

Data Submitted (UTC 11): 7/29/2024 6:50:24 PM

First name: Anne

Last name: Boxall

Organization:

Title:

Comments: While writing, may I ask whether the U.S. has the kind of National Tree Register of "champion" trees that the U.K. has? There're more than 69,000 champions registered in Britain and Ireland, representing the largest, oldest, historically-significant or rare examples of their species. When he was Prince of Wales, King Charles III was patron of the Register, but I suspect that - and much to his regret - the King can no longer be patron of that and numerous other personally-important causes. If the Forest Service doesn't already have a register, establishing one could create a lot of enthusiasm, encouraging children, especially, to spot and support some of our magnificent examples. Thank you.