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| **Topics:** | **Details** |
| **Programme****Target Audience****Facilitators** | **Sam Firkins: FORESTART** * Cleaning and storage of seeds,
* Pretreatments of seed to remove dormancy. (an overview of techniques used will be given with some practical examples)

**Alice Snowden, Peter Taylor and Alexandra Wood: Cheviot Trees*** Methods used for Seed sowing
* Trays and Media used
* Establishment of seedlings, tunnels, irrigation, feeding /spraying etc

**Forestart** was established in 1986 and specialises in seed collection, extraction and breaking dormancy to enhance germination rates. Their skilled team provide unique expertise and processes to ensure that the need for outstanding quality and service from their customers is met and then exceeded.**Cheviot Trees** is one of Europe’s largest and most experienced producers of cell grown trees. Established for over 25 years, they grow a diverse range of trees, shrubs, conifers and wetland plants from a wide selection of seed sources.IPPS membersHorticulture Lecturers and TrainersProfessional Horticulturists involved in growing plants**Sam Firkins** has over 10 years' experience of working with Tree and Shrub seed both at Forestart and previously at Maelor, one of the largest UK forest nurseries. Both of these roles have given him a good understanding of how to manage seed lots from collection through to sowing and how to optimise a batches potential at the right time for nurseries to use. Although of course there is always lots more to learn.**Alice Snowden** has worked for Cheviot Trees6 years and is Technical Manager. She previously worked with Sam at Maelor, a bareroot forest nursery and has experience with seed sourcing, sowing, crop husbandry and trials.**Peter Taylor** is Production Manager with over 30 years’ experience as a grower.  He has extensive experience with cell grown crop production; sowing, seedling care, irrigation and feeding.**Alexandra Wood** is Assistant Production Manager with gardening and horticultural industry experience prior to joining Cheviot two and a half years ago. She is rapidly gaining crop husbandry, trials and stock taking experience since joining the team.**BASIS and NRoSO points will be available for the event** **For Directions to the Nursery Go to:** **http://www.cheviot-trees.co.uk/contact\_us.html** Cont’d/…**IPPS WORKSHOP BOOKING FORM** **Seed propagation of Woody Plants Number Total** **Members @ £15.00 per person \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_\_****Non-Members @ £30.00 per person \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_\_** **NOTE: Price includes lunch**Delegate names: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_Name of organisation: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_Contact address: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_Contact telephone: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_Contact email: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**Please send your cheque payments to address below –many thanks** |
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