



WORKSHOP ANNOUNCEMENT



July 07, 2017

Dear Stream Team Volunteer Water Quality Monitors:

Enclosed is the 2017 Level 1 Volunteer Water Quality Monitoring Workshop Schedule. This level of training includes chemical monitoring, visual survey, and a review of invertebrate identification techniques.

In order to attend a Level 1 Workshop, you must have attended an Introductory Level Workshop and submitted the appropriate data including:

Site Selection form with a map of your site location, Stream Discharge and Biological Monitoring data.

If you attended an Introductory Level workshop prior to 2009, you must have submitted Visual Survey and Biological Monitoring data.

If you have not submitted your data, you can submit it with the registration form for the Level 1 Workshop.

Each workshop is free of charge and consists of six (6) hours of classroom instruction and one to two hours on a stream to demonstrate sampling methods. Although the level of material presented is not designed for children, older youth accompanied by an adult are welcome (maximum 3 per adult).

Need a refresher course? For those volunteers who have already attended one or more of our monitoring courses and would like a refresher, please feel free to register for a course you have already attended. Alumni are always welcome.

Register online at mostreamteam.org or complete and return the attached form.

You will receive a confirmation letter and directions to the workshop location after the registration deadline date. Class size will be limited to 30 people per workshop and will be filled on a first-come, first-serve basis. *Individuals under the age of 18 must be accompanied by a sponsoring adult to attend.*

For more information:
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2017 Volunteer Water Quality Monitoring Level 1 Workshop Schedule

WORKSHOP LOCATION	DATE & TIME
Macon: DNR NE Regional Office 1709 Prospect Drive	Saturday, September 9 8:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. <i>Register by Wednesday, August 23</i>
Wildwood: Babler State Park 800 Guy Park Road	Saturday, September 16 8:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. <i>Register by Wednesday, August 30</i>
Plattsburg Hartell Conservation Area 542 NE 280th St	Saturday, September 23 8:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. <i>Register by Wednesday, September 6</i>
Rolla: Phelps County Courthouse 200 N Main Street	Saturday, September 30 8:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. <i>Register by Wednesday, September 13</i>
Springfield: C. W. Titus Educational Facility 2400 E. Valley Watermill Road	Saturday, October 14 8:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. <i>Register by Wednesday, September 27</i>
Perryville: Perryville Area Higher Ed Center 108 South Progress Drive	Saturday, October 21 8:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. <i>Register by Wednesday October 4</i>
West Plains: MDC Ozark Regional Office 551 Joe Jones Blvd	Saturday, October 21 8:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. <i>Register by Wednesday October 4</i>
Columbia: 4-H Center for Youth Development 1110 South College Boulevard	Saturday, October 28 8:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. <i>Register by Wednesday, October 11</i>

- Registration Form must be returned by the deadline to be registered. You can register for the workshop on the Stream Team website at www.mostreamteam.org.
- Attendance will be limited to 30 people per workshop.
- Please bring a sack lunch. Lunch will *not* be provided.
- Wear outdoor clothing and bring boots or river shoes in preparation for wading into the stream.
- Registration confirmation and directions to the workshop will be mailed to registrants prior to the workshop.

For questions about the workshop, call the Stream Team voicemail at 800-781-1989.

The Stream Team Volunteer Water Quality Monitoring Program makes every effort to provide ADA accessible programs, however some aspects of this activity may not be suitable for those with certain disabilities. People with disabilities requiring special services or accommodations to attend the training can make arrangements by calling 573-526-7838 or by writing two weeks in advance of the training to: Department of Natural Resources, Water Protection Program, PO Box 176, Jefferson City, MO 65102.

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