



# NYLT Spring Sourcebook 2020

## COVID-19 UPDATE Edition

### CoVid-19 Announcement

On Wednesday, March 18, 2020 the New York Logger Training, Inc. Board of Directors, along with various partners and cooperators, developed a flexible plan to assure that certifications and recertification procedures are in place while Coronavirus restrictions are still followed.

Follow this [document](#) link for the full document or visit [www.newyorkloggertraining.org](http://www.newyorkloggertraining.org) for the full policy

## New York Logger Training—Trained Logger Certification

New York Logger Training (NYLT) is a cooperative effort of timber harvesters, foresters, forest industry, forest landowners, government, and educators working together to learn and practice environmentally sound logging practices and improved woods skills to develop a safer work environment, increased productivity and profits, and a better quality of life. NYLT's Trained Logger Certification © (TLC) has become the standard training for programs such as the Sustainable Forest Initiative (SFI) in NYS and is supported by the New York SFI State Implementation Committee (SIC). TLC is a voluntary program which recognizes loggers who have achieved a level of training and continuing education.

The Trained Logger Certification (TLC) program was developed to recognize individuals who complete a training schedule involving three "core" areas of logging knowledge and skills:

- 1. Environmental Concerns:** Forest Ecology & Silviculture (includes BMP's for water quality and invasive and endangered species); Offered regionally in the fall and spring.
- 2. Chainsaw Safety, & Productivity:** Game of Logging™ (any level); NYLT Regions host workshops in the fall and spring. Game of Logging workshops are presented at no cost to participants through a grant from the NYS Department of Labor's Hazard Abatement Board—however participants must be members of ESFPA. Membership is available to all those participating in NYLT, inquire at (518) 463-1297.
- 3. Adult First Aid & CPR:** Red Cross, Heart Association, or National Safety Council are acceptable; participants must send proof of course completion to the NYLT office to receive credit.

TLC is valid for 3 years from date of certification, with 3 Continuing Ed credits (in addition to 1<sup>st</sup> Aid/CPR) required to stay certified. TLC is a voluntary program, allowing participants the opportunity to gain recognition for and satisfaction from their achievement. Since the original certificates were presented in 1996 it has become the standard for the wood using industry in New York.

### **Continuing Education Courses:**

In order to maintain certification, participants must take an additional three (3) pre-approved credits over the three (3) years following their initial certification, and maintain current (every two years you must renew) First Aid and CPR status. New courses are continually being reviewed and approved for Continuing Education Credits. If taking a course approved but not hosted by NYLT, participants are responsible for sending a copy of their course certification along with a \$20.00 administrative fee (First Aid/CPR excluded) to the NYLT Office at 47 Van Alstyne Drive, Rensselaer, NY 12144. Checks should be made payable to New York Logger Training.

**Outside courses** can be submitted to NYLT for consideration of TLC credit. There are many courses that help you in the course of your work. It doesn't hurt to try and get credit for them. Submit the course information **prior** to taking it. Once approved you will need to submit proof of attendance.

### **How Many Classes are TOO MANY? Do You Have Banked Credits?**

The NYLT program was designed as a Continuing Education Program. The program is run on a three year validation period. So, after initial TLC, a participant has three years to take three more one-credit classes. Sometimes an individual will want to take more than 3 courses in that 3 year period. Participants should note, only 1 extra credit, per 3 year CE cycle can be BANKED for future use. Please keep this in mind when planning your workshops for the year. A good rule of thumb is one credit per year!

# REGISTRATION FOR ALL WORKSHOPS IS OPEN

## 2020 NYLT Training Schedule: March through June

### Core Training Courses – Must complete Forest Ecology & Silviculture\*; Game of Logging (Level 1); and First Aid/CPR.

\* Funding for this course was obtained through a NYS Department of Labor Grant; only ESFPA members can take this course

