

Progress Report for Fiscal Year 2021

December 1, 2020 – November 30, 2021

Snapshot of Accomplishments & Capabilities

- **All 19 HWA-infested Georgia counties** in native hemlock range now served by our Hemlock Help Program.
- **Hemlock Help Line** available 7 days a week with 1,034 calls handled to date.
- **13 Facilitator Training Workshops** with total of 41 new Facilitators trained.
Total active Facilitators = 433 in Georgia and 92 in other states.
 - 1/30/21 SGH Facilitator Training Workshop for Rabun Towns Habersham, 5 new Facilitators
 - 2/13/21 SGH Facilitator Training Workshop for Union White & Towns, 6 new Facilitators
 - 2/27/21 SGH Facilitator Training Workshop for Lumpkin Dawson Hall, trained 6 new Facilitators
 - 3/26/21 SGH Volunteer Facilitator Training Workshop for Pickens & Cherokee, 2 new Facilitators
 - 4/24/21 SGH Facilitator Training Workshop for Fannin & Gilmer, 2 new Facilitators
 - 5/8/21 SGH Facilitator Training Workshop for Whitfield & Murray, 2 new Facilitators
 - 5/10/21 SGH Facilitator Training Workshop for Hayesville, NC, 1 new Facilitator
 - 6/4/21 SGH Facilitator Training Workshop for Dade & Walker, 1 new Facilitator
 - 7/17/21 SGH Facilitator Training Workshop for Rabun, Towns & Habersham, 4 new Facilitators
 - 8/27/21 SGH Facilitator Training Workshop for Fannin, Gilmer & White, 3 new Facilitators
 - 9/24/21 SGH Facilitator Training Workshop for Union, Lumpkin, Hall & Habersham, 2 new Facilitators
 - 10/2/21 SGH Facilitator Training Workshop for Gordon & Pickens, 1 new Facilitator
 - 11/6/21 SGH Facilitator Training Workshop for all counties, 6 new Facilitators
- **5 Hemlock Lessons** for 88 students & teachers:
 - 3/30/21 Jonathan Micancin's Ecology class at Young Harris College, 12 students
 - 4/6/21 Lookout Mountain Conservancy Intern Program, 18 students & 3 teachers
 - 6/7/21 Boy Scouts at Scoutland in Gainesville, 12 attendees
 - 9/29/21 White County High School in Cleveland, 24 students & 1 teacher
 - 10/21/21 Univ of Illinois Restoration Ecology class, 17 students & 1 teacher
- **3 Presentations** for 60 adults:
 - 4/22/21 Project Chimps, 20 attendees
 - 6/19/21 Sallie Doss Nature Center in Bent Tree, 15 attendees
 - 9/23/21 Friends of Cloudland Canyon, 25 attendees
- **12 Customized training sessions** for 28 volunteers and public land managers:
 - 12/11/20 customized training on hemlock treatment project management, diagnosing and repairing Kioritz and EZ-Ject soil injectors for USFS & SGH personnel
 - 3/28/21 customized training re sapling planting for Eagle Scout candidate & father
 - 4/1/21 customized training for 1 new Facilitator
 - 4/5/21 customized training for 3 new Facilitators
 - 4/22/21 customized training re sapling rescue, potting and planting for 1 staff member at Project Chimps
 - 4/29/21 customized training re hemlock treatment for 1 volunteer in Cherry Log
 - 8/12/21 customized training re use of soil injector for 1 individual in Ellijay
 - 9/25/21 customized training re sapling rescue, potting, and planting for 2 individuals in Ellijay
 - 10/28/21 customized training re hemlock treatment for 9 USFS Conasauga staff
 - 11/17/21 customized training re hemlock treatment for 2 volunteer in Habersham County
 - 11/30/21 customized training re membership coordination for 1 volunteer
- **4 Festivals & public events** with 18 volunteers and 243 visitors:
 - 5/30/21 Lake Rabun Association Memorial Day Meeting, 2 volunteers, 75 attendees
 - 6/5/21 Hemlock Day at Anna Ruby Falls, 7 volunteers, 60 visitors
 - 10/2/21 Foxfire Mountaineer Festival, 8 volunteers, 88 visitors
 - 11/13/21 Boy Scouts Hornaday Weekend, 1 volunteer, estimated 20 visitors

■ **20 Articles / news items** written by, with the assistance of, or about SGH published in newspapers/magazines:

2/1/21 “Celebrate Arbor Day by Planting Hemlocks” published in most N GA newspapers

2/3/21 “Plans underway for Arbor Day celebration” published in *Pickens Progress*

4/9/21 Peer review article on Kioritz soil injector published for USFS personnel

4/14/21 “Young Harris Hemlocks Need Help!” published in *Towns County Herald*

6/1/21 “Battle for Georgia’s Hemlocks Continues” published in *The Mountain Traveler*

6/23/21 “Protecting State’s Hemlock Trees” published in *Dade County Sentinel*

8/22/21 *Hemlock Happenings* newsletter published on SGH web site

13 Community Calendar notices published in local N GA newspapers regarding Facilitator Training Workshops

■ **155 Facilitator visits** made with charitable treatment of 1,369 trees:

