



# TREE TALK

**The Blackridge Garden Club  
invites you to a free lecture on trees**

**Wednesday, October 17, 7 PM, BCA**

**Jason Rihn, arborist from Bartlett Tree Experts and  
Ken Balkey, chairman of the Borough of Churchill Tree  
Committee will speak and take your questions,  
will have informational flyers for you.**

## **TOPICS INCLUDE:**

- How do trees enhance our environment and property values?
- How should we prune, fertilize, and protect our trees from pests and diseases?
- How can we preserve our mature canopy, especially with serious challenges such as oak wilt and hemlock woolly adelgid?
- How can we choose the best new trees for our gardens?

**We'll serve refreshments, and have a fun raffle!**

**Friends and neighbors are welcome!**

**If you would like to attend, please reply to Judy Diorio at  
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