

## Tuesday September 6th

Join us as we kick off the specialty crops series with a two part Mushroom workshop. Come take a walk through River Bend Park to look for mushrooms. Park Ranger, Lori Owenby, will talk about the different mushrooms growing right here in the forest floors. Come learn about all the native species that grow in Catawba County. The second half of the program will focus on cultivating your own shiitake mushroom. Each participants will be able to inoculate their own logs. Please bring two freshly cut hardwood (preferably oak) logs. Logs should be cut two weeks before the workshop and be approximately $4-8^{\prime \prime}$ in diameter and $3-4$ ' long. Lunch included

## Deadline to Register has been extended to

 August 31th, 2016Please mail registration forms and payment to: PO Box 389, Newton, NC 28658
Make checks payable to Catawba County

Catawba River Bend Park 6700 N NC 16 Highway Conover, NC 28613 10:00-3:00

Cost: \$20
Registration must be received to
reserve seat for workshop
For more information, please contact
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Guided Mushroom Walk \& Log Production Workshop
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