



July 29-30, 2009

Professional Development Workshop

WILDFIRES & "WEEDS"

Boise

Location: Foothills Learning Center. Hours: 8:30 am – 4 pm each day

(This is a separate credit from other Project Learning Tree workshops!)

Investigate two of the hottest environmental issues—wildfires and invasive species. It's hard to go a week without hearing a news report about either of these topics. Learn more through activities, speakers and field trips. Get great information and materials to use with your students!

Materials: Receive the PLT PreK-8th Activity Guide and/or the PLT Forest Ecology Module for High School. We'll also experience some of the U.S. Forest Service's *FireWorks* activities!

Credit: You may earn one graduate professional education credit (for recertification and moving on pay scale) from BSU, UI or NNU (\$60, your choice). Credit registration and payment will take place during the workshop.

To SIGN UP: Send the \$25 workshop fee to PLT at 350 N 9th St, #500, Boise ID 83702. Please include your name, address, phone number, email and grade level/subject(s) you teach (if you're a teacher). The fee is refundable if you cancel at least one week prior to workshop. When you sign up, we will send you a memo with detailed workshop information.

Questions? Contact Michelle Youngquist at plt@idahoforests.org, 208-334-4061.

Project Learning Tree is an award-winning education program that uses forests and trees as "windows" on the world. By attending this workshop, you receive an activity guide and the PLT module, "Forest Ecology" with good information and fun educational activities to help your students learn how to think not what to think about the environment and related issues.