

Cowlitz



Farm Forestry Association

Affiliated Chapter of Washington Farm Forestry Association

Please join us for the Cowlitz Farm Forestry Association (CFFA) and the Cowlitz Conservation District co-sponsored annual dinner meeting.

Date:	March 20, 2019
Time:	Opens: 5:00, Dinner: 6:00, Meeting: 6:30-8:30
Location:	Parkers Steakhouse Restaurant, 1300 Mt. St Helens Way, Castle Rock, WA (I-5 Exit 49)/east

There are three dinner choices this year: House sirloin, Chicken Forrester and Blackberry salmon. All dinners are served with salad, baked potato and cobbler for dessert. Please prepay for your meals by March 13th by sending a check made out to CFFA to Walt Vandeperre, 959 16th Ave., Longview, WA 98632. Because these dinners are special order, we need to let the restaurant know one week ahead of time of your selection. Please RSVP by either emailing cowlitzfarmforestry@gmail.com or call Sara at 360-274-7297, if you don't think that your check will arrive by March 13th.

- ♣ Chicken Forrester – Pecan encrusted breast of chicken, topped with honey champagne cream sauce. Cost is \$30 per person
- ♣ House Sirloin Steak – Seasoned, flame broiled. The steak will be cooked medium unless you request otherwise. Cost is \$33 per person.
- ♣ Blackberry Salmon – Pan roasted salmon filet with our juicy brandied blackberry sauce. Cost is \$35 per person.

Outline of the evenings events:

- ▲ Again this year we are having a **raffle** where you can purchase tickets at \$1 each or 7 for \$5, 15 for \$10 or 40 for \$20. There is a variety of items ranging from a **Stihl chain saw**, gift certificates, wine, chocolates, and handmade items. Winning tickets will be drawn at the conclusion of the meeting.
- ▲ Election for Cowlitz Farm Forestry officers. If you are interested in becoming more involved in CFFA, you are welcome to attend board meetings. Please email cowlitzfarmforestry@gmail.com and we will add you to the email list.
- ▲ Report from the Conservation District on last year's activities.
- ▲ Patrick Shults, WSU extension forester, will give a short presentation of assistance programs for small forest landowners.
- ▲ Door Prizes! These will include gift certificates and items from local businesses.
- ▲ Also, please tell your friends and neighbors about our annual seedling sale, March 9th from 8-4 at Bob's in Longview off Hudson Street We have included a flyer to share with your friends or post at a local business.