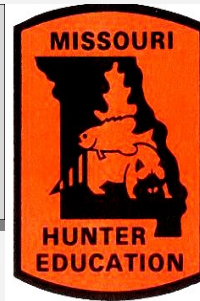




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Mission Statement:

It is the mission of the Missouri Hunter Education Instructor's Association to support and enhance the hunter education program in Missouri.

M.H.E.I.A. PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE



The following is the information your members will need to make their reservations for the MO Hunter Education Instructor's Assn event with us, **March 25 -28, 2021.**

The reservation cut-off date for your upcoming event is **FEBRUARY 25, 2021**, reservations must be made by 4:00 pm to guarantee the special group room rate we have for you & to guarantee room availability.

Room rate Regular room is **\$102.00**
Suite is \$102

Call 888-365-5620 & identify yourself with **MO Hunter Education Instructor's assn** OR Online at www.camdenonthelake.com with Group ID **HEIA0321**

- From the Camden Home page, click on the *Book Now/Check Rate* button (right side of page)
- On the *Guests & Room* page enter the number of guest(s) staying, select *Group Attendee* & click on the drop-down arrow next to *Add Group Code* box & enter Group ID: **HEIA0321** then click the *ADD button*, to ensure rates
- Click *Select & Go to Next Step*
- Select your Check in & Check out dates and click *Confirm Date*
- Continue by following the Prompts...
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www.confedmo.org/

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DUES

There is much confusion concerning dues. At the annual conference several years ago, it was voted to change the year to **March 1st thru the end of Feb..** Dues are \$10 per year. Please join and urge others to join. We need your ideas to move into the future.

HUNTER EDUCATION INSTRUCTOR ASSOCIATIONS

Alabama Hunter Education Association

<http://www.huntereducation.net/>

Alberta Hunter Education Instructor's Association

<http://www.aheia.com/>

Arkansas Hunter Education Association

<http://hunteredu.8k.com/about.html>

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<http://www.cahuntereducation.org/>

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<http://www.ghea.net/>

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<http://www.inhea.com/>

Kentucky Hunter Education Association

<http://www.khea.org/>

New York State Sportsman Education Program

<http://www.dec.state.ny.us/website/dfwvr/sportsed/>

Pennsylvania Hunter Education Association

<http://www.geocities.com/pennhea/>

Washington Hunter Education Instructor's Association

<http://wdfw.wa.gov/enf/huntered/wheia.htm>

West Virginia Hunter Education Association

<http://www.wvhuntered.com/>

Wisconsin Hunter Education Instructor's Association

<http://www.itol.com/wheia/>

Kansas City Region: Jerry Bryant**Greetings from the Kansas City Region**

Greeting from KC

To say that 2020 has been a crazy year would be a gross understatement.

We are beginning to start back up Hunter Education classes with a lot of restrictions. As we clean down the firearms between each student, wearing masks for students and instructors, having 15 students only, and full classes the rest of the year. It sure felt funny being locked into building while teaching. I took over for Ken Wallace in August as he was fighting the virus. We are so glad he is out of hospital now. Losing 18 pounds has made him very weak. We all wish him better health and pray he recovers fully. I am sure looking forward to hunting season. We are proceeding toward 2021 and our conference in March. Terry Powers is fighting Covid and is in Hospital. Our 2021 classes will only be 8 students until covid has been ended. Jim Shinneman's Mother and Brother are fighting Covid.

Safe hunting,
Jerry

******Addition Conference Information**

All members need to register for this year's Conference if you are attending, even if you paid last year and did not receive a refund for the cancelled event. Please enter the number of persons attending in the appropriate places on the registration sheet and on the total amount line, mark as prepaid from 2020. If you do not have a refund due from last year, please include payment.

St. Louis Region: Dennis Boerger**Greetings from the St. Louis Region**

Bad news first, in the Spring of this year we lost Ralph Redstone, I talked with him earlier in the winter because no one had heard from him in a long while and then Dennis Cooke called to let me know of his passing. He will be missed by all. Due to Jim Ragland's failing health he and Peggy have move to a Senior Care facility. Jim Ragland is now home after fighting covid. His daughter Linda is caring for him.

Classes in the St. Louis Area are on hold as every where else because of the pandemic

Jim Ragland's Birthday is on January 26th. If you would like to send him a card for his 90th birthday.

