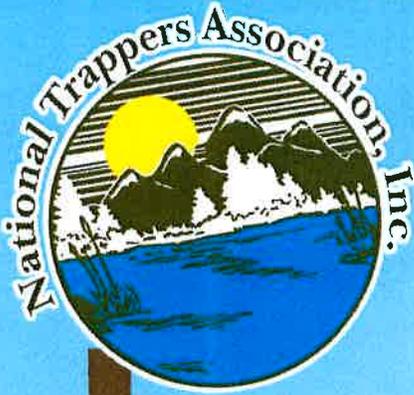


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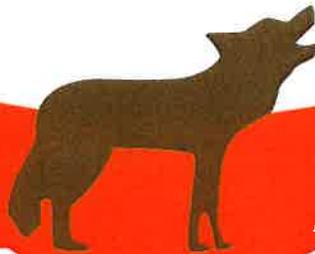
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JUNE 11 & 12, 2021

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PROGRAM

Schedule of Events

Emergency telephone number – call Vickie Wright 231-907-0977

Friday – June 11

8:00 AM	Dealer building open
	Tailgaters
	FBU raffle all day
	Sign up for trap setting contests—National Trappers Association Booth—open to all
	Sign up for the skillet toss contest—NTA booth—open to all females
	Demos all day starting at 9:00 AM
5:30 PM	Dealer building closed
7:00 PM	Trapper feed and Auction registration
7:30 PM	Auction

Saturday – June 12

8:00 AM	Dealer buildings open
	Tailgaters
	FBU raffle all day
	Sign up for trap setting contests—NTA booth—open to all
	Sign up for the skillet toss contest—NTA booth—open to all females
8:00 AM	Demos all day starting at 9:00 AM
10:00 AM-12:00 PM	Skillet toss contest
1:00 PM – 3:00 PM	Trap setting contests Speed under age 12 Speed Ages 12-16 Speed Ages 17 & Up Conibear—Speed All Ages
4:00 PM	Silent auction closes
6:00 PM	Dealer buildings close
6:15 PM	FBU raffle

Demonstration Schedule

Friday June 11, 2021

Time	Demonstrator(s)	Demo Name	Biography
9 am	Haley and Holly Jepson	Marten and Bobcat Trapping the Delbert Jepson Way	Haley is the granddaughter of life-long north Idaho Trapper Delbert Jepson who passed away in November. Young Haley was blessed to have learned from her grandfather from a very young age and is carrying on his dedication to trappers and trapping by sharing the things she learned with as many people as possible. Her Mother Holly is also an active trapper and carries on her families trapping traditions with trap lines that stretch for many miles through north Idaho's rugged mountains by way of trucks, snow machines and on foot. This female trapping duo is a must see!
10am	Toby Walrath	How Anti-Trappers Work and How to Beat Them	Toby Walrath is the Past President of the Montana Trappers Association, has written hundreds of trapping related articles for major publications and was the spokesman for the Ballot Initiative Committee in Montana during the I-177 campaign. His insight into how the anti-trapping movement works comes from firsthand experience. Toby is a sought after public speaker, writer and most importantly a dedicated trapper. Come learn how the anti-trapping movement works and how to defeat it by this entertaining and thought provoking speaker.
11am	Dan Helterline	Finding Wolf Locations and Proper Trap Placement	Dan Helterline is one of Montana's top wolfers. Few trappers have accomplished the sheer numbers of wolves as Dan has. Dan works as a Trap Line Adventure Guide in Montana and holds wolf trapping seminars throughout the year. Finding wolves is Dan's passion and his knowledge of wolves and wolf trapping is simply amazing. This demo is sure to increase your catch next season.
12pm	None Lunch Time	None Lunch Time	None Lunch Time
1pm	Todd Smith	Pine Marten	Todd Smith has been trapping for over 30 years and lives in Idaho Falls where he owns C & S Auto Body. His busy lifestyle finds him teaching as an Instructor at Technical Careers

