

Process/Working Agenda



INTERNATIONAL HUNTER EDUCATION ASSOCIATION U.S.A.

20 Annual 22 Conference *Focus on the Future*

May 17-19, 2022 • Jupiter, Florida

Wyndham Grand Jupiter at Harborside Place
122 Soundings Avenue • Jupiter, FL 33477 (561) 273-6600

Monday – May 16, 2022

Travel Day

New Administrators Academy and Board Meetings

<u>Time</u>	<u>Agenda Topic or Activity</u>	<u>Location</u>	<u>Presenter/Coordinator</u>
1:00-9:00 PM	Transportation from Palm Beach International Airport		Zachary Bartlett and Sarah Gregory, Coordinators
New Administrators Academy 8:00 a.m. – Noon			
8:00-8:50 AM	New Administrator Academy (NAA) History of IHEA and Hunter Education	The Dunes	Steve Hall, Coordinator
9:00-9:50 AM	Working with U. S. Fish and Wildlife Service	The Dunes	Richard Zane, USFWS Coordinator
10:00-10:50 AM	Working with International Hunter Education Association	The Dunes	Eric Shanks and Alex Baer, Coordinators
11:00-Noon	Working with volunteers and students – Bringing it all together.	The Dunes	Steve Hall, Texas Parks and Recreation, Coordinator

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Noon-1:00 PM	Lunch		On your own
1:00-7:00 PM	Registration & Information	Pre-Function	Sarah Gregory, Diane Sharp Coordinators
1:00-5:00 PM	IHEA Board Meeting	The Dunes A	Eric Shanks, Coordinator
1:00-5:00 PM	Vendor Set-Up	Pre-Function	John Soeder, Coordinator
6:30-8:00 PM	Dinner		On your own
8:00-12:00 PM	Hospitality Room	Beacon	Jason Tackett, Coordinator

IHEA Conference Begins Tuesday, May 17TH – 8:30 A.M.

Tuesday – May 17, 2022

Conference Track

General Sessions – Preserve Ballroom

7:00-8:15 AM	Registration & Information	Pre-Function	Sarah Gregory, Diane Sharp Coordinators
7:00-8:00 AM	Breakfast	On Your Own	
8:30- 9:00 AM	Opening Ceremonies: Invocation, Present Colors, National Anthem Florida Fish and Wildlife Conservation Commission Welcome IHEA Welcome IHEA Overview	Preserve Ballroom	William Burnett – Coordinator Eric Sutton, FWC Executive Director Alex Baer, IHEA Executive Director Eric Shanks, IHEA President
9:00-9:45 AM	Keynote Address: “Focus on the Future”	Preserve Ballroom	Steven Rinella, Meat Eater
9:45-10:00 AM	Break	Pre-Function	
10:00-10:40 AM	What Brings People to Hunter Education?	Preserve Ballroom	Rob Southwick, Southwick and Associates
10:40-11:20 AM	Turning “Graduates” into “Hunters”	Preserve Ballroom	Jeff Rawlinson, LearnHunting.org
11:20-11:50 AM	Effectiveness of Hunter Education Delivery	Preserve Ballroom	Loren Chase

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Noon-1:00 PM	Lunch: <i>Sponsored by Kalkomey</i>	Preserve Ballroom	
General Sessions – Preserve Ballroom			
1:00-1:40 PM	Diversity, Disability, Sensitivity, and Inclusion	Preserve Ballroom	David Jones, Florida Disabled Outdoors Association
1:45-2:25 PM	Hunter Education: Past, Present & Future	Preserve Ballroom	George Warthen, Director of Hunting and Game Management
Breakout Sessions – Meeting Rooms			
Future of Hunting and Hunter Education - Florida R3 Track			
2:30 -3:15 PM	Incorporating Social Acceptance of Hunting in Hunter Education	Preserve Ballroom	Peter Churchbourne, Director NRA's Hunters Leadership Forum
3:15-3:30 PM	Break	Pre- Function	
3:30 – 4:55 PM	Panel Discussion – Future of Hunting and Hunter Education	Preserve Ballroom	Panelists: Peter Churchbourne, Rob Southwick, Jeff Rawlinson, Loren Chase, David Jones, George Warthen
4:55-5:00 PM	Wrap-Up	Preserve Ballroom	Jeff Schumacher
Administrators Track			
2:30-3:15 PM	Breakout A – Conference Planning / Nominations and Awards Committee	Pelican	Committee Meeting
2:30-3:15 PM	Breakout B – Instructor Advisory Committee	The Dunes	Committee Meeting
2:30-3:15 PM	Breakout C – By-Laws and Resolutions Committee	Loggerhead Boardroom	Committee Meeting
3:15-3:30 PM	Break	Pre- Function	
3:30-5:25 PM	IHEA Updates USFWS WSFR Update	The Dunes	Alex Baer, Eric Shanks, and Bob Curry, Coordinators
5:25 PM	Wrap-Up	The Dunes	Jeff Schumacher