Course Date	Time	Course Name	Location	Cost	Register Thru
2/28/2020		Adult 1 <sup>st</sup> Aid & CPR	SWCD Office, Walton, Delaware Cty	\$25	CCE 518-622-9820 (x 0)
<del>3/24/2020</del>	<del>8:30 am – 4pm</del>	<del>Forest Ecology &amp; Silviculture</del>	<del>Bath, DEC Office, Steuben Cty</del>	<del>\$25</del>	<del>ESFPA 518-463-1297</del>
<del>3/31/2020</del>	<del>8 am – 5 pm</del>	<del>GOL 1</del>	<del>Cattaraugus Cty, Boyce Hill State Forest</del>	<del>N/C *</del>	<del>ESFPA 518-463-1297</del>
<del>4/2/2020</del>	<del>8 am – 5 pm</del>	<del>GOL 1</del>	<del>Baker School House State Forest, Cortland Cty</del>	<del>N/C *</del>	<del>ESFPA 518-463-1297</del>
<del>4/3/2020</del>	<del>8 am – 5 pm</del>	<del>GOL 1</del>	<del>TBD, NYC Watershed</del>	<del>\$25</del>	<del>CCE 518-622-9820 (x 0)</del>
<del>4/4/2020</del>	<del></del>	<del>Forest Ecology &amp; Silviculture</del>	<del>SWCD Office, Walton, Delaware Cty</del>	<del>\$15</del>	<del>CCE 518-622-9820 (x 0)</del>
<del>4/14/2020</del>	<del>8 am – 5 pm</del>	<del>GOL 1</del>	<del>Painter Hill, Town of Mamakating, Ulster Cty</del>	<del>N/C *</del>	<del>ESFPA 518-463-1297</del>
<del>4/15/2020</del>	<del>8 am – 5 pm</del>	<del>GOL 1</del>	<del>Wightman Lumber, Otsego Cty</del>	<del>N/C *</del>	<del>ESFPA 518-463-1297</del>
<del>4/16/2020</del>	<del>8 am – 5 pm</del>	<del>GOL 1</del>	<del>Western Delaware Cty</del>	<del>N/C *</del>	<del>ESFPA 518-463-1297</del>
<del>4/21/2020</del>	<del>8:30 am – 4pm</del>	<del>Forest Ecology &amp; Silviculture</del>	<del>Cortland, DEC Office, Cortland Cty</del>	<del>\$25</del>	<del>ESFPA 518-463-1297</del>
4/28/2020 <b>BLITZ**</b>	8 am – 5 pm	GOL 1	Lewis Cty	N/C *	ESFPA 518-463-1297
4/29/2020 <b>BLITZ**</b>	8:30 am – 4pm	Forest Ecology & Silviculture	Lowville DEC Office, Lewis Cty	\$25	ESFPA 518-463-1297
4/29/2020	8 am – 5 pm	GOL 1	St. Lawrence Cty	N/C *	ESFPA 518-463-1297
4/30/2020 <b>BLITZ**</b>	8:30 am – 1 pm	Adult 1 <sup>st</sup> Aid & CPR	Lowville DEC Office, Lewis Cty	New - \$90 Re-cert - \$50***	ESFPA 518-463-1297
5/8/2020	8 am – 5 pm	GOL 1	Rocky Point Pine Barrens State Forest, Suffolk Cty	N/C *	ESFPA 518-463-1297
5/7/2020	8:30 am – 4pm	Forest Ecology & Silviculture	Stony Brook DEC Office, Suffolk Cty	\$25	ESFPA 518-463-1297
5/18/2020	8 am – 5 pm	GOL 1	Queensbury, Warren Cty	N/C *	ESFPA 518-463-1297

## DON'T GET CAUGHT WITHOUT ENOUGH CONTINUING EDUCATION CREDITS, LETTING YOUR CERTIFICATION EXPIRE!!!

### There are Online classes available ANYTIME from home!

New York Logger Training, Inc. is pleased to provide convenient and interesting on-line webinars which provide credits for loggers seeking their recertification at any level. NYLT periodically updates our offerings of pre-approved available on line credits so if you're in need of some credits, take a look!

In order to take advantage of these workshops, follow these easy steps:

1. Know your **NYLT Logger ID**. If you don't know this number, please contact NYLT at (518) 463-1297 or email Janet at [janet@esfpa.org](mailto:janet@esfpa.org).
2. Go to **www.forestrywebinars.net**. Click on **On Demand Webinars** from the menu bar. **Select New York Logger Training** from the drop down menu in the **Search On-Demand** webinars box.
3. From there you will see a list of webinars, their descriptions and length of time. 1.5 hour courses are valued at .25 NYLT CE credit. 2 hour plus courses are valued at .5 NYLT CE credits be lead through a series of prompts to complete the process.
4. Once completed, records will be sent directly to NYLT, on a monthly basis. If a logger desires, they can forward the certificate they receive via emails at the completion of the workshop to NYLT for immediate credit.

