



# Walpole Town Forest 100<sup>th</sup> Anniversary

*The First Town Forest Established in Massachusetts*

## Program of Events

Sunday May 1, 2016 Turco Field, Walpole High School, 11AM-4PM

11:00 AM	Grounds Open, Demonstrations, Snacks, Review artwork donated by Walpole students, Kids' Activities (face painting, decorate tree cookies & flower pots)
11:45 PM	High School Band performs "America the Beautiful" Walpole Poet Nancy Ling reads selected poems Presentation of Colors by Boy Scouts of Walpole Pledge of Allegiance by the Girl Scouts of Walpole HS Band performs the National Anthem
12:00 PM	Town Forest Committee President Steve Cyr, M.C. Lt. Gov. Karyn Polito Sen. James Timilty Rep. Louis Kafka Rep. Paul McMurtry Rep. John Rogers Clifton Snuffer, Chairman of the Walpole Board of Selectmen Oakes Plimpton, Descendant of Town Forest Founder George A. Plimpton Kate Marquis-Representing the Mass. Tree Farm Association Charlie Thompson-Representing Mass. Forestry Alliance Presentation of Official House Resolution to the Walpole TF
~1:00 PM	Dedication of 100 <sup>th</sup> Anniversary Plaque
~1:30 PM	Short walk to the Anniversary Garden near White Bridge Planting of the Centennial Tree
2:00-4:00 PM	Planting of 1,000 White Pine seedlings by attendees Hand out Tee Shirts and Commemorative pins