

The Skeeter

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

www.nemosquito.org

April 2021

Information on the 2021 Summer Workshops:

Only the machine calibrations will be conducted at the following locations.

Van Diest will be conducting calibrations. The cost is \$25/machine. See Registration on Page 3.

- June 1, 2021 at the Lancaster Events Center, Lincoln, NE 9:00 AM to noon
- June 2, 2021 at the Burwell, NE Fairgrounds 9:00 AM to noon
 - o **Please note we will not be meeting at the restaurant**
- June 3, 2021 at the Kearney County Fairgrounds, Minden, NE 9:00 AM to noon
- June 4, 2021 at the County Roads Dept, Gering, NE 9:00 AM to noon
 - o **Please note we will not be meeting at the Convention Center**

The NMVCA Board has decided to cancel the Educational portion of the Summer 2021 Workshops due to the Covid 19 Pandemic. However, we are planning to post Educational material online to be utilized by members later. Information on the Educational material will be posted on our website:

www.nemosquito.org

- Communities that had already registered and paid can receive a refund. Those details can be worked out with Marg, NMVCA Treasurer, as needed. Marg's # 402-944-7404

Please contact a NMVCA Board member if you have further questions.

Stay safe!

Mosquito Control 2021 Grants Winners!!



The NMVCA is awarding grants for \$500 each

to: **Fairbury & Minatare**



The NMVCA has awarded Mosquito Control Grants totaling \$13,000 over 13 years!

How to protect yourself from Covid 19 Disease:

- Clean your hands often
- Avoid touching your nose, mouth and eyes
- Maintain distance from others
- Cover nose & mouth when around others
- Cover your mouth and nose when sneezing with a cloth, dispose of tissues
- Clean surfaces and items often

Source: www.cdc.gov

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2021 NMVCA Calendar of Events

NMVCA Workshops: 9:00 AM - noon,

Machine calibration ONLY!

Educational material will be posted at
www.nemosquito.org

Lincoln Machine Calibration Event

Tuesday, June 1st, 2021

Lancaster Event Center

84th & Havelock

Lincoln, NE (402) 441-6545

Burwell Machine Calibration Event

Wednesday, June 2nd, 2021

Burwell Fairgrounds

Please note we will not be meeting at the restaurant

Minden Machine Calibration Event

Thursday, June 3rd, 2021

Kearney County Fairgrounds, Minden,

Gering Machine Calibration Event

Friday, June 4th, 2021

County Roads Dept, Gering

Please note we will not be meeting at the Convention Center

2021 Annual NMVCA Educational Conference

October 7 & 8

Columbus, NE

More details will be coming

For more information on the Calibration Events or the Annual Meeting, contact:

Tom Janousek: (402) 672-0930

tjmosq@msn.com

Did you know.....

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

www.PestEd.unl.edu

or other important pesticide publications at:

www.extension.unl.edu

Nebraska Mosquito and Vector Control Association

2021 Membership Dues and Summer Calibration Event Registration Form

Names _____

Agency _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Phone _____ E-mail (not required) _____ Receive Newsletter by E-mail

If you wish to receive a PDF format email Skeeter, please contact Penny Evans at neskeeter@gmail.com. Be sure to check your junk box and add the address to your safe list.

Nebraska Mosquito and Vector Control Association 2021 Dues:

_____ \$15 yearly membership only and will not be attending Summer Workshops or Fall Meeting

Summer Calibration Event:

Calibration only – NO educational portion

_____ \$40 per person attending (covers lunch, meeting expenses & 2021 membership dues)

_____ \$25 per machine calibration and droplet sizing. Number of machines _____

_____ \$100 Vendor registration per person (covers booth and food at all 4 sites). Does not include NMVCA membership.

_____ Total enclosed

Check which calibration event you will be attending:

_____ Lincoln, Tuesday June 1st @ Lancaster Event Center, 84th & Havelock

_____ Burwell, Wednesday June 2nd @ Burwell Fairgrounds

_____ Minden, Thursday June 3rd @ Kearney County Fairgrounds

_____ Gering, Friday June 4th @ County Roads Dept, Gering

All Calibration Event will be from 9:00 AM to Noon

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

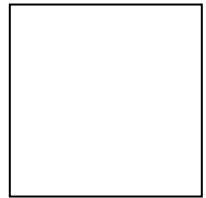
689 Elm St.

Ashland, NE 68003

Phone & Fax: (402) 944-7404

Further questions contact Tom Janousek (402) 672-0930 or tjmosq@msn.com

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Important Notice!!

Applicators controlling mosquitoes and other disease vectors are required to be licensed in the Public Health category (09) if:

- *Applications are made using general use pesticides on behalf of a city, town, or other community **OR***
- *Applications are made using restricted use pesticides*

Please contact Nebraska Department of Agriculture at:

(402) 471-2351

2021 NMVCA Mosquito Control Grant Winners:

Fairbury & Minatare
Congratulations!