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All Participants			
5:30-6:30 PM	Welcome to Florida Vendor Reception		Mangrove Deck Ashley Williams, Coordinator
	Dinner		On your own
8:00-12:00 PM	Hospitality Room		Beacon Jason Tackett, Coordinator
9:00-10:00 PM	Federal Feud	Beacon	Teams compete in a parity of the game show – Family Feud – IHEA’s Federal Feud.

Field Day – Palm Beach County Shooting Sports Complex

Wednesday – May 18, 2022

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Field Day

Busses Leave 7:45 AM	Travel-Palm Beach Shooting Sports Complex 11730 Seminole Pratt Whitney Road	Hotel Entrance	Transportation to Shooting Sports Complex
8:30-9:20 AM	Breakfast – Served at Main Event Tent Presentation: Paris 2024	Main Event Tent	Vincent Hancock, USA Shooting Team
9:20-9:30 AM	Today’s Event	Main Event Tent	Jeff Schumacher, Coordinator

9:30-11:45 AM Participate in Round-Robin Activities

12:00-1:00 PM	Lunch	 Event Tent	Hendry County Cattleman’s Association
1:00-1:30 PM	Olympic Skeet	Field 7	Vincent Hancock, USA Shooting
1:30-2:00 PM	Expedition Shooting	Field 6	Riley Purser, Expedition Shooter
2:00-3:00 PM	Invasive Hunters	Field 11	McKayla Spencer, Fish and Wildlife Biologist IV

2:00-5:00 PM Participate in Round-Robin Activities

Round-Robin Activity	Long Distance Shooting / Electronic Targets	300-Yard Rifle Ranges	Jay Knight, and Donovan Motley Coordinators
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Round-Robin Activity	American Trap	Fields 1-2	Andy Vigneron, Coordinator
Round-Robin Activity	American Skeet	Fields 4 & 6	Philip Bazydlo, Coordinator
Round-Robin Activity	Olympic Trap	Fields 3 & 5	Cody Sharp, Coordinator
Round-Robin Activity	Olympic Skeet	Fields 7 & 9	Dave Sklarek, Coordinator
Round-Robin Activity	FireStick Muzzleloading	Range 3: 100-Yard Rifle Range	Jon Zinnel, Federal Ammunition
Round-Robin Activity	Silencerco	Range 4: 25-50 Meter Pistol Range	Ryan Stratton, Silencerco – John Soeder, Coordinator
Round-Robin Activity	Non-Lead Ammo	Range 4: 25-50 Meter Pistol Range	Chris Parrish, North American Non-Lead Partnership
Round-Robin Activity	3-Gun	Range 5: 50-Yard Pistol Range	William Thornton and Jarred Johnson, Coordinators
Round-Robin Activity	Compact Clays	5-Stand	Greg Finenco, Coordinator
Round-Robin Activity	Sporting Clays	Sporting Clays Course	Doug Cox, Coordinator
Round-Robin Activity	Archery	Archery Range	Zachary Bartlett, Coordinator
Round-Robin Activity	Airboat / Swamp Buggy Rides	Corbett WMA.	Bishop Wright, Coordinating
5:00-6:00 PM	Return to Hotel	Event Tent	Transportation to Wyndham Grand Jupiter
6:00-7:30 PM	IHEA World Meeting	Pelican	Alex Baer, Coordinator
6:00-8:00 PM	Dinner		On your own
8:00-12:00 PM	Hospitality Room	Beacon	Jason Tackett, Coordinator
8:30-10:00	Creative Karaoke	Beacon	State administrators honor (or dis-honor) their state by singing a state-themed song.

