

# *The Skeeter*

Newsletter of the Nebraska Mosquito and Vector Control Association (NMVCA)

[www.nemosquito.org](http://www.nemosquito.org)

August 2015

## *Omaha!!!*

### *The site of the 2015 Nebraska Mosquito & Vector Control Association Annual Meeting*

**October 1-2, 2015**

The 2015 Nebraska Mosquito and Vector Control Association Annual Conference will be held at the Ramada Inn & Convention Center, 72<sup>nd</sup> St & I 80, Omaha, NE. This conference is designed to provide relevant and timely information on a variety of mosquito and vector-related topics. Attendees will have the opportunity to meet and collaborate with other mosquito and vector control personnel from across the state. In addition, many product and equipment vendors will be present to assist with your control programs. This will be a re-certification meeting for those whose category 09 on their Pesticide Applicators License is due to expire.

***Topics at this conference will include:***

Mosquito Control, Biology & Diseases

Pesticide Safety and Handling

Mosquito Control Products & Demonstrations

Integrated Pest Management

National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (NPDES)

***Guest Speaker: Dr. Wayne Kramer,***   
***former Nebraska State Entomologist and NMVCA Director***

Topic: Forensic Entomology

**Oct. 1 evening: Dinner on your own!** Enjoy the many fine restaurants in the Omaha area.

Recipients of **2015 Mosquito Control Grants** [See page 2](#)

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2015 NMVCA Mosquito Control Grant winners!  
Congratulations to:

# **Cambridge & Davenport**

The Nebraska Mosquito & Vector Control Association  
has awarded Grants of \$6,500 over 7 years.

## **2016 NMVCA Calendar of Events**

### NMVCA Workshops:

**Lincoln Mosquito Control Workshop**  
Tuesday, May 31, 2016  
Lancaster Event Center  
84<sup>th</sup> & Havelock  
Lincoln, NE (402)441-6545

**Burwell Mosquito Control Workshop**  
Wednesday, June 1, 2016  
Burwell Fair Grounds  
(712) 790-3372

**Minden Mosquito Control Workshop**  
Thursday, June 2, 2016  
Minden Fairgrounds  
1220 32<sup>nd</sup> Rd, Minden, NE 68959  
(712) 790-3372

**Gering Mosquito Control Workshop**  
Friday, June 3, 2016  
Convention Center  
City of Gering  
(712) 790-3372

### 2016 Annual NMVCA Educational Conference

North Platte, NE!  
Site To Be Determined

For more information on the Workshops or the Annual Meeting, contact:

Tom Janousek: (402) 672-0930  
[tjmosq@msn.com](mailto:tjmosq@msn.com)

## ***Did you know.....***

You can get important information on Pesticide Applicators licenses, pesticides and more at:

[www.PestEd.unl.edu](http://www.PestEd.unl.edu)

or other important pesticide publications at:

[www.extension.unl.edu](http://www.extension.unl.edu)

**Nebraska Mosquito and Vector Control Association**  
**2015 Membership Dues**  
**& Annual Meeting Registration Form**

**Names** \_\_\_\_\_

**Agency** \_\_\_\_\_

**Mailing Address** \_\_\_\_\_

**City** \_\_\_\_\_ **State** \_\_\_\_\_ **Zip** \_\_\_\_\_

**Phone number** \_\_\_\_\_ **Email (optional)** \_\_\_\_\_

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**Nebraska Mosquito and Vector Control Association 2015 Dues:**  
\_\_\_\_\_ \$15 yearly membership only and will not be attending Annual Meeting.



**2015 Annual Meeting:**

\_\_\_\_\_ \$50 per person (includes Thursday breakfast rolls, lunch and breaks & Friday breakfast rolls and breaks)

**Vendor Registration:**

\_\_\_\_\_ \$150 for one display table and registration/NMVCA membership for one person

\_\_\_\_\_ \$25 voluntary donation towards following events (sponsor will be indicated in program):

\_\_\_\_\_ Thursday morning coffee and rolls

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\_\_\_\_\_ Thursday mid-morning break

\_\_\_\_\_ Friday mid-morning break

\_\_\_\_\_ Thursday mid-afternoon break

**Please make checks payable to NMVCA.** All fees must be paid by the day of registration.

We will not bill agencies or issue purchase orders or invoices.

**Mail this registration form**

**(and checks payable to NMVCA) to:**

**Marg Root**

**689 Elm St.**

**Ashland, NE 68003**

**Phone & Fax: (402) 944-7404**

**For further information, contact:**

**Tom Janousek**

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**Meeting site:** October 1 & 2, 2015 at

Ramada Inn & Convention Center, 72<sup>nd</sup> Str & I 80, Omaha, NE, 402 393-3950

Room Rate: \$84.00 plus tax in the NMVCA Block.

Must register before: Sept. 23th

Thursday, October. 1: Registration: 8:00am.

Meeting: 8:30am to 4:30pm, Coffee, rolls, lunch and breaks included

Dinner: On your own! Enjoy the many Omaha restaurants.

Friday, October 2: Meeting: 8:00am to noon

Nebraska Mosquito & Vector Control Association  
689 Elm St.  
Ashland, NE 68003



## **Important Notice!!**

All government and commercial pesticide applicators must be licensed in the general and public health categories to control mosquitoes and other insects of public health importance. All chemical types require a license to apply, not just restricted use pesticides. Licensing information can be obtained from our website

[nemosquito.org](http://nemosquito.org)

or by contacting the Nebraska Department of Agriculture at:

877-800-4080