

Envirothon PD Workshop Agenda

Day 1 – Virtual Training

Date: Tuesday, June 24

Time: 9 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

Agenda

Welcome – Amy Tressler, Franklin SWCD **(9-9:15)**

What is the Envirothon – Wendee Dodds **(9:15-10)**

Overview of Stations **(10-12:30)**

- Forestry – Dave Runkle, Hocking College
- Aquatics – Dennis Clement, Ohio EPA
- Soils/Web Soil Survey – Dave Reutter, Franklin SWCD
- Wildlife – John Kiser, ODNR

Lunch Break **(12:30-1)**

Online Study Materials & Resources – Lynn, Butler SWCD **(1-2)**

Team Advisor Panel – Lara Hamilton, Lynchburg Clay and Jeff, Fort Jennings **(2-3)**

1. How you train your team.
2. Resources you use.
3. General info about starting the team and the benefit students receive from it.

Experienced Student Panel – Jacob Stiltner & Leah Bauer, Franklin SWCD Interns and Daphne Cannon, ODA Intern **(3-4)**

1. Share your Envirothon story.
2. How have you used knowledge gained from Envirothon?
3. If you went to state contest, how did you prepare?
4. Share about the contest presentation.

Amy Tressler, Franklin SWCD **(4-4:30)**

1. Homework Assignment, Ashland University Continuing Education Credit
2. Overview of workshop online resources
3. Overview of Day 2: Field Experience/Training

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Day 2 – In Person Training (North Central Location)

Location

Morrow County-
Headwaters Outdoor Recreation Center
151 Home Road, Mount Gilead, Ohio

Time: 10 a.m. to 3 p.m.

Reminders

- Please pack a lunch and a refillable water bottle.
- Bring sun block, bug spray, and clothing to wear outside, camp chair

Schedule

Check In & Welcome	9:30-9:45 a.m.	
Rotation 1	9:50-11:00	(70-minute rotation)
Rotation 2	11:05-12:15	(70-minute rotation)
Lunch	12:15-12:50	(35-minute lunch break)
Rotation 3	12:50-2:00	(70-minute rotation)
Rotation 4	2:05-3:15	(70-minute rotation)
Wrap Up & Go Home	3:15-3:30 p.m.	

Stations

Aquatics

- Presenter – Dennis Clement- OEPA
- Location – Pond
- Activity – Review a past test, fish ID, water quality (macros/chemical testing), biotic/abiotic factors, prevention/treatment: chemical, mechanical, biological, climate and invasive impacts, BMPs

Forestry

- Presenter – Max Schrimpf- ODNR Forestry Div.
- Location- Bridge
- Activity – Activity – Review a past test, tree ID skills, using a Biltmore Stick, invasives, tree measurement, forest succession, forest soil ecology, management, BMPs

Soils

- Presenter – Reed Johnson- NRCS Soil Scientist
- Location – Soil Pit
- Activity- Review a past test, soil pit judging, soil structure and land usage; texturing, ribboning, oxidation, applying web soil survey info, restrictive features, hydric soils, BMPs

Wildlife-

- Presenter – Emilee Hardesty; Wildlife Management: ODNR
- Location – Nature Center
- Activity – Review a past test, wildlife ID, State laws and legislation, habitat and wildlife management; invasive, human, and climate impact & threats to wildlife, diversity of ecosystems, environmental factors and wildlife, Ohio wildlife history

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Day 2 – In Person Training (South Central Location)

Date: Wednesday, June 25

Location

Pickaway County Park District Headquarters
16405 US-23, South Bloomfield, OH 43103

Time: 9:30-3:30

Reminders

- Please pack a lunch and a water bottle.
- Bring sun block, bug spray, and clothing to wear outside.

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Stations

Aquatic

- Presenter – Kelly Capuzzi, OEPA, 740-380-5283, kelly.capuzzi@epa.ohio.gov
- Location – Pond
- Activity – Review a past test, fish ID, water quality (macros/chemical testing), biotic/abiotic factors, prevention/treatment: chemical, mechanical, biological, climate and invasive impacts, BMPs

Forestry

- Presenter – Trenner Wile, ODNR Forester, Trenner.Wile@dnr.ohio.gov
- Location – Esker Trail
- Activity – Review a past test, tree ID skills, using a Biltmore Stick, invasives, tree measurement, forest succession, forest soil ecology, management, BMPs

Soils

- Presenter – Teresa Caldwell, Athens SWCD, teresacaldwell@athensswcd.org
- Location – Soil Pit by Shelter House
- Soil Pit Dug By – Bill Black, Board Member

- Activity – Review a past test, soil pit judging, soil structure and land usage; texturing, ribboning, oxidation, applying web soil survey info, restrictive features, hydric soils, BMPs

Wildlife

- Presenter – Meghan Ellis, Park District, mellis@pickawaycountyohio.gov
- Location – Near the Clubhouse
- Activity – Review a past test, wildlife ID, State laws and legislation, habitat and wildlife management, invasive and climate impact & threats to wildlife, diversity of ecosystems, environmental factors and wildlife, Ohio wildlife history