12/5/20 client in Rabun County

12/5/20 client in White County

12/7/20 Hemlock Acres, Walker County, charitable treatment of 40 trees

12/10/20 client in Lookout Mountain, TN, charitable treatment of 30 trees

12/12/20 client in White County

12/12/20 client in Rabun County

12/15/20 2 clients in Lookout Mountain, charitable treatment of 39 trees

12/19/20 client in Rabun County

12/29/20 2 sites in Rabun County

1/4/21 client in White County

1/16/21 client in Pickens County, charitable treatment of 6 trees

1/30/21 3 sites in Rabun County

2/4/21 client in Rabun County

2/4/21 3 sites in Rabun County

2/8/21 2 clients in Fannin County

2/15/21 client in Fulton County

2/23/21 client in Forsyth County

2/23/21 client in Union County

2/25/21 3 sites in Rabun County

3/2/21 client in Lumpkin County

3/3/21 client in Rabun County

3/7/21 client in Gilmer County, charitable treatment of 2 trees

3/9/21 client in Morganton

3/9/21 client in Ellijay

3/11/21 site in Rabun County

3/12/21 client in Rabun County

3/18/21 client in Brevard, NC

3/22/21 client in Gilmer County, charitable treatment of 25 trees

3/24/21 client in Rabun County, charitable treatment of 13 trees

3/24/21 site in Union County

3/25/21 site in Murray County

3/28/21 client in Gilmer County, charitable treatment of 12 trees

3/29/21 2 clients in Fannin County, charitable treatment of 39 trees

4/1/21 client in Lumpkin County

4/7/21 client in Dade County

4/8/21 client in Lookout Mountain TN, charitable treatment of 5 trees

4/15/21 Lake Burton property owner in Rabun County

4/15/21 2 clients in Rabun County, charitable treatment of 87 trees

4/15/21 client in Lookout Mountain, TN, charitable treatment of 15 trees

4/18/21 client in Pickens County, charitable treatment of 15 trees

4/20/21 client in Lookout Mountain, TN, charitable treatment of 30 trees

4/23/21 site in Fannin County

4/25/21 client in Walker County

4/29/21 client in Gilmer County

4/30/21 client in Dade County

4/30/21 client in Lookout Mountain, TN, charitable treatment of 30 trees

5/1/21 client in Union County

5/4/21 client in Dade County

5/4/21 client in Gilmer County, charitable treatment of 12 trees

5/12/21 client in Dade County

5/15/21 client in Pickens County

5/15/21 client in Lookout Mountain, TN, charitable treatment of 30 trees

5/17/21 2 clients in Lookout Mountain, TN, charitable treatment of 23 trees

5/20/21 site in Towns County

5/23/21 3 clients in Dade County, charitable treatment of 136 trees
5/25/21 client in Rabun County
5/27/21 3 clients in Rabun County, charitable treatment of 18 trees
5/29/21 client in Rabun County
5/30/21 2 clients in Pickens County, charitable treatment of 4 trees
6/2/21 client in Lumpkin County, charitable treatment of 9 trees
6/15/21 client in Pickens County, charitable treatment of 10 trees
6/15/21 client in Union County
6/16/21 client in Rabun County, charitable treatment of 6 trees
6/20/21 client in Walker County, charitable treatment of 40 trees
6/20/21 client in Dade County, charitable treatment of 20 trees
6/20/21 Lookout Mountain Golf Course in Walker County
6/20/21 2 clients in Rabun County, charitable treatment of 21 trees
6/26/21 client in Union County, charitable treatment of 12 trees
6/27/21 2 clients in Gilmer County, charitable treatment of 5 trees
6.29/21 client in Rabun County
6/30/21 client on Sharp Top Mountain, charitable treatment of 3 trees
7/1/21 Mulky Creek treatment project site
7/4/21 Wharton Conservation Center in Morgan County, charitable treatment of 20 trees
7/7/21 Georgia Power property on Lake Burton
7/12/21 2 clients in Rabun County, charitable treatment of 61 trees
7/16/21 client in Rabun County, charitable treatment of 13 trees
7/21/21 client in Fannin County
7/22/21 client in Rabun County, charitable treatment of 4 trees
7/23/21 client in Rabun County
7/23/21 client in Rabun County, charitable treatment of 18 trees
7/26/21 client in Rabun County, charitable treatment of 10 trees
7/28/21 client in Rabun County
7/29/21 2 clients in Dade County, charitable treatment of 61 trees
7/31/21 Cooper Creek treatment project site
8/4/21 2 clients in Dade County, charitable treatment of 4 trees
8/4/21 client in Fannin County
8/5/21 client in Union County, charitable treatment of 5 trees
8/6/21 The Rock Gold Course in Pickens, SC
8/12/21 client in Gilmer County
8/15/21 client in Dade County, charitable treatment of 13 trees
8/19/21 planning visit to Camp High Harbour in Rabun County
8/19/21 client in Fannin County
8/20/21 client in Rabun County
8/23/21 client in Camp High Harbour Rabun County
8/31/21 client in Fannin County, charitable treatment of 3 trees
9/2/21 client in Rabun County for seed cone collection
9/8/21 client in White County, charitable treatment of 9 trees
9/10/21 client in Rabun County
9/12/21 site in Rabun County for sapling rescue
9/16/21 Wildcat Creek Recreation Area treatment site
9/22/21 client in Rabun County
9/23/21 site in Rabun County for sapling rescue
9/25/21 2 clients in Gilmer County
9/30/21 6 clients on Signal Mountain, TN, charitable treatment of 197 trees
9/30/21 Young Life Camp in Pickens County
10/11/21 Master Gardener client in Lumpkin County
10/12/21 2 clients in Gilmer County, charitable treatment of 11 trees
10/12/21 2 clients in Signal Mountain, TN
10/19/21 3 clients in Rabun County
10/21/21 site in Rabun County
10/21/21 client in White County
10/22/21 client in Gilmer County, charitable treatment of 33 trees
10/25/21 client in Dade County, charitable treatment of 40 trees
10/25/21 client in Lumpkin County
10/31/21 client in Lumpkin County, charitable treatment of 11 trees

11/3/21 client in Dade County, charitable treatment of 40 trees
11/6/21 client in Gilmer County, charitable treatment of 13 trees
11/10/21 client in Fannin County, charitable treatment of 79 trees
11/13/21 clients in Sky Valley, Rabun County
11/13/21 client in Hart County
11/16/21 client in Lookout Mountain, TN, charitable treatment of 4 trees
11/17/21 client in Habersham County
11/18/21 client in Gilmer County
11/18/21 client in Union County
11/23/21 client in Walker County, charitable treatment of 1 tree
11/23/21 client in Gilmer County
11/30/21 client in Rabun County, charitable treatment of 53 trees

