



## Texas Tree Conference, Academy, Trade Show and Tree Schools

September 27- 29, 2022

Waco Convention Center

Tuesday Academy

Wed- Thursday Conference

Thursday Tree School

### Update: 2022 Texas Tree Conference, Academy, Tree Schools and Trade Show

The Texas Tree Conference is almost here. Visit with old friends and make new ones, hear from great speakers, earn CEUs and more.

Some helpful information before you go:

Howdy John,

- **Registration:** The nametags will be on the tables in the upstairs lobby area closest to the exhibit hall. Find your nametag and then go to the registration desk to get your t-shirt and 'swag bag'. The nametags for the Academy will be available starting at 8:00 am on Tuesday as well as, coffee and a light breakfast. If you are just attending the conference, nametags and registration materials will be available on Tuesday from 1:00 pm - 5:00 pm or beginning at 7:00am on Wednesday.
- **Tuesday's Arborists Social:** Free BBQ and drinks in a large, outdoor space with 'softer' music for all registrants on Tuesday evening from 6 to 8 pm at the [Backyard Bar Stage Grill](#). If you are only registered for the conference you can pick up your registration materials between 1:00 and 5:00 at the convention center. Parking is limited, consider carpooling or walking. The lot in front is not available, there is more parking in back.

- **Eventee App:** ISAT is using a different provider this year for the app. Everyone will be listed as an attendee on the app. There are three options to download the app.
  - 1) Open the email from **Eventee** and follow the direction
  - 2) Click the link [Texas Tree Conference Event App](#)
  - 3) Utilize the QR code;



- **Wednesday Exhibitor Reception:** Join your arborist friends for free food and drink at the Wednesday evening social in the exhibit hall. The TREE Fund will be hosting the popular 'Heads or Tails' fundraiser!
- **Annual business meeting;** The board/staff will review the [Texas Chapter ISA 2023 - 2025 Strategic Plan](#) at the ISAT Annual Business meeting on Thursday morning from 8:00 - 9:00 am.
- **Auction Items Needed:** Help raise funds for research and scholarships! - To donate an item for the Silent Auction contact Ginny Sills at [ginny.sills@gmail.com](mailto:gabby.sills@gmail.com), (214) 278-4066 to let her know.
- **Trade Show Bingo:** Visit with exhibitors to get your bingo card stamped. When your card is full turn it in at the registration desk. Compete with your fellow arborists to win gift cards or Dr. Luley's new book on identifying wood decay fungi!
- **Evaluations:** Evaluations will all be done in the Texas Tree Conference Event App. Login and click on the session to learn about the speaker, their talk, and give them your evaluations. There will be a survey emailed to all attendees after the conference through Constant Contact to gauge the overall conference and gather input for the conference in 2023.
- **Students:** When you see "STUDENT" on a name tag, say Howdy (you may need a worker and they may need a job!).
- **Job Board:** Employers and Employees - bring your written job notices and post them to the job board located just inside the main doors on the Trade Show floor. You can bring your own job description or use the [ISAT Job Posting template](#).
- **Tree School Update:** If you are attending the Tree School on Thursday, registration is open at 8:00 am. You are welcome to tour the Trade Show before the school.
- To download the [Texas Tree Conference agenda](#) or for more information visit [Texas Tree Conference webpage](#).

Sincerely,

Rebecca Johnson  
2022 Texas Tree Conference Chair

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