

PROGRAM SCHEDULE

Monday July 22, 2024

- 7:30 – 8:30 **Registration**
8:30 – 8:50 **Welcome/Professionalism**
Chip Fitz/Hilton Cole
9:00 – 9:50 **Open Adoption**
Shelly Delahoussaye
10:00- 11:50 **Mitigating Nuisance Cats,
Community Engagement**
Best Friends
12:00 – 1:00 Lunch
1:00 – 5:00 **Control Pole/Bite Stick/Pepper
Spray Certification (Breakout)**
Jason Chambers
1:00 – 1:50 **Black Bears in Louisiana**
Johnny Berry
LDWLF
2:00 – 2:50 **BCS Scoring of Large & Small
Animals**
Julie Holmes
3:00 – 5:00 **Vector Born Disease**
Dr. Amy Bunch

Tuesday, July 23, 2024

Animal Control Officers

- 7:30 – 8:30 **Registration**
8:30 – 9:50 **Forensics and Court**
Machelle Hall
10:00 – 12:00 **Animal CPR & First Aid**
Julie Holmes
12:00 -1:00 Lunch
1:00 – 2:50 **Report Writing**
NACA Jace Huggins
3:00 – 4:30 **Neglect LASPCA Katheyn Destreza**
4:30 – 5:15 **LACCA Annual Meeting**
6:30 **Streetside Meet & Greet**

Shelter Personnel

- 7:30 – 8:30 **Registration**
8:30 – 9:50 **Animal Basics & Sheltering**
NACA
10:00 – 12:00 **Recognizing the Signs &
Symptoms of Sickness & Disease**
Dr. Jena Troxler
12:00 – 1:00 Lunch
1:00 – 2:50 **Shelter Safety & Security**
Henry Wimbley
3:00 – 4:30 **Neglect LASPCA Katheyn Destreza**
4:30 – 5:10 **LACCA Annual Meeting**
6:30 **Streetside Meet & Greet**

Wednesday, July 24, 2024

Animal Control Officers

- 7:30 – 8:30 **Registration**
- 8:30 – 10:20 **Humane Trapping**
Richard Summers
- 10:30 – 12:00 **Perception and Animal Handling**
NACA
- 12:00 – 1:00 Lunch
- 1:00 – 2:50 **Basic Animal Investigations**
NACA
- 3:00 -3:50 **Coyotes and More**
WLF Jennifer Hogue-Manuel
- 4:00 – 5:00 **Unconscious Bias In Animal Control**
NACA Jace Huggins

Shelter Personnel

- 7:30 – 8:30 **Registration**
- 8:30 – 9:20 **Breed Identification**
Julie Holmes
- 9:20 – 10:20 **Resources For Cruelty Cases**
ASPCA Kevin Pigg
- 10:30 – 12:00 **Perception and Animal Handling**
NACA
- 12:00 – 1:00 Lunch
- 1:00 – 1:50 **Ideas for Intake Diversion**
Best Friends
- 2:00 – 2:30 **Higher Live Animal
Release Numbers**
Best Friends
- 2:30 – 3:50 **De-escalation in Animal Services**
AJ Caldwell
- 4:00 – 5:00 **Unconscious Bias In Animal Control**
NACA Jace Huggins

Thursday, July 25, 2024

CHEMICAL CAPTURE

- 7:30 – 8:30 **Registration**
- 8:30 – 8:50 **Introduction to Chemical Capture**
Hilton Cole, David Marcantel,
Crystal Hawkins
- 9:00 – 9:50 **Animal Behavior**
Julie Holmes
- 10:00 – 12:00 **Field Training**
David Marcantel
- 12:00 – 1:00 Lunch
- 1:00 – 3:00 **Pharmacology**
Dr. Renee Poirrier
- 3:00 – 4:00 **After the Shot**
Dr. Jena Troxler

Friday, July 26, 2024

CHEMICAL CAPTURE

- 8:30 – 9:20 **Laws & Regulations**
Dr. Jena Troxler
- 9:20 – 12:00 **Field Training & Practical Applications**