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Thursday – May 19, 2022

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General Sessions – Preserve Ballroom

7:00-8:00 AM	Breakfast		On Your Own
Administrators Track			
8:30-11:30 AM	IHEA-USA Business Meeting	The Dunes	State Administrators and IHEA Board
Shooting Sports Track			
8:30 -11:00 AM	Target Presentations and Trap Maintenance	FWC vans depart at 7:45 A.M.	Corey Howell, Howell Shooting Supplies
Staff/Volunteer Track			
9:00-9:30 AM	Involving Youth in Conservation	Preserve C	Justin Aycock, Youth & Education Coordinator Ducks Unlimited
9:30-10:00 AM	Florida Youth Conservation Centers Network	Preserve C	Daniel Parker, Director FYCCN
10:00--10:20 AM	Break	Pre-Function	
10:00-10:30 AM	“Media Challenges in the Future”	Preserve C	Doc Kokol, Kokol and Associates
10:30-11:00 AM	Hunting Incident Investigating and Reporting	Preserve C	Pam Steelman, FWC Hunting Incident Investigations Andrew Smith, IHEA Hunting Incident Data Site Expert
11:00-11:30 AM	Hunter Education and Law Enforcement	Preserve C	Capt. Patrick Walsh
11:30-12:00 AM	Break	Pre-Function	
12:00-1:30 PM	Awards Luncheon <i>Sponsored by:</i> 	Preserve Ballroom	Nominations and Awards Committee
12:30-1:00 PM	Fighting for Your Future	Preserve Ballroom	Marion Hammer, Unified Sportsmen of Florida

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1:00-1:30 PM	Presentation of Awards	Preserve Ballroom	Nominations and Awards Committee
Joint Session – Updates			
1:45-2:20 PM	Archery Program Updates	Preserve C	NBEF Update, Marilyn Bentz NASP Update, Jeff Rawlinson S3DA Update, Jennie Richardson
2:20-2:40 PM	Bowhunters United	Preserve C	Josh Gold, ATA Senior Manager of R3 and State Relations
2:40-3:00 PM	Outdoor Safety	Preserve C	Brett Stoffel, Outdoor Safe
3:00-3:20 PM	Hunters Connect	Preserve C	Alex Baer, IHEA
3:20-3:30 PM	Break	Pre-Function	
Breakout Session “A” – Shooting Range Track			
3:30-4:00 PM	Breakout A-1: Interactive Shooting Ranges	Preserve C	Jay Knight, Director Thomas County Public Works
4:00-4:30 PM	Breakout A-2: Shooting Range Design, Construction	Preserve C	Clark Vargas, Clark Nexsen Public Safety
4:30-5:00 PM	Breakout A-3: Shooting Range Operation	Preserve C	William Cline, Section Leader Hunter Safety and Public Shooting Ranges
Breakout Session “B” – Hunter Education Track			
3:30-4:00 PM	Breakout B-1: How Students Learn	The Dunes	Jason Tackett
4:00-4:30 PM	Breakout B-2: Tree Stand Safety Statistics	The Dunes	Jerry Wydner, Tree Stand Safety Association
4:30-5:00 PM	Breakout B-3: Hunter Safety adapting to the Future	The Dunes	Will Burnett
6:00-9:00 PM	IHEA Banquet and Auction	Preserve Ballroom	Cal Cooksey, Auctioneer Ashley Williams, Auction Coordinator
9:30-11:00 PM	Hospitality Room	Beacon	Jason Tackett, Coordinator

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Friday – May 20, 2022

Travel Day

6:00–10:00 AM	Transportation to Palm Beach International Airport	FWC Transports	Zachary Bartlett, and Sarah Gregory, Coordinators
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