MONTGOMERY TOWNSHIP SHADE TREE COMMISSION And Bartlett Tree Experts

COMMUNITY FORESTRY WORKSHOP

Friday, November 7, 2025 8am to 4pm

Agenda

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Morning Session	
8:00 – 8:30 AM	Registration – Continental Breakfast / Refreshments /
	Welcome Message
	Brett Reilly, Arborist Representative, Bartlett Tree Experts
8:30 – 9:00 AM	Encouraging a Safety Culture at Work
	Fred Fisher, Regional Safety Manager
	Bartlett Tree Experts
9:00 – 9:45 AM	Insect / Disease Update
	Margaret Pickoff, Horticulture Educator
	Penn State Extension Bucks County
9:45 –10:30 AM	Drought Management
	Brian Rhoten, VP/Division Manager
	Bartlett Tree Experts
10:30 –10:45 AM	Break
10:45 –11:45 AM	PA Pesticide Regulatory Update
	David Parr & Courtney Chappelear, Plant Industry Inspection
	Technicians (PIIT)
	Pennsylvania Department of Agriculture
11:45 – 12:30 PM	Treating Diseases/Pest Focus on Box Tree Moth
	Kevin Chase, Entomologist
	Bartlett Tree Experts
12:30 –1:00 PM	Lunch
Afternoon Session	
1:00 – 1:45 PM	Tree planting choices and where to plant
	Brenda R. Sullivan, Horticulturist, Horticultural Sales & Serv.
	Holly Days Nursery
1:45 – 2:30 PM	Invasive Plants
	Jeff Van Dusen, Field Consulting Arborist
	Bartlett Tree Experts
2:30 – 2:45 PM	Break
2:45 – 3:45 PM	Tree limb rigging and pruning
	Joe McGowan, Mid-Atlantic Division Trainer
	Bartlett Tree Experts
3:45 – 4:00 PM	Evaluation & CEU Sign-up