Send to: Jim Ragland
3801 Hartack Ct.
Florissant, MO 63034

*****IMPORTANT*****

ALL MEMBERS

In an effort to reduce costs of this newsletter, we are attempting to compile a list of all email addresses, so the newsletter can be electronically sent out to all members. Please forward your email address to me at:

bizzit@sbcglobal.net

Please make sure to include your

**From Michelle Gabelsberger
Membership Development Coordinator
Conservation Federation of Missouri**

The Legislative Action Center and your conservation voice

In 1935, sportsmen from throughout Missouri came together to form the Conservation Federation of Missouri (CFM). They organized with the purpose of taking conservation out of politics. Their initiative petition campaign resulted in the creation of the Missouri Department of Conservation, a non-political conservation agency that has been a model for other states.

Since then, the Federation has undertaken many successful battles to ensure Missouri continues to be the leading state in conservation policies and funding. In 1976, CFM spearheaded successful passage of the conservation sales tax to create stable broad-based funding for Missouri's forests, fauna and fish.

Today CFM is the largest and most representative conservation group in Missouri. It is a citizen's organization with over 100 affiliate organizations and thousands of members.

To bolster our collective voice regarding advocacy and legislative issues in the Capitol for the 2020 session, The Conservation Federation of Missouri has a new online legislative action center. It's a tool to keep us informed and communicate more effectively directly with your elected officials on issues that are important to us all. We all want our powerful voices to be heard so that we may have a lasting impact for generations to come.

In order to upload your information to the system, all they need is your name, address and email address. You can submit your information by going to www.confedmo.org/lac and click on the "Sign Up". Your information will not be shared with any outside parties, and it's only used to communicate with you on legislative issues. Thanks for your consideration and making our collective voices be heard loud and clear.

2021 MHEIA Conference Registration

Missouri Hunter Education Instructors Association's Conference March 25 - 28, 2021

Held At: Camden On The Lake
2359 Bittersweet Road
Lake Ozark, MO 65049
573-964-2069 or 888-365-5620 www.camdenonthelake.com

Room Code:

Name: _____

Name: (spouse) _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip Code _____

Region: _____ County: _____

Instructor Number: _____ MHEIA Member: Yes _____ No _____

Instructor Number: _____ MHEIA Member: Yes _____ No _____

CFM Member Yes__ No__

The cost of your registration includes your 1 day training, and meals, (breakfast & lunch on Saturday).

Please fill out and return it with your money (make checks payable to MHEIA) no later than

February 25th to address below. Please Preregister. (THERE IS A \$5.00 LATE FEE FOR REGISTERING AT THE DOOR)

Member (at \$40.00 per) \$ _____

Member and spouse (at \$60.00 for couples) \$ _____

Husband and Wife Instructor Team (at \$50.00) \$ _____

Non-Member (@ \$40.00) (Includes Membership) \$ _____

Non-Member Couple (@ \$70.00) (Includes Membership) \$ _____

Number of Children: (6 to 12) _____ (@ \$10.00 per) \$ _____

Number of Children: (5 or under, \$0) _____

Total \$ _____

Special Diet(Allergies) _____

NOTE: Conference Registration Fee DOES NOT Include Membership Dues OR Hotel Registration!

Regular Membership or Renewal (Regularly Due by March 01); Voting member \$10.00

Renewal _____ YES _____ NO _____

New _____ YES _____ NO _____

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MISSOURI HUNTER EDUCATION INSTRUCTOR'S ASSOCIATION MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION/
RENEWAL

Please Print:

Name: _____ Date: _____

Street: _____

City: _____ State _____

Zip Code: _____ (we really need your Zip Plus Four for mailing)

County: _____

MDC Region: _____

Telephone No. (____) - ____ - ____

E-Mail address: May' we publish? Yes ___ No ___

Missouri Hunter Education Instructor No. ifs applicable

New Instructor, no number? _____ Check here ___

Bowhunter Education Instructor? Yes ___ NO ___ . N/A ___

MEMBERSHIP CATEGORIES (CHECK ONE) **Voting Membership:** ___ Regular Membership \$10 ___ Regular Sustaining \$25 ___ Regular Life \$200

Non Voting: ___ Associate (MDC/DNR) \$10 ___ Associate Sustaining \$25 ___ Associate Life \$200 ___ Junior Member (Under 18) \$10 ___ Affiliate (Business or Org) \$25

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