**Continuing Education Training** – 1 Credit for over 4.5 hours of training; .5 credits less than 4.5 hours of training.

Course Date	Time	Course Name	Location	Cost	Register Thru
3/3/2020	8:30 am – 3 pm	GIS for Harvesters	Bath DEC Office, Steuben Cty	\$55 ESFPA members/ \$75 non-ESFPA members	ESFPA 518-463-1297
<del>CANCELLED</del>	<del>8 am – 5 pm</del>	<del>GOL 4</del>	<del>Canaseraga State Forest, Livingston Cty</del>	<del>N/C *</del>	<del>ESFPA 518-463-1297</del>
<del>CANCELLED</del>	<del>8 am – 5 pm</del>	<del>CR &amp; LR</del>	<del>St. Lawrence Cty</del>	<del>N/C *</del>	<del>ESFPA 518-463-1297</del>
<del>CANCELLED</del>	<del>8:30 am – 4 pm</del>	<del>Timber Measurements for Loggers</del>	<del>Little Valley DEC Office, Cattaraugus Cty</del>	<del>\$55 ESFPA members/ \$75 non-member</del>	<del>ESFPA 518-463-1297</del>
<del>CANCELLED</del>	<del>8 am – 5 pm</del>	<del>GOL 4</del>	<del>Western Delaware Co</del>	<del>N/C *</del>	<del>ESFPA 518-463-1297</del>
<del>CANCELLED</del>	<del>8:30 am – 3 pm</del>	<del>Be a “Go To” Logger</del>	<del>Hamden CCE Office, Delaware Cty</del>	<del>\$55 ESFPA Member/\$75 non-member</del>	<del>ESFPA 518-463-1297 (Need 10 to hold)</del>
<del>CANCELLED</del>	<del>8:30 am – 3 pm</del>	<del>Small Business Essentials for Loggers</del>	<del>Ellicottville CCE Office, Cattaraugus Cty</del>	<del>\$55 ESFPA Member/\$75 non-member</del>	<del>ESFPA 518-463-1297 (Need 10 to hold)</del>
<del>CANCELLED</del>	<del>8:30 am – 4 pm</del>	<del>Chainsaw Maintenance</del>	<del>Agroforestry Resource Center, Acra, Greene Cty</del>	<del>\$25</del>	<del>CCE 518-622-9820 (x 0)</del>
<del>CANCELLED</del>	<del>8 am – 5 pm</del>	<del>CR &amp; LR</del>	<del>Greenfield, Saratoga Cty</del>	<del>N/C *</del>	<del>ESFPA 518-463-1297</del>
4/29/2020	8:30 am – 3 pm	Small Business Essentials for Loggers	Warrensburg DEC Office, Warren Cty	\$55 ESFPA Members/ \$75 non-members	ESFPA 518-463-1297 (Need 10 to hold)
4/30/2020	8 am – 5 pm	GOL 4	St. Lawrence Cty	N/C *	ESFPA 518-463-1297
5/7/2020	8:30 am – 4 pm	Timber Measurements for Loggers	Lowville DEC Office, Lewis Cty	\$55 ESFPA members/ \$75 non-member	ESFPA 518-463-1297
5/8/2020	8:30 am – 3 pm	Be the “Go To” Logger	Greenfield Community Center, Saratoga Cty	\$55 ESFPA Member/\$75 non-member	ESFPA 518-463-1297 (Need 10 to hold)
5/12/2020	8:30 am – 3 pm	There’s an APP for that!	Warrensburg CCE Office, Warren Cty	\$55 ESFPA Member/\$75 non-member	ESFPA 518-463-1297 (Need 10 to hold)
5/13/2020	8:30 am – 3 pm	GIS for Harvesters	St. Lawrence Cty	\$55 ESFPA Member/\$75 non-member	ESFPA 518-463-1297 (Need 10 to hold)
5/15/2020		Log Bucking Workshop	Greene Lumber, Davenport, Delaware Cty	\$25	WAC 607-865-7790 (x 119)
5/19/2020	8 am – 5 pm	GOL 4	Queensbury, Warren Cty	N/C*	ESFPA 518-463-1297
5/20/2020	8 am – 5 pm	GOL 3	Essex Cty	N/C *	ESFPA 518-463-1297
5/21/2020	8:30 am – 3 pm	There’s an APP for that!	Ellicottville CCE Office, Cattaraugus Cty	\$55 ESFPA Member/\$75 non-member	ESFPA 518-463-1297 (Need 10 to hold)
5/29/2020	8:30 am – 4 pm	Forest Pests & Diseases	Saratoga CCE, Ballston Spa	\$55 ESFPA Member/\$75 non-member	ESFPA 518-463-1297
6/12/2020	8 am – 5 pm	GOL 4	TBD, NYC Watershed	\$25	WAC 607-865-7790 (x 119)

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TRAINED LOGGER CERTIFIED (TLC) STATUS:

- Go to the New York Logger Training website: [www.newyorkloggertraining.org](http://www.newyorkloggertraining.org) and apply for access to see all of your training records.
- Contact the New York Logger Training (NYLT) Office during regular business hours (9 am to 5 pm weekdays) at 518-463-1297.



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