



# Farm Tour & Talk

Farmer-led discussion on regenerative farm practices for water quality

August 17th, 5:30-7pm

Barred Owl Brook Farm  
735 Lakeshore Rd, Essex, NY 12936

\*Please RSVP to  
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or 518-962-8225

Limited parking space,  
carpooling appreciated!

**Join us!** for an evening stroll around the farm that will showcase some of the ways we are incorporating trees & shrubs into our production systems to improve water quality and animal welfare, enhance existing wildlife habitat, and strengthen overall farm resiliency.

**Highlights will include:**

- Examples of young silvopasture systems for our Katahdin hair sheep
- Living fence post systems for livestock
- Utilizing ducks for pest control of new plantings
- Using hogs for planting site prep
- Strategies for getting started with trees on your farm
- **Limited potted nursery stock available for purchase!**



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