



2013 SAF Action Calendar

What To Do In...

JANUARY

During the month:

- Nominate a member for an SAF National Award. A list of awards can be found at www.safnet.org/who/nationalawards.cfm. In Oregon, contact Bob Alverts at balverts@teleport.com. In Washington, contact John Walkowiak at johnwa@dor.wa.gov
- Complete and submit last-minute nominations for SAF National Committee vacancies.
- Finalize chapter officers and send officer listing to Patricia Adadevoh (adadevohp@safnet.org) and Annie Tomlinson (annie@forestry.org).
- State society responsible for following year's Leadership Conference appoints chair (WSSAF responsible for even-numbered years; OSAF during odd-numbered years).
- Approve goals for the year.
- SAF National Office purges "inactive" members from membership database.

Specific Dates:

- January 17, Washington Forestry Legislative Reception, Hands On Children's Museum, Olympia. Contact: Ellie Lathrop, 360-430-3006, ellie.lathrop@weyerhaeuser.com.
- January 18-19: 2013 Forestry Leadership Academy, Oregon Garden Resort, Silverton, OR. Contact Annie Tomlinson at annie@forestry.org for registration information and Mike Cloughesy at cloughesy@ofri.com for program information.

FEBRUARY

During the month:

- Chapters and state societies have last year's books reviewed in accordance with bylaws.
- Present 50-year golden member awards at chapter meetings; state societies honor at annual meetings.

Specific Dates:

- Feb. 1: Foresters' Fund Regular grant (from \$500 to \$1,500) applications due to state Foresters' Fund Chairs. Note that Foresters' Fund applications must be approved by state society executive committee prior to FF chair submitting to national. In Oregon, contact Trixy Moser at trixymoser@yahoo.com; in Washington, contact Ellie Lathrop at 360-430-4006, ellie.lathrop@weyerhaeuser.com. Information and forms are available at www.forestry.org/oregon/education/foresters/.
- Feb. 1: OSAF Special Projects Fund grant applications (from \$1 to \$500) due to Trixy Moser, OSAF Foresters' Fund chair, trixymoser@yahoo.com. Additional information at <http://www.forestry.org/oregon/education/specialprojects/>.
- Feb. 15: Fellow nominations submitted to district chairs. District 1 chair: Don Hanley, don@wirechief.com; District 2 chair: John Bell, johnbell@proaxis.com. District Fellow Committees review nominations and make recommendations to SAF Council representatives by March 31.
- Feb. 15: State Foresters' Fund chairs forward grant requests to SAF National.
- Feb. 15: WSSAF Tax Worksheets for 2012 due to Chuck Lorenz (c_4str@yahoo.com).

- February 18: Western Forester deadline for March/April/May issue (Wildlife in Managed Forests)
- Feb. 21: SAFNWO Finance Subcommittee meets to review Northwest Office financials. Contact: Lori Rasor, 503-224-8046, rasor@safnwo.org.
- February 25: OSAF Tax Worksheets for 2012 due to Steve Cafferata (cafferat@msn.com).
- Feb. 28: National Awards due to National for 2013. Visit www.eforester.org/about/awards.cfm for information.

MARCH

Specific dates:

- March 8: OSAF Executive Committee, Salem, Ore. Contact: Ron Boldenow 541-383-7754, rboldenow@cocc.edu.
- March 8-10: SAF National Council meeting in Bethesda, Maryland. Contact: District 1 Council Representative John Walkowiak at johnwa@dor.wa.gov and District 2 Council Representative Bob Alverts at balverts@teleport.com.
- March 14: Wildlife in Managed Forests: Practical Skills Workshop, Albany, Ore. Co-hosted by Marys Peak Chapter, Oregon Forest Resources Institute, Oregon SAF, and The Oregon Chapter of The Wildlife Society. Contact: Annie Tomlinson, 503-224-8046, annie@forestry.org.
- March 15: State awards nominations due to Awards Chair. For Oregon, visit www.forestry.org/or/awards/index.php for a list of awards; send nominations to Tim Keith, 503-779-7760, Tim.Keith@state.or.us, and Glenn Lahti, 530-410-4186, alpinerm.11@gmail.com. In Washington, visit www.forestry.org/wa/awards/index.php for list of awards; send nominations to Bill Horn at hornbill66@msn.com.
- March 31: Fellows Committee sends Fellow recommendations to Council Representatives for final preparation.

