

NEW!



Take advantage
of a great opportunity
to help you earn
your CHT:

CHT Readiness Seminars

Announcing five great seminars:

June 18

CHT Orientation

June 19

Forklift Operator Certification

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Instruments: Measuring Elevation
and Grade

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Chainsaw Safe Operator
Certification

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Truck and trailer

June 22

Skid Steer Operator Certification

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HORTICULTURAL TRADES ASSOCIATION

Sessions to help you prove your skills and value!

CHT readiness seminars

NEW! These seminars are specifically designed to help prepare for the CHT landscape evaluations. Learn from the CAT/Battlefield experts, plus Landscape Ontario association pros and high-profile industry volunteers. The seminars will be held at Landscape Ontario in Milton, easy to find, just off the 401.

CHT Orientation

Monday, June 18, 2007 FREE!
9 a.m. to 4 p.m., lunch provided
Registration deadline: June 11

This seminar briefs you on the CHT process, including recommendations on how to prepare for the exams and testing stations. Presenters include the certification specialists from Landscape Ontario Horticultural Trades Association, as well as actual judges. Get tips on how to learn from other people's mistakes. If this is your year to go for the CHT designation, you need to be at this free seminar!

Forklift Operator Certification

Tuesday, June 19, 2007 \$125 plus GST
9 a.m. to 4 p.m., lunch provided
Registration deadline: June 12

Get comfortable, confident and safe on the forklift. This training session is very hands-on – you learn while driving actual equipment. Plus, class size is limited to 15. Learn about electric, gas and diesel three- and four-wheel counter-balanced forklifts. Understand the regulations you need to know, your responsibilities as

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an operator and hazard awareness. Review inspection procedures, operating skills and safe practices. A written test and practical evaluation is provided at the end of the day, to help you fine-tune the skills you need for your CHT.

Instruments: Measuring Elevation and Grade

Wednesday, June 20, 2007 \$62.50 plus GST
9 a.m. to noon
Registration deadline: June 13

Use optical and laser levels efficiently and accurately to measure elevations and grades in the landscape. Learn the adjustments, measurements and calculations that are essential for successful landscape projects in classroom training. Then go outdoors to get practical instruction in field set-up, carrying, storage and care of your instruments. This seminar helps you understand the measurements and calculations you need for grade site markings – and successful completion of your CHT module.

Chainsaw Safe Operator Certification

Wednesday, June 20, 2007 \$62.50 plus GST
1 p.m. to 4 p.m.
Registration deadline: June 13

Spend an afternoon to receive classroom and practical instruction on the safe use of chainsaws. Benefit two ways: from safe operation, and from knowledge to help you earn your CHT chainsaw credential! Topics include review of legal requirements, protective gear, safety practices, chainsaw features, specific operating

techniques, maintenance problems and servicing your chainsaw. A written test and practical field evaluation rounds out your learning experience.

Truck and Trailer

Thursday, June 21, 2007 \$125 plus GST
9 a.m. to 4 p.m., lunch provided
Registration deadline: June 14

On-the-job mishaps in the green industry are most likely to involve trucks and trailers. This handling and safety review will help you on the CHT Truck and Trailer station, and will be valuable throughout your career to promote your own success, as well as your employer's. Learn the tips that make driving and maneuvering large trailers a breeze. The course includes both a classroom session and behind-the-wheel instruction.

Skid Steer Operator Certification

Friday, June 22, 2007 \$125.00 plus GST
9 p.m. to 4 p.m., lunch provided
Registration deadline: June 15

This course is designed to provide written, oral and practical instruction on the safe operating practices of all types of skid steers under the Occupational Health and Safety Act of Ontario. Regulations 96/1 (construction). Participants will review such topics as; fuel safety, operator responsibilities, control mechanisms and hazard awareness.

Register today. Space is limited.

REGISTRATION FORM

CHT Readiness Seminars 2007

Form may be duplicated as needed.

Name _____

Company _____

Address _____

_____ City _____

Prov./State _____ Postal/Zip _____

Phone _____

Fax _____

E-mail _____

Please check the seminars you will attend:

- ☐ **CHT Orientation**, June 18.
Registration deadline June 11 _____ FREE
- ☐ **Forklift Operator Certification**, June 19.
Registration deadline June 12 _____ \$132.50
- ☐ **Instruments: Measuring Elevation and Grade**,
June 20. Registration deadline June 13 _____ \$66.25
- ☐ **Chainsaw Safe Operator Certification**, June 20.
Registration deadline June 13 _____ \$66.25
- ☐ **Truck and Trailer**, June 21.
Registration deadline June 14 _____ \$132.50
- ☐ **Skid Steer Operator Certification**, June 22.
Registration deadline June 15 _____ \$132.50

(Prices include GST)

Total for all seminars: \$ _____

Payment Method:

- ☐ Visa ☐ MC ☐ Cheque payable to **LANDSCAPE ONTARIO**

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Fax credit card registrations to:

905-875-3942, Attn: B. Benjamin

Or mail to: Landscape Ontario Horticultural Trades

Association, 7856 Fifth Line S., Milton, ON L9T 2X8

Payment must be received to reserve your spot. No refunds.



Build your future with CHT

The Certified Horticultural Technician (CHT) program is an internationally recognized, industry-developed program that sets and maintains standards for the landscape industry.

Earning your CHT designation proves you have met prerequisites for on-the-job experience and undergone a combined written and practical examination that tests knowledge, technical skills and safety practices.

For more information on the CHT program and to register for a test, download the flyer and registration form at
www.horttrades.com/cht