The Allen Research and Education project site is located east of Laurie, Mo. on “Old Eight” which runs between highways O and P. Highway “O” intersects Highway 5 at the red light in Laurie, Mo. The address is 30118 Old Eight Road, Gravois Mill, Mo. 65037-3876. This address brings you to a gate at the entrance of a trailer and outbuildings. The gathering site is in a valley east of the trailer site by approximately a quarter of a mile on Old Eight Road. (Facing the gate, east is to your right!)

Agroforestry Workshop
Allen Project Site
8:30 a.m. To 4:30 p.m.
RESCHEDULED
May 13, 2017
Lunch Served

Workshop Features
~ Growing Ginseng, Shiitake Mushrooms, Other Forest Products
~ Forest Management for Forest Products
~ Control of invasive species in fields & forests
~ Birds of Prey and Eagle Nest Viewing
~ Glade Restoration and Management
~ Natural Beekeeping

Forest Farming with Ginseng

Historic site of farming in Missouri.
The Allen Research and Education site is a highly diverse 560-acre farm located at the head of the Ozark region. It contains 80 acres of warm-season grasses growing in a valley that dissects rolling hills covered with typical Ozark forests. A management plan has been prepared for the entire farm. Timber Stand Improvement (TSI) has been conducted on 60 acres and 70 acres of walnut release as a first step towards placing the farm’s forested area under management.

All warm-season grass fields have had “edge feathering” to increase habitat for wildlife. A nut species orchard consisting of five grafted cultivars (varieties) of pecan, walnut and Chinese chestnut has been established. An agroforestry alley cropping practice has been established with a pitch pine/loblolly pine hybrid.

What is Agroforestry?
Agroforestry is the intentional integration of trees with crops and livestock. This integration results in new market opportunities; diversified farm income; improved water quality; habitat for wildlife; sustainable agriculture; land stewardship.

Agroforestry practices are designed to fit specific niches within the farm to meet specific landowner objectives.

The key practices of agroforestry are:
- Silvopasture
- Alley Cropping
- Forest Farming
- Windbreaks
- Riparian Buffers

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Address:________________________
State:___________Zip:____________
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Names of Additional Family Attendees:

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