■ **31 hemlock treatment projects** with 263 volunteers treating 5,045 trees:

12/2/20 USFS Minnehaha Falls, Rabun County, 6 volunteers treated 59 trees
12/5/20 USFS Lake Rabun Campgrounds & Recreation Area, 6 volunteers treated 89 trees
3/27/21 DNR Smithgall Woods, 14 volunteers treated 339 trees
4/2/21 USFS Bob Creek, 4 volunteers treated 43 trees
4/21/21 USFS Lake Winfield Scott, 8 volunteers treated 98 trees
4/22/21 USFS Timpson Creek, 7 volunteers treated 126 trees.
5/5/21 – 5/6/21 DNR Cloudland Canyon, 9 volunteers treated 560 trees
5/11/21 – 5/13/21 DNRCLOUDLAND Canyon, 7 volunteers treated 295 trees
6/1/21 DNR Cloudland Canyon, 4 volunteers treated 120 trees
6/12/21 USFS Long Creek Falls & Chester Creek, 9 volunteers treated 114 trees
6/12/21 DNR Cloudland Canyon, 5 volunteers treated 45 trees.
7/6/21 DNR Cloudland Canyon, 7 volunteers treated 160 trees
7/7/21 DNR Cloudland Canyon, 6 volunteers treated 330 trees
7/18/21 USFS Upper Chattahoochee River Campground, 8 volunteers treated 86 trees
7/20/21 DNR Cloudland Canyon, 5 volunteers treated 262 trees
7/21/21 GATC Justus Creek (HCA 505), 5 volunteers treated 50 trees
7/21/21 SGH-DNR Cloudland Canyon, 5 volunteers treated 262 trees
7/24/21 USFS Mulky Creek, 11 volunteers treated 178 trees
8/4/21 GATC Justus Creek (HCA 505), 9 volunteers treated 89 trees
8/7/21 USFS Swallows Creek, 6 volunteers treated 91 trees
8/8/21 USFS Upper Chattahoochee River Campground, 7 volunteers treated 89 trees
8/13/21 DNR Cloudland Canyon, 1 volunteer treated 10 trees
8/21/21 USFS Cooper Creek, 16 volunteers treated 114 trees
8/25/21 GATC Blackwell Creek (HCA 506), 9 volunteers treated 149 trees
9/7/21 DNR Lula Lake Connector Trail, 3 volunteers treated 40 trees
9/11/21 YMCA Camp High Harbour, 3 volunteers treated 50 trees
9/25/21 DNR Lula Lake Connector Trail, 3 volunteers treated 40 more trees
10/3/21 GATC Plum Orchard Gap to Bull Gap (HCA 507), 5 volunteers treated 12 trees
10/15/21 GATC Jacks Knob Trail (HCA 503) and Unicoi Gap south to Blue Mountain, 2 volunteers treated 12 trees
10/20/21 White County High School, 34 students & teachers treated 4 trees
10/23/21 DNR Cloudland Canyon, 7 volunteers treated 278 trees
10/24/21 USFS Wildcat Creek Recreation Area, 19 volunteers treated 377 trees
10/30/21 DNR Cloudland Canyon, 6 volunteers treated 327 trees
11/1/21 DNR Cloudland Canyon, 4 volunteers treated 125 trees
11/5/21 GATC Swag of the Blue Ridge (HCA 508), 2 volunteers treated 22 trees

■ **16 sapling rescue projects** with 44 volunteers, 773 saplings rescued and potted for use in educational / service activities or future adoption:

12/9/20 sapling rescue & potting, 3 volunteers, 50 saplings
1/28/21 sapling rescue & potting, 1 volunteer, 20 saplings
2/10/21 sapling rescue & potting, 3 volunteers, 29 saplings
2/15/21 sapling rescue & potting, 1 volunteer, 20 saplings
2/20/21 sapling rescue & potting, 3 volunteers, 100 saplings
3/5/21 sapling rescue & potting, 1 volunteer, 58 saplings
3/30/21 sapling rescue & potting, 1 volunteer, 6 saplings
5/20/21 sapling rescue, 3 volunteers, 11 saplings
5/27/21 sapling rescue, 5 volunteers, 100 saplings
5/29/21 sapling rescue & potting, 2 volunteers, 47 saplings

6/5/21 sapling rescue & potting, 3 volunteers, 60 saplings
6/8/21 sapling rescue, 3 volunteers, 47 saplings
6/9/21 sapling rescue & potting, 2 volunteers, 24 saplings
7/17/21 sapling rescue & potting, 3 volunteers, 75 saplings
10/12/21 sapling rescue & potting, 8 volunteers, 79 saplings
11/8/21 sapling rescue & potting, 3 volunteers, 47 saplings

■ **235 hemlock saplings adopted.**

12/23/20 4 saplings adopted
2/16/21 50 saplings adopted
2/23/21 5 saplings adopted
2/23/21 10 saplings adopted
3/6/21 2 saplings adopted.
3/9/21 11 saplings adopted
3/13/21 11 saplings adopted
3/19/21 15 saplings adopted
3/19/21 10 saplings adopted
3/27/21 2 saplings adopted
3/28/21 6 saplings adopted
4/11/21 6 saplings adopted
4/20/21 3 saplings adopted
5/1/21 4 saplings adopted
6/5/21 10 saplings adopted
6/27/21 47 saplings adopted
10/2/21 8 saplings adopted
10/7/21 2 saplings adopted
10/14/21 9 saplings adopted
10/21/21 5 saplings adopted
10/30/21 14 saplings adopted
11/17/21 1 sapling adopted
11/18/21 8 saplings adopted

