



RHODE ISLAND WILD PLANT SOCIETY

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PRESS RELEASE

Community Service Project

Advance Registration is required for all events.

STILT GRASS PULL:

A RIWPS Volunteer Service Project

US Fish & Wildlife Service, Charlestown

Sat., Sept. 19, 2009~ 9:45am-Noon

Leader: NEIL ANTHERS, Experienced "Puller"

Here is a chance to help in the attack on invasive plant, Japanese Stiltgrass (*Microstegium vimineum*). Stiltgrass is an annual grass that is easy to ID and easy to pull. Work was done this summer, but a few specimens are still waiting for us. We are needed to help remove these plants BEFORE they drop their seed!

Gloves and bug spray provided. Wear long sleeves, long pants and rugged closed shoes or boots. Bring water. Easy.

FREE! But registration required, so we can contact you with further information or changes if necessary.

Min. #4, Max. #15

NO RAIN DATE!

Pre-registration required at least 48 hours in advance, except where noted. Our programs fill up fast so be sure to send in your payment to secure your spot. Please e-mail office@riwps.org to register and for more information or call (401) 789-7497 and leave a message.

Registered participants will receive directions to the site and more details by e-mail or telephone.

The Rhode Island Wild Plant Society, Inc., is a nonprofit conservation organization dedicated to the preservation and protection of Rhode Island's native plants and their habitats.

