

# **“Are we planting the right trees”**

## **Programme for the NAU symposium 2012 in Luua Forestry School**

### **Monday, August 13<sup>th</sup> - Arrival in Luua**

#### **Tuesday, August 14<sup>th</sup>**

**08.00** Breakfast

**09.00** Symposium (part I) in Luua Forestry School (coffee break included)

**13.30** Lunch

**14.30** Visit to Karukäpa tree nursery

**16.30** Visit to Luua arboretum (coffee break included)

**18.30** Dinner

#### **Wednesday, August 15<sup>th</sup>**

**07.00** Breakfast

**08.00** Symposium (part II) in Luua Forestry School (coffee break included)

**10.00** Business meeting of NAU (Nordic Arboretum Committee)

**11.30** Lunch

**12.30** Bus leaves to Andres Vaasa's garden (coffee break included)

**18.00** Dinner in Tartu

**20.00** Tartu Botanical Garden

Bus will bring us back to Luua in the evening.

#### **Thursday, August 16<sup>th</sup>**

**08.00** Breakfast

**09.00** Bus leaves to Tallinn

**11.30** Kadrioru Park, excursion in park and coffee break in Park Museum

**13.30** Lunch in KUMU

**15.00** Tallinn Botanical Garden

**18.00** Tallinn Flower Festival

Everyone can of course catch their plane, ferry etc earlier or later of that time if needed. You can also find a place to stay overnight in Tallinn or drive back to Luua in the evening. If anyone wants to, I can be in Tallinn for Friday also, if you need any guidance.

## Symposium themes

1. **Jukka Reinikainen:** „Are we planting the right trees - the role of arboretas in selecting trees for the future“
2. **Tuija Aronen and Teijo Nikkanen:** „Attempts to get new ornamental conifers for Nordic countries: cutting propagation and tissue culture of special forms of Norway spruce“
3. **P.M.A. Tigerstedt:** „The “Green book” of trees with best value in North European Climate – a proposal of a project.“
4. **Satu Tegel and Juha Raisio:** „The new strategy in choice of species for Helsinki City“
5. **Johnny Schimmel:** “Why stamp collections could prove to be important as we learn more about how plant adaptations are being passed on between generations (epigenetics)”.
6. **Ivari Kandima:** „Luua arboretum – the story of our collection“
7. **Andres Vaasa:** „Native tree cultivars in Estonia“
8. **Madis Jürimaa:** „Growing trees in a northern climate - experiences in managing nurseries in Canada and Estonia“

## About the program

### Tuesday, August 14<sup>th</sup>

08.00 Breakfast

09.00 Symposium (part I) in Luua Forestry School (coffee break included).

13.30 Lunch. ***It will be in the schools canteen.***

14.30 Visit to Karukäpa tree nursery. ***It is the biggest nursery in Estonia that grows large trees. Nursery was established in 1999 and is 5 hectares large, growing approximately 160 taxons. Rate between plants that are propagated in Estonia or abroad is ca 50/50. The owner will give us also a presentation in symposium about his work in the nursery and also in Canada.***

<http://karukapa.ee/wp-content/uploads/2011/03/hinnaikiri.htm>

16.30 Visit to Luua arboretum. <http://www.facebook.com/arboretum>

18.30 Dinner

### Wednesday, August 15<sup>th</sup>

07.00 Breakfast

08.00 Symposium (part II) in Luua Forestry School (coffee break included)

11.30 Lunch

12.30 Bus leaves to Andres Vaasa's garden (coffee break included). ***Private collection near Põlva.***

***Andres is dendrology teacher and has one of the biggest collections in Estonia (over 1000 taxons in 2005). Complete plant list: <http://www.hot.ee/tsuga/kollektsioon2.rtf>***

18.00 Dinner. ***We have dinner in Tartu and take a walk to the botanical garden which is open until 21.00 so we could visit it. It is small but nice.***

[http://www.ut.ee/botaed/index.php?module=2&op=&xid=&dok\\_id=188](http://www.ut.ee/botaed/index.php?module=2&op=&xid=&dok_id=188)

Bus will bring us back to Luua in the evening.

### Thursday, August 16<sup>th</sup>

08.00 Breakfast

09.00 Bus leaves to Tallinn

11.30 Kadriorg Park, ***excursion in park and coffe break in Park Museum.***

<http://www.kadriorupark.ee/images/Kaart.jpg>

13.30 Lunch in KUMU. ***KUMU is the main building of the Art Museum of Estonia that is situated in the Kadriorg Park. <http://www.ekm.ee/eng/kumu.php>***

15.00 Tallinn Botanical Garden. <http://www.botaanikaed.ee/en/>

18.00 Tallinn Flower Festival. ***Every year 31 small gardens will be built in park just next to medieval city wall. It is festival where all the peole can participate and built their own small gardens. In 2012 the themes are „Feng shui in the garden“ and „Light and colour“.***

<http://www.kadriorupark.ee/lillefestival/EN/3347>

***About Tallinn: [http://www.tourism.tallinn.ee/eng/fpage/explore/green\\_areas](http://www.tourism.tallinn.ee/eng/fpage/explore/green_areas)***