

Calaveras Big Trees Association

is offering

A Special Workshop

“Lyme and Tick-Borne Diseases - a Growing Problem in the Western U.S. and What You Need to Know”

Presented by Jo Ellis

Director of Education Outreach at the



**Bay Area Lyme
Foundation**

**Please join us to learn about this important topic.
Some of the areas to be covered are:**

- **What is Lyme** - overview of the infectious disease, transmission, symptoms, challenges
- **Ticks and Lyme** - how ticks get infected and become a vector for the disease
- **How to protect yourself** - recommendations and protocols for your facility
- **What to do** - if someone is bitten or you suspect has been bitten
- **Other tick-borne diseases** - coinfections relative to Lyme and ticks
- **What we know about treating Lyme** - latest statistics and data
- **Issues in the field** of Lyme disease around diagnostics and treatment

This program is relevant for naturalists, outdoor educators and teachers, park rangers, outdoor sport and recreation instructors, docents, EMTs, first aid providers, firefighters, volunteers and anyone who is working in a position of responsibility for the health and safety of themselves and others while working outdoors.

WHEN: SUNDAY MAY 22, 2016
TIME: 1:30 PM - 3:30 PM
WHERE: JACK KNIGHT HALL - CALAVERAS BIG TREES STATE PARK

Workshop is free and open to all

\$10.00 Entrance fee into Park



Please call CBTA for more information 209-795-1196