APRIL

During the month:

- Develop and confirm list of potential officers for the following year at both the state and chapter level.

Specific dates:

- April 1: OSAF Special Projects Fund grant (from \$1 to \$500) due to Trixy Moser, OSAF Foresters' Fund chair, at trixymoser@yahoo.com. See www.forestry.org/oregon/education/specialprojects/.
- April 3-5: Washington State SAF annual meeting, Campbell's Resort, Lake Chelan. Contact: Andy Perleberg, andyp@wsu.edu.
- April 24: OSAF Executive Committee, Pendleton, Ore. Contact: Ron Boldenow 541-383-7754, rboldenow@cocc.edu.
- April 24-26: Oregon SAF Annual Meeting, Changing Forestry Along the Oregon Trail: Opportunities, Challenges, and Lessons Learned, Wildhorse Resort and Casino, Pendleton, co-hosted by Blue Mountain and Columbia Gorge Chapters. Contact General Co-Chair Nate Putnam, nputnam@hnr.org, www.forestry.org/oregon/2013meeting.
- April 24-26, Alaska SAF Annual Meeting, Invasives and Disturbance in the Urban Forest, Coast International Inn, Anchorage. Contact: Nathan Lojewski, 907-562-4155, Nathan@Chugachmiut.org.
- April 30: Fellow Nominations due to SAF National from District Council representatives.

MAY

During the month:

- Continue to develop and confirm list of potential officers for the following year at both the state and chapter level. Candidate confirmations by state annual meetings are suggested.
- Make personal contacts with all dues delinquent members.
- Universities and colleges develop Student Chapter award (Outstanding Student Chapter and Student Website award) nomination packets at national level.
- Universities and colleges email updated officer information for the following academic year.
- May TBA: OSAF Foundation Fellow's Luncheon, Peavy Club Cabin, Corvallis, OR. Contact: Jennifer Beathe, jennifer@starkerforests.com.

Specific dates:

- May 31-June 2: SAF National Council meeting in Bethesda, MD. Contact: District 1 Council Representative John Walkowiak at johnwa@dor.wa.gov and District 2 Council Representative Bob Alverts at balverts@teleport.com.

JUNE

During the month:

- SAF Council considers all forwarded Fellow nominees and vote at June Council meeting.
- June TBA: SAF Northwest Office Committee Meeting, World Forestry Center, Portland, OR

Specific dates:

- June 1: Send SAF Presidential Field Forester Nominations to District Council Representatives John Walkowiak at johnwa@dor.wa.gov and Bob Alverts at balverts@teleport.com.
- June 1: Council Nominations and Vice President Nominations due to National.
- June 1: Foresters' Fund Regular grant (from \$500 to \$1,500) and Special Projects grant (from \$1,501-\$5,000) applications due to state Foresters' Fund Chairs. Note that Foresters' Fund applications must be approved by state society executive committee prior to FF chair submitting to national. In Oregon, contact Trixy Moser at trixymoser@yahoo.com; in Washington, contact Ellie Lathrop at 360-430-4006, ellie.lathrop@weyerhaeuser.com. Information and forms are available at <http://www.eforester.org/members/forfund.cfm>.
- June 3: Western Forester deadline for June/July/August issue (Forest Biomass: To Energy and Beyond)
- June 15: Presidential Field Forester Nominations due to the National President from District Council representatives via SAF EVP.
- June 20: Applications for the Outstanding Student Chapter Award and the Student Chapter Website Award due to National.
- June 30: Applications due to National for Ben Meadows Scholarship — Two \$2,500 Natural Resource Scholarships. Instructions, complete requirements, and the application form can be found at www.benmeadows.com/scholarships/.

JULY

Specific Dates:

- July 1: Members running for vice president or council submit petition, campaign statement, biographical information, narrative and photo to national office.
- July 1: OSAF Special Projects Fund grant (from \$1 to \$500) due to Trixy Moser, OSAF Foresters' Fund chair, at trixymoser@yahoo.com. See www.forestry.org/oregon/education/specialprojects/.

- July 1: SAF National Office places non-renewing members to “inactive” status, which alerts local units via the membership reports of those members that have not renewed.

