

Arborist and Height Safety Equipment Specialists

# ATRAES



## Tree Climbing workshop

Friday 11 Nov, 8:30 – 15:30

Commonwealth Reserve, Williamstown



The VTIO is proud to present the opportunity to take part in a day-long workshop covering a wide range of climbing techniques. Presented by Scott Forrest (current ITCC world tree climbing champion) and Joe Harris (current Australian champion and ITCC runner-up), this workshop will use the events of the Victorian Tree Climbing Championship on the following day to demonstrate how modern climbing techniques can make your work safer, faster and more energy efficient.

Come along to hone your skills for the comp on the next day or to pick up techniques which will help you at work. The workshop will cost **\$70 for VTIO members** or **\$90 for non-members**, and includes lunch and snacks.

To register or for more details please visit [www.vtio.org.au](http://www.vtio.org.au) and click on the workshop tab, email [joe@intotrees.com](mailto:joe@intotrees.com) or call Joe on 0400420079.

**\$70**

VTIO member price



**Scott Forrest** is the current tree climbing world champion, after his victory in the ITCC Masters in Parramatta earlier this year. He is a three-time NZ Tree Climbing Champion, 2007 UK/I Champion and has reached the ITCC masters twice previously. Scott has been a contract climber since 2007, and has worked across Europe and North America, as well as throughout Australia and in his home country of New Zealand.



**Joe Harris** is the current Australian TCC champion and placed second at the ITCC in Parramatta. Joe has climbed and worked in every state in Australia in the last six years, and has been beaten by Scott at tree climbing competitions in NSW, VIC and the NT. Joe sits on the VTIO committee & the ITCC Technical Advisory Committee, splices for ATRAES, writes for ArborAge, organises climbing workshops and is a contract climber based in Melbourne.