

2009 State Hunter Education Tournament Volunteer Form

IMPORTANT NOTICE

This year, all district tournaments and the state tournament will put breast cancer awareness in our sights. The target is to promote early detection and treatment, which helps save lives, and show support of grandmothers, mothers, wives, sisters and daughters. Wear a pink ribbon or something pink during competition.

PLEASE PRINT

I will be attending the 2009 NC Hunter Education Tournament.

Name: _____ Shirt Size _____

Address: _____ Phone () _____

Name of Club or Organization: _____

Number of Volunteers Attending: _____ *(Please attach on a separate sheet the name, address and phone number of volunteers attending)*

Number for dinner on April 24: _____

Will attend the Workday: Yes No

Will be staying overnight at Camp Millstone: Yes No

Please list the events you would like to work in numerical preference. The events are: Rifle, Archery, Trap, Hunter Skills and Orienteering, and Muzzleloading.

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2. _____
3. _____
4. _____
5. _____

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HUNTER EDUCATION INSTRUCTORS' NEWSLETTER



The men and women who volunteer as hunter education instructors serve as teachers, mentors and coaches. The service they deliver is, quite literally, lifesaving.

North Carolina's 2008 Instructors of the Year



Top row: D-5 William Newton, D-7 Joe Moody, D-1 David Harrell

Middle row: D-8 Chad Ayers, D-6 Tommy Mercer, D-3 Wyatt Currin

Bottom row: D-9 Jim Hagan, D-2 Jimmy Maynard, D-4 Teresa and Scott Patterson





Scenes from the 2008 Advanced Hunter Education Instructors' Workshops



This year, we had the rare opportunity to hold the Advanced Hunter Education Instructors' Workshops on a regional basis: Camp Grimes in the mountains; Millstone 4-H Center in the Piedmont; and Eastern 4-H Center in the Coastal Plain.

From every report, each was successful. The quality of the training, camaraderie and range time was outstanding. And participation was good, considering the high price and sometimes limited availability of fuel at the time. Our thanks to everyone who made the three workshops possible.



Thanks to BB Gillen, Gary Steeley, Lt. Mike Hatley and Geoff Cantrell for sharing their photos.

Travis Casper





On Target With The Hunter Safety Coordinator

The 2009 Youth Hunter Safety Tournament will be held on Saturday, April 25, beginning at 7 a.m. at Millstone 4-H Center near Ellerbe. This will be the 31st annual state championship for junior and senior teams and individuals.

Please register as soon as possible.

A registration form, included in this newsletter, can be faxed or mailed. A confirmation packet with directions, a list of lodging facilities and additional information will be sent to registrants.

We need to know how many volunteers will be participating, so we can make arrangements and assign events. If you are responsible for a group of volunteers, please provide each name, address, phone number and shirt size on a separate sheet.

All volunteers will receive a shirt, collectible pin and hat.

A workday will be held Friday, April 24 starting at 1 p.m.

The Steering Committee and subcommittee will meet at 4 p.m. in the dining hall. Dinner will be served at 5 p.m. that evening and it's important we have a headcount, if you plan to eat with us. On Saturday, breakfast will be available at 6 a.m. in the dining hall, with a brief meeting following at 6:30 a.m.

For those wanting to help at district tournaments, contact your district's Hunter Education Specialist.

Thanks to everyone for their time, dedication and hard work. We'll see you there!

Capt. Chris Huebner



Send Us Your News and Photos

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