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FALL FOLIAGE REPORTS SET TO BEGIN

Georgia's colorful leaf season is beginning, and so are weekly foliage reports from the Georgia Forestry Commission (GFC). Having foresters and rangers in every North Georgia county enables the GFC to provide timely updates that include information about color changes, tree species, and recommended scenic drives at GaTrees.org and on social media.

"Our foresters have the knowledge and experience to give key details about which trees are turning which colors, where," said Georgia Forestry Commission Regional Forester Ken Masten. "As fluctuations in weather result in changes and impacts to trees, we recommend the best vistas for viewing, and usable information for this busy time of year in the mountains."

To access GFC's weekly fall foliage updates, follow us on twitter (@gatrees; #GALeafWatch), Facebook (Georgia Forestry Commission) Instagram (gatrees) and at the GFC website, GaTrees.org.

"The spring and early summer saw ample rainfall, but the weather's turned dry and remained unseasonably hot lately, so we're assessing those impacts on the forest," said Masten. "With cooler temperatures on the way, a vibrant fall foliage season can always be expected in the North Georgia Mountains."

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