			High School, Serving as the Chairman of the Board for the Upper Snake River Trappers of Idaho and running multi-species trap lines with his Chocolate Lab Yukon. He is a dedicated husband, Dad and grandpa who is going to teach how to have a very active and productive trap line while operating a full time business and working a full time job as a family man. For busy trappers who want to maximize trap line production this is a must see.
2pm	Mercer Lawing	Bobcat Cage Trapping	Mercer Lawing owner and creator of cagingbobcats.com and Camtrip Cage Traps has stretched easily 1300 bobcats taken with foot holds, cage traps and guns in his 33 years of chasing them. As a wildlife specialist and contractor he's killed his share of damaging coyotes and worked on a few capture and collar projects as well.
3pm	Bob Sheppard	Interpreting Wolf Behavior and using it for trapping success	Bob Sheppard has been trapping along the Rocky Mountain Front and in the middle of the Bob Marshall Wilderness for sixty years. His insight into wolf behavior coupled with his ability to interpret wolf sign turns information into wolf trapping success. If you've ever observed wolf sign and wished you knew how to use it this demo is for you.
4pm	Johney Whisenhunt	Professional Trap Line Tips Using Custom Equipment	Johney Whisenhunt has been trapping for 63 years. During that time he has trapped in fifteen states and has trapped wolf, coyote, bobcat, fox, beaver, otter, mink, marten and muskrat. Johney is a trapping educator who is going to show custom equipment that he uses for difficult water trapping situations throughout the year including open water and ice trapping conditions. Johney's problem solving skills are a must see.

Saturday June 12, 2021

Time	Demonstrator(s)	Demo Name	Biography
9 am	Mike Ward	Managing a Wolf Trap Line	Mike traps wolves in the backcountry of north central Idaho's Lolo Zone. He has been consistently catching good numbers every year on a limited time budget. Mike's presentation focuses on how the "everyday trapper" can run a productive line around the

			demands of work, family and other commitments. In his talk, Mike discusses trap line management, mindset and techniques that everyone can use. Whether you're after numbers or just one for the wall, this demo is for you.
10am	Kendall Obermier	Coyote Trapping Techniques for the Travelling Trapper	Kendall is the owner of NO BS Lures. His trap lines cover four states and nearly half the year. His high volume trapping endeavors include multi-species like mink, raccoon and coyotes. This demo is focused on coyote trapping techniques in a variety of terrain and conditions.
11am	Bernie Nelson	Dealing with skunks. Cage trapping and clean dispatching techniques	Bernie is the owner of Custom Cage Traps and as a Washington state trapper had to use cage traps for many years. Now, as an Idaho resident Bernie still finds cage trapping to be effective and lends itself well to clean and humane dispatching. As a Trapping Instructor in Idaho and Washington with over 50 years in the industry Bernie brings a lifetime of adaptability and innovation that is sure to change the way you think.
12pm	None Lunch	None Lunch Time	None Lunch Time
1pm	Lesel Reusaat	Coyotes and Bobcats	Lesel Reusaat is an avid coyote and bobcat trapper from South Dakota. He spends several weeks each year travelling out of state to places like WY, NE, KS, OK, TX, MI and DE specifically for coyotes and bobcats. Being an instructor at the LKL Trapping Experience in Minneapolis, Kansas, running a successful bait and lure business and collecting urine from his own animals keeps him involved in the trapping industry 12 months of the year.
2pm	Andy Weiser	Coyote Trapping and coyote locating techniques.	Andy Weiser is a year round coyote trapper in Montana whose annual accumulation of coyotes taken by trapping and hunting is baffling. Ranchers from the U.S. to Mexico call on Andy to solve depredation complaints every year and he works diligently at his craft. Andy owns Weiser Western Lures and has hosted a widely successful DVD titled "Western Coyote Trapping". Andy will share coyote trapping and locating techniques using

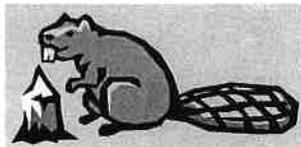
			his proven methods. You won't want to miss this.
3pm	Scott Phillips	Predator Trapping	Scott Phillips is from Vale Oregon and has trapped for over 50 years privately and for County, State and Federal programs. His trapping experience covers 10 different states. As the owner of Northwest Predator and Wildlife Control, Scott makes baits and Lures including Del Kramer's line of Lures. Scott has written for the Furtaker Magazine for over twenty years and has served as an instructor for the Furtakers college in years past. If increasing your annual catch of predators is your goal this demo is for you.
4pm	Wayne Derrick, Gary Jepson, Chuck Carpenter	The Legends of Trapping Question and Answer Forum	These trapping "Living legends" likely need no introduction if you've spent any time in the trapping industry. This demonstration is a unique question and answer session that will allow the audience to ask questions to the finest panel of trapping experts we could assemble. You will not want to miss this!



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