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Attachments: NRA Muzzle Loading Instructor Course Announcement - Oct 2015.docx; ODNR

Hunter Education Course Announcement - 7 Nov 2015.docx

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From: Ray Blowers

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From: **Ray Blowers** <ray.blowers@donet.com>

Date: Wed, Oct 7, 2015 at 11:32 AM

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To: Tara Corns <a href="mailto:cross-apara">tcorns@bsamail.org</a>

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## Tara

Please put the attached Shooting Sports Training Course Announcements in a special "Blast" this week and include them in the regular "Blast" through 23 Oct 2015. Thanks

RayBlowers

## **NRA Muzzle Loading Instructor Course**

The NRA and NMLRA have consolidated their Muzzle Loading training into comprehensive courses that cover Muzzle Loading Rifle, Shotgun, and Pistol. Unfortunately this means that anyone currently holding NRA Instructor Certifications for less than all three disciplines will lose their certification(s) on 1 Jan 2016 unless they take the consolidated course before then. This course is open to all NRA Instructors with current Muzzle Loading Certifications and anyone else desiring to get their NRA Muzzle Loading Instructor Certification.

Venture Crew 71 will sponsor an NRA Muzzle Loading Instructor Course on 13 thru 15 November 2016 at the Camp Birch Training Lodge starting with Basic Instructor Training (BIT) at 5:00 PM on Friday and from 8:00 AM to 6:00 PM on Saturday. The cost will be \$75 (payable at the door, cash or check to Ray Blowers) which will include everything needed for the course. Participants should dress for the weather and bring a sack lunch for Saturday. The course may have to be extended to Sunday starting at 1:00 PM if necessary. We will need at least 10 Participants to hold a viable instructor course. If you have Muzzle Loading Rifles, Shotguns, or Pistols you may bring them (unloaded) for demonstration purposes and shooting at the range. If you plan to shoot your guns bring appropriate ammunition and peripherals. We will have enough firearms, ammunition, and equipment for the course.

This course will be taught by NRA Certified Training Counselors: D. G. Adams, Ray Blowers, Ed Hess, and Pat Price.

Please register by **23 Oct 2015** by contacting D. G. Adams at (937) 206-1799, Email: <a href="mailto:dg98adams@yahoo.com">dg98adams@yahoo.com</a> or Ray Blowers at (937) 429-2191, Email: <a href="mailto:ray.blowers@donet.com">ray.blowers@donet.com</a> so that we have time to order required materials.

## **ODNR/DOW Hunter Education Course**

Venture Crew 71 will sponsor an Ohio Department of Natural Resources Department of Wildlife Hunter Education Course on **7 Nov 2015** at Camp Birch. We will start at 8:00 AM on Saturday at the Training Lodge and finish by 6:00 PM. Depending on the number of participants, we may have to extend the course to 8 Nov 2015 at 1:00 PM. This course is open to all participants needing this course to purchase an Ohio Hunting License. Participants 10 years old or less must be accompanied by an adult. Participants should dress for the weather and bring a sack lunch. The course is free but participants must register by **23 Oct 2015** by contacting Ray Blowers at Ph: (937) 429-2191 or E-Mail: ray.blowers@donet.com to allow time to order required materials.