■ **216 saplings donated to schools, churches, nonprofits:**

3/5/21 2 saplings donated to Mr. Natural, supporting vendor
3/20/21 20 saplings donated to Trees Atlanta
4/17/21 21 saplings donated to Boy Scouts
4/20/21 50 saplings donated to University of North Georgia
4/30/21 3 saplings donated to City of Jasper
5/17/21 12 saplings donated to Garden Club of Ellijay
9/11/21 50 saplings donated to YMCA Camp High Harbour in Rabun County
10/14/21 24 saplings donated to Lumpkin County Parks & Rec
10/20/21 3 saplings donated to White County High School
11/19/21 21 saplings donated to Trout Unlimited, Blue Ridge Chapter

■ **12 hemlock sapling planting projects with 93 volunteers planting 144 hemlocks and 40 other trees/shrubs:**

2/15/21 sapling planting in Atlanta, 1 volunteer planted 6 hemlocks.
3/7/21 sapling planting in Atlanta, 1 volunteer planted 4 hemlocks.
3/20/21 sapling planting in Atlanta, 40 volunteers planted 20 hemlocks plus 40 other trees & shrubs.
3/10/21 sapling planting on Prospect Trail in Cleveland, 1 volunteer planted 6 saplings
4/17/21 sapling planting at USFS Peeples Lake in Murray County, 10 volunteers planted 20 saplings
4/20/21 sapling planting at Hurricane Creek Research Station in Lumpkin County, 14 volunteers planted 50 saplings
4/30/21 sapling planting at Lee Newton Park in Pickens County, 5 volunteers planted 3 saplings
9/11/21 sapling planting at YMCA Camp High Harbour, 20 volunteers planted 50 saplings
9/25/21 sapling planting in Gilmer County, 3 volunteers planted 47 saplings
10/14/21 sapling planting at Yahoola Creek Park in Lumpkin County, 10 volunteers planted 24 saplings
10/20/21 sapling planting at White County High School, 34 volunteers planted 3 saplings
11/19/21 sapling planting at Toccoa Bend in Union County, 11 volunteers planted 21 saplings

■ **24 soil injectors repaired/refurbished**

12/11/20 repaired 2 Kioritz soil injectors for USFS
2/19/21 repaired 1 Kioritz soil injector for professional in New Jersey
4/21/21 repaired 1 Kioritz injector for professional in Georgia
5/21/21 repaired 1 Kioritz injector for individual in Fannin County
5/21/21 repaired 4 Kioritz injectors for SGH, 1 for Rabun CES, 2 for USFS

7/29/21 Received donation of 1 Kioritz injector from Camp Merrimac in N. C.
--

6/27/21 repaired 1 Kioritz injector for GFC Fannin
7/24/21 repaired 1 Kioritz injector for SGH
7/29/21 repaired 1 Kioritz injector for SGH
8/1/21 repaired 2 Kioritz injectors for SGH & 2 for professional in Georgia
8/3/21 repaired 1 Kioritz injector for SGH & 1 for professional in Georgia
8/6/21 repaired 2 Kioritz injectors for USFS
10/24/21 repaired 1 EZ-Ject injector for SGH

■ **Total of 5,900 volunteer hours logged.**

Financial Review Q4 2021 as of 11/30/21

Starting Ckg Acct Balance \$55,434
 Total Income \$36,392
 Total Expense \$28,311
 Ending Ckg Acct Balance \$63,515

Net Change from 2020 \$8,081

Annual Financial Summary FY 2021

INCOME	Contrib Indiv	Contrib Member	Contrib Found	Contrib Non Profit	Contrib In Kind Goods	Contrib In Kind Svc	Contrib Corp	Gov Reimb
2021 Inc by Source	\$473.00	\$27,217.49	\$2,481.40	\$250.00	\$2,596.75	\$720.00	\$2,595.15	\$58.20
2021 Inc by Percentage	1.30%	74.79%	6.82%	0.69%	7.14%	1.98%	7.13%	0.16%
2021 Total Income	\$36,391.99							

EXPENSE	11 Educ Hemlock Clinics	12 Educ FacTrng	13 Educ Comm Progs	16 Public Comm	14 Saplings	15 Treatment	51 Gen Admin	52 Memb & Fund Raising
2021 Exp by Category	\$0.00	\$848.94	\$5,381.00	\$3,861.16	\$5,436.47	\$9,915.08	\$1,968.61	\$899.53
2021 Exp by Percentage	0.00%	3.00%	19.01%	13.64%	19.20%	35.02%	6.95%	3.18%
2021 Total Expense	\$28,310.79							

Cumulative Financial Summary FY 2009 - 2021

INCOME	Contrib Indiv	Contrib Member	Contrib Found	Contrib Non Profit	Contrib In Kind Goods	Contrib In Kind Svc	Contrib Corp	Gov Reimb
Cumulative Inc by Source	\$36,915.80	\$167,477.30	\$37,314.81	\$13,774.83	\$24,863.61	\$5,470.33	\$9,858.45	\$3,798.38
Cumulative Inc by Percentage	12.33%	55.92%	12.46%	4.60%	8.30%	1.83%	3.29%	1.27%
Cumulative Inc to Date	\$299,473.51							

EXPENSE	11 Educ Hemlock Clinics	12 Educ Facil Trng	13 Educ Comm Progs	16 Public Comm	14 Saplings	15 Treatment	51 Gen Admin	52 Memb & Fund Raising
Cumulative Exp by Category	\$5,501.68	\$15,240.70	\$55,516.16	\$27,388.66	\$33,750.90	\$78,488.40	\$15,737.17	\$4,335.14
Cumulative Exp by Percentage	2.33%	6.46%	23.53%	11.61%	14.30%	33.26%	6.65%	1.84%
Cumulative Exp to Date	\$235,958.81							

* **Spending Ratio** for FY 2021: 35.64% Education, 54.23% Charitable Service, 10.13% Admin.
Cumulative Spending Ratio FY 2009 – 2021: 43.93% Education, 47.57% Charitable Service, 8.51% Admin

* **Report on annual membership appeal** as of 11/30/21: 130 donations totaling \$17,235 compared to 135 donations totaling \$11,865 last year.

