

Attention Men and Women Climbers!

We want you to prove
you are a Champion!

ILLINOIS TREE CLIMBING CHAMPIONSHIP

April 28, 2012

see inside for competitions and divisions!



**At Reed Kepler Park
in West Chicago, IL.**

1st place winner receives \$1000 in tree gear courtesy of ArborMaster and a paid trip to Portland, OR. to compete in the International Competition.

Illinois Arborist Association
PO Box 860
Antioch, IL 60002



Climbing Events

Work Climb, Aerial Rescue, Secured Footlock, Belayed Speed Climb, Throw Line, and the Masters Challenge.

The Illinois Arborist Association Tree Climbing Competition will take the first 25 men and 5 women that sign up. The men will compete in the 5 events and the top 4 finishers will compete in the Master's Challenge to decide the champion. The women will compete in 5 events; work climb, throwline, belayed speed climb, secured footlock and aerial rescue. The woman with the most accrued points after competing in the 5 preliminary events will be crowned the champion of the women's division.

- Gear inspection at 7:30 A.M.
- The competition will start at 8:30 A.M.

***All contestants are responsible to know and understand the rules for each event. 2012 rules are posted on the IAA website and will be mailed with confirmation letters.**

Individual Prizes include:

MEN

1st Place- over \$1,000.00 in prizes

2nd Place- \$300.00 cash

3rd Place- \$200.00 cash

4th Place- \$100.00 cash

WOMEN

1st Place- over \$1,000.00 in prizes

2nd Place- \$300.00 cash

3rd Place- \$200.00 cash

ComEd Corporate Cup Tree Climbing Award

This award was created to increase participation in the Illinois Tree Climbing Competition by fostering competition between companies. We hope the traveling Corporate Cup will demonstrate the value of teamwork.

- Companies or groups must register **Prior** to the competition
- A minimum of 3 climbers per company must participate in the preliminary events.
- Preliminary event scores will be used. No Master's Challenge points will be included in the Corporate Challenge.
- **Cost \$200**-up to 5 contestants

Competitor Registration Form for the 2012 Tree Climbing Competition

Mail with your payment to the Illinois Arborist Association, PO Box 860, Antioch, IL 60002 or fax to 262-857-6677. Deadline is Friday, April 10, 2012

Individual Entry Registration - \$75 per entry

Name: _____

Company: _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____

Are you an Illinois Arborist Association Member? _____

Membership is mandatory. If not, please enclose \$45 member dues.

Yes, include \$45 for IAA membership dues

Check which box applies: Womens Competition Mens Competition

Shirt Size (circle one) M L XL XXL

How many years have you been climbing? _____

Payment can be made by Check or Visa/Master Card:

Card # _____

Expiration Date _____ Amount \$ _____

Name on Card _____

Signature _____

Lunch will be provided for all Competitors, Judges, and Timers.

****If you are willing to act as a Judge or Timer please contact**

the IAA office at 877-617-8887. You may FAX your

registration if paying by credit card to 262-857-6677 or sign up at the IAA website at www.illinoisarborist.org