AUGUST

Specific Dates:

- August 5: Western Forester deadline for September/October issue (Baby Boomers).
- August 12: State and chapter election information due to Northwest Office for formatting and organizing to send to National (for electronic ballots). Contact Lori Rasor at rasor@safnwo.org.

SEPTEMBER

Specific dates:

- September 1: Foresters' Fund Regular grant (from \$500 to \$1,500) applications due to state Foresters' Fund Chairs. Note that Foresters' Fund applications must be approved by state society executive committee prior to FF chair submitting to national. In Oregon, contact Trixy Moser at trixymoser@yahoo.com; in Washington, contact Ellie Lathrop at 360-430-4006, ellie.lathrop@weyerhaeuser.com. Information and forms are available at www.forestry.org/oregon/education/foresters/
- September 4: HSD National Recognition award nominations due to National.
- September 4: Electronic election candidate information is due to the national office for e-ballots.
- September 6-22: Puyallup Fair, WSSAF booth, volunteers contact Bill Horn, hornbill66@msn.com, 253-770-0485.
- September 13: OSAF Executive Committee, Bend, Ore. Contact: Ron Boldenow 541-383-7754, rboldenow@cooc.edu.

OCTOBER

During the month:

- Open call for nominations from members to the District Fellows Committee in the fall (deadline January of following year)
- National sends email reminders to vote will be sent to all SAF members.

Specific Dates:

- October 1: OSAF Special Projects Fund grant (from \$1 to \$500) due to Trixy Moser, OSAF Foresters' Fund chair, at trixymoser@yahoo.com. See www.forestry.org/oregon/education/specialprojects/.
- October 2: Members with emails receive national and local election information.
- October 7: Western Forester deadline for November/December issue (FIA in the PNW)
- October 23-26: SAF National Convention, Charleston, SC.
- October 22-23: HSD annual meeting at the SAF National Conference.
- October 24: SAF National Council Meeting, Charleston, SC. Contact: District 1 Council Representative John Walkowiak at johnwa@dor.wa.gov and District 2 Council Representative Bob Alverts at balverts@teleport.com.

NOVEMBER

During the month:

- Incoming state chair recruits executive committee members.
- November TBA: SAF Northwest Office Committee meeting

Specific dates:

- November 2: SAF National elections close.
- November 25: Western Forester deadline for January/February 2014 (Reforestation and Nursery Management)

DECEMBER

During the month:

- Incoming state chair continues to recruit executive committee members.
- Executive Committee members provide budget numbers to treasurer for next year's budget.
- Nominations due for SAF National Committee vacancies by month end.

Specific dates:

- December 6: OSAF Executive Committee, Eugene, Ore. Contact: Ron Boldenow 541-383-7754, rboldenow@cooc.edu.
- December 6-8: SAF National Council meeting in Bethesda, MD. Contact: District 1 Council Representative John Walkowiak at johnwa@dor.wa.gov and District 2 Council Representative Bob Alverts at balverts@teleport.com.
- December 31: New officer information for state societies and chapters due to Patricia Adadevoh (adadevohp@safnet.org) and Annie Tomlinson (annie@forestry.org)

STATE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE MEETINGS

- Alaska SAF meets via conference call the third Thursday of each month. Contact: Charlie Sink, charlie@chugachmiut.org.
- Inland Empire meets via conference call five or six times a year. Contact: Steve McConnell, smc571@msn.com.
- WSSAF meets via conference call on a near-monthly basis except during the summer. Contact: Ellie Lathrop, 360-430-3006; Ellie.Lathrop@weyerhaeuser.com
- OSAF meets face-to-face with conference calling ability 4-5 times per year. Contact: Ron Boldenow 541-383-7754, rboldenow@cooc.edu.

LONG-RANGE PLANNER — 2014

- October 8-11, SAF National Convention, Salt Lake City, Utah. Convention held in conjunction with the International Union of Forestry Research Organizations (IUFRO) meeting.

SUPER DUPER LONG-RANGE PLANNER — 2015 and Beyond

- 2015 SAF National Convention: Baton Rouge, LA
- 2016 SAF National Convention: Madison, WI
- 2017 SAF National Convention: Louisville, KY
- 2018 SAF National Convention: Portland, OR

Send calendar items to Lori Rasor, rasor@safnwo.org, 503-224-8046
Electronic online version of calendar available at www.forestry.org