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Invasive species are on the move; everyone can help to stop their spread

You Are Invited!

You are invited to attend the Finger Lakes Partnership for Regional Invasive Species Management fall partnership meeting at the NYS Parks Ganondagan Historic Site in Victor, NY (Ontario County). The program will start with a tour of the U.S. Forest Service-funded grassland restoration and conclude with presentations in the newly renovated Seneca Art & Culture Center at Ganondagan. All are welcome to attend!

WHERE: NYS Parks State Historic Site at Ganondagan, Victor, NY

- Grassland tour starting address: 1378 Victor Holcomb Road (Rt 444), Victor, NY 14564
- Auditorium address: 7000 County Road 41 (Boughton Hill Road) Victor, NY 14564

WHEN: October 4, 2016

- 12pm- Tour of the grassland restoration site (meet here: 1378 Victor Holcomb Road, Victor, NY 14564)
- 1pm- partner presentations and reports (meet in the auditorium of the new cultural center)

PROGRAM AGENDA

12pm-12:45pm: Grassland Restoration and Invasive Species Control - Parking lot off Rt. 444

Tour of the USFS-funded invasive species removal and grassland restoration site- Kyle Webster, NYS PARKS

1pm-4pm: Regional Program Updates from Selected Partners - Seneca Art & Cultural Center Auditorium

- Welcome to Ganondagan State Historic Site and Invasive Species Projects- Whitney Carleton, New York Works Project Coordinator, Ganondagan State Historic Site & Seneca Lake State Park, NYS PARKS
- Update on HWA in the Finger Lakes- Carri Marschner, Invasive Species Specialist, NYS Hemlock Initiative
- Invasive Species Education and Outreach Program Across NYS- Megan Phillips, Education & Outreach Coordinator, NYSDEC Invasive Species Coordination Unit
- Watercraft Steward Programs Across NYS- Cathy McGlynn, AIS Coordinator, NYSDEC Invasive Species Coordination Unit
- Update on Hydrilla Control and Detection in the Finger Lakes- James Balyszak, Hydrilla Program Manager
- Update on Water Chestnut in FL- Katie Des Jardin, Water Chestnut Project Manager, Finger Lakes Institute
- Status Update for FL-PRISM- Hilary R. Mosher, FL-PRISM Coordinator, Finger Lakes Institute
- Q&A and networking