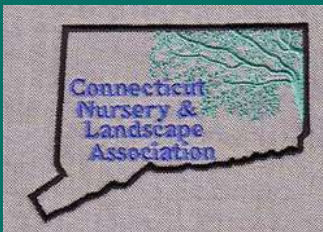
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On Wednesday, April 15th CNLA's Landscape Committee held a Landscapers' Social at Wood-n-Tap and it was a great success. Thank you to those that attended and shared their ideas. We are excited to move forward and host another social come June. Stay tuned!

## Southern Pine Beetle Found in Connecticut

The Connecticut Agricultural Experiment Station (CAES) and the Department of Energy and Environmental Protection (DEEP) announced that the Southern Pine Beetle, *Dendroctonus frontalis*, was detected in Wallingford, CT on March 17, 2015 by staff members at CAES and DEEP. The identification has been confirmed by officials of the USDA Forest Service. This is the first detection of this pest in Connecticut. Four sites in New Haven County and one each in Litchfield and Hartford counties have been confirmed positive for the beetle.

Southern Pine Beetle (SPB) is native to the Southeastern United States and has long been a major pest of timber plantations in that region. The beetle can overwhelm and kill healthy trees. Dr. Kirby C. Stafford, State Entomologist, said "it is disappointing to have yet another forest insect pest introduced into the state, but as this is a beetle native to the U.S., there will be no Federal or State regulation on movement or disposal of infested trees or wood".

To read the full article released by DEEP, [click here](#).

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Southern Pine Beetle



Infested Scotch Pine



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## Invasive Plant of the Month

### **Black Swallow-wort** *Cynanchum louiseae*

"Black swallow-wort is an herbaceous, twinning, perennial vine. Leaves are opposite, dark green, oval, shiny, entire, 3-4 in. (7.6-10.2 cm) long and 2-3 in. (5.1-7.6 cm) wide. Flowering occurs in June to July, when dark purple, 5-petaled, star-shaped flowers appear in clusters. Flowers are approximately 0.25 in. (0.6 cm) across and covered with white hairs. Fruit are pods, similar to milkweed pods, which are slender, 2-3 in. (5.1-7.6 cm) long and split to reveal small seeds with tufts of white hair. The hair allows the seeds to be readily dispersed. Plants have rhizomes that sprout new plants. Black swallow-wort invades upland areas with a wide range of light and moisture conditions. Black swallow-wort is native to Europe and escaped from a botanical garden in Massachusetts."

For more information, visit [Invasive.org](http://Invasive.org)





*Leslie J. Mehrhoff, University of Connecticut*



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## **CNLA Classifieds**

**FOR SALE** 2004 Brush Bandit 254xp 14in. chipper. Comes with winch and many sets of knives. Has brand new clutch. Hubs were replaced on both wheels. Electric brakes work and are in good condition. \$14,000. Call 203-455-8209 [4/17/2015]

**FOR SALE** 1987 F-700 Forestry bucket truck. 55ft operating height Aerial Lift of Ct. Tow hitch w/ electric brake controller. CDL no air brakes. 6spd. Truck is reliable and in good condition. Current vehicle inspection. \$13,500. Call 203-455-8209 [4/17/2015]

**FOR SALE** 2000 International 4900. Under CDL, w/ air brakes. Dt466 Speed. W/A/C. Hitch w/ electric brake controller. 16ft dumping steel body w/ 4ft sides and barn doors. Current inspection. Only need a regular driver's license to drive. \$16,500. Call 203-455-8209 [4/17/2015]

**HELP WANTED** Nursery Stock Plant Manager. Premiere Nursery and Grower and vendor of plants and nursery stock

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**HELP WANTED** Landscape Workers. Hollandia Nurseries of Bethel is now hiring Landscape workers to join the Landscape crews to assist with maintenance and installation. Apply in person immediately at Hollandia Nurseries, 103 Old Hawleyville Road, Bethel, CT 06801 [Kathy@ctgrown.com](mailto:Kathy@ctgrown.com) [4/14/15]

**HELP WANTED** Spray Technician. Hollandia Nurseries of Bethel is now hiring Spray Technician Applicator with minimum 2 years experience in the applications of herbicides, pesticides and/or deer repellents to join the Landscape crews to assist with maintenance and installation. Apply in person immediately or email resume. Hollandia Nurseries, 103 Old Hawleyville Road, Bethel, CT 06801 [Kathy@ctgrown.com](mailto:Kathy@ctgrown.com) [4/14/15]

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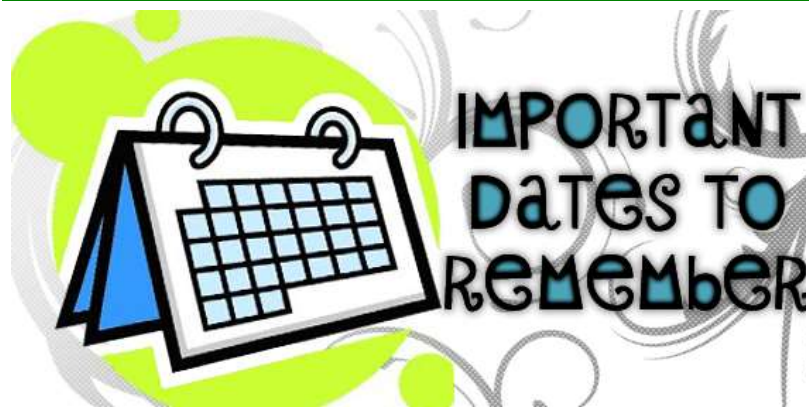


## Help Us Share Our Members' News

- Send us highlights of your organization, such as:

- Anniversaries
  - Achievements
  - Promotions
  - Awards
  - Events
  - Milestones
- Send us topics/articles you would like featured in the updates.
  - Update us on new/interesting plants your organization might have.

Suggestions can be sent to CNLA by emailing:  
[info@cnla.biz](mailto:info@cnla.biz)



### **Get Out Your Calendars!**

#### **Upcoming Industry Events**

- [PLANET's Day of Service](#) - Wednesday, April 22, 2015
- CNLA 2015 Summer Field Day - Bartlett Arboretum & Gardens ~ Stamford, CT, July 15, 2015. More information to come!
- CNF hosts Past CNLA Presidents Reception - Saturday, August 29th 3pm-7pm at Chamard Vineyard in Clinton, CT. More information to follow.

- CNF Annual Golf Outing -Tuesday, September 22 at Lyman Orchards Golf Club, Middlebury, CT. 8AM Tee Time. More information to follow.

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