

Course Description

Disclaimer

Introduction to Tree Climbing for Production and Recreation



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Tree Climbing is a skill that needs proper training whether you use it professionally or for recreation!



A unique series of educational programs in arboriculture have been developed and tested and are available at a location and time convenient for full time working arborists and those employed in the green industry. This course will provide you with the necessary technical instruction needed to develop proficiency in the preclimb inspection, secure ascension, safe movement (inspection, pruning, rigging and removal) descension and basic knots for arboricultural operations. This program will provide hands-on instruction and various texts including *The Tree Climbers Companion* by Jeff Jepson: *Climbing equipment selection and inspection, false crotches, figure 8's, line tenders and specialized climbing equipment, climbing and rigging ropes, knots, proper entry, climbing and exit, pruning, plant biology, plant identification, ppe and arboricultural operations safety, ANSI Z133.1 & A300 standards and best management practices. All climbing equipment will be supplied for students during training.*

Course location:

Bergen County, NJLCA Headquarters
465 Boulevard, Elmwood Park, NJ 07407

Course fees and registration:

\$395.00 + tax

Course Schedule:

4 weeks, 4 hours per week
(4) 4 hour classes Saturday afternoons from 10:00-2:00pm for field activities.

*Please Note that class size will be limited to 5 participants.

Note: ISA Certified Arborist's can earn CEU's needed for recertification by registering and completing this course. This course is being submitted for all industry related continuing education units.

The course is solely designed to educate and provide continuing education units to individuals within the tree care industry, the classes will disseminate field proven and cutting edge techniques used in the care and management of trees and woody plants, course fees and classes are separate from any certification cost associated with any group or state agency, this offering shall not be interpreted as an implied guarantee of achieving the title of Certified Tree Worker, "Climber Specialist" or any other licensure or fee associated there within.



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Registration Form

Program cost \$ 395.00 plus tax per person
(Includes All Books and Materials)



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This course provides ISA and industry related CEU's (continuing education units)

Name of person(s) attending:

- 1 _____
- 2 _____
- 3 _____

*Please note: Class size is limited to 12 attendees, no refunds for the course fees and materials will be granted after the first scheduled class begins.

Name of person /employer /municipality: _____

Check # _____ Purchase order# _____

Please include address and contact # for attendee

This form can be faxed to: 973-256-2296

Make checks payable to: Sterling Consultants LLC

35 Mickeljohn Avenue, Little Falls NJ 07424-1023

Please contact Ted Szczawinski with any questions at 973-390-6588

About the Instructor:



Ted Szczawinski has been employed in the tree care industry for over 25 years. He has provided quality arboricultural education programs for over 15 years, he is a New Jersey State licensed Teacher, New Jersey Board Certified Tree Expert

and a ISA Certified Arborist & Certified Tree Worker Climber Specialist. Ted's passion for teaching along with his enthusiasm, knowledge, and experience provides a high quality industry program.

"Education and training provide inherent value to each of us, our use of this knowledge provides the means for career advancement and self worth."

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