NORTHERN ARIZONA CHAPTER SOCIETY OF AMERICAN FORESTERS













December 2006 Newsletter

GREETINGS FROM YOUR OFFICERS:

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Please contact your officers if you have questions, comments or suggestions and feel welcome to share any information of interest to SAF members.

The chapter newsletters are posted on the Coconino National Forest website http://www.fs.fed.us/r3/coconino/about/links.shtml and the Southwestern SAF website, http://www.for.nau.edu/swsaf/, under the heading "chapter news".

CHAPTER MEETING: Thursday, December 7, 2006

Lu Mandarin Chinese Restaurant, 702 S. Milton Rd, Flagstaff, 773–0380.

We will meet in the "back room" on the north side.

PLEASE NOTE THE FOLLOWING SCHEDULE FOR YOUR NOVEMBER MEETING!

Members are welcome to just attend the presentation and business meeting.

5:45pm Gathering and Socializing

6:00 pm Dinner (Chinese Buffet): Cost is \$7.99 plus drinks and gratuity. Please pay for your

dinner directly to the restaurant. Regular members (non-students) are asked to

contribute \$2.00 to cover the dinner cost of two student members.

6:30 pm Brief Business Meeting: Additional nominees, Report from SAF National

Convention

Please submit any additional business items to Steve (steve.dewhurst@nau.edu) or

bring them to the meeting.

6:45 pm Speaker: Kristen Waring, the new Silviculture professor at NAU, will discuss aspects

of her research - more details to follow

7:30 pm Adjourn

PREVIOUS MEETINGS: Lu Mandarin Chinese Restaurant – speaker Pascal Berlouix, Arizona Forest

Restoration Products

NEXT MEETING: January 11th, 2007, Lu Mandarin Chinese Restaurant

Please take time take time to recruit a new SAF member or to bring an existing member to the next Chapter meeting. We'll try hard to make both your experiences worthwhile!

Brief note from the Chair on elections for 2007 Chapter officers:

We currently have 1 nominee for Chair-elect (Jim Allen from NAU) and 1 nominee for Secretary-Treasurer (Ben DeBlois, also from NAU). We would like to have additional nominees or volunteers for these positions, so we will hold nominations open until the meeting this Thursday. An e-mail election will be held starting December 8th. Please step up and volunteer if you can, we'd especially like to see some non-NAU people on the leadership team!

Thanks,

Steve Dewhurst Chapter Chair