Activity Detail: Completed Dec. 1, 2020 – November 30, 2021

Date	Activity
12/2/20	SGH-USFS hemlock treatment project at Minnehaha Falls, Rabun County, 6 volunteers treated 59 trees
12/5/20	SGH-USFS hemlock treatment project at Lake Rabun Campgrounds & Recreation Area, 6 volunteers treated 89 trees
12/5/20	Facilitator visit to in Rabun County
12/5/20	Facilitator visit to client in White County
12/7/20	Facilitator visit to Hemlock Acres, Walker County, 1 volunteer treated 40 trees
12/9/20	Sapling rescue & potting. 3 volunteers, 50 saplings
12/10/20	Facilitator visit to client in Lookout Mountain, TN w/charitable treatment of 30 trees
12/11/20	Customized training on hemlock treatment project management, diagnosing and repairing Kioritz and EZ-Ject soil injectors for USFS Michael Starbuck, USFS Christopher Jett, Jon Jones, Jody Webb, and Derrick Morris
12/11/20	Repair of 2 Kioritz soil injectors for USFS
12/12/20	Facilitator visit to client in White County
12/12/20	Facilitator visit to client in Rabun County
12/15/20	Facilitator visits to clients in Lookout Mountain, charitable treatment of 39 trees
12/19/20	Facilitator visit to client in Rabun County
12/23/20	4 saplings adopted
12/29/20	Facilitator visits to 2 sites in Rabun County
1/4/21	Facilitator visit to client in White County
1/16/21	Facilitator visit to client in Pickens County, charitable treatment of 6 trees
1/28/21	Sapling rescue & potting, 1 volunteer, 20 saplings
1/30/21	SGH Facilitator Training Workshop for Rabun Towns Habersham, 5 new Facilitators trained
1/30/21	Facilitator visits to 3 sites in Rabun County
2/1/21	Article published “Celebrate Arbor Day by Planting Hemlocks” in most N GA newspapers
2/3/21	Article published “Plans underway for Arbor Day celebration” in <i>Pickens Progress</i>
2/4/21	Facilitator visits to 3 sites in Rabun County
2/4/21	Facilitator visit to client in Rabun County
2/8/21	Facilitator visits to 2 clients in Fannin County
2/10/21	Sapling rescue & potting, 3 volunteers, 29 saplings
2/13/21	SGH Facilitator Training Workshop for Union White & Towns, 6 new Facilitators trained
2/15/21	Facilitator visit to client in Fulton County
2/15/21	Sapling rescue & potting, 1 volunteer, 20 saplings
2/15/21	Sapling planting in Atlanta, 1 volunteer planted 6 hemlocks
2/16/21	50 saplings adopted
2/19/21	Repair of 1 Kioritz soil injector for professional in New Jersey
2/20/21	Sapling rescue & potting, 3 volunteers, 100 saplings
2/23/21	Facilitator visit to client in Forsyth County
2/23/21	Facilitator visit to client in Union County
2/23/21	15 saplings adopted
2/25/21	Facilitator visits to 3 sites in Rabun County
2/27/21	SGH Facilitator Training Workshop for Lumpkin Dawson Hall, 6 new Facilitators trained
3/2/21	Facilitator visit to client in Lumpkin County
3/3/21	Facilitator visit to client in Rabun County
3/5/21	Sapling rescue & potting, 1 volunteer, 58 saplings
3/5/21	2 saplings donated to Mr. Natural, supporting vendor
3/6/21	2 saplings adopted

3/7/21	Facilitator visit to client in Gilmer County, charitable treatment of 2 trees
3/7/21	Sapling planting in Atlanta, 1 volunteer planted 4 hemlocks
3/9/21	Facilitator visit to client in Morganton
3/9/21	Facilitator visit to client in Ellijay
3/9/21	11 saplings adopted
3/10/21	Sapling planting on Prospect Trail in Cleveland, 1 volunteer planted 6 saplings
3/11/21	Facilitator visit to site in Rabun County
3/12/21	Facilitator visit to client in Rabun County
3/13/21	11 saplings adopted
3/18/21	Facilitator visit to client in Brevard, NC
3/19/21	25 saplings adopted
3/20/21	20 saplings donated to Trees Atlanta
3/20/21	Sapling planting in Atlanta, 40 volunteers planted 20 hemlocks plus 40 other trees & shrubs
3/22/21	Facilitator visit to client in Gilmer County, charitable treatment of 25 trees
3/24/21	Facilitator visit to client in Rabun County, charitable treatment of 13 trees
3/24/21	Facilitator visit to site in Union County
3/25/21	Facilitator visit to site in Murray County
3/26/21	SGH Volunteer Facilitator Training Workshop for Pickens & Cherokee, 2 new Facilitators trained
3/27/21	SGH-DNR hemlock treatment project at Smithgall Woods with Friends of the Park, 14 volunteers treated 339 trees
3/27/21	2 saplings adopted
3/28/21	Customized training re sapling planting for Eagle Scout candidate & father
3/28/21	Facilitator visit to client in Gilmer County, charitable treatment of 12 trees
3/28/21	6 saplings adopted
3/29/21	Facilitator visits to 2 clients in Fannin County, charitable treatment of 39 trees
3/30/21	SGH Hemlock Lesson to Jonathan Micancin's Ecology class at Young Harris College, 12 students
3/30/21	Sapling rescue & potting, 1 volunteer, 6 saplings
4/1/21	Customized training for 1 new Facilitator
4/1/21	Facilitator visit to client in Lumpkin County
4/2/21	SGH-USFS hemlock treatment project at Bob Creek, 4 volunteers treated 43 trees
4/5/21	Customized training for 3 new Facilitators
4/6/21	SGH Hemlock Lesson for Lookout Mountain Conservancy Intern Program, 18 students & 3 teachers
4/7/21	Facilitator visit to client in Dade County
4/8/21	Facilitator visit to client in Lookout Mountain TN, charitable treatment of 5 trees
4/9/21	Peer review article on Kioritz soil injector published for USFS personnel
4/11/21	6 saplings adopted
4/14/21	Article published "Young Harris Hemlocks Need Help!" in <i>North Georgia News</i>
4/15/21	Facilitator visit to Lake Burton property owner in Rabun County
4/15/21	Facilitator visits to 2 clients in Rabun County, charitable treatment of 87 trees
4/15/21	Facilitator visit to client in Lookout Mountain, TN, charitable treatment of 15 trees
4/17/21	21 saplings donated to Boy Scouts
4/17/21	Sapling planting at USFS Peebles Lake in Murray County, 10 volunteers planted 20 saplings
4/18/21	Facilitator visit to client in Pickens County, charitable treatment of 15 trees
4/20/21	Facilitator visit to client in Lookout Mountain, TN, charitable treatment of 30 trees
4/20/21	3 saplings adopted
4/20/21	50 saplings donated to University of North Georgia
4/20/21	Sapling planting at Hurricane Creek Research Station in Lumpkin County, 14 volunteers planted 50 saplings
4/21/21	SGH-USFS hemlock treatment project at Lake Winfield Scott, 8 volunteers treated 98 trees
4/21/21	Repair of 1 Kioritz injector for professional in Georgia

