



## Larry Turner

On Sunday August 27, 2006 a tragedy occurred. Nearly 50 people lost their lives and countless family members and friends of the deceased will never be the same. When Flight 5191 crashed the Kentucky woodland community also lost a true friend and supporter. Dr. Larry Turner, the Director of the Cooperative Extension Service of the University of Kentucky, was on that fatal flight. Dr. Turner recognized the vital role that Kentucky's woodlands play in our state's economy and way of life. He also believed strongly in grassroots efforts to make Kentucky a better place and supported the development of a Memorandum of Understanding between the Kentucky Woodland Owners Association and the Cooperative Extension Service of the University of Kentucky to work together on woodland related issues in Kentucky. We will be forever grateful to Dr. Turner for his strong support of the woodland owners in Kentucky.

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## Tad Norris Introduction

Vernon "Tad" Norris is a Forester employed by the Kentucky Division of Forestry. He has been a Service Forester since 1992; most of that time spent in the east-central part of the state. He is now the Division's Landowner Outreach Specialist and works out of the Frankfort Office. Tad finished his "formal" education at the University of Kentucky and is continually searching for

ways to help the football team get to a bowl game. He lives just outside of Mt. Sterling with his better half - Dee Norris, one bird dog, and an old blind terrier. He works to support a terrible fishing habit. You can reach Tad at [tad.norris@ky.gov](mailto:tad.norris@ky.gov) or 502.564.4496.

## Upcoming Events

### Timber Management and Sales Seminars for Woodland Owners

- **January 29, 2007 in Lyon County, KY.** To register and for more information please contact Susan Fox with the Lyon County Extension Office at [Susan.Fox@uky.edu](mailto:Susan.Fox@uky.edu), 270.388.2341.
- **February 12, 2007 in Laurel County, KY.** To register and for more information please contact Tad Norris with the Kentucky Division of Forestry at [Tad.Norris@ky.gov](mailto:Tad.Norris@ky.gov), 502.564.4496.
- These programs are sponsored by the Kentucky Division of Forestry, Kentucky Association of Consulting Foresters, and the University of Kentucky Cooperative Extension Service. The meetings will be held at the Lyon and Laurel County Extension Offices respectively.

**The Kentucky Woodland Owners Association annual meeting** will be held on Friday and Saturday March 16<sup>th</sup> & 17<sup>th</sup> 2007 at Blue Licks Battlefield State Park in Carlisle, KY. Meet fellow woodland owners and hear expert discussion of forestry techniques and issues. For more information about the Kentucky Woodland Owners Association and their annual meeting please visit [www.kentuckywoodlandownersassociation.com](http://www.kentuckywoodlandownersassociation.com).



## FOR 101 Math Quiz Answers

1. The Kentucky champion white oak has a diameter of 86 inches.  $270 / 3.14 = 86$ .
2. Yes, you can afford the purchase.  
 $500 \text{ ft} \times 1000 \text{ ft} = 500,000 \text{ ft}^2$   
 $500,000 / 43,560 = 11.5 \text{ acres}$   
 $11.5 \times \$1,200 = \$13,800$
3. For a tree planting with a spacing of 8 x 8 feet or 64 square feet per tree, 680 trees will be required to plant one acre.  
 $43,560 / 64 = 680.625$ .

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