

Success Stories

05/01/2009. Written by employees, these Success Stories give a first-hand account of activities taking place on our public lands throughout the nation over the past three weeks. We welcome your feedback, and encourage you to forward these stories to other folks who may share your interest.

[Sixth Annual Wheelin' Sportsmen Event was Better than Ever](#)

Fishing event for individuals with physical and mental challenges proves to be a solid success on the Wayne National Forest.

[Chippewa NF Creates Native Plant Garden](#)

The Blackduck Ranger District on the Chippewa NF created a native plant pollinator garden. The garden will be used as an educational tool.

[Oregon National Forest Project Competes for Internet Votes Thanks To National Forest Foundation](#)

National Forest Foundation has entered Whychus Creek Trails Project in a competition for a \$50,000 grant from Redwood Creek Wines and Planet Green, Greater Outdoors Project

[American Chestnut Trees Planted on National Forest Reclaimed Mine Lands](#)

Special American chestnut seedlings developed by US Forest Service Research are planted on the Wayne with hopes for better survival, growth and development of seedlings.

[Learning a new career, one circuit at a time](#)

Blackwell Job Corps students gain hands-on experience with renovations at what will be the new CNNF Supervisor's office

[Eleven Complete Basic Wildland Firefighter Training](#)

The Shawnee National Forest sponsored training at the Golconda Job Corps Center.

[Fuels Reduction in Pictures: Conditions, Action, Results!](#)

Central Oregon Round Butte ARRA project -- in Pictures!

[Contractor's Workshop a Success](#)

Approximately 20 attended workshop on the Shawnee National Forest.

[Already Putting More People to Work in Central Oregon's Crooked River National Grassland](#)

ARRA creates jobs; protects homes in Central Oregon

[Spotlight on Chippewa NF PIT Volunteers](#)

Chippewa National Forest PIT volunteers Dick and June Axelson are listed on the PIT honor roll for volunteering over 3000 hours.

Habitat for Timberdoodles on the Chippewa NF

The Blackduck Ranger District on the Chippewa has completed four shearing projects to clean brush for woodcock habitat.

Hoosier Hosts Timber Industry Tour

As a joint venture with Lincoln Hills RC&D the Hoosier hosted the annual timber industry meeting to provide information to the public about HNF policies and practices.

ARRA and the Forest Service in Central Oregon: Contract Crews Are Reducing Hazardous Fuels

People are back at work thinning and hand piling small trees, mowing and removing some biomass.

Eastern Region Implementation - North American Butterfly Association MOU

NABA provides R9 butterfly checklists & American Butterflies Magazine requests inventory info from members.

Steel Saws and Muscle on the Hoosier

Seven new crosscut sawyers certified on the Hoosier National Forest.

An Extreme Makeover on the Chippewa NF Wins Awards

The Chippewa's Deer River Ranger District receives Deputy Chief's Business Operations Award.

From Soils Surveys to Perch Fishing on the Chippewa NF

Chippewa employee helps out with the Cass Lake Kids Perch Fishing contest.

Mike Baltz Honored

On March 27, 2009, during an informal reception held in the Supervisor's Office of the Shawnee National Forest Mike Baltz was recognized for his years of work.

Partnership Protects Bicknell's Thrush Habitat and Welcomes Skiers Back to Mittersill

A unique partnership between the White Mountain National Forest, the State of New Hampshire and New Hampshire Audubon will protect Bicknell's thrush habitat and welcome skiers back to dormant trails.

Winter Logging Effects on Soil

Research promotes understanding of methods used to protect soil during management operations.