4/22/21	Presentation at Project Chimps, 20 attendees
4/22/21	Customized training re sapling rescue, potting and planting for 1 staff member at Project Chimps
4/22/21	SGH-USFS hemlock treatment project at Timpson Creek, 7 volunteers treated 126 trees
4/23/21	Facilitator visit to site in Fannin County
4/24/21	SGH Facilitator Training Workshop for Fannin & Gilmer, 2 new Facilitators trained
4/25/21	Facilitator visit to client in Walker County
4/29/21	Customized training re hemlock treatment for 1 volunteer in Cherry Log
4/29/21	Facilitator visit to client in Gilmer County
4/30/21	Facilitator visit to client in Dade County
4/30/21	Facilitator visit to client in Lookout Mountain, TN, charitable treatment of 30 trees
4/30/21	3 saplings donated to City of Jasper
4/30/21	Arbor Day sapling planting at Lee Newton Park in Pickens County, 5 volunteers planted 3 large saplings
5/1/21	Facilitator visit to client in Union County
5/1/21	4 saplings adopted
5/4/21	Facilitator visit to client in Dade County
5/4/21	Facilitator visit to client in Gilmer County, charitable treatment of 12 trees
5/5/21 – 5/6/21	SGH-DNR hemlock treatment project at Cloudland Canyon with Friends of the Park, 9 volunteers treated 560 trees
5/8/21	SGH Facilitator Training Workshop for Whitfield & Murray, 2 new Facilitators trained
5/10/21	SGH Facilitator Training Workshop for Hayesville, NC, 1 new Facilitator trained
5/12/21	Facilitator visit to client in Dade County
5/11/21 – 5/13/21	SGH-DNR hemlock treatment project at Cloudland Canyon with Friends of the Park, 7 volunteers treated 295 trees
5/15/21	Facilitator visit to client in Pickens County
5/15/21	Facilitator visit to client in Lookout Mountain, TN, charitable treatment of 30 trees
5/17/21	Facilitator visits to 2 clients in Lookout Mountain, TN, charitable treatment of 23 trees
5/17/21	12 saplings donated to Garden Club of Ellijay
5/20/21	Facilitator visit to site in Towns County
5/20/21	Sapling rescue, 3 volunteers, 11 saplings
5/21/21	Repair of 1 Kioritz injector for individual in Georgia
5/21/21	Repair of 4 Kioritz injectors for SGH, 1 for Rabun CES, 2 for USFS
5/23/21	Facilitator visits to 3 clients in Dade County, charitable treatment of 136 trees
5/25/21	Facilitator visit to client in Rabun County
5/27/21	Facilitator visit to client in Rabun County, charitable treatment of 18 trees
5/27/21	Facilitator visits to 2 clients in Rabun County
5/27/21	Sapling rescue, 5 volunteers, 100 saplings
5/29/21	Facilitator visit to client in Rabun County
5/29/21	Sapling rescue & potting, 2 volunteers, 47 saplings
5/30/21	SGH information booth at Lake Rabun Association Memorial Day Meeting, 2 volunteers, 75 attendees
5/30/21	Facilitator visits to 2 clients in Pickens County, charitable treatment of 4 trees
6/1/21	Article on Save Georgia's Hemlocks published in The Mountain Traveler
6/1/21	SGH-DNR hemlock treatment project at Cloudland Canyon with Friends of the Park, 4 volunteers treated 120 trees
6/2/21	Facilitator visit to client in Lumpkin County, charitable treatment of 9 trees
6/4/21	SGH Facilitator Training Workshop for Dade-Walker, 1 new Facilitator trained
6/5/21	SGH information booth at Hemlock Day at Anna Ruby Falls, 7 volunteers, 60 visitors
6/5/21	Sapling rescue & potting, 3 volunteers, 60 saplings
6/5/21	10 saplings adopted
6/7/21	SGH Hemlock Lesson for Boy Scouts at Scoutland in Gainesville, 12 attendees
6/8/21	Sapling rescue, 3 volunteers, 47 saplings

