

Minnesota Trappers Association

Trapper Education Field Day – New Ulm, MN – District 7

Location: Schmitt Enterprise Inc.

Date: Sunday Sept. 22nd, 2019

Time: 9:00am – 3:15pm

Pre-register by contacting: Brian @ (507) 276 – 6322

Students are encourage to complete the required written exam prior to attending by registering for the correspondence course online at www.mntrappers.org and downloading the student manual.

Agenda

- 1) Brian Fischer introduction/paper work - be prompted **(9:15 am-9:30am)**
- 2) Frank Moser – water trapping demo **(9:30-10:30)**
 - staking and chains
 - field equipment
 - lures and baits
- 3) Brian Fischer - animal identification, land and water **(10:30-11:00)**
 - animal identification
 - characteristics and habits
- 4) Seth Shriver – land basics: **(11:00-11:30)**
 - burring and covering trap methods
 - tools and trap preparation
- 5) Brian Fischer - District 7 meeting/elections/lunch/shopping **(11:30-12:30)**
- 6) Wayne Thompson -Water Basics **(1:00-1:30)**
 - water sets
 - drowning methods
- 7) Leon Windschitl - fur handling demo **(1:30-2:30)**
 - skinning an animal
 - pelt cleaning & boarding
- 8) Matt Buntjer - trap identification **(2:30- 3:00pm)**
 - long spring
 - coil spring
 - body gripping
- 9) Brian Fischer - Wrap up **(3:00- 3:15pm)**

Things to bring:

- 1) Your MTA Parent Release Form if you have not sent it to me already
- 2) Bring no traps or anchoring devices- they will be provided.
- 3) Note pad and pencil
- 4) Questions concerns call 507-276-6322