



# ***Wildland Weed Field Course***

**May 24-25, 2006**  
**Cache Creek Conservancy**  
**Woodland, CA**

## **First Day – May 24, 2006**

**8:30 a.m. – 9:15 a.m. – Welcome and Invasive Plant Biology**

**9:15 a.m. – 11:45 a.m. – Mechanical Control Tools**

Rotate - three stations, 45 minutes each (plus 15 minute break)

- Power tools – weed whipping, mowing, chainsaws
- Digging/lopping/girdling/weed wrench
- Flaming/steaming/foaming/waipuna/tarping/solarization

**11:45 a.m. – 12:30 p.m. Lunch (provided)**

**12:30 – 2:00 p.m. – Cultural Control Strategies**

Rotate – three stations, 30 minutes each

- Grazing
- Burning
- Mulching

**2:00 p.m. – 2:45 p.m. – Biological Controls (entire group)**

**2:45 p.m. – 3:00 p.m. Break**

**3:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m. – Revegetation**

Rotate – two stations, 60 minutes each

- Grassland – propagation and revegetation
- Riparian – propagation and revegetation

## **Second Day – May 25, 2006**

**8:00 a.m. – 10:00 a.m. – Chemical Control Methods**

Rotate – three stations, 40 minutes each

- Safe Use of Herbicides
- Modes of Action
- Calibration of Spray Equipment

**10:00 a.m. Break**

**10:10 a.m. – 12:10 p.m. – Chemical Control Methods**

Rotate – three stations, 40 minutes each

- Herbaceous plants – application techniques
- Woody plants – application techniques
- Formulations and adjuvants

**12:10 p.m. – 1:00 p.m. – Lunch (provided)**

**1:00 p.m. – 2:30 p.m. – Monitoring**

Rotate – three stations, 30 minutes each

- Vouchering
- Field Monitoring
- Photo Documentation

**2:30 p.m. – 4 p.m. Strategies for Developing Control Plans**

- Break out sessions with instructors