6/9/21	Sapling rescue & potting, 2 volunteers, 24 saplings
6/12/21	SGH-USFS hemlock treatment project at Long Creek Falls & Chester Creek, 9 volunteers treated 114 trees
6/12/21	SGH-DNR hemlock treatment project at Cloudland Canyon with Friends of the Park, 5 volunteers treated 45 trees
6/15/21	Facilitator visit to client in Pickens County, charitable treatment of 10 trees
6/15/21	Facilitator visit to client in Union County
6/16/21	Facilitator visit to client in Rabun County, charitable treatment of 6 trees
6/19/21	Presentation at Sallie Doss Nature Center in Bent Tree, 15 participants
6/20/21	Facilitator visit to client in Walker County, charitable treatment of 40 trees
6/20/21	Facilitator visit to client in Dade County, charitable treatment of 20 trees
6/20/21	Facilitator visit to Lookout Mountain Golf Course in Walker County
6/20/21	Facilitator visits to 2 clients (McIntyre & Tomlinson) in Rabun County with charitable treatment of 21 trees
6/23/21	Article published "Protecting State's Hemlock Trees" in <i>Dade Sentinel</i>
6/26/21	Facilitator visit to client in Union County, charitable treatment of 12 trees
6/27/21	Facilitator visits to 2 clients in Gilmer County, charitable treatment of 5 trees
6/27/21	47 saplings adopted
6/27/21	Repair of 1 Kioritz injector for GFC Fannin
6/30/21	Facilitator visit to client on Sharp Top Mountain, charitable treatment of 3 trees
6.29/21	Facilitator visit to client in Rabun County
7/4/21 - 7/12/21	Facilitator visit to Wharton Conservation Center in Morgan County, charitable treatment of 20 trees.
7/6/21	SGH-DNR hemlock treatment project at Cloudland Canyon, 7 volunteers treated 160 trees
7/7/21	SGH-DNR hemlock treatment project at Cloudland Canyon, 6 volunteers treated 330 trees
7/7/21	SGH Leadership Team summer meeting
7/7/21	Facilitator visit to client in Rabun County
7/12/21	Facilitator visits to 2 clients in Rabun County, charitable treatment of 61 trees
7/16/21	Assessment & treatment of 13 trees in Rabun County
7/17/21	SGH Facilitator Training Workshop for Rabun-Towns-Habersham, 4 new Facilitators trained
7/17/21	Sapling rescue project in Gilmer County, 75 saplings rescued
7/18/21	SGH-USFS hemlock treatment project on CRRD - Upper Chattahoochee River Campground (HCA 59), 8 volunteers treated 248 trees
7/20/21	SGH-DNR hemlock treatment project at Cloudland Canyon, 5 volunteers treated 262 trees
7/21/21	GATC-SGH hemlock treatment project -- north side of Justus Creek (HCA 505) and along old AT route, 5 volunteers treated 50 trees
7/21/21	Facilitator visit to client in Fannin County
7/21/21	SGH-DNR hemlock treatment project at Cloudland Canyon, 5 volunteers treated 129 trees
7/22/21	Facilitator visit to client in Rabun County, charitable treatment of 4 trees
7/23/21	Facilitator visit to client in Rabun County
7/23/21	Facilitator visit to client in Rabun County, charitable treatment of 18 trees
7/24/21	SGH-USFS hemlock treatment project on BRRD - 3 sites in Mulky Creek (HCA 75) & 1 site in Coopers Creek. 11 volunteers treated 178 trees
7/24/21	Repair of 1 SGH Kioritz injector
7/26/21	Facilitator visit to client in Rabun County, charitable treatment of 10 trees
7/28/21	Facilitator visit to client in Rabun County
7/29/21	Facilitator visits to 2 clients in Dade County, 4 volunteers treated 61 trees
7/29/21	Repair of 1 SGH Kioritz injector
7/29/21	Received donation of Kioritz injector from Camp Merrimac in North Carolina
8/1/21	Repair of 2 SGH Kioritz injectors and 2 Kioritz injectors for professional
8/3/21	Repair of 1 SGH Kioritz injector and 1 Kioritz injector for professional
8/4/21	GATC-SGH hemlock treatment project -- south side of Justus Creek (HCA 505). 9 volunteers treated 89 trees

8/4/21	Facilitator visits to 2 clients in Dade County, charitable treatment of 4 trees
8/5/21	Facilitator visit to client in Union County, charitable treatment of 5 trees
8/6/21	Repair of 2 soil injector for USFS
8/6/21	Facilitator visit to The Rock Gold Course in Pickens, SC
8/7/21	SGH-USFS hemlock treatment project on BRRD - Swallows Creek (HCA 42) & Falls Branch (HCA 122) 6 volunteers treated 91 trees
8/8/21	Continuation of SGH-USFS hemlock treatment project on CRRD -- Upper Chattahoochee River Campground (HCA 59), 7 volunteers treated 89 trees
8/8/21	Filming of YouTube videos for sapling rescue, potting, and planting
8/12/21	Facilitator visit to client in Gilmer County with customized training re use of soil injector
8/13/21	DNR Cloudland Canyon, 1 volunteer treated 10 trees
8/19/21	Facilitator visit to Camp High Harbour
8/19/21	Facilitator visit to client in Fannin County
8/20/21	Facilitator visit to client in Rabun County
8/21/21	SGH-USFS hemlock treatment project on BRRD - Cooper Creek (HCA 74), 16 volunteers treated 114 trees
8/23/21	Facilitator visit to Camp High Harbour
8/25/21	GATC-SGH hemlock treatment project -- south of Blackwell Creek (HCA 506), 9 volunteers treated 149 trees
8/27/21	SGH Volunteer Facilitator Training Workshop for Fannin-Gilmer-White, 3 new Facilitators trained
9/2/21	Facilitator visit to Rabun County to collect Carolina hemlock seed cones
9/5/21	SGH education station at Lake Rabun Association Labor Day Meeting
9/7/21	SGH-DNR hemlock treatment project at Lula Lake, 3 volunteers treated 40 trees
9/8/21	Facilitator visit to client in White County, charitable treatment of 9 trees
9/10/21	Facilitator visit to Camp High Harbour to assess trees
9/11/21	SGH sapling planting project at YMCA Camp High Harbour on Lake Burton, 20 volunteers planted 50 new saplings and 3 volunteers treated 51 existing trees
9/12/21	Facilitator visit to survey trees below Nicholson Branch
9/16/21	Facilitator visit to Wildcat Creek prior to treatment at Wildcat Creek
9/22/21	Facilitator visit to client in Rabun County
9/23/21	Facilitator visit to site in Lake Burton area for possible sapling rescue
9/23/21	Presentation to 25 Friends of Cloudland Canyon re HWA treatments at CCSP in 2021
9/24/21	SGH Volunteer Facilitator Training Workshop for Union, Lumpkin, Hall & Habersham Counties, 2 new Facilitators trained.
9/25/21	SGH-DNR hemlock treatment project at Lula Lake, 3 volunteers treated 40 more trees
9/25/21	Facilitator visit to 2 clients in Gilmer County, customized training, project to plant 47 saplings
9/27/21	SGH education station at Young Harris College Student Internship Fair, 20 visitors
9/29/21	SGH Hemlock Lesson for 2 Environmental Science classes at White County High School, 40 students & 1 teacher
9/30/21	Facilitator visits to 6 clients on Signal Mountain, TN, charitable treatment of 197 trees
9/30/21	Facilitator visit to Young Life Camp in Pickens County
10/2/21	SGH info booth at Foxfire Mountaineer Festival, 9 volunteers, 88 visitors, 8 saplings adopted
10/2/21	SGH Volunteer Facilitator Training Workshop for Gordon & Pickens, 1 new Facilitator trained.
10/3/21	GATC-SGH hemlock treatment project at Plum Orchard Gap (HCA 507) south to Bull Gap, 5 volunteers treated 12 trees
10/7/21	2 saplings adopted
10/11/21	Facilitator visit with Master Gardener client in Lumpkin County to prepare for planting saplings at Yahoola Park
10/12/21	Sapling rescue project in Gilmer County, 8 volunteers rescued 79 saplings.
10/12/21	Facilitator visits to 2 clients in Gilmer County, charitable treatment of 11 trees
10/12/21	Facilitator visits to 2 clients in Signal Mountain, TN
10/13/21	SGH Leadership Team Fall Meeting
10/14/21	Sapling planting project with Lumpkin Master Gardeners at Yahoola Creek Park. 10 volunteers planted 24 hemlocks donated by SGH at 2 sites and cleared invasive plants.
10/14/21	9 saplings adopted

10/15/21	GATC-SGH hemlock treatment project at Jacks Knob Trail (HCA 503) and Unicoi Gap south to Blue Mountain, 3 volunteers treated 12 trees.
10/19/21	Facilitator visits to 3 clients in Rabun County
10/20/21	Hemlock treatment project and sapling planting project with Michelle Wiley's 2 Environmental Science classes. 33 students & 1 teacher planted 3 large saplings and treated 4 trees on campus.
10/21/21	Facilitator visit to client in White County
10/21/21	5 saplings adopted
10/21/21	SGH Hemlock Lesson for Restoration Ecology class at Univ of Illinois, 17 students & 1 teacher
10/21/21	Facilitator visit to survey Wildcat Creek treatment site
10/22/21	Facilitator visit to client in Gilmer County, charitable treatment of 33 trees
10/23/21	DNR-SGH hemlock treatment at Cloudland Canyon, 7 volunteers treated 278 trees.
10/24/21	Repair of SGH EZ-Ject injector
10/24/21	SGH-USFS hemlock treatment project on CRRD -- Wildcat Creek Recreation Area (HCA 600), 19 volunteers treated 377 trees
10/25/21	Facilitator visit to client in Lumpkin County
10/25/21	Facilitator visit to client in Dade County, 3 volunteers treated 40 trees.
10/28/21	Customized hemlock treatment training for USFS Conasauga, 9 participants
10/30/21	DNR-SGH hemlock treatment project at Cloudland Canyon/Land Trust Connector Trails (Bear Creek Bridge), 6 volunteers treated 327 trees
10/30/21	14 saplings adopted
10/31/21	Facilitator visit to client in Lumpkin County, charitable treatment of 11 trees
11/1/21	DNR-SGH hemlock treatment at Cloudland Canyon "Can't Hardly" Trail, 4 volunteers treated 125 trees.
11/3/21	Facilitator visit to client in Dade County, 2 volunteers treated 40 trees.
11/5/21	GATC-SGH hemlock treatment project at Swag of the Blue Ridge (HCA 508), 2 volunteers treated 22 trees.
11/6/21	SGH Volunteer Facilitator Training Workshop for all counties, 6 new Facilitators trained
11/6/21	Facilitator visit to client in Gilmer County, charitable treatment of 13 trees
11/8/21	Sapling rescue & potting with Master Gardeners in Lumpkin County, 3 volunteers rescued 47 saplings
11/10/21	Facilitator visit to client in Fannin County, charitable treatment of 79 trees
11/13/21	SGH education station at Boy Scouts Hornaday Weekend, 1 volunteer, estimated 20 visitors
11/13/21	Facilitator visit to clients in Sky Valley to plan hemlock treatment project
11/14/21	Facilitator visit to client in Lavonia, Hart County, to pick up large hemlock saplings
11/16/21	Facilitator visit to client in Lookout Mountain, TN, 1 volunteer treated 4 trees
11/17/21	Customized training for 2 volunteers in Habersham County Facilitator
11/17/21	Facilitator visit to client in Habersham to deliver 1 adopted sapling
11/18/21	Facilitator visit to deliver and stage trees and planting materials with Chris at Toccoa Bend, Union County
11/18/21	Facilitator visit to client in Anderson Creek, Gilmer County
11/19/21	Hemlock restoration project with Trout Unlimited at Toccoa Bend, 11 volunteers planted 21 trees donated by SGH
11/19/21	8 saplings adopted
11/23/21	Facilitator visit to client in Lookout Mountain, GA, 1 volunteer treated 1 tree
11/23/21	Facilitator visit to client in Gilmer County
11/26/21	Survey sent to all Facs in Georgia for opt in / opt out of program.
11/30/21	Facilitator visit to client in Rabun County, charitable treatment of 53 trees
11/30/21	107 additional hours reported for GATC hemlock treatment in Q4
11/30/21	Customized training